

TURKEY FEARS INSIDE FOE

Arresting Large Numbers of Too Active "Politicians"

MOST OF THEM STUDENTS.

It Was First Reported That They Were Plotting to Form a Republic, But Now the Arrests Are Laid to an Old Demonstration.

London, Nov. 20.—Both the Ottoman and foreign interests in Constantinople are chiefly concerned in the large number of arrests of politicians and writers belonging to the party of Union and Progress.

At first stories were circulated saying there was plotting to establish a republic, and an attempt was also made to divert Christian and foreign sympathy by a circulation of the report that the object of the organization was to arrange massacres and blow up the foreign quarter at Pera.

These reports were so clumsy and false that the government felt constrained to issue to-day's statement regarding the students. Diplomatic circles believe the arrests were due to the nomination by the sultan of Mahmoud Shekfa Pasha as inspector-general of the army.

BULGARIANS ORDERED TO CEASE FIGHTING

Because of Negotiations for the Conclusion of an Armistice at the Request of Turkey.

Sofia, Nov. 20.—The Bulgarian troops operating before the line of fortifications defending Constantinople at Tchatalja have received orders to stop fighting and merely hold the positions they have won, as negotiations are being begun for the conclusion of an armistice, at the request of Turkey.

TURKISH SUCCESS DENIED.

By Bulgarians To-day and Turkish Repute Asserted.

Sofia, Nov. 20.—Reports emanating from Turkish sources, alleging that the Turkish troops had gained victories over the Bulgarians along the Tchatalja fortifications, were officially denied by the Dumania war office to-day.

SERBIA YIELDS TO AUSTRIA.

And Will Submit to an Investigation by the latter.

Budapest, Serbia, Nov. 20.—Serbia has yielded to Austria, that an official from the Austrian ministry of foreign affairs be allowed to investigate the complaint of the Austrian council there that they had been hindered by the Serbians in the performance of their duties.

RAYMOND TRIAL STARTED.

Prosecution Will Try to Establish Jealousy as Murder Cause.

Augusta, Me., Nov. 20.—The presentation of evidence in the case of Mrs. Elsie Hobbs Raymond on trial for the murder of Mattie Hackett at Readfield, seven years ago, began to-day.

WORCESTER MAN KILLED WIFE, SON AND SELF

Tragedy Was Revealed When John Wood's 13-Year-Old Daughter Found a Note This Morning.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 20.—A note found this morning by Gladys Wood, aged thirteen years, led to the discovery of a triple tragedy which had been enacted during the night when John Wood, father of Gladys, killed his wife and four-months-old baby child and himself with chloroform.

Gladys and another child, aged ten years, slept in a room adjoining that of their parents. When they read the note they attempted to enter their father's room but the door was locked.

Mr. Wood was 38 years of age and had been employed by a grocery firm for more than twenty years. Family troubles are believed to have been responsible for his deed.

F. E. Pike of Concord is spending a few days in the city on business interests.

Now is the time to place your orders for private Christmas and New Year's cards at the Barre Book Store.

A regular meeting of the American Order of Comrades will be held in the hall, Worthen block, on Thursday, Nov. 21, at 7:30 o'clock.

WALKED TO SUICIDE.

Unknown Woman Waded Into Ocean at Revere, Mass.—Seen by Many.

Revere, Mass., Nov. 20.—A woman of middle age, who has not yet been identified, but who probably came from Brooklyn, deliberately walked into the ocean at the foot of Revere street, Revere beach, at 3:15 yesterday afternoon and after struggling a few moments was drowned. It is possible that she was demented and took this means of committing suicide. She was fully dressed at the time.

Several persons witnessed the act, but no one went to her rescue, for she was in such shallow water when she finally disappeared no one imagined she was drowning.

HIT CARLOAD OF CHINAMEN.

"Soo Flyer" Disabled 18 of the Celestials at Rush Lake, Sask.

Rush Lake, Sask., Nov. 20.—Eighteen Chinamen were injured yesterday, when the northbound Soo flyer on the Canadian Pacific Railway collided with a carload of Chinamen on a siding here. Railroad officials say the car occupied by the Chinamen had not been properly sidetracked, an end of the car being left on the main track. Two of the guards accompanying the Chinamen were also injured. None was fatally hurt.

