

PRISONER CONFIDENT

Mary Thaw Appears in Court Smiling

THINKS HE WILL BE FREED

Four Men Log into Court Room the Books on Insanity Which the District Attorney Has Been Perusing.

New York, Feb. 28.—Harry Thaw told his lawyers this morning that he felt more confident of acquittal than ever. He came into the court room smiling. Four men logged in the district attorney's books on insanity. Dr. Evans, who spent the night reading the exhibits given him by Jerome, gave no evidence of loss of sleep. He was the first witness called.

Dr. Evans and Jerome looked horns almost at once, the former refusing to give categorical answers to Jerome's demands. Jerome could not drive the doctor into direct answer regarding Thaw's letters.

The duel between the two was started yesterday afternoon. Mr. Jerome apparently directed his efforts at getting from Dr. Evans information as to the recognized form of insanity from which the expert declared, Harry Thaw was suffering at the time of the "brain storm" which it is contended resulted in White's death. Dr. Evans had testified that in his will Thaw displayed evidence of a melancholic state of mind. The district attorney dwelt for an hour or more upon the subject of melancholia, and then asked the expert if it was a recurrence of the affliction in at least one-third of all cases. Dr. Evans admitted this to be true.

BAILEY EXONERATED OF IRREGULARITY

United States Senator from Texas Was the Subject of a Three Days' Investigation.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 28.—By a vote of 28 to 40 out of a possible 128 votes, sixteen members being absent, United States Senator Joseph W. Bailey, on recommendation of an investigation committee, was exonerated by the lower house of the Texas legislature last night of any charges of irregular acts in public life as alleged by Representative Cooke of the lower house on January 14.

Action which resulted in this exoneration was precipitated last evening after three days of private consultation among house members and friends of Senator Bailey, and concludes some six weeks of investigation that has required Senator Bailey's presence in Austin.

MARRIED AT NORTHFIELD.

Miss Bertha L. Glazier and Elbert Smith Yesterday.

Northfield, Feb. 28.—Elbert Smith, formerly of Maine, and Miss Bertha L. Glazier were married at the home of the bride's mother, at the Falls, yesterday afternoon, by the Rev. E. L. Gokford, rector of the Episcopal church, in the presence of a small party of relatives and immediate friends. In the evening a reception was held from eight to ten o'clock, which was largely attended. Mrs. Smith is a well known and popular young woman, who has worked as a milliner in this place, Randolph, Barre and Littleton, N. H. Mr. Smith has resided in this town the past few years. He is employed as a stone cutter at West Berlin. They will make their home at the Falls.

STILL AFTER 'EM.

F. E. Patch of Rutland Argues Against Union Men.

Rutland, Feb. 28.—Frederick R. Patch, president of the F. E. Patch Manufacturing company of this city, who had a long fight with labor unions following a machinists' strike in 1903, eventually winning heavy damages from the machinists' union in court, is still keeping up his campaign for the labor men. An article in the city warning provides for an appropriation for the Rutland city band. Mr. Patch has issued an appeal through the press to the voters asking them to vote down the proposition, asserting that the band although a city organization, in name is composed of machinists' union men and discriminates against other musicians.

BRISK FIRE STARTED.

Office of Dr. C. A. Peelle in Enosburgh Falls Damaged.

Enosburgh Falls, Feb. 28.—A serious fire was narrowly averted yesterday when two men in conversation near the door of Dr. C. A. Peelle's office in the Merrill block heard a crackling and discovered a lively blaze in progress within. An alarm was rung in and the fire, which had not gained much headway, was extinguished by the use of chemicals. Dr. Peelle had received an express package in the morning and the excelsior, with which the contents were protected, had been left lying on the floor of the office. The fire started in the excelsior, but just how it is a mystery. The damage, chiefly by smoke, will be about \$100.

FIVE TRUE BILLS.

Found by the United States Court Grand Jury—Report Today.

Burlington, Feb. 28.—The grand jury of the United States court reported today five true bills and two not found. No arrests have been made.

AT AGE OF 96.

Mrs. Elizabeth Noyes of Groton Died on Tuesday.

