

Spirit of the Age.

Woodstock, Vt., August 20, 1910

Woodstock Railway Time table

Table with columns for train numbers (No. 2, No. 4, No. 5, No. 7, No. 1, No. 3, No. 5) and times for various stations (Woodstock, Taffville, Quechee, Dewart Mills, Hartford, W. R. Junction).

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BIRTHS.

In West Bridgewater, Aug. 12, a son Lyle Clayton, to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Willis. In Barnard, Aug. 4, a daughter, Hazel May, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stimpert.

MARRIAGES.

In West Bridgewater, Aug. 9, by Rev. J. C. Carnahan, Carlos R. Morse of Sherburne and Sarah C. Clough of Woodstock.

DEATHS.

In South Woodstock, Aug. 7, Lionel James, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Wilder, aged 21 days. In Woodstock, Aug. 12, George Boles, aged 17 years.

A Curtis Aeroplane.

Rutland Fair Management have closed their contract for a Curtis aeroplane for the fair Sept. 6-7-8-9. This, beyond question, will be the biggest attraction offered for any fair in the east.

WOODSTOCK NEWS

Richard Underwood and his sister, Miss Jennie Underwood, who have been spending a few days with friends at the Dearborn homestead, returned to their home in Newfane on Monday.

W. W. Dearborn went to New Hampshire on Monday for a week's outing.

Dr. Edward Hawes of Washington, D. C., will preach at the Congregational church tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Dewson of Boston are guests of Col. and Mrs. F. S. Billings.

Miss Maud Morgan of New York, assisted by Mr. S. B. Whitney, will give a harp and organ recital at St. James church on Monday evening, August 29.

A farmer down the river was in deep trouble the other day and looking for advice and assistance. He has a silo, a large and roomy one, empty of ensilage just now, but fully occupied by a skunk which had the unhindered run of the entire interior.

THE TOWN MEETING

The voters of Woodstock showed considerable interest in educational matters Saturday afternoon and the town hall was well filled when the special meeting called to consider the question of providing additional accommodations for the present school in this village was rapped to order by Moderator J. S. Eaton.

Mr. Charles Wesley Hearn, photographer, 561 Boylston St., Boston, is in Woodstock for a short time, making pictures in a suitable room at Dr. Boynton's house, 25 North Park street. He also makes work at residences, in fact that is a line of work for which his pictures are especially noted.

Miss Helen Johnson of Mount Carmel, Conn., and Miss Bessie Leach of Somerville, Mass., are spending the week at Mrs. Victor Fraser's.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Farwell went to Boston Thursday for a week or two.

Mr. and Mrs. George Drew and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond of Randolph came by automobile Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Victor Fraser.

On account of ill health E. J. Greenwood has given up his place as instructor in E. P. Ashley's riding school. A. S. Moore, from the Northampton Riding school, succeeds him as instructor.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Flood are in Ellsworth, Me., being called there by the illness of Mr. Flood's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren O. French and daughter of New York are in Woodstock for a few weeks.

At the annual meeting of the King's Daughters Monday evening, the following officers were elected for the coming year: Leader, Mrs. J. B. Paton; vice-leader, Mrs. H. P. Clark; secretary, Mrs. G. R. Winslow; treasurer, Mrs. D. C. Sherwin; corresponding secretary, Miss E. A. Haggood.

Notice-The Armory will be open tonight (Saturday) so that the men of Co. G who wish can make up their rolls for the start Sunday morning for Pine Plains, N. Y.

The selectmen of Woodstock have contracted with A. J. Spicer of Rutland to construct three bridges spanning the Ottauquechee-the covered bridge at the upper end of the village, the "middle" bridge, and the Elm street bridge. Mr. Spicer also has some contracts for other work in this village.

BASE BALL

The Maple Syrup League launched so successfully a few weeks ago by Promoter Taylor, closed its season Tuesday with two games after a series of brilliant contests which have been witnessed by thousands of excited fans from all over the neighborhood.

Two games were played Tuesday. The morning battle was between the Central Street Dodgers, who got into their uniforms for that day only, and the Golf Avenue Tigers, whose record is well enough known.

was helpless in the claws of the Tigers. The latter's battery, Mackenzie and Wood, worked like a machine, and shut down tight when it looked as though a Dodger might get a hit.

Isaacson, the Dodgers' imported pitcher, held the enemy well for an inning or two, but soon tired, and then the Tigers had it all their own way.

The afternoon game was a supreme exhibition between the South Street Pirates and the High Street Bulldogs and was a fitting and spirited wind-up of the season of 1910. In the box for the Pirates, under Skipper Dumas, were Liberty and Bean, formerly of the Detroit Americans, and there were not many holes in their semi-professional support.

GAME TODAY

While the League season is officially closed, another game will be played today by the Golf Avenue Tigers and the South Street Pirates, for the championship, as the standing of the two teams is now the same.

Fatal Shooting Accident.