SHOT A WOMAN BEFORE HE SUICIDED

Leon M. Jerome of Gardner, Mass., Dead and Mrs. Lottie Burnett Is Severely Wounded as Result of Tragedy Late Yesterday.

Gardner, Mass., Nov. 20.—Leon M. Jerome, aged 30, of Greenfield, shot and seriously wounded Mrs. Lottie Burnett, aged 38, at her home here late yesterday and then shot himself through the head, dying within an hour.

According to the police Jerome had been drinking. He formerly boarded at Mrs. Burnett's home when she lived in Greenfield. Yesterday he entered her home here, saying he wanted to talk with her. When she said she could not talk with him, as she was going out shopping, he drew a revolver, according to the story told to the police, and fired at her twice. One bullet entered her back and the other her left arm at the elbow.

THIEVES WERE FOILED.

When Their Horse Ran Away and Was Caught by Policeman.

Burlington, Nov. 20.—The wholesale stealing which has been going on all along the line of the Rutland railroad received a blow last evening when a member of the Burlington police force interrupted proceedings just below the drawbridge. At the time of the intrusion a freight car loaded with butter was being emptied as fast as two men could accomplish the feat.

An old gray mare was one of the chief factors in the discovery. About eight o'clock Police Officer Value saw a white or gray horse attached to an ordinary cart's wagon drive north from the underground pass at Lakeside. The road there goes toward the abandoned gun club grounds and the officer became interested to see just what was going on.

STEAMER GROUNDED ON POLLOCK RIP SHOAL

The Penobscot, Laden with Coal, Was Bound from Newport News for Boston—Lifeguards Started for the Steamer.

Chatham, Mass., Nov. 20.—The coal-laden steamer Penobscot, from Newport News for Boston, grounded in low water to-day on a shoal in Pollock Rip shoal. Lifeguards started for the steamer at once and messages were sent for a revenue cutter. The weather is calm but hazy. The ship went aground just before daybreak. It is probable the accident was caused by a strong tide setting the steamer to the south of her course.

VERMONT MAN HONORED.

Pres. Benton Sec.-Treas. of National Association of State Universities.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 20.—Delegates to the National Association of State Universities in annual convention here for the past two days concluded their sessions late yesterday with a call upon President Taft at the White House. The following officers were chosen to head the association for the ensuing year: President, Dr. Edmund J. James, president of the university of Illinois.

Vice-President, Dr. Jos T. Kingsbury, president of the university of Utah.

Vice-President ex officio, Dr. P. P. Claxton, United States commissioner of education.

Secretary and treasurer, Dr. Gny Potter Benton, president of the university of Vermont.

There will be a box social at the Solid Rock church in Foxville, Thursday evening, November 21, at 7:30. Everybody invited. Admission, 10c; ladies with a box free.

MONEY CALLS MULTIPLY

Vermont's Treasury Attacked on All Sides

IN FORM OF APPROPRIATIONS.

Proposition to Adjourn Over Thanksgiving Week, and After Speaker Plumley to Die a Suffocating Death in the Vermont Legislature.

State House, Nov. 24. An attempt was made early this morning to take up the joint resolution concerning adjournment over Thanksgiving week, and after Speaker Plumley had explained in detail the various attempts made Tuesday afternoon to provide mileage for the legislators on their vacation, Mr. Plumley of Ludlow withdrew his motion for a ye and nay vote on the proposition to adjourn a week without pay or mileage, which was moved by Mr. Mullen of West Rutland.

Mr. McClellan of Plymouth attempted to stall any attempt at mileage gain by introducing a resolution providing that the mileage of the members shall be 50 cents for each session and that it shall be payable at the first of the session. It was referred to the standing committee on joint rules.

Mr. Flynn of Dorset asks for \$4,000 to aid his town in repairing and rebuilding highways and bridges. Mr. Gobbie of Ryegate wants \$5,000 to improve a highway in his town.

Mr. Hulett of Rutland introduced a bill this morning, providing for interchangeable mileage good on any railroad in the state. Mr. Wilkins of Morrisville introduced a bill by request, which calls for an appropriation of \$3,000 to purchase 500 acres near Sterling pond in Smuggler notch for a state forest reservation.

This morning the fish and game code, in bill form, made the appearance on the desks and there were no loose copies to be found at the close of the morning session.

Bills Introduced in House. By Mr. Gobbie of Ryegate, to aid the town of Ryegate to improve a highway; appropriates \$5,000. To committee on highways and bridges.