Groton, Feb. 28.—Mrs. Elizabeth Noyes died Tuesday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. C. Clarke, in the village, at the advanced age of ninety-six years. Mrs. Noyes was born in Barre, January 2, 1811. In 1842 she was united in marriage to Amos Noyes of Groton. They lived a short time in Ryegate and Topsham, but finally settled in Groton on the farm now owned by George Caruth. Here they resided until the death of Mr. Noyes in 1855, when the family moved to the village and soon after purchased the house where she has since lived with her daughter, Mrs. Clark. Their children were Joseph (deceased), A. H. Noyes of St. Johnsbury, Mrs. Daniel Roberts of California, and Mrs. H. C. Clark. Mrs. Noyes has been remarkably free from illness, and very active until a few years since, when she fell and fractured her hip, since which she has been unable to walk, but her hands were always busy with some kind of needlework. For several years the children and grandchildren have gathered upon her birthday, bringing tokens of love to cheer her declining years. The largest of these parties was upon her ninety-fourth birthday, when forty relatives and friends were present. Her remarkably clearness of mind enabled her to look forward to and thoroughly enjoy these occasions. Funeral services were held this afternoon in the Methodist church, the Rev. A. J. Hough officiating. Burial was in the village cemetery.

JURY COULDN'T AGREE ON A \$5 SUIT

Which Was Over The Ownership of a Fox Pelt—Case Attracted Great Attention at Guilford.

Battleboro, Feb. 28.—The case of Archie Miner against George Miller, both of Guilford, was tried yesterday afternoon before Judge E. W. Legat at the Battleboro house at Guilford. About two weeks ago Mr. Miner was fox hunting and shot at a fox, he thought he had killed it. He was following the trail when he heard a rifle shot and came up in a few minutes to where Mr. Miller had just shot a silver gray fox. Mr. Miner demanded the fox and Mr. Miller refused to give it up, consequently he brought suit to collect \$10 the alleged value of the pelt. The case was tried at length yesterday before a jury and given to it for decision, late in the afternoon. The jury members reported that they were unable to agree and were discharged.

CO. D BEAT DARTMOUTH.

Claim that Lang of College Team Played Rough Game.

St. Johnsbury, Feb. 28.—Co. D won from the Dartmouth varsity basketball team here last evening in one of the roughest games ever witnessed on the local floor by the score of 25 to 23. Acting Captain Lang of Dartmouth was shown absolutely no mercy in the rough game performance. Before the game was fairly started he banged his opponent in the face and for two periods he pushed, tripped and snugged as only a giant football player can. In the final period he succeeded in putting Church out of the game, landing the Co. D center into the wall, dislocating a bone in the ankle. For this unnecessary and intentional roughness, Lang was debarred from the game and the contest was finished with four men on a side. Lowell covered himself with glory being high roller on points and throwing the winning basket in the last ten minutes of play.

JARED BOOTH DEAD.

Prominent Citizen of Ferrisburgh Ill a Long Time.

Ferrisburgh, Feb. 28.—Jared Booth, one of the most prominent citizens and successful farmers of Ferrisburgh, died at his home Tuesday night after a lingering illness, aged 67 years. He had always resided in Ferrisburgh where he was born in 1839. Mr. Booth had held most of the town offices and represented the town in the Legislature of 1880 to 1881. With the exception of last year, Mr. Booth had been road commissioner of Ferrisburgh. He was survived by a wife, one son, Ralph Hulbert, and one brother, Samuel B. Booth of this city. Owing to the serious illness of Mrs. Booth the funeral will be held Friday at 1:30 p. m. at the residence of Fred Tupper.

DON'T WANT THE MONEY.

Executors of Fr. Gaffney's Estate Ask Trustee for \$800 Fund.

Rutland, Feb. 28.—The Rev. Edward Reynolds of Bellows Falls, and Attorney Thomas W. Moloney, executors of the estate of the late Rev. Thomas J. Gaffney, have petitioned the courts for appointment of a trustee of an \$800 fund which was the means of taking the clergyman's name into court some months ago in an attempt to break the Bridget McAnany will. It was claimed that Fr. Gaffney used undue influence to extort money from the aged testatrix. The executors disclaim any right to the money as part of the Gaffney estate and aver that it was willed to him as pastor of St. Peter's church to care for certain cemetery lots.

100th ANNIVERSARY.

Being Observed by East Burke Congregationalists.

