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RANDOLPH

Fred O. Copeland, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Copeland and assistant cashier of the Randolph bank, has been selling stories to the New York magazines. One of them was Forest and Stream. They have now invited Mr. Copeland to edit its gun and trapshooting department at a salary.

Mrs. C. C. Southworth, whose husband is in the sanatorium recovering from a surgical operation, underwent an operation herself Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Lucy Mann has been summoned to Springfield by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Odette.

Miss Desier Moulton left Friday for a several days' stay in Roxbury, Mass., where she is to be the guest of Miss Wiswall, who passes her summer vacation here. Miss Marjorie Chedel will take her place in the library during her absence.

The pulpit of Bethany church will be occupied next Sunday by William Shaw, LL. D. of Boston, general secretary of the United Society of Christian Endeavor. A union service will be held in Bethany church Sunday evening, when Dr. Shaw and Mr. Hamilton, both of Boston, will be the speakers.

The sermon at the Baptist church Sunday morning will be given by Clarence Hamilton of Boston, who will speak upon the young people's work in the church.

SOUTH RANDOLPH

Earl Delano was here dehorning cattle the first of the week.

Several people from here attended Mr. Robins' auction at East Randolph Saturday.

Harriet Smith is suffering from a nervous breakdown and is unable to attend school.

The sugar season is at a close and many have gathered their buckets. The yield is reported to have been smaller than in some years, with a medium quality sugar.

C. C. Lyon of Brookfield was here on business Monday.

Clifton Carey of Brookfield is working for J. C. Greene, and Homer Preston of Sharon is at work for C. D. Peake for the season.

John Wells has moved from the C. C. Gifford farm, which he has been on for the past five years, to his place here opposite the schoolhouse.

SOUTH CABOT

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Cram, who have been spending a few weeks with their daughter, Mrs. Guy Cassidy, went to Roxbury one day this week.

R. S. Hawkins went to Barnet Thursday, where he expects to remain for awhile.

Mrs. W. J. Houghton and little granddaughter were visitors in East Cabot Thursday.

Gordon, little son of D. A. Colberth, is sick with convulsions.

Mrs. Wilbur Wheeler has moved back into her house for awhile.

Some from this place attended the dance and promenade at Marshfield Friday night.

J. W. Butterfield of North Montpelier was a business visitor in the place Thursday.

M. E. Beckley, president of the Mollys Falls Telephone company of Groton, was in the place on business one day the last of the week.

WASHINGTON

A May day ball is to be held at the schoolhouse hall next Monday evening. Music, Cantabile's orchestra. This is to be a basket ball, so everyone bring lunch. Coffee will be served free. Bill, 75c per couple.

The report is that G. M. Coffin will close the blacksmith shop he has been occupying of late Monday next.

Strawberry ice cream with fresh fruit at Diversi Fruit Store.

TALK OF THE TOWN

New coats at Abbott's. Saturday sale at Abbott's. Good values in house dresses at Fitts' Samples of Plume brand underwear at Abbott's Saturday.

Griffith's Triangle plays at the Pavilion to-day.—adv.

Strawberry ice cream with fresh fruit at Diversi Fruit Store.

"The Only Girl," matinee and to-night. Barre Opera House.—adv.

Agent Wanted—Male. Apply at 102 Washington street after 4 p. m.

Breakfast served at Congregational church next Tuesday, 6:15 to 8 a. m.—adv.

William Glidden of Highland avenue left this morning on a fishing trip to Alburg and Swanton.

Arthur Edwards left the city this morning for Milton, where he is making a visit of several days with relatives.

The Victor records for the month of May have arrived. Don't fail to hear some of these great selections at Bailey's Music Rooms, 14 Elm street.

The civic department of the Woman's club will hold a rummage sale this afternoon (Saturday) in the emergency room from 2 to 5 p. m. All members are asked to contribute.

The annual meeting of the Bonaccord football club will be held in the club pavilion this evening at 7:30 o'clock. All members and prospective members are invited to be present. A smoke talk will follow the business meeting.

Robert Q. McDonnell has purchased three building lots of John Troy on Perry street and plans to erect a dwelling house on one of the lots this season. The lots are located on the plot just south of the residence of Charles H. Wishart. Excavations for the structure were started this week and building operations will begin as soon as possible.

A second educational meeting for the members of the Granite Manufacturers' association has been arranged, although the exact date next week when the manufacturers are to get together has not been determined definitely. The first meeting of the series, held Thursday night, was so successful that others are to follow as rapidly as they can be arranged. William Barclay of Barre Bros. will be the speaker at next week's meeting.

Contractor A. B. Lane of Highland avenue suffered a painful injury Friday afternoon while superintending the extensive repairs that are being made to the Cleary block on North Main street. Mr. Lane was about to apply the lever to a lifting jack when something about the apparatus gave way, precipitating the contractor backwards into a mortar box. A nail in the bottom of the box penetrated Mr. Lane's body to a depth of three inches. The pain caused him to lose consciousness for a few moments and he was removed to his home, where a physician was called.

