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FRATERNITY MEETINGS.

Haswell Royal Arch Chapter, No. 11, Stated Convocation, Friday evening, Sept. 3.
CHARLES BENNETT, H. P. DELOS M. BACON, Secretary.
Passumpsic Lodge, No. 27, F. and A. M. Regular Communication, Thursday evening, Aug. 26.
ARTHUR G. SPRAGUE, W. M. DELOS M. BACON, Secretary.
Palestine Commandery, No. 5, E. T. Stated Conclave, Tuesday eve., Aug. 31.
FRID C. BECK, H. C. DELOS M. BACON, Recorder.

Modern Woodmen of America. Regular meetings of Asajua Camp, No. 8149, are held first and third Tuesdays in each month. Next meeting Sept. 7, 1909.
H. I. PICKERING, Clerk.
DAVID IRWIN, V. C.

Green Mountain Lodge, No. 49, N. E. O. F. Regular meetings on the first and third Saturday evenings of each month at Odd Fellows Hall, Railroad Street.
H. H. SOMERS, Jr., Warden.
D. M. NOYES, Sec'y.

Closing Saturday Noons.

During the summer months the CALEDONIAN Office will close every Saturday at noon. The patrons of this office will kindly take notice of this and govern themselves accordingly.
THE CALEDONIAN COMPANY.

NEW ADS. THIS WEEK.

Sheriff's Sale.
Room to Rent.
Colonial Theatre.
Tenement to Rent.
Coal—Geo. P. Moore.
Young Lady Wanted.
Vacuum Cleaner—F. T. Forsath.
Premiums—W. W. Sprague & Son.
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Food Sale at St. Andrew's Church.
Annual Meeting St. J. & L. C. R. R.
A New Contract—Chas. S. Hastings.
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LOCAL NOTICES.

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J. M. Legendre has engaged Oliver Piche, who has had 22 years' experience as barber in Boston to work in his shop on Bay street. Mr. Piche was employed in the Quincy house for four years and the Revere house five years and is a first class barber. He makes a specialty of cutting pompadours. There will now be three barbers at Mr. Legendre's shop on Saturday evenings.
F. T. Forsath has just installed a new Vacuum cleaner and with two first class machines is prepared to render prompt and satisfactory service. He is also prepared to rid hotels, restaurants, and private dwellings of cockroaches and bugs of all kinds. Work done by the hour or contract and guaranteed successful or no pay.
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LOCAL GATHERINGS.

—The Grace Unity Club will meet with Mrs. Don C. Stiles at 10 Cross street, Friday evening at 7.30.
—M. C. Stenson has sold his market on Railroad street to A. H. Reynolds & Son.
—Advertised letters at the post office are as follows: Ladies: Davis, Miss Nellie M.; Lee, Mrs. Josephine S.; Mills, Miss Margaret; Mills, Miss Margaret Park; Robbins, Mrs. B. A.; Young, Mrs. Fred. Gentlemen: Brockway, Fred; Miller, C. S.; Speart, Jim; Tinson, W. C.
—C. E. Kirk has sold his livery stable to Delworth Brothers.
—Mrs. Charles Thayer has rented her farm to Ed Barker.
—The Gage Stock Company gave good plays at The Colonial each evening last week, to fair sized audiences. The new management advertise another entertainment for Monday evening, reading notices and an advertisement of which are to be found elsewhere in our columns.
—Those admitted at Brightlook since last week are, Mrs. William Marshall of Greensboro; Mrs. Arilla Prescott of Danville; Mrs. W. W. Petty and Mrs. Mabel H. Carpenter of St. Johnsbury; Mrs. Annie L. Morrison of Jersey City, N. J.; Mrs. D. Q. Woodruff of St. Johnsbury Center; Edgar Webb of East Concord. Those discharged were Miss Eliza Drew of St. Johnsbury; Edgar Webb of East Concord; Leslie Morrill of Danville, and Lawrence Watson of St. Johnsbury.
—J. M. Legendre is putting his alleys in shape for the rush that is bound to come with cold weather. They are being levelled and waxed and by fair time the bowlers will undoubtedly be rolling up some large strings.
—Companies K and L, 5th U. S. Infantry, who passed through St. Johnsbury last month, came back yesterday on the return march from Augusta, Maine, to Plattsburg, N. Y. They are camping some distance above the dry bridge on the Danville road where they expect to stay until Friday.
—Miss Bingham's studio will be closed for two weeks, opening again Sept. 8.
—The Ladies' Aid society of Grace Methodist church will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Robert Simonds, 56 Summer street.
—Don't miss the outdoor play "Pandora" on the grounds of Brantview next Tuesday afternoon and evening. All

local talent and the best thing of the season. Tickets at Bingham's and Stiles'.