East Burke, Feb. 28.—The Congregational church of this place is today celebrating its 100th anniversary. A dinner was served at noon and this afternoon Mrs. William Belden read a historical sketch and addresses were made by the Rev. E. G. French of Lyndonville and the pastor, Rev. E. H. Hardy. The church has been recently repaired. It has been endowed by Alfred B. Darling, proprietor of the Fifth avenue hotel of New York, and a brother, Elmer A. Darling, who is now erecting a palatial home in East Burke, also contributes largely to its support.

PETITION FOR AN INVESTIGATION

Irregularities in The East Burke Post-office Are Alleged.

St. Johnsbury, Feb. 28.—Twelve well known men in Burke have sent a petition to Washington asking for a new administrator in the East Burke post-office on the grounds of alleged irregularities in the management of the office and suggests either immediate removal, resignation, or investigation.

TRAIN RUNS UNCONTROLLED

Heavy Freight Refused to Take the Brakes

RAN DOWN STEEP INCLINE

Bad Wreck Occurred on the St. Johnsbury and Lake Champlain Railroad Near Hyde Park This Morning.

St. Johnsbury, Feb. 28.—A freight wreck in which the possibilities for a very serious outcome were alarming occurred here this morning on the tracks of the St. Johnsbury and Lake Champlain road. A train of 19 cars, besides the engine and caboose, after leaving Hyde Park ran wild for four and a half miles down a steep incline and smashed into a train of loaded freight cars in the yard. The brakes refused to work while coming down the incline and the crew, powerless to stop it, jumped. Engineer Mitchell was badly shaken up and bruised, but it is not thought that he is seriously hurt.

The runaway freight had passed the passenger train when it started and when nearing the yards here the engineer of a shifting engine saw it just in time to get his engine out of the way onto a siding. The engine was wrecked and several freight cars were smashed to pieces.

MEN FOUGHT BEARS WITH THEIR AXES

They Felled a Tree Onto the Animals' Den and Then Engaged in an Encounter—Two Cubs Killed.

Rutland, Feb. 28.—Luther Weeks and his son, Clinton, of Mendon, wood choppers, five miles from Rutland, had a thrilling experience on Mount Pico yesterday afternoon, when a tree which they felled crashed down onto a den occupied by a mammoth female black bear and four partially grown cubs, which were hibernating there. The animals scrambled out and with angry growls made for the two men. Weeks and his son were armed only with axes and axes, but they promptly attacked the bears, which appeared to be slightly fazed. They succeeded in killing two of the cubs after a long struggle with the animals, which awakened their danger as the fight progressed. The mother bear, which the men declare is fully eight feet in height, and weighs about 500 pounds, at last retreated with the two live cubs, disappearing in the brush.

MADE 2:30 ON ICE.

A Good Race Seen on Lake Champlain Yesterday.

Burlington, Feb. 28.—The first of the races of the three days' series on the ice off Rock Point was held yesterday afternoon. The track was in fine condition, and a large number of sports witnessed the event. The 2:15 and 2:30 classes were scheduled, but as the former did not fill, the 2:30 class was the only one trotted. The judges were V. L. Clark of this city; L. C. Ray of Shelburne, and J. N. Chase of Brandon. E. F. Brownell of this city was the starter. The starters and the result of the race appear below.

REFUSED TO PLEDGE.

Burlington City Judge Wouldn't Give It to Respondent Yesterday.

Burlington, Feb. 28.—The first application in Burlington city court under the new law whereby a person convicted of intoxication may, upon payment of costs, have his fine suspended upon condition that the respondent signs the pledge, was made yesterday. The man convicted was James Doyle who pleaded guilty to a second offense of intoxication. The court has the power to refuse since the new law creating that offense went into effect. He was a constant and regular supporter of the Congregational church of Ferrisburgh which he founded early in life. He is survived by a wife, one son, Ralph Hulbert, and one brother, Samuel B. Booth of this city. Owing to the serious illness of Mrs. Booth the funeral will be held Friday at 1:30 p. m. at the residence of Fred Tupper.

CLAIMS POOR ENFORCEMENT.

This Man Thinks City Was Flooded With Rum This Year.

Editor Times: In Tuesday's Times I notice that the advocates of no-license say that if the vote is an on Tuesday next, a special effort will be made to enforce the law. I would respectfully ask the voters just what this effort will be. This same thing was promised previous to the last two elections in May of Barclay's word to back it. In place of any attempt being made to enforce the law it was the very reverse, the doors were opened wider than ever. Is the hope in the incoming Mayor Robins? If so, please state the remedy and if logical the people can be depended on to do the right thing. If the remedy is not logical, the fault lies entirely with the advocates of the no vote. The city was never so flooded with rum as it has been during the present year. Who is to blame? Citizen.

