

RANDOLPH

Miss Annie Bell, a student at Smith college, was called home by word on account of the illness of her parents, who at this time are thought to be improving.

Rev. W. T. Sparhawk left Saturday for Glover, where he preached on Sunday.

Jackson Vail brought his family from Rochester Saturday and took them to the home of his parents for a few days, and to-day he moved his household goods here and has taken up his residence in the house on the Highlands, recently occupied by Rev. H. B. Moore.

Allen Chadwick went to Windsor on Saturday for a short stay with friends.

The place at the corner of Maple and Howard streets, known as the Partridge house, was sold on Saturday at auction to Charles Holman, the R. F. D. carrier, for \$3,380.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Johnson and daughter, Alice, have gone to San Antonio, Tex., where the two latter will remain for the winter with Miss Aurelia Danow.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fairbanks, who have been passing their vacation here with their mother, Mrs. E. S. Fairbanks, have returned to their home in Hyde Park, Mass.

The Randolph Suffrage club gave a very pleasant reception to the teachers in the high and graded schools on Wednesday night.

Miss Helen W. Rattler, president and announced the following program, which was enjoyed by all:

Music by the high school orchestra, L. S. Brigham pianist; address of welcome from the school board, V. L. Spear, chairman; response, Miss W. Rattler; Clark, teacher in the training department; Miss Grace Applebee of Littleton, N. H., who is passing this month with Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Copeland, gave a solo, in her usual accomplished manner; Miss Lawson, teacher of elocution in the school here, then gave a selection which was nearly her first introduction to a Randolph audience, she having been since the first of September as teacher of elocution in the schools.

The orchestra closed the program with another selection and a social hour followed, in which all entered into the spirit of the occasion with pleasure.

The Sanatorium Aid society held a meeting at the home of Mrs. E. A. Thomas recently, at which the reports were given, which were very gratifying, showing most good work.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whitney of Hazen street are the happy parents of a baby boy born Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollo M. Dimick of Taft's Flats are the proud parents of a baby girl, which was born Friday.

Mrs. E. E. Gilson of Taft's Flats, who had been very dangerously ill for the past two weeks with double pneumonia, died Friday evening at 7 o'clock.

Harold Cary Thornton, manager of the Price grain store, Middlesex, was a week-end guest at the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Thornton.

The ladies of the Universalist church gave a card party at the home of Mrs. E. J. Pease on Fairview terrace Friday evening and they had 111 tables.

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Three Stanley Steamers and Cadillac Car Burned in Novelty Plant Fire.

At the recent fire at the novelty plant, three Stanley steamers, two owned by the Cross State Transportation company and one by Fred Robinson, and a Cadillac car owned by the White River Railroad company were burned.

The Champlain Realty company lost clothing and supplies for their lumber camps. The loss was about \$10,000, but was insured. Mr. Vail, the owner of the novelty plant, carried only a small insurance.

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ber of cases—estimated at more than 25,000 for the first year—quickly, and at small cost.

The essential features of a small claims court, as Mr. Smith summarizes them, are extremely low costs or none at all, no formal pleadings, no lawyers, and the direct examination of parties and witnesses without formality by a trained judge.

Mr. Darnon of Hazen street, who has been ill at his home for the past two weeks, is a week-end guest of friends in Northfield.

Judge Darrow is to leave the middle of the week to visit relatives in Boston for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Fred A. Stockwell was in Sherbrooke, P. Q., Saturday.

The United States civil service commission announces open competitive examinations for the field service to be held on Nov. 29 at White River Junction to secure eligibles for filling future vacancies in positions requiring the qualifications of stenography, typewriting, in all branches of the government service.

SMALL CLAIMS COURT. Is of Benefit to Poor Man Having Little to Advance for Costs.

As Reginald Heber Smith truly says, in his recent volume on "Justice and the Poor," the inability to provide justice in small cases has always been one of the weakest points in our system of administering justice.

The method provided by the common law for proving any type of small claim is cumbersome, slow and expensive out of all proportion to the matter involved. Any complicated procedure, however small may be the amount at stake, requires an attorney, but the expense for his services is, as Mr. Smith says, "more than the traffic will bear."

Besides, court costs constitute a burden prohibitory to small litigation. The result is that a small wage earner, cheated out of a part of his wages, may better bear the loss than attempt to recover it—the more so because the debtor is allowed to file an appearance and answer, to have the case continued once or twice, and when it is finally called to default. But the wage earner, who passes through such an experience, emerges from it with bitter resentment and a feeling that there is no such thing as justice for the poor.

Here is where the value of the small claims courts comes in. The pity is that they exist in comparatively few American cities; though their results are so beneficial that they might well be extended to every city of any considerable size in the country.

Mr. Smith describes their workings in Cleveland, Chicago, Minneapolis, Portland Ore., Topeka, Leavenworth and Kansas City. In the Topeka court, for example, the claims adjusted have run from the \$20 maximum prescribed by law to a claim of 45 cents brought by a newsboy. Costs are abolished. Delays in obtaining a trial are eliminated, for the judge can hold his court day or night and at any place. A legislative fiat forbids attorneys from "fixing meddles" before the court, so there are no attorney's expenses. The judge himself makes out the forms, summons the defendant and any necessary witnesses, investigates the facts in any manner he chooses, and hears the parties involved tell their own stories. In fact, these courts are less like courts and more like legalized aid societies, with this difference, that the judge has the sanction of the state behind him, and his decision, when made, becomes a legal judgment.

The small claims court of Portland, Ore., heard 1828 cases in seven months, and only two of them were appealed. The Cleveland small claims court handles only matters involving less than \$35. In 1916 it disposed of 6182 cases not counting the claims which were settled without the commencement of suit. The Chicago small claims court came into existence in 1916 as a branch of the municipal court. It has disposed of a vast number of cases.

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HANCOCK

Miss Lulu Turner of New Canaan, Conn., and Robert Minkler of Rochester were married at the home of Charles Minkler Saturday evening.

Mrs. Henry Manning, sr., and son, Volney, were in Granville last week, the guests of Mrs. Clyde Manning.

Ross Goodyear has been quite ill, but is improving.

Miss Lillian Turner of Yonkers, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Minkler.

Mrs. Caroline Marsh has gone to Bennington, N. H., to visit her granddaughter, Mrs. Leon Cladin, and family.

Miss Lola Fifield spent the week end with friends in Granville.

Guardon Whitney shot a bear recently.

George Taylor, sr., is in Brattleboro, visiting his daughter, Mrs. Wesley Burke, and family.

Quick Verdict. Poet—Here is a poem I have just indited. Editor (reading)—Guilty!—Boston Transcript.

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