—There will be no August meeting of the W. C. T. U., by a decision of the executive board.

—Monday evening at the Stanley Opera House the Mabel Aubrey company presented "The Road of Yester Years" to a small house.

—C. E. Stoliker has bought the Omer Rogers place on Railroad street.

—The Athenaeum will be closed for repairs from Monday morning Aug. 30 till Saturday morning Sept. 4.

—Business in the stores has been reported very good this week which is most encouraging to all concerned.

—There will be an examination for pupils desiring free tuition in the Academy, at the 9th grade room, Union Schools, Thursday and Friday, August 26 and 27. All pupils who failed in June are urged to attend this examination.

—C. E. Green has sold his hack business to S. L. Merrill, 24 Spring street, possession to be given today.

—The Supreme Court in a decision by Chief Judge John W. Rowell, has sustained the Board of Health in its appeal in chancery in Caledonia County Court against the Village of St. Johnsbury. The case is the well known one brought to prohibit the use of river water for domestic purposes.

—New patients at St. Johnsbury Hospital are Mrs. William Kelly of Passumpsic, Mrs. Fred Drown of St. Johnsbury, and William Dodge of Concord. Mrs. William Kelley and Mrs. Joseph Fournier have been discharged.

—The convent will open next Wednesday and there is every prospect of a large attendance.

—The annual meeting of the St. Johnsbury & Lake Champlain Railroad Company is to be held at the offices of the company in the passenger station here on Thursday, September 9, at 2.30 p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors, and transacting any other lawful business.

—L. W. Hastings has moved his office to 78 Eastern avenue in the store formerly occupied by Lora E. Morse.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Cramer have moved from Cliff street to Prospect avenue.

—F. N. Brown & Son have improved the looks of their store with a new plate glass window.

—Hodge's Orchestra are engaged to play next Friday night for a dance given by the Jr. O. U. A. M. at North Danville.

—United States Marshal Horace W. Bailey and Deputy Marshal Ralph Suloway went Saturday to New York in charge of Ng Yoke Wy, a Chinaman who was arrested for being in this country unlawfully. Ng Yoke Wy was arrested at Richmond, June 9, and was ordered deported by Commissioner Harry Blodgett.

—The auto parties which have stopped at the Avenue House since last week are: Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Van Buren, son and chauffeur of Bayonne, N. J., Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Brown, Miss Bishop, Miss Ferguson, and chauffeur of Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller and chauffeur of Bridgeport, Conn.; C. A. Page, Bert Benson, H. V. Denstoor, of Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar C. Schmidt, Mrs. John G. Schmidt and son of Philadelphia; Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Merrill of Pepperell, Mass., and Miss Phelps of New York City; W. B. Strachan, Miss Eva Strachan, Edgar R. Perkins and George Day of Montreal.

—College Club Summer Meeting. The club was delightfully entertained Thursday evening at the home of the president, Mrs. P. F. Hazen. Just at the sun-set hour the guests were invited out to the western porch where a dainty supper was served. After the supper a brief business meeting was held, followed by an informal program consisting of interesting accounts of some special college holidays and festivals by Miss Mary Ely, Miss Alice Kicker, Miss Dorothy Fairbanks and Miss Hortense Peters, and selections on the violin by Miss Helen A. Boynton. At the close of the evening the guests gathered around the piano and joined in the singing of favorite college songs.

—Back to the Sea. Says the Burlington Free Press: There is a man in St. Johnsbury, who has the late Russell Gage completely lashed to the mast on tending strictly to business. He is Charles D. Waite, who has been employed by E. & T. Fairbanks & Co. for 44 years and during that time he has never had a vacation. Mr. Waite was born in Chester in 1841 of very logical-lived parents, who never employed a doctor. In early life he learned to be a painter but later went to sea. In 1863 Mr. Waite bade farewell to the bounding main and turned his attention to other pursuits. He married and settled down so completely that he forgot all about vacations for 44 years. Now he is going to have a look at the sea.

