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PREMIUM OFFER.

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The good news comes from Waterbury that Dr. Giddings, the superintendent of the State insane asylum, has sent his resignation to the trustees...

Patriots willing to serve their country in one capacity or another for a valuable consideration are coming to the front with alacrity and promptitude now that a change of administration is impending.

THE ADDISON HOUSE SOLD.

Mr. Darwin Rider sold the Addison House yesterday to Mr. Frank A. Campbell of Troy, N. Y., who is to take possession April 1 next.

TO MANAGE THE NORMAL SCHOOLS.

Gov. Groat has appointed C. A. Bunker of Peacham, F. W. Pierce of Chester, W. E. Howard of Middlebury and C. H. Darling of Bennington a board of normal school examiners, supervisors and commissioners.

Notwithstanding the agitation which preceded the session, the legislature did not make radical changes in the law governing the normal schools.

MR. BANCROFT'S LECTURE.

Editor of the Register:—Frederick W. Bancroft of Boston will lecture on "Scottish Ballads" in the town hall, Tuesday evening, Dec. 15.

COUNTY AND VICINITY NOTES.

Dr. John E. Osborne, formerly governor of Wyoming, who was recently elected to congress from that State, is remembered at Bristol as a clerk in one of the drug stores there.

A Brandon correspondent writes: "Charles Brown, Jr., of Sudbury came very near killing his wife Thursday forenoon by the accidental discharge of a shotgun."

ADDISON COUNTY COURT.

The December term of Addison county court opened in the court house in this village at 11 o'clock on Tuesday morning.

Hon. James M. Tyler of Brattleboro is the chief judge and the assistant judges are Hon. Gustavus R. Walker of Bridport and Hon. Millard F. Barnes of Addison.

Rev. J. G. Gooding, pastor of the local Methodist church, offered the opening prayer and Sheriff Merritt then made the customary pronouncements for the opening of the term.

The petit jurors were first sworn and after receiving the customary instructions from the court were excused till afternoon.

When the grand jury was empaneled it appeared that Elisha B. Clark of Lincoln was absent. He was reported sick and E. D. Vernal of Vergennes was drawn from the court room to fill his place.

The general law docket, including the cases on the jury calendar, was then gone through with. The cases on the jury list were marked as follows: E. O. Porter v. town of Cornwall, Joseph W. Davis v. Lewis G. Cotey et al., Martin v. Pantou v. Ezra Whitford, A. B. Hatch v. George M. Delaney, L. W. Hatch v. E. W. Gage, appellant, and A. P. Tupper v. Alton N. McQuivey, trial; Maria DeJadon v. Gilbert DeJadon v. Howard Cook and trustee, W. T. Delano, cont'd; L. C. Sturtevant v. F. W. Whitfield, appellant, discontinued; Episcopal Society, appellant, v. Isaac L. Kells et al.; Mary A. Cahalan v. Fred Newton et al., appellants, and Lorette P. Currier v. T. C. Middlebrook, appellant, left open; and Frederick Kopper v. Robert Fulton, appellant, set for the court.

The Episcopal society case, above mentioned, is the famous Conroe will case which was tried once and remanded by the supreme court for re-trial. It is expected that a date in the latter part of the month will be assigned for the new trial.

Other entries on the general law docket were as follows: Bank of Middlebury v. Oliver Severance, judgment for plaintiff by default; Cithoun & Stewart v. Robert Fulton and trustee, judgment by default for plaintiff against the principal defendant; the Spaulding St. Lawrence Boat Co., appellant, v. Robert Fulton and trustee, E. G. Marsh, claimant, judgment by default against principal defendant; Pattison Murray's executor v. Charles E. Merrill et al. and trustee, Sarah E. Murray, claimant; Samuel D. O'Bryan v. Quincy Swain, appellant; Mrs. Eunice J. Norton v. C. Henry Norton and trustee, Charles Porter, Smith & Piper v. H. C. Chaloner, appellant, B. H. Alden v. Charles B. Hall, appellant; Carl Rosenbaum v. Edwin R. Clay, Myer Jonasson & Co. v. same, A. W. Mead v. Fred T. Ball and trustee, national bank of Vergennes v. H. E. Sanford and J. W. Martin's executors v. same, all entered discontinued or settled and discontinued. Frank A. Farnsworth v. William Eastwood, appellant, judgment for plaintiff ordered on the report of the referee, C. M. Wilds. Four State cases were set for trial and the unusually small number of five divorce cases were marked for hearings, while the divorce case of Nora O. Lowell v. Albert C. Lowell was discontinued. Several cases were marked for court hearings and a considerable number were continued.

It was thought that the case of A. B. Martin v. George M. Delaney would come to trial in the afternoon, but the parties and their attorneys got together and after an hour and three quarters arrived at an agreement and the case was accordingly entered settled and discontinued. The Messrs. Button were counsel for the plaintiff and W. L. Burnap and W. H. Collison of Burlington represented Mr. Delaney.

There was no case ready to come on and so at 3:45 o'clock a recess was taken until 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

From 10 to 11 o'clock Wednesday forenoon was all the time the court worked that day. In the case of E. O. Porter v. town of Cornwall, on the jury list, a motion for continuance was made and argued on behalf of the plaintiff by Charles M. Wilds, and William H. Button opposed it for the defendant town. Porter is a physician and two or three years ago, when health officer of the town of Cornwall, under direction of the selectmen of the town he vaccinated a large number of people and brings this suit to recover pay for his services. Some persons claim they were vaccinated against their will, and one of these, E. A. Thrall, sued Dr. Porter for damages. It being claimed that there is no law to compel a person to be vaccinated against his will. Law questions in that case are now pending in the supreme court and Mr. Wilds contended that as precisely the same points of law arise in this case it ought to be continued until the Thrall case shall have been decided. Judge Tyler said that this had been the invariable practice, and the case was continued. Three cases were assigned for trial next week. Town of Pantou v. Ezra Whitford was set for 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, and this is to be followed by I.

W. Hatch v. E. W. Gage, appellant, and this in turn by Joseph W. Davis v. Lewis C. Cotey et al. This last named case, however, may be taken out of the jury list and tried by the court.

The case of Lorette P. Currier v. T. C. Middlebrook, appellant, was continued and that of A. P. Tupper v. Alton N. McQuivey was continued and referred to Frank L. Fish. It then appearing that there was no present prospect of any case being ready for trial, the petit jurors were excused until 10 o'clock next Tuesday forenoon.

On the general docket, judgment for the plaintiff by default was entered in Geo. Daugherty v. T. H. Moore, and a similar entry was made in national bank of Vergennes v. T. Kidder. Some entries were made on the chancery docket, and at 11 o'clock a recess was taken to 2 p.m.

Nothing whatever was done in the afternoon and at 2:15 o'clock an informal recess was taken to the usual time Thursday morning.

The only business done yesterday forenoon was the hearing of the divorce case of Argulus L. Squire v. Rose N. Squire, Squire is a New Haven man and was married to the title in Michigan in 1885. They lived in various parts of the West and one year in New Haven, until in 1889 the women refused to live with him any longer. She was then in Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., and he was in Grand Rapids. He made several unsuccessful efforts to get her back, but she never would come. For the past two and a half years he has been living in New Haven. The bill was promptly granted on the ground of willful desertion. There is a ten-year-old girl, who is with her mother.

Nothing was done in the court room in the afternoon. There was a conference of the counsel in the Conroe will case in the 3-10 mail train and it was agreed by stipulation to take up the case the first of February.

There will be no further court proceedings until next Tuesday at 10 o'clock a.m., but no formal process has been taken, as the grand jury are still in session.

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