

CLYDE RIVER POWER CO. BUYS RICHFORD PLANT

The Clyde River Power Company have closed a deal with the Sweat-Comings Company of Richford for their electric light and power business, including their hydro-electric and auxiliary steam plant, water power rights and privileges, franchises, and everything connected with that part of their business.

The consideration is reported to be \$100,000 cash. The new owners are to take possession January 1, 1923. The sale was made following a recent meeting of the stock holders of the company who voted to make the transfer.

The Sweat-Comings Co. are large furniture manufacturers at Richford and it is reported that they contemplate building another Cement Furniture factory as soon as the Clyde River Power Company develops some of its water power now being surveyed.

The Clyde River Company have just completed a high power steel tower line from Newport to West Charleston, and from Derby Center to Derby Line and are supplying Island Pond and surrounding communities with electric current. They are also furnishing current to the Southern Canada Power Company.

In developing the Richford system they plan to build a transmission line through from Newport to Richford when they will be able to supply power to the urgent demand for more power for Richford Industries, among which are the Quaker Oats Storage and Elevator mill which is in need of several hundred horse power.

This purchase only adds another link in the chain that will make the Clyde River Power Company one of the largest developers of electric power in the state.

The great and vital need today for any live city or town is to bring a permanent supply of cheap Water Power into its territory. This means new industries and increased business in which we all may share in the profits.

Sweets for Christmas



You cannot think of anyone who will not be delighted to receive a gift like that illustrated here. It is a half dozen glasses filled with jelly, preserves and marmalade, very attractively arranged in a wicker basket. The tin covers of the glasses are lacquered with black lacquer and a white gummed letter is placed in the center of each one. A spray of fruit or blossoms painted on the lid with sealing wax, together with the letter, tells the kind of jelly or preserves the glass contains, as apple, with a spray of apple blossoms and the letter "A," or currant with a cluster of currants and foliage and the letter "C." Sealing wax in several colors simulates shirred ribbon on the center glass which contains marmalade.

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NEWS OF INTEREST FOR THE BOYS

The Older Boys' Conference an established institution under the directorship of Byron W. Clark, State Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Vermont will be held in Newport January 12-13 and 14. Some of the finest speakers on subjects of importance to the Boys will be present at this conference. Every year the attendance and enthusiasm increases and like Abnaki or a visit from Dad Clark, it grows upon the fellows so that they look forward to it with real animated zeal.

Secretary Winslow is anxious to have the largest one town delegation present outside of Newport itself.

The County Club Work Exhibit which was displayed in the Bosworth Store window and in the Y Billiard room has created a good deal of interest and it is hoped the boys and girls will line up to make it more effective in Island Pond.

A large Dartmouth banner has been received recently at the Y, a gift of the Dartmouth Team. This will be put up in the older boys' rooms.

The first meeting of the Older Boys' Cabinet of which Melcher and Wilson are the executive officers was held on Wednesday evening following the first troop meeting of the scouts.

A list of magazines is wanted for the Boys' rooms. Are there not some public spirited citizens who will communicate with Mr. Winslow and make arrangements to present a subscription from the boys selected list?

Mr. Winslow received the following letter from Dartmouth (continued on last page)

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GEORGE W. CURRIER

George W. Currier was born March 27, 1837 in the town of Brighton which was then known as Random. He was the son of Amos and Clarinda Williams Currier, and the fourth in a family of twelve children, eleven of whom grew up to sturdy manhood and womanhood, and two of whom still survive, Mr. Elbridge Currier and Mrs. Orpha Dale, both of this place. The Currier home was located on what is now known as the Five Mile Square Road but at that time the roads were mere bridle paths leading through the forests, and connecting the clearings where the log cabins of the first settlers were built. One of the red letter days of his boyhood was marked by the arrival of the first train that came into Island Pond.

Mr. Currier was in his twenty-fifth year when the Civil War broke out in 1861, and he at once enlisted and served throughout the War. He had the unusual privilege of serving in the squad of soldiers that formed the escort of General Grant when General Lee surrendered at Appomattox Court House in 1865. He was a member of the Grand Army of the Republic from its organization to the day of his death.

Nov. 20, 1867, he married Emma R. Cobb of West Charleston, and they became the parents of six children, only two of whom are now living, Mrs. Myrtle Farr of Plymouth, N. H., and Miss Maud Currier

of Island Pond.

In 1876 Mr. Currier became a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Island Pond during the pastorate of the Rev. E. S. Locke, and was known as one of its most faithful and devoted members. He was a constant attendant at its services as long as he was able to go. He was a steward and official member of the Church for many years.

This long and useful life came to a peaceful close at his late residence here on Saturday December 2nd, and his funeral was held at the home the following Tuesday, Rev. A. A. Mandigo pastor of the Methodist Church, being the officiating clergyman. He was buried in the Old Cemetery, and the Oddfellows Lodge, of which he was a member, was in attendance at the grave and rendered its impressive ritual service.

Card of Thanks

We desire to give public expression to our sincere gratitude to the members of the Ladies Aid of the Methodist Episcopal Church, of the Grand Army, of the Relief Corps, and of the Oddfellows Lodge and to all our neighbors and friends who sent flowers, and in many other ways showed their sympathy and love in our recent bereavement.

Mrs. Myrtle Farr,
Miss Maud Currier.

GRAND TRUNK R. R. TO BUY POWER

John A. Prouty of Newport, Treasurer of the Clyde River Power Company, was in town to arrange to supply Power for the Grand Trunk Railway, and it is estimated that about one hundred fifty horse power will be required to supply the air compressors, machine shop, water pumps and various other departments that require power.

REV. E. P. LEE, 82, DIES IN ST. JOHNSBURY, VT.

St. Johnsbury, Vt., Dec. 11.—The Rev. Edward P. Lee, one of the oldest clergymen in Episcopal diocese of Vermont, died this morning at Brightook Hospital after months of failing health. He was for years rector of the Episcopal Church in Island Pond, Vt. He was 82 years old, served in the Civil War as captain of a Vermont regiment and was one of the oldest graduates of Amherst College. He is survived by his widow and one son.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Bartlett on Mountain St. last Wednesday evening was the scene of a joyous gathering of eighteen sophomores from the High School, classmates of Mrs. Bartlett's sister, Lilla Renell. Games and music kept the company well entertained until refreshments were served. A very enjoyable evening was spent, and the hour of going home was late.

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