RECENT DEATHS.

Jenkins.
Mary Lovina Frasier, widow of Lewis Jenkins, died at the home of her son, Herbert A. Jenkins, at Springfield, Mass., last week Monday, at the age of 81 years. Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins lived formerly at East Burke and St. Johnsbury, and Mr. Jenkins died at Springfield last January. Mrs. Jenkins' grandfather, Alexander Frasier, was a native of Scotland and came to this country with Gen. Frasier and served in the Revolution. Besides her son, she leaves three daughters, Mrs. Alida Anderson and Mrs. May M. Goss of Everett, Mass., Mrs. Etta M. Humphrey of South Lunenburg, and two brothers, Curtis Frasier of East Burke and Ametha Frasier of West Burke. She was one of a family of eight children, of whom only the two above mentioned are living. Prayers were said at the home of her son, Tuesday evening, and the body was taken to East Burke, where the funeral and burial were held Wednesday.

Drown.
Saturday evening at 11.30 o'clock occurred the death of Mrs. Fred E. Drown, daughter of Abel and Sophia Park. Her maiden name was Mary L. Park and she was born in Lyndon, May 28, 1866, where she lived until she was 18 years old. For three years she was in Kansas and Nebraska, and upon her return to St. Johnsbury her marriage took place. Since then, for 23 years, she has lived in this town. Her brothers and sisters are W. L. Park of Lyndonville, M. D. Park of St. Johnsbury Center, Mrs. C. D. Hubbard of Lyndonville, S. D. Park of Crete, Neb., F. G. Park of Lincoln, Neb. Her children are Jed E. Drown, Mrs. H. E. Wright, Rodney E. Drown, Clyde O. Drown, Eric N. Drown, and Leah A. Drown. The funeral was held yesterday at one o'clock with Rev. S. G. Barnes, officiating. The burial was at Lyndon.

Knowlton-Hastings Wedding.

Wednesday evening, August 18, was the occasion of a very pleasant gathering at the home of Mrs. Winfield Hastings of Waterford when her daughter, Nellie Inez, became the bride of Fred Warren Knowlton. Rev. B. F. Butler of the Universalist church performed the ceremony. Promptly at half after seven o'clock the bridal party entered. The bride was escorted by her brother Curtis, who gave her in marriage. She was preceded by her maid of honor, Miss Jennie Underwood. The groom was attended by Gilbert Hastings, best man. The wedding march from Lohengrin was played by Miss Bertha Daniels. The bridal party stood beneath an arch of evergreen and sweet peas, from which was suspended a wedding bell. The ring service was used. The bride was dressed in a charmingly simple gown of mull with lace trimmings and carried a bouquet of white sweet peas. Her veil was caught with a cluster of the same beautiful flowers. Only the immediate families and a few intimate friends were present at the wedding proper. Following the wedding a reception was held which was attended by a large number of neighbors and friends. Refreshments were in charge of the Misses Althea Hastings, Bertha Daniels, Edith Howard and Fanny Lyster. Among the many beautiful presents was a Huntington piano, a gift to the bride from her mother. The happy young people were fortunate enough to make their escape unknown to the many waiting to receive them with the usual confetti, rice and old shoes. Upon their return from the wedding journey, which will include a trip to Meredith, N. H., and other places, Mr. and Mrs. Knowlton will reside at the Knowlton home near St. Johnsbury. Both young people are graduates of St. Johnsbury Academy and are highly esteemed. Their many friends wish them long years of happiness and prosperity.

Caspian Lake Notes.

Edwin Byner of New York city is spending a couple of weeks in the village. Robert T. Woodruff spent the week end at Birch Lodge.

Mr. Hooker and family returned to Barre after passing six weeks at Camp White.

Edwin Brooks of Wellesley, Mass., is a guest of Benjamin H. Sanborn at Birch Lodge.

Robert Hardy spent Sunday in camp with his parents.