Ugly rumors have followed Geo. Boles death by a rifle bullet last week Friday evening, but there is apparently not the slightest reason for believing that it was otherwise than accidental.

Young Boles, 17 years old, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Boles, the family occupying the Oliver Mackenzie house on the Billings' estate. He was employed by a neighbor, Charles K. Thompson.

Friday evening, soon after 6 o'clock, he borrowed Mr. Thompson's shot gun and was out woodchuck hunting a short time. Returning he left for home, taking the gun along with the owner's consent.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK.

Maizie and Esther Thomas, daughters of Frederick Thomas, deceased, started for their home in New Jersey last Tuesday, intending to stop off a week in New Hampshire. They have been boarding with Mrs. C. P. Kendall.

Roy Colston is working at C. T. Washburn's. Vernon Barr has engaged to work for M. J. Holt.

Mrs. Iley and three daughters returned to New York on Friday morning after three weeks outing in this place.

Mrs. L. C. Kendall is spending the week in Prosper.

The Ladies Social Circle met in their parlors on Thursday afternoon with 27 members and were finely entertained by Mrs. Susie Pullerton. Subject, "Home."

BARNARD.

Sale of fancy articles by the ladies of the Universalist church this afternoon.

Wallace Batchelder of Bethel will lecture here Tuesday, Aug. 23, under the auspices of the Library club. His subject is "Our Little Brown Brothers of the Orient."

The "Bulldogs" of Woodstock defeated the Silver Lake ball team Saturday 11 to 6. The Silver Lakes won from South Barnard, 22 to 6, Tuesday. Wednesday's game between the married men and single men was won by the latter 16 to 7.

Death of Rev. Dr. Brodie

Rev. James F. Brodie of Auburn-dale, Mass., a former pastor of the Congregational church of Woodstock and prominent in the denomination for many years, died at the Emerson hospital Jamaica Plain, Mass., Tuesday, Aug. 16. Dr. Brodie was born in Hammond, N. Y., on Sept. 14, 1854. He resided at Gouverneur, N. Y., and was graduated from Hamilton college in 1875 and from Union Theological Seminary in 1881.

Dr. Brodie for the past two years had assisted in the editorial department of the American Board, having special care of the Missionary Herald. The degree of doctor of divinity was conferred upon him by Hamilton college in 1902.

Dr. Brodie always kept up his friendships with his former parishioners and has preached here several times in the past few years. One of his last sermons heard here was delivered at the commemorative services on the centennial anniversary of the building of the "Old White meeting house."

Benjamin F. Standish

Benjamin F. Standish, aged 86, for many years one of Woodstock's best known business men, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles K. Mitchell, in Malden, Mass., Saturday, Aug. 13. The body was brought here for interment in the River street cemetery Tuesday.

Mr. Standish was born in South Woodstock, and married there Miss Lovinia Benjamin. They had three children - Frederick, who died in childhood; Ella E., (Mrs. Charles K. Mitchell), and Edward, who died some years ago. Mrs. Standish died in 1888.

In November, 1895, Mr. Standish married Miss Emma Dunham of this village, who died Nov. 10, 1907, after a long illness.

Mr. Standish first engaged in business at South Woodstock with Charles D. Perkins, the firm of Perkins and Standish being engaged in the tanning of hides, also handling wool. In 1865 the firm removed to this village and four years later bought his partner's interest in the tannery. The building was burned in 1873, and was replaced by the brick building which is now used by I. and E. I. Benson's woodworking plant.

Old Home Day in Sharon

"Old Home Day" was observed in Sharon Wednesday with about 700 visitors on the grounds, many more than last year. A dinner was served to all persons over 70 years of age and 55 were present, 27 being residents of Sharon. The oldest man present was William Holden of Sharon, aged 86, while the oldest lady was Mrs. L. A. Fay, also of Sharon, aged 87.

W. R. Junction Case Up

The Vermont supreme court held a short session at Montpelier Tuesday to hear the railroads' appeal in the order of the Vermont public service commission for changes at White River Junction. No decision was handed down.

The case has been in court for two years. The railroads are urging the adoption of the so-called joint railroad plan, under which the baggage etc., may be delivered on the station platform, while under the commission's order it will be delivered to a baggage room built west of the tracks and then transported across the tracks by the railroad companies.

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Mrs. Frank Gill visited her sister, Mrs. Charles Thompson, at the Pines recently.

Lewis Green has recently purchased a horse.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hadley entertained friends from out of town last week.

The occasional showers are doing a lot of good in this vicinity.

A jolly party of nine climbed Mt. Ascutney Monday.

Mrs. E. W. Mossey went Tuesday to Dover for a visit among relatives.

E. L. Morse, mother and sister Cora spent Sunday at Lewis Marcott's in Hartland.

Sharon won the ball game with White River Junction.

The officers to have charge of the next "Old Home Day" are, President, C. L. Shore; vice-president, W. E. Heath; secretary, Mrs. R. E. Noyce; treasurer, D. E. Parkhurst, all of Sharon.

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The court sent the case back be-

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