Interest in the North Barre school bird club is growing apace and with the coming of warmer weather more and more specimens of birds are being "discovered" by the members. The membership of the club is composed largely of children in the North Barre school, although some adults are glad to enroll themselves. The membership has doubled during the week. During the week the members have reported a dozen additional species of birds, making a total of 48 observed and reported since the opening of the season. It is planned by the sponsors of the club to place on exhibition in some store window within a short time drawings of the various kinds of birds which are familiar in this section of the country.

Who Will Claim Them?
—Letters unclaimed for at the Barre post-office for the week ending April 27 are:
Men—James Anderson, E. E. Bradford (2), Lee French, Angelo Ferrari, Mr. Hulihan, care of Hulihan Bros.; Serbon, do Higuera, Merritt A. Jones, H. A. Milne, W. L. Wilkinson.
Women—Miss Margaret Donald, Mrs. Thomas Edwards, Mrs. Lanory, Mrs. Andrew Robertson (3), Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Agnes Williams.

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GRANITEVILLE

Farewell Reception Tendered Rev. Fred McNeill.

On Friday evening Rev. Fred McNeill was invited to meet with the board of managers in the Presbyterian church hall, and to his surprise found the hall filled with members of his church and friends. Over 100 were present, and his friend, Rev. Edgar Crossland of Barre, presided. Mr. Crossland spoke of the friendship he had with Mr. McNeill in seminary days and also how pleasant the fellowship had been as neighboring pastors. He said the bill would lose its attraction for him when Mr. McNeill had gone. A purse of \$42 was then presented Mr. McNeill, after which a short program was carried out. Jonathan Stewart favored the audience with two vocal solos and Dennis Donahue, in a few well-chosen remarks, testified to the good that had been done by Mr. McNeill in the temperance field. Then Catherine Murray rendered a vocal solo. Afterwards a banquet was served by the ladies. All the guests shook hands with the pastor, wishing him Godspeed in his new field of service. He will finish his labors in Graniteville on Sunday.

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A Publication Notice.

Beginning next Saturday, May 6, The Times will begin its usual summer schedule of publication at noon, instead of at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. All advertisements, correspondents, clergymen and others concerned in the matter that goes into a Saturday issue of the paper are warned to bear in mind the change of hour. Copy must be in the office early on Saturday morning to make certain of publication in that day's issue.

"Safety first" in the automobiles, as well as outside of them!

"Germans conquer tetanus." Surely a notable victory and of lasting worth to the world.

Germany announces that the submarine dispute is ended. That remains for Washington to say.

And now it takes an acrobat to read the Congressional Record, because part of the most recent issue was printed upside down.

That British army of a million men still remaining in England was perhaps kept at home partially for just what is happening in Ireland. With such a tremendous force ready to meet them, the Irish rebels against English rule cannot entertain much hope of ultimate success.

The Rutland News professes the belief that Vermont's young men who have been lured by high wages in munitions factories in various parts of the United States will be glad enough to return to the joys of living in Vermont just as soon as the work begins to grind on them or the factories are forced to close because of the ending of the war. We trust the contemporary is right in its stated belief.

If the British have managed to break even on the battleship section of their navy since the war started they have been most fortunate. In the 21 months since the outbreak of hostilities their navy has lost 11 ships of the major class, the most recent having been the Russell, which sank in the Mediterranean sea after contact with a mine, so the official report states. If the shipyards of the British empire were able to build and equip 11 new battleships, in addition to meeting the demands for other ships of lesser size, during those 21 months they were indeed very efficient. It would be a task which would stagger, even overwhelm, all the ship building facilities which are available in the United States. It is extremely doubtful whether Great Britain has been able to maintain the average in battleships alone albeit it is admitted that the operations must have been rushed to the limit of human and machine possibilities.

THE RUSSIAN REINFORCEMENTS.
The Germans, naturally enough, are inclined to minimize the importance of the movement of Russian troops to the western war front to assist the British and the French, a semi-official organ asserting that the first contingent to arrive at Marseilles numbered only 5,000 men. The assertion of the semi-official organ may have been framed for home consumption, that is, to counteract any feeling of discouragement that may have come to the mass of the German people through the reinforcement of an already strong line of defense about Verdun; and, again, it may have been the absolute truth as far as the size of the first Russian contingent is concerned. The French enthusiasm over the arrival of an army of any sort was calculated to convince the French of the solidarity of the entente alliance against the Teutonic powers. In that event the moral support rather than the numerical strength

of the contingent was the thing that counted tremendously in the French mind and called forth the wild bursts of enthusiasm which were hinted at in the news allowed to trickle through the French censorship. For that purpose—the purpose of lending moral support to a crucial period of the entente's struggle—5,000 soldiers were as good as 50,000, or double that number. Moreover, on the consideration of numerical strength of the contingent, it would be possible easily to delude the people into a belief that a large army was being landed because a force of 5,000 men marching through the narrow streets of a city looks like ten times that number scattered in the battlefield. And it must be borne in mind, too, that the French official statement has failed to give an inkling of the size of the contingent, the failure to give the information being, of course, a matter of military strategy.

But regardless of the size of the Russian army in France it must not be considered that the Russians, good fighters as they are known to be under capable leadership, will match the French, man for man, in the operations on the Verdun front