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FAVORS DALEY FOR STATE'S ATTORNEY

L. D. Taylor Gives Reasons Why He Thinks Brattleboro Lawyer Should Be Elected This Year.

Editor of The Reformer:— There has been more or less talk concerning the entry of William R. Daley of Brattleboro into the contest for nomination for state's attorney of Windham county.

You will probably agree with me that the voters of a county assume no greater responsibility at the polls than in the selection of a state's attorney. To the custody of the man elected to this office is confided the protection of the property of the citizens of the county as well as their personal safety from criminal attack.

This statement is made in no disparagement of the other candidates for this office. I imagine, however, that it would be safe to say that the combined jury trials tried by Mr. Daley's opponent since their admission to the bar would hardly total the number necessarily tried by the present state's attorney in the last two years.

Mr. Daley has, together with all the other necessary qualifications, a large and varied experience not only in trial work but in the actual duties of prosecutor. He was admitted to the bar sixteen years ago and immediately entered upon active practice.

Leaving Bennington he moved to Brattleboro and entered into the law partnership with Charles S. Chase. During this period he was for two years judge of the Brattleboro municipal court in which office he earned and received the entire approval of the members of the bar who practiced before him.

I had not meant when I commenced this letter to write at so great length, but I have been anxious to present the claims of a man whom I consider eminently fitted for the position of state's attorney, and it has been my aim to provide, if possible, for the voters of your district a new and clearer angle of view in this matter. I remain with kindest regards,

L. D. TAYLOR. Brattleboro, Sept. 9.

PLAY WITH HIGH MORAL LESSON.

Everywoman Combination of Opera, Musical Comedy and Drama.

Henry W. Savage, the theatrical producer who has a habit of doing big things in a big way, announces the production of the dramatic spectacle, Everywoman, at the Auditorium a week from tonight, Saturday, Sept. 16.

Known coal areas of the United States cover about 310,000 square miles.

characters. In reality Everywoman, most difficult to place under the ordinary classification of the theater, is a combination of grand opera, musical comedy and drama, deftly intermingled. It admits of astonishing electrical effects and scenic splendors. It is the Barnum of stage pictures. Aside from all this Everywoman is a play with a purpose, a play with a high moral lesson which has been endorsed in the most glowing terms by educators, scholars, clergymen, editors and sociologists.

GRAINMEN GUESTS OF CHAS. R. CROSBY

About 75, Including 30 to 40 Members of Boston Chamber of Commerce, at Pine Grove Springs.

Charles R. Crosby of the firm of E. Crosby & Co., is host today of a party of 75, including between 30 and 40 members of the Boston chamber of commerce who are in the grain trade, several transportation company officials, and a number of local business men.

EVANS IS LEADING.

Three Up on Gardner in First 18 Holes of Golf Championship.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 9.— In today's match for the amateur golf championship of the United States, Charles Evans, Jr., was three up at the end of the 18th hole, due to his perfect golfing on the two short holes and the erratic putting of his opponent, Robert A. Gardner, who fell off in this department of the game markedly as compared with his work on the greens earlier in the tournament.

TWO BOILERS BURST.

Cruiser Memphis Crippled Before Striking Upon Rocks.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.— Full details of the recent wreck of the armored cruiser Memphis in Santo Domingo harbor just received at the navy department, show that two of the cruiser's boilers burst before she was thrown up on the rocks by the tidal wave.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Swedish Lutheran church. Services Sunday at 10.30 and 7.30. Sunday school will be postponed until Sept. 24.

Universalist church, Rev. D. E. Trout minister. Divine worship 10.30 a. m. with sermon by the pastor. Bible school 11.45 a. m. Service of worship with preaching at 7.30 p. m.

Unitarian church, Rev. E. Q. S. Osgood pastor. Service Sunday morning at 10.30. Subject of sermon, The Significance and Value of Public Worship. Sunday school at 11.45. All are welcome at both services.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Emerson building, Elliot street. Sunday service at 10.45 a. m. Subject, Substance. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock. Reading room open daily, except Sundays, and legal holidays, from 3 to 5 o'clock. All are welcome.

St. Michael's Roman Catholic church, Walnut street, Rev. James P. Rand rector. Masses at 7.30 and 9.30. Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament immediately after 9.30 mass. Senior Sodality will receive holy communion at 7.30 mass. There will be a special meeting of the choir Sunday evening at 7.30 sharp. All the members are requested to be present.

Electrical railways in the United States represent a value of about three-quarters of a billion dollars.