By Mr. Curney of Windsor (by request), to incorporate the Ascutney Accident association. To committee on corporations.

By Mr. Vaughan of Randolph, to amend section 256 of the public statutes, as amended by section 1 of Nov. 20 of the acts of 1910, relating to town forest fire wardens. Each board of selectmen to appoint a fire warden. To committee on conservation.

By Mr. Palmer of Shelburne, to aid the town of Shelburne in rebuilding a highway. Appropriates \$5,000. To committee on highways and bridges.

By Mr. Wilkins of Morrisville (by request), to provide for a state reservation in the vicinity of Sterling pond and Smuggler notch, and to appropriate a sum of money. Appropriates \$5,000 for 500 acres land, to be used as state reservation. To committee on appropriations.

Substitute for H. 17, by Mr. Proctor for the general committee, to require certain vehicles to carry lights at night on public highways. Provides that every vehicle on wheels drawn on a public highway by horse or other draft animal shall carry at least one lighted lamp after dark. Ordered to lie and be printed.

By Mr. Clayton of Londonderry, to prevent the pollution of the waters of West river. Prohibits deposit of sawdust and other refuse. To general committee.

By Mr. Shaw of Peacham, to amend section 754 of the public statutes, relating to the assessment of annual license taxes. Corporations subject to payment of annual license tax with capital stock of \$10,000 or less is assessed an annual tax of \$5 and for each excess of \$10,000 or fractional part, \$5; limits tax except as otherwise provided, to \$100. To committee on corporations.

Bills Introduced in Senate. By Mr. Barber, appropriating \$10,000 for the Brattleboro retreat. To committee on appropriations.

By Mr. Dale, relating to injuring or interfering with property by telephone, telegraph, electric light and gas companies. To committee on justice and municipal courts.

By Mr. Dyer of Addison, providing for monthly payments for milk and cream. To committee on agriculture.

By Mr. Henry, relating to license commissioners. To be elected in town meetings. To committee on temperance.

By Mr. Batchelder, to incorporate the Henry W. Putnam Memorial hospital. To committee on judiciary.

By Mr. Batchelder to enable Burlington Water Co. to donate its water works to the village of Bennington. To committee on Bennington.

REFUSED TO AMEND MURDER PUNISHMENT

House Had Spirited Debate on the Proposal Yesterday Afternoon—Other Features of a Lively Session.

State House, Nov. 20. After passing the 15-cent bounty law on hedgehogs yesterday forenoon, the Senate asked for the bill to be returned by the House. For a few minutes it looked as though the House was going to decline to accede to the request of the upper branch, and it required an explanation upon the part of Speaker Plumley that the return of the bill was a matter of courtesy to the Senate.

Mr. McClellan of Plymouth wants the House to have another try at House bill 69, relating to the exemption of lands planted to forest trees, and upon his

motion the bill, which was passed Monday night, is to be reconsidered and has been recommitted to the committee on conservation.

Nearly an hour was spent yesterday afternoon on House bill 216, relating to amending the law on capital punishment. Mr. Miller of Bethel offered an amendment providing that the sentence for second degree murder be not less than 20 years' imprisonment. This was the signal for debate, and Mr. Wright of Westminster opposed the

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RUPERT'S WILD MAN SENT TO JAIL

Since July He Has Slept in the Mountains and Subsisted on What He Could Capture.

Bennington, Nov. 20.—Thomas Ourman, aged 42, a native of Prussia, who has been in America about 20 years, was committed to jail here yesterday on a 90 days' sentence for vagrancy. He was brought here from Rupert by Deputy Sheriff Harvey S. Lincoln, who caught the man asleep early Monday morning under the roots of an overgrown tree.

Ourman has been living on Rupert mountain since July and in the five months has not passed a single night under a roof and has lived exclusively upon wild fruit and what game he could capture. His principal food has been the flesh of woodchucks, which he dug out of their holes with a short iron bar. Everything in the shape of food found by the deputy under the tree was a few frozen apples.

When brought to jail Ourman's ragged black beard hung halfway to his waist. The man appears rational and readily answers questions in broken English, but fails to give any explanation for his strange manner of living. Several attempts had been made to capture him during the past two months.

VOTERS REJECT PROPOSITION.

To Bond Rutland for \$100,000 for New Water Reservoir.