WOMAN WAS BURNED.

Mrs. Lynch of St. Johnsbury Tried to Put Out Fire.

St. Johnsbury, Feb. 28.—The alarm was rung in Tuesday for a fire in Daniel F. Lynch's house on Pearl street. The fire department responded promptly, and as there was no village water the fire was fortunately extinguished by the chemicals. The fire caught in some unknown manner in the clothes closet and did considerable damage before it was put out. Mrs. Lynch carried the baby to the neighbors as soon as the fire was discovered and then went back to the house and attempted to enter the closet. In entering the closet she was severely burned about the left hand. The damage of the house will be around \$200 which is covered by insurance.

SPECIAL PRIVILEGE.

Is Now Condemned by the Opinion of the Public.

(Communicated.)

It is one to live in the age that is witnessing the passing of special privilege. The Vermont railroad legislation on respect rates and passes; the investigations of the coal trust, the oil trust, the beef trust, etc., the proposed revision of the tariff, are all and all in the interest of doing away with special privilege. The spirit of the time is against it. It favors the "square deal." It is plain, too, that the labor union movement and the Socialist movement have been tremendous factors in molding public opinion in this particular. And it is well. Democracy is to have a larger, broader sway in the future; a further qualification of opportunity is sure to come.

All of which goes to show that the license provision of our Vermont local option law is un-American, un-democratic, opposed to the spirit of the times, in favor of special privilege, against the "square deal."

To grant licenses in our city to eight out of score or more of applicants, at the arbitrary will of the commissioners shall determine, is special privilege. Indeed, it is an extreme form of special privilege. And it is not fair. If it comes to be granted to all, each and every man who is willing to pay the fee should have a license. Otherwise there is favoritism.

By voting "yes" therefore, we subscribe to the principle of special privilege—and notwithstanding our best public opinion condemns this principle, and many of us, perhaps most of us, have opposed it in the most emphatic way. Let us be consistent; let us be democratic; let us be fair. Let us deny special privilege to the liquor interest as well as to other interests. A "no" vote will do it.

SOCIALIST PLATFORM.

And Immediate Demands Made by the Barre Socialists.

The Socialist party of Barre has prepared the following platform and immediate demands:

- 1. Municipal control of the liquor traffic.
2. Municipal coal and wood yard.
3. Eight-hour workday for all municipal employees; the same rule to govern all contracts that may be subject by the municipal government.
4. That all elective officers of this city (Barre) shall be subject to the initiative and referendum by a recall, by the expressed wish of their constituency.
5. That the boards of health take immediate steps to abolish all dry water closets; especially those adjoining tenements and other private works and dwelling houses. Reasons, said dry water closets are a menace and danger to the health of the general public and should be immediately abolished, even if it does create some outlay by the proprietors of these places. The public health should come first, last and all the time, in our opinion.

That the board of health exercise their full legislative powers, relative to a stricter supervision on all persons engaged in handling of milk for public consumption, or in any manner that would come under the head of the pure food law. Reasons, too great care cannot be taken in the supervision of our milk supply, and danger to the health of the community as we are now forewarned by the United States bureau of agriculture that at least 25 per cent of deaths from tuberculosis are caused by contaminated milk and from dead meat infected from a like source.

Unskilled municipal laborers to be paid not less than \$1.00 per day. Reason: We believe that two dollars per day is about the minimum rate of wages that will give an American workman the chance to feed, clothe and educate his children. This is based from the present high rate of living in Barre, and which means that you have nothing to lose by supporting our candidates, while standing for the principles of socialism, are nevertheless all good standing members of their respective trades unions and while holding ever to the front the principles of socialism, are prepared on each and every occasion to give their hearty and unreserved support to the cause of the laborer, if not so radical in their propaganda as we are, are nevertheless gradually awakening to the fact that it is only by united action by all grades of the "men who toil," that there is any ray of hope for the future. Again we say, workers of Barre, unite and you have nothing to lose, you have your city to gain. Socialist Press Committee.

LOST HIS WAD.

Went to Burlington and Made Rounds of The Town.