WOULD ATTRACT SUMMER RESIDENTS

Mr. Titcomb Will Lay Out Land Around South Pond Into Building Sites— Will Stock with Trout.

State Fish and Game Commissioner John W. Titcomb of Lyndonville was in Brattleboro for a short time yesterday afternoon on business connected with the new trout rearing station at Vernon.

Mr. Titcomb said that the land around the lakes and ponds in northern Vermont had been populated by summer visitors to such an extent that the towns in which they were located were enjoying the benefits of largely increased grand lists.

BRATTLEBORO LOCAL.

The women of the Unitarian church served a supper yesterday from 5.30 to 7 o'clock, serving about 125.

The Vermont Auto Sales company delivered yesterday a Chalmers Six-30 motor touring car to C. A. Styles of Bondville.

There will be no services in St. Michael's Episcopal church Sunday, Sept. 10, as the rector who was expected is unable to be present.

Workmen in the employ of the Central Vermont railroad are digging a pit in the south end of the railroad yard, in which a set of track scales will be installed.

The annual meeting of the Vermont Peace society will be held in the chapel of the Centre Congregational church Sept. 18 at 2 o'clock for the transaction of business.

Brattleboro lodge, N. E. O. P., will hold a regular meeting in Grand Army hall Monday evening. A matter of importance will be discussed. The entertainment committee has provided a short entertainment and it is hoped that all members will make an effort to be present.

Dugan's orchestra and the chorus choir will lead in the music at the First Baptist church Sunday evening. This is the opening service for the fall and winter. Alexander hymns will be used.

Rev. G. E. Tomkinson will give a short address on When Men Ought to Strike, or The Wage Problem.

Today the Empire presents the Human Pendulum, in three acts; A Strange Confession, single reel drama; Little Billy's School Days, comedy; and Harmony in a Flat, comedy, with Ben Wilson. On Monday William Fox will present William Shay and Claire Whitney in The Ruling Passion.

Carpenters are steadily at work on the sales pavilion of the Purebred Live Stock Sales Co., Inc., but it will be two weeks or more before the building is finally completed.

Judge Frank E. Barber of the Brattleboro municipal court and Miss Ethel Millington, court clerk and stenographer, went to Wilmington this morning to conduct the jury trial of the suit of Forrest L. Upton of Stratton against Chester Clark of Wilmington.

The defendant is accused of taking some lead pipe from property of the plaintiff. The pipe was valued at about \$75.

Charlie Chaplin may be seen today at the Princess theater in the Mutual special, The Vagabond, also the Vitagraph Broadway star feature, A Strange Case, in three acts, with Harry Morey, Ned Finley and Adele Kelly in the cast, also Helen Gibson in an episode of The Hazards of Helen. On Monday the Paramount feature, Alien Souls, with Sessue Hayakawa, the celebrated Japanese actor, in the leading role, will be shown, also a Burton Holmes travel picture, The Fire Fighting Rangers of Arizona.

ANOTHER PLAGUE CASE.

Little Girl from New York Ill at Lake St. Catherine.

LAKE ST. CATHERINE, Sept. 9.— A case of infantile paralysis has developed at the Hick's cottage on the west shore of the lake, the patient being May Cook of New Rochelle, N. Y., seven years old. The case is said to be a mild one.

Dr. C. S. Caverly of Rutland, president of the state board of health, and Dr. Edward Taylor of Burlington, director of research work in Vermont for the Rockefeller institute in New York have examined the afflicted child.

Regretted His Limitations. "What are you, anyway?" contemptuously inquired Mrs. Peck during the quarrel: "a man or a mouse?" "A man," answered Henry Peck bitterly. "If I were a mouse I'd have you up on that table now, yelling for help."

MANY STAMP TAXES NO LONGER REQUIRED

Impost on Telephone Calls and Various Documents Expires—Brought U. S. Millions.

BOSTON, Sept. 9.—The stamp tax on documents and proprietaries is dead. It passed away at midnight, and there were no mourners.

Hereafter bonds, stocks, promissory notes, bills of lading, conveyances, powers of attorney, deeds, shipping receipts, insurance policies, Pullman and parlor car tickets, telegrams, and telephone calls in excess of 15 cents may be transferred, manipulated or delivered without resort to the little stamp which has brought millions to the United States treasury, and untold annoyance to equal numbers of enforced users.

Commissioner Osborne yesterday passed to Collector Malley of the bureau in internal revenue the official word that the stamp tax was about to be annulled. It should be added that this relief applies also to cosmetics and beautifiers intended for the hair, skin, mouth and teeth, including powder, rouge, perfumery, washes and even chewing gum, all of which are classified as proprietaries.