Rutland, Nov. 20.—The special election to decide whether or not the voters would empower the board of aldermen to issue \$100,000 in water bonds, the money to be used for construction of a larger reservoir, resulted in the turning down of the proposition yesterday by a vote of 929 to 191. The decided feeling against the proposition resulted from the actions of the special water committee who contracted bills amounting to nearly \$2,500 before the doings of the committee were known to the people. One set of plans for a reservoir submitted by Barrows and Brood of Boston were refused because they did not coincide with the ideas of the committee, none of whom were engineers. The last plans were submitted by Hiram A. Miller of Boston.

SPLENDID WATER SPECTACLE.

As Charge of Dynamite Drove it 400 Feet Into Air.

Brattleboro, Nov. 20.—Half a ton of dynamite was exploded yesterday afternoon at the Boston & Maine railroad bridge which is being built across the Connecticut river about a mile south of this village. The explosion sent a volume of water 400 feet into the air which presented one of the most magnificent sights ever seen in this section. The explosion had to be made in order to get a foundation for a pier near the New Hampshire side of the river as it came upon a large slanting rock. The explosion did not send any rocks up out of the water. It shook the ground for some distance around but men stationed upon the half of the bridge partly laid on the Vermont side reported they did not feel the jar.

EXHIBITS BEST EVER SHOWN.

At a Meeting of the Vermont Horticultural Society.

Middlebury, Nov. 20.—The eighteenth annual meeting of the Vermont State Horticultural society opened at the town hall yesterday morning. The exhibits are the best ever shown at a meeting of the society.

A meeting of the beekeepers of Vermont will be held in connection with the horticultural meetings, and this society also has a full line of exhibits.

The first session of the Horticultural society was held in the evening, with an address of welcome by Judge C. L. Dutton of Middlebury, and a response by President E. H. Hallett of St. Johnsbury.

ASKS SPECIAL TERM.

Prompt Test on Public Service Commission Laws.

Rutland, Nov. 20.—The November term of the Vermont superior court opened in this city yesterday. There are five cases on the trial calendar, two from Windsor and one from Rutland county.

Atty. Gen. John G. Sargent of Ludlow made a motion asking that a special term of the session of the supreme court be called early in December to hear the case of Sabre vs. the Rutland railroad. The special term is called for because of the importance of the questions involved, the constitutionality of the public service commission laws in Vermont being in dispute.

TOTAL OF 252 DEER KILLED.

Vermont Returns to Date Made to Commissioner Titcomb.

St. Johnsbury, Nov. 20.—Following are the returns of deer killed in Vermont this season, made to J. W. Titcomb, state fish and game commissioner, to date: Addison, 12; Bennington, 10; Caledonia, 11; Chittenden, 16; Essex, 16; Franklin, 11; Lamoille, 20; Orange, 11; Orleans, 7; Rutland, 31; Washington, 37; Windham, 37; Windsor, 38; total, 252.

Miss Katherine Bates returned yesterday to her home in Burlington, after spending several days with friends in the city.

Timber proposition: 300 acres or more, within four miles of railroad; estimated 500,000 feet of spruce and large amount of hardwood. A bargain at \$2,500. Buildings suitable for camp. Better look it over at once. The D. A. Perry Real Estate Agency, Barre, Vt.

FIRE WAS HELD TO \$300 LOSS

Broke Out in Closely Built Section of South Main Street

MUCH PROPERTY IN DANGER.

Blacksmith Shop Run by Charles Leslie and Owned by Mrs. F. A. Slayton Damaged Early This Morning—Cause of Fire Uncertain.

The early discovery of a blaze in the blacksmith shop at 19 South Main street, owned by Mrs. F. A. Slayton and occupied by Charles H. Leslie, this morning at 4:30 o'clock prevented a serious fire in congested territory and kept the loss down to \$300. Firemen at the central station, who were awakened by the cries of Nicholas St. John, an employe at the James Gow stables, responded to the call and after two streams of water from the hydrant in front of the federal building had played on the flames for fifteen minutes, the fire was under control and further danger to the two stables and the Averill mills, structures located only a few feet from either side of the smithy, was averted. Tools and other accessories belonging to Leslie were covered by insurance, and the structure, as well as several sleighs in the second story owned by Mrs. Slayton, were also well insured against fire.