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Youber worked all winter in the lumber camps at Barre and saved \$75. He thought he would go home then and so early yesterday morning he arrived here on a delayed train. He immediately bought a ticket for Middlebury and strolled forth to see the town. He evidently visited all the places of interest in the afternoon he returned to the station saying that he had lost everything, money, ticket and his respect for himself as a financier.

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Possible Candidate for Governor of Vermont Was Put Under Surgeon's Knife Yesterday.

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HAVE NO COAL.

Eslet Granite Company Has to Suspend For The Third Day.

This is the third day that the Eslet Granite company has been shut down because of the lack of soft coal. It is resulting in much inconvenience and loss to them as they have many orders for monuments. Once before this winter this company had to stop work because of a coal shortage. They have been trying to find a shipment which was sent them some time ago.

AN INCREASE IN CENSUS

There are 2,506 Children of School Age in Barre,

AN INCREASE OF 53 IN YEAR

There is a Preponderance of Boys—The Checklist Completed for the March Election, There Being 1946 Names of Voters.

Barre's school problem is 2,506 children between the ages of five and eighteen years of age. This has been determined by the annual school census, which has just been completed by City Clerk Mackay. This is an increase of 53 over the year previous, continuing the steady gain that has been the usual order during the past score of years. There is a preponderance of boys, 1,310 being the number of them, and 1,196 of the girls. The statistics by years are as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Age Group, Boys, Girls. Totals: 1196 Boys, 1310 Girls.

CHECKLIST COMPLETE FOR MARCH ELECTION

There Are 1946 Names on the List—Ward Five Is the Only Ward to Show a Gain.

The board of civil authority finished the task of scratching off and adding names to the checklist for the March meeting at their meeting last evening. The revised checklist contains 1946 names, a falling off of 154 since last fall, at which time there is always a bigger list than in the spring. The difference is also accounted for by the fact that there is little of a contest on for the election next Tuesday which would call out an effort to get names on the list.

Each of the six wards, with the exception of the fifth, shows a decrease, wards two and three having the greatest loss. The gain in the fifth ward was slight. At the meeting last evening there were 83 changes; of this number 48 were new names. The checklists are as follows:

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SAID POLICE ARE "ASSES."

Goldman, Famous Anarchist, Spoke in Barre Last Night.

Emma Goldman of New York and Laird, Gallant were unique pair of speakers at the open house last night, and they attracted some 500 people, about evenly divided between English-speaking and Italian people. The meeting was a comparatively mild affair as far as anything incendiary was concerned. It was advertised to be against "license and the pirates," and the speakers generally stuck to their text, with now and then a slam at the police, who were declared to be the agents of the capitalist class.

Emma Goldman, a prepossessing-looking woman of say 45 years, began the talking without any preamble. She presented a rather sombre appearance, dressed entirely in black with the exception of a bit of white at the neck and a black and white checked tie. Her sharp eyes peered out through a pair of eye-glasses, and her vision was keen enough to detect some young men in the front rows who lost the thread of the discourse, and who later received her compliments as "future presidents."

Mrs. Goldman has not changed much since she was here seven years ago, but she said that she had been told that Vermont had changed for the better in its liquor laws. She declared that voting would not do any good, but if the men were going to vote, she told them to vote against granting licenses to a few "spies," and to give the right of selling liquor to everybody. She repeatedly advised the voters to consider what they were voting for. She said that the country is going to the dogs faster every year, and in illustration she drew a veiled accusation against a "Barre official," who, she had been told, worked six months for the other six and got \$80 per month, while she was the owner of "several properties."

The woman made no bones of saying that she is an anarchist, and while disclaiming any power of prophecy, nevertheless she prophesied that she shall be emancipated, economically, politically and morally. Mrs. Goldman was recently arrested, and then released, in New York, on the charge of making an inflammatory speech. That arrest she referred to, throwing a compliment to the New York police as "asses just as all police are." She made copious use of biblical texts to illustrate her points.

When Gallant started to speak, part of the audience got restive and poured out of the hall, so that he had to sit down and wait for the noise to subside. After this he held the close attention of those who could understand the Italian tongue. Gallant spoke in a satirical vein and several times was interrupted by applause, while Goldman had an uninterrupted discourse to the end. At the close of the meeting the Goldman woman sold her pamphlet, "Mother Earth," and other literature of like kind.