Mr. Bagnall was in Adams, Mass., the greater part of last week.

A. L. Hardy returned to Amherst, Monday. Mrs. Hardy will remain in camp until the first of September.

Dr. and Mrs. Gilman Wheeler left camp Monday for Randolph, where they will spend the rest of the summer.

The crack St. Johnsbury golf team came to town on Saturday, and were beaten 17 to 1.

Excitement at Newark.

Another shooting affray, this time at Newark, caused considerable excitement in that vicinity, Saturday and Sunday, August 14 and 15, when about four o'clock in the afternoon of Sunday Henry J. Howard, while in a drunken condition, shot Mrs. Matilda Deal. Three buckshot passed through her right leg and one remained in the flesh. After a physician arrived Mrs. Deal was removed to her home from a neighbor's, where the shooting occurred, and the assault was put under \$1500 bonds, on the charge of assault with attempt to kill. Bail was furnished by James B. Howard and Noah Hudson, and the case set for trial at the December term of county court.

On the Lawn at Brantview.

"Pandora" is unique. It is given out doors in a most beautiful natural setting full of Greek feeling. It is well acted entirely by St. Johnsbury young ladies. It is in itself a charming play. It is given for the benefit of two popular institutions. Preparations for this artistic production at Brantview next Tuesday afternoon and evening are progressing with every promise of success. A great deal of popular interest is being displayed in the play, and the natural amphitheatre formed by lawn and trees will certainly be crowded. Open air dramatics are being given with increasing favor all over this country, and "Pandora" will be a worthy example of this style. The proceeds go to Brightlook Hospital and the Y. M. C. A. The children's matinee comes next Tuesday afternoon at 4.30, price 25 cents, but adults admitted only if accompanied by a child. Evening performance for everyone at 7.30, tickets 50 cents, a few reserved seats at 75 cents. Tickets on sale Thursday morning at Bingham's and Stiles' stores. In case of rain Tuesday, one or both performances as necessary will be postponed till Thursday, Sept. 2, same place and hours.

Caledonia County Fair.

The premium lists for the 63rd annual Caledonia County Fair are now in the hands of the secretary, L. W. Hastings, and can be procured from him at his new office at 78 Eastern Avenue. Besides giving a full list of the premiums offered this premium list also gives an idea of the many attractions which have been secured and which have in the past helped to make the Fair a pleasure and profit to all who attend, and one of the best held in the state. These books were issued from the press of the CALEDONIAN COMPANY. The dates for the Fair are September 14, 15, and 16.

That the Caledonia County Fair is appreciated by former residents here is evidenced once more in a letter received by The CALEDONIAN COMPANY this week in which a resident of Boston says, "I wish if possible to attend the fair this year, although I am not sure that I can get away. I feel somewhat like this: I want to attend the St. Johnsbury Fair, while on my top joint remains some hair, it's getting thin and decidedly gray. And daily I'm reminded 'it's going to stay.' I have wanted to go to the St. Johnsbury Fair for years, do not believe I have attended it for 35 years."

Recital at Methodist Church.

An organ recital was given at Grace Methodist church last evening by William Boynton, organist, assisted by Miss Maude E. Follensby, soprano, and Miss Helen A. Boynton, violin. The following program was rendered:
Prelude to "Parsifal," Richard Wagner
Legende, Wieniawski
a Golgotha, Otto Malling
b Easter Morning, Abt
Flower on the Way, Alexandre Guilmant
a Melody in G, Horatio Parker
b Wedding Song, Christian Kriens
c Canonizing, Pierre
a Canzonetta, Bach
b Serenade, Bach
Toccata in D minor, Bach

ST. JOHNSBURY CENTER.

Misses Laura and Martha Jenness of St. Johnsbury spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Jenness.
Mrs. Cora A. Finel of Syracuse, N. Y., spent the last of the week with Mrs. William McLaughlin.
Mrs. Joseph Coscuen of Topeka, Kan., and Philip Humphrey of Somerville, Mass., are the guests of Mrs. Edgar Fuller.

Ruth Johnson, who has been spending several weeks in Boston, has returned home.
Mrs. Herbert Lougee and family and Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hall and family are attending the Methodist campmeeting at Lyndonville.
Ruth Harriman of Greenfield, Mass., has been visiting at Mrs. Rebecca Harriman's.