It was shortly before 4:30 o'clock when a man on Brooklyn street saw the flames and notified St. John. The latter started for the fire station, yelling a shrill alarm as he ran. Regulars at headquarters, who had counted on another hour of sleep, were aroused by the noise. When the firemen reached the forge shop, they found the rear of the structure seething in flames. Quantities of chemical solution were emptied on the burning, and two streams of water were turned to good account.

The fire seemed to gain its greatest hold on the west end of the shop, and it was there that the firemen directed their greatest efforts. From the first floor of the story-and-a-half building, the flames mounted through the little attic to the roof. Sealing the top of the structure with ladders, the firemen were at last able to check the progress of the fire, and by 5:30 o'clock the blaze was completely subdued.

Persons who were early at the scene of the fire say that it must have been smouldering away all night. A few feet at the rear of the forge a large hole had been burned through the floor, and the theory is that a flying spark from the anvil or possibly a brand from the stove found a dry crevice in the floor and continued to feed upon the dust, etc., until it started a blaze.

WILLIAMS TO RESIGN THE CHAIRMANSHIP

Already Two Men Are Mentioned as His Successor at the Head of the Republican State Committee.

Frank G. Williams of Newport announced at Montpelier last night that he intends to resign the chairmanship of the Republican state committee. Herbert C. Barber of Brattleboro, the Windham county member of the committee, and at present a state senator, is a receptive candidate for the place, it is understood. Earle S. Kinsley, the Rutland county member, would accept it too. No answers to the members of the committee has been made, but it is said that many members of the committee are favorable to Mr. Kinsley as Mr. Williams' successor.

DEATH OF MONTPELIER WOMAN.

Mrs. L. T. Lull Passed Away This Morning of Bronchitis.

Mrs. Maria Lull, wife of L. T. Lull of 5 First avenue, Montpelier, died early this morning at her home after two weeks' illness with bronchitis, the end being hastened perhaps by a fall which she sustained a short time previously.

Mrs. Lull was born in Berlin May 27, 1847, the daughter of William and Maria Andrews. She was married 27 years ago at Berlin and 20 years ago she and Mr. Lull moved to Montpelier. Besides her husband, she leaves two brothers, Merrill Andrews of Berlin and Asa Andrews of Northfield. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon from her late home, Rev. Stanley P. Blomfield officiating, and the body will be taken to Stafford, Conn., for interment.

TALK OF THE TOWN

J. B. Casellin returned home last night from a hunting trip to Moretown and vicinity.

Mrs. Stella Lawrence has gone to Northfield, where she will make an indefinite visit with her sister.

John Lawton of Bolton is spending several days in the city as the guest of Robert Murphy and Martin McMahon.

Miss Eva Morrill returned yesterday to her home in Northfield, after spending a few days with friends at Goddard seminary.

A son was born at the City hospital last night to Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Donahue of 80 South Main street.

Miss Florence Broderick and Miss Maggie Bodkins arrived in the city last night from Boston on an extended visit at the former's home on North Main street.

E. N. Normandeau has completed moving the Blackwell street house, which he recently purchased from the city, to a position on the rear of the lot which it has always occupied. The original site of the building has been filled in by the street department men. Mr. Normandeau has leased a portion of the structure to a local merchant, who will open a store on the first floor within a short time. The second story and an ell addition, which is in process of construction, will be occupied as a tenement.

SEVERAL DIVORCES GRANTED.

Calais Man Seeks Custody of Child, Whom Mother Has Possession Of.

In Washington county court yesterday, the case of the Empire Granite company against A. C. Blanchard and A. B. Hutchins, M. W. Sanders, Granite Savings Bank & Trust company, Blanchard Blocks company, Rollo K. Blanchard, George B. Sibson and Patrick Crowley, trustees, was taken up. The case is one in general assumpsit and was docketed at the September term, 1911. Richard A. Hoar and William N. Theriault appear for the company and R. M. Harvey for the defendants.

The divorce case of Laura M. Getchell against George J. Getchell was dismissed without prejudice; a divorce was granted Charles Briggs of North Montpelier against Melvina Briggs on the charge of adultery, with custody of minor child given Mr. Briggs; a divorce was granted Frank Wheeler against Laura Wheeler, for intolerable severity and adultery, custody of minor child given Dr. Wheeler; divorce granted E. J. Blake from Jessie M. Blake for adultery.