CENTRAL ENGINES WERE IN TROUBLE

Two in Smash at Montpelier, Another Breaks All by Itself, and Train Goes Off the Iron.

Two engines battered in an unexpected collision in the yards at Montpelier last night, another locomotive meeting with a mishap all by itself at the same place, and the branch train off the iron at Williamstown is the story of the latest troubles of the Central Vermont. It all happened in bewildering succession and coming at a time when all the motive power that can be secured is necessary, it made the situation rather serious.

The most serious of the mishaps was the collision at Montpelier. Engine 211 was standing with a light freight attached, when the engine 101, spick and span from the shops, backed against it. Engine 210 suffered the most as its vulnerable points were in the line of contact. The pilot, pony truck and cylinder head were smashed and jammed, and its running gear disarranged, while No. 101 had its tender turned in, the tank jammed and otherwise damaged. The 101 had just been placed in readiness to take the run between Barre and the Junction.

A heavy compound engine had a draw-bar broken last night while shifting in the yards at Montpelier. The branch train, due in Barre at 3:30, got here at seven o'clock, and then started for Williamstown. Leaving Williamstown for the return trip, the train left the iron just outside that village, and it was nearly two hours before a crew could mount the rails again. That made things very sore, as the train did not have any too much time to return to Barre and take the regular 8:45 run to the Junction. To accommodate the passengers from this city, the main line train was held at Montpelier until a branch could be made up here to take them down.

MRS. GOLDSBURY'S FUNERAL.

Held Yesterday Afternoon, Rev. Mr. Lowe Officiating.

The funeral of Mrs. J. A. Goldsbury was held at her late home yesterday afternoon, the Rev. Mr. Lowe officiating. The house was filled with friends and relatives. Three brothers, a niece and a nephew came out from New York. The interment was in Elmwood cemetery. The list of flowers: pillow from the members of the family; 24 calls from Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lepage, Clara, Carrie and Frank Goldsbury; carnations, Albert Thwing and Mrs. Mae Thwing; Mrs. Mary Gouge and Mrs. M. and G. Sawyer; Mrs. S. J. Jones and Mrs. and Hattie Waite; Mrs. Lewis Roberts and Mrs. Thomas Bailey; Irving Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Risold; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morgan; Mr. and Mrs. Daniel M. and Mrs. John Rowley; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carson; ornamentals and hyacinths; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Folsom; carnations; Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Stevens; snuff, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Emerson.

LARGE CROWD PRESENT.

At Pleasant Social Affair at the Methodist Parlor.

The Ladies' and Pastor's Union of the Methodist church gave an enjoyable Longfellow social at the church parlors last evening. An unusually large number of people were present and enjoyed the programme, which was as follows: piano solo by Miss Avis Wheeler; sketch of the life of Longfellow by Mrs. R. B. Vaughan; piano solo, Miss Clark; reading "The Children's Hour" by Mrs. R. B. Vaughan; vocal duet, Mrs. Bradley and Mr. Vesly; reading, "The Week of the Heavens," Miss Eva Smith.

A LONGFELLOW SOCIAL.

Was Given by the Sunday School of the Baptist Church.

The Baptist Sunday school enjoyed a Longfellow social at the church parlors last evening, there being a good number of young people present, as well as their elders. The price charged for admission was one cent for each year of a person's age. A programme was given as follows: sketch of the life of Longfellow by the pastor, Rev. W. A. Kinzie; recitation, "The Children's Hour," Mrs. Garrison; cello solo, Lyle Perry; vocal solo, "Why Don't You Speak for Yourself," John Alden and Priscilla being enacted by W. N. Gearson and Miss Elizabeth Sutton; reading, "Evangeline," Miss Marjorie Beach; cello solo, Lyle Perry. The programme was closed by the singing of "America," by all present. Refreshments of popcorn and apples were served at the conclusion of the programme. The receipts of the evening amounted to \$15.

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A ROUND OF PLEASURE

Clerks Give Splendid Dance to 60 Couples

FARMERS SERVE A HOST

Chief Cook Fayette Cutler and Assistants Bombaraded with Praise—Long-fellow Socials at Baptist and Methodist Churches.

The Retail Clerks' association held a very pretty and enjoyable dance last evening in the Woodmen's hall. Instead of a banquet, which the union has usually held each winter, the members decided to change it this winter, and give a private dance. The large hall was tastefully decorated with