Mrs. P. N. Granger and Mrs. Lee are attending campmeeting this week and next week they go to Stanstead, P. Q., to visit Mrs. Lee's old home.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook of Irasburg spent part of last week with Mrs. P. N. Granger. Mrs. Telfer of Barton has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Johnson.

Ida and Harold Chase of Brattleboro have been visiting Miss Josephine Lougee.
Miss Ella Drew of Boston is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Flint.

Mrs. Florence Ricker Swisher and two children of Minneapolis called on Miss Ella McLaughlin Saturday.

Mrs. J. C. Danforth of St. Johnsbury was the guest of Mrs. May Hallett, Thursday.

Frank Rogers of Haverhill, N. H., came the last of the week to join his mother, Mrs. Rogers, who is the guest of Miss Helen L. Graves.

There will be no hand concert this week, as the Center Cornet band goes to Bradford to play at the Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Putnam and Mr. and Mrs. Carrow of Haverhill, Mass., are visiting at Mrs. Learned's.

EAST ST. JOHNSBURY.

Hon. Edward Campion of Montreal spent Sunday at Ard-na-Cluich Farm, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Ramage.

Miss Carrie Damon of Boston is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Job Damon, for her summer vacation.

Miss Marion Ramage of Providence, R. I., is at the home of her brother, James Ramage, for two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Lettie Talbot of New York and Mrs. Fred Paine of St. Johnsbury, visited at G. I. Copp's last week.

Miss Rose Lucia entertained Miss Julia Morrill of Bridgeport, Conn., Saturday.

Rev. George Gates, D. D., of Claremont, Cal., was the guest of Miss Charlotte Morrill Thursday. Saturday she entertained her sisters, Mrs. E. M. Chapman of St. Johnsbury and Mrs. Julius Morrill of Bridgeport, Conn.

The C. E. society will serve ice cream and cake on the church lawn Wednesday evening.

The ladies' society will meet with Mrs. S. L. Grant Thursday for dinner.

Mrs. James Ramage has been suffering severely the past few days from a felon.

Church Notes.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Prithian Hall, Sunday morning service 10.45. Subject, "Christ Jesus." The reading room is in the Bank block, corner Main street and Eastern avenue and is open daily except Sunday from 2.30 to 5 p. m., also Tuesday, and Saturday evening from 7.30 to 9.

Rev. E. G. French of Lyndonville preached at the North church last Sunday in the absence of the pastor.

September 5 there will be given at the Methodist church the sacred cantata, "Olivet to Calvary" by J. H. Maunder.

There will be a vesper service with special music at St. Andrew's church Sunday afternoon at five o'clock.

The subject of the sermon next Sunday morning at the Church of the Messiah will be "Our Thought Selves." Sunday school at the usual hour. Union service in the evening.

Museum Notes.

Specimens of 278 kinds of flowers have been brought to the Museum so far this season. The table last week bore 47 of these varieties. The new flowers for the week ending August 17 were tall blue lettuce, Aug. 10; tansy, Aug. 11; European bellflower, purple-leaved willow-herb, smaller bur-marigold, grass of Parnassus, common plantain, English plantain, horseweed, wild balsam apple, zigzag goldenrod, late goldenrod and great nettle, Aug. 14; turtle-head, caraway, fringed loosestrife, Indian tobacco, Aug. 15; blue vervain, slender ladies' tresses, fragrant everlasting, green-headed coneflower, mad-dog skullcap, whorled aster, white snakeroot, large-leaved aster, Virginia virgin's bower, white goldenrod and long-leaved aster, Aug. 16.

New flowers at the Museum this week are as follows: Starred aster, Aug. 17; brook lobelia and rough hawkweed, Aug. 18; life-forever and hog peanut, Aug. 20; fruits of Clintonia, white haneberry, purple-trillium, hobble-bush, alternate-leaved cornel, bittersweet and Solomon's seal, and rattlesnake plantain, round-leaved sundew, ground nut, purple-stemmed aster, Aug. 21; clammy everlasting, smartweed, American pennyroyal, gray or field goldenrod, and purple begamot, Aug. 23.

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