Charles Parker of Calais petitioned for the custody of his 11-year-old son, whom the mother had taken the custody of, although Mr. Parker claims there was a mutual agreement between him and the child's mother at the time she secured a divorce a year ago that the child should be given him. No decision has yet been given by the court.

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING.

Montpelier Aldermen Considered Several Matters of Business.

A special session of the Montpelier city council was held yesterday to act on applications for a sewer connection and on Superintendent of Streets Roberts' application for permission to buy stone and use the crusher for two days. Jeremiah Dady asked for a sewer at his home on Berlin street, but on investigation the matter was found to have been disposed of by the council, October 9, Mr. Dady to pay all expenses. J. Juras wanted a sewer connection for the cooling water from the air compressor at his stoneshed, which was granted on the condition that Mr. Juras pay all the expenses.

Superintendent Roberts wishes to repair a few sidewalks with stone chips and the Colton Manufacturing company wants stone dust to use in tumbler, therefore Mr. Roberts was authorized to operate the crusher for two days. The Colton company pays \$1 per ton for stone and 25 cents per ton for cartage. As 60 tons can be crushed in one day, about 100 tons will be left for the use of the city after the Colton company is supplied.

It was decided to buy three new hydrants, to have on hand if needed.

ANNIS-WARK.

South Barre People Married in Barre Early To-day.

Miss Georgia F. Wark and Cassius M. Annis, both of South Barre, were united in marriage at 8:45 this morning at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. J. W. Barnett, and they left on the 7:20 train for a trip to Sherbrooke, P. Q. Mr. Annis is employed as a granite cutter in this city.

TALK OF THE TOWN

R. W. Aborn of Mount Kisco, N. Y., was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Miss Cassie Shorey has returned to Barre, after spending several days at her home in Marshfield.

A. W. Arnold returned to Burlington to-day, after making a few days' visit in the city on business.

Mrs. Julia Aiken has returned to her home in Marshfield, after spending several days with relatives in the city.

John L. Wallace of Franklin street left this morning for Holyoke, Mass., where he will remain for a few days on business.

Mrs. William Forsie returned this morning to her home in Providence, R. I., after spending a few days with relatives in Graniteville.

P. G. Lamson of Cambridge, Mass., the granite advertiser, has returned home, after spending a few days in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morton returned last night to their home in Concord, N. H., after spending several days with friends in the city.

E. Olney of Fitchburg, Mass., a lumber dealer well known in this section, arrived in town last night for a business visit of several days.

Percy Seelye of Wellington street resumed his duties in Drown's drug store this morning, after passing a few days at his home in Westley, R. I.

Regular meeting of Vinnetou council, No. 10, D. of P., I. O. M., Thursday, November 21, at 7 o'clock. The joint committee will please meet at 8 o'clock.

Clarence Bartlett of Summer street, who recently killed a large buck, received word from his brother, Ernest Bartlett, last night, saying that he had shot a large bear in Pittsfield.

Macabee's! The regular review of Harmon hive, No. 1, L. O. T. M., will be held Wednesday evening, Nov. 20, at 7:30 o'clock. Every member is requested to make an effort to be present.

Under the direction of the civic education centerers are engaged in erecting two sizeable arbors in the park which adjoins Elmwood cemetery on the west. The arbors are covered and will insure ample protection to visitors from the sun or rain.

House, barn and one-half acre of land on Merchant street extension, at a low price for immediate sale. Price is \$350 less than it cost the present owner. You can keep a cow, hens, etc. here and reduce the high cost of living. You will have to get busy as this offer is for this week only. The D. A. Perry Real Estate Agency, Barre, Vt.

Cobbie hill grange held a meeting last evening, at which the accumulated routine work of the past few weeks was attended to. It was voted to work the first and second degrees at the next meeting, December 3, which will be observed as an anniversary evening. The lecturer's program follows: Song, Miss Clifford; reading, Mrs. Edwards; song, grange.

Weather Forecast. Fair to-night; slightly colder in the northern and central portions, Thursday fair and warmer in Vermont; moderate southwest winds.

ALL-NIGHT, EVERY NIGHT

That Kind of Street Lighting Contract Engages Council

WILL CONFER WITH AGENT

Lighting Committee Reports Its Inability to Get a Satisfactory Contract for Less Than Five Years—Some Plain Talk by Ald. Dawson.

Chapter IV, or was it DIV? in the street lighting controversy, occupied a large portion of the time at the regular meeting of the city council last night