In the district of Massachusetts alone the sum of \$1,831,130.64 was taken in under the stamp tax act for the year ending June 30. This was a substantial proportion of the total receipts from all internal revenue sources, \$18,159,024.68.

WEEKLY WEATHER REPORT.

Generally Fair First of the Week, Except Local Showers.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.— Weather predictions for the week beginning Sunday, issued by the weather bureau are as follows: North Atlantic states generally fair except local showers are probable Monday or Tuesday and again about Friday. Moderate temperature the first part of the week, followed by warmer weather Tuesday and Wednesday and cooler later.

ONLY TEN DEATHS TODAY.

There Was, However, a Slight Increase in Number of Plague Cases.

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.— A slight increase in the infantile paralysis epidemic and a drop in the number of deaths was announced here today by the health authorities. New cases number 55, seven more than yesterday, and there were 10 deaths, a decrease of five.

WEST BRATTLEBORO

Mrs. Hattie Strong, who was in the Melrose hospital three weeks following an operation, has been discharged.

Walter Prouty has been assisting in Clark's grocery store this week, during the absence of Mr. Clark, who is away on a business trip.

Rev. and Mrs. Jessie Smith, who had been guests a week of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Bartlett, left yesterday for their home in East Hartford, Conn.

Mrs. Henry Selzer and daughter, Helen Louise, have returned to New York, after having spent their vacation with Mrs. Selzer's sister, Mrs. John McKay.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Thomas of Crosby, Ill., came this week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Martin, and other relatives. Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. E. A. Knight are twin sisters.

A picnic was held on the lawn at Mrs. E. S. Miller's Thursday afternoon with 17 present, all being cousins. A bountiful basket dinner was served and the afternoon was spent socially.

Mrs. A. C. Walker has had posted auction bills announcing a sale of her household goods Thursday, Sept. 14. Mrs. Walker recently sold her house on Greenleaf street to Mr. and Mrs. Cook of Hartford, Conn.

A pet Boston terrier owned by Mrs. W. H. Gay was run over by an automobile as he attempted to cross the street in front of his home yesterday. Mrs. Gay motioned to the driver of the car to stop, but he only smiled and drove on. Little Isabel, for whom the dog was bought when a puppy, was quite broke up over the loss and would like to meet the guilty party.

A couple from Springfield, Mass., who had been spending a few days at Sunset lake and who were enjoying a honeymoon, were greatly surprised when they were about to board the train from Brattleboro for their home in Springfield to find some friends from that city waiting to shower them with confetti and good wishes. The couple had intended to keep the marriage a secret, but in some way the fact reached the ears of some friends who were spending a short time in town.

Annual coal production of Japan is 20,000,000 tons.

State Fair Will Be Held on Dates as Scheduled An Extra Big Program For State Fair's 10th Birthday Country's Biggest Morgan Horse Show Almost \$2000.00 in premiums for Morgans. Every horse lover should see them. Big showing of other standard breeds. Balloon Ascensions With New Stunts Thrilling parachute drops each day. See the Horse Racing Racing program this year best ever. Track improved. Liberal purses. Cattle Exhibits The finest specimens from all parts of the country. Every barn full. General Exhibits Poultry, livestock, agricultural products, etc., on a scale that will break all records. Free Vaudeville A barrel of fun from morn to night—two stages busy continuously with big headline features. For Premium list and information write F. L. DAVIS, Sec'y, White River Junction, Vt.

VERMONT STATE FAIR WHITE RIVER JUNCTION September 12, 13, 14, 15

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NEWFANE. BERNARDSTON, MASS. Woman Pastor Is Installed. The installation of Rev. Margaret Barnard over the Unitarian church of Bernardston last evening was an occasion of much interest. Rev. Louis Craig Cornish, secretary of the Unitarian association, delivered an eloquent sermon, dealing with the fundamental truths of the Unitarian faith. Rev. Henry Goodwin Smith of Northampton made the installing prayer, and Dr. Willard H. Pierce, chairman of the parish committee, welcomed Miss Barnard to the church. Rev. Florence Buck, associate secretary of the religious educational department, gave the charge to the minister and Rev. Augustus P. Record the right hand of fellowship. Rev. Richard E. Birks, a former rector of the church, gave the charge to the people and Rev. Eugene Frary, pastor of Goodale memorial church, the welcome to the town. The church is the old First church of the town, and is rich in historical associations and sufficiently well endowed to enable it to do good work in the community. "For the land's sake—use Bowker's Fertilizers. They enrich the earth and those who till it."

DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS



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