

The Man Always Guided By Consistency Is As Wise As The Frog Who Thinks The Edge Of His Pond The Horizon Of The World

LOW PRICED ADVERTISING

FOR SALE - One Barouche, one Victoria, also a double seated shell-shaped sleigh.

FOR SALE - No. 1 syrup at one dollar per gallon. A. M. Harwood, So. Shaftsbury.

FOR SALE - We have a 1914 Ford Touring car in very good running order for sale at a low price.

FOR SALE - Our present Ford Demonstrator 1914 Model will be for sale after July 15th at a reduced price.

FOR SALE - Charries and currants until July 21st. C. E. Knapp, North Bennington.

FOR SALE - Broilers, roasting chickens and fowls dressed to order and delivered.

FOR SALE - Two double houses, one on Gage St. and one on Park St.

FOR SALE - Splendid small farm on the corner road west of Old Bennington.

FOR SALE - Nice 2 room house in very best repair and as good as new.

FOR SALE - 8 room house in fine repair, two piazzas, electric light, three very desirable buildings.

WANTED - Sewing by the day. Miss W. Mardell 114 Adams St.

WANTED - Four to six carpenters to work on the new post-office. Apply J. J. Fox.

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WANTED - Grocery clerk, French preferred, good work and chance for advancement to right party.

WANTED - Young man and wife want 1000 dollar investment for business.

WANTED - Position as team manager or foreman on gentleman's estate.

WANTED - Teachers wanted, vacancies for fall in Vermont and other states.

TO RENT - Pasture for 10 head of stock for rest of season.

TO RENT - Room to rent, Y. M. C. A., all modern conveniences.

TO RENT - Large furnished room on ground floor, with parlor privileges.

TO RENT - Unfurnished room with private porch, suitable for light housekeeping.

TO RENT - Furnished large front room; all modern improvements.

TO RENT - For July and August, 5 room flat, all furnished.

TO RENT - Nicely furnished rooms with electric lights and bath.

TO RENT - Comfortable nine room summer cottage in Woodford Cty.

TO RENT - The store in Brewster building on Pleasant street.

TO RENT - Desirable tenements, furnished apartments and single rooms.

LOST AND FOUND - A bunch of keys bearing name of the owner.

MISCELLANEOUS - LAIROVANT - Would like to go out by the hour.

That Worn Out Feeling - with loss of appetite, constipation, biliousness, sick headache.

PHOTOS - Best line of work in this section. Call and see.

W. T. White - Main St.

HUERTA'S REGIME IN MEXICO WILL SOON END

Sub Secretary Says Dictator Will Leave the Country

CARBAJAL MAY SUCCEED

And In Turn Is Likely to Give Way to a Man Acceptable to the Constitutionalists

Vera Cruz, July 13.—To save his country from the horrors of civil war and his capital from capture and perhaps sack by a victorious army, Gen. Huerta intends to resign the provisional presidency and leave Mexico. This statement was made here yesterday by Roberto Esteva-Ruiz, Mexican subsecretary of foreign affairs...

Just when the change will come Esteva Ruiz said he did not know. "The president did not make me his confidante," he declared, "nor did I have much time to talk with him after it was determined that I should leave the cabinet."

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but efforts to resuscitate him were without avail. The physicians who were called stated that he was dead before he was removed from the pole less than five minutes after the accident happened. His wife and child survive him.

AUTOMOBILE KILLS CHILD

Five-Year-Old Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas Danforth of East Rupert Instantly Killed This Afternoon

Manchester, July 13.—Jane Danforth, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Danforth of East Rupert, was instantly killed between 2 and 3 o'clock this afternoon when she was run over by an automobile owned and driven by J. H. Blessing of Syracuse, N. Y.

Mr. Blessing and his party were placed under arrest by Deputy Sheriff Norcross and taken to Bennington.

JOHN E. BULLIS Native of Wallingford Who Had Resided Here Three Years

John E. Bullis, aged 44 years, died Sunday afternoon at his home on School street following a 15 days illness of pneumonia.

Mr. Bullis is a native of Wallingford and until three years ago when he came to Bennington he had always resided in Wallingford. When he came here he was employed on the Everett estate and later on the Pillsbury farms. His last employment was in the machine shop of the Charles Cooper estate.

Surviving are his widow, who was formerly Miss Maude E. Davidson of Kansas.

The funeral will be held from the house Wednesday forenoon at 9 o'clock. The body will be taken to Wallingford for burial.

VERMONT INDUSTRIES DAY Wednesday Will Be Celebrated All Over Vermont

To Bennington Manufacturers:—The manufacturers of Bennington are invited to join with those in other parts of the state in observing Vermont industries day Wednesday by keeping open house from one to five o'clock in the afternoon.

It is believed that it will be a helpful thing for the people of a community and the manufacturing interests to become better acquainted and Vermont industries day, July 15 is planned for that purpose.

The people of each community are invited to visit the local factories and industrial plants and the factory owners and superintendents are requested to give their visitors an opportunity to see the working of the plant.

Many of the Bennington manufacturers have already signified their willingness to join in the movement and it is desired that every plant extend a welcome. There is no town of its size in the country where there is a greater diversity of manufacturing than in Bennington and it will be of particular interest to all who have a little time to spare, and particularly the ladies to spend a part of Wednesday afternoon in going about among the industrial plants of Bennington.

W. H. Nichols, Pres. Board of Trade, Emory S. Harris, secretary, H. B. North, chairman Industrial committee.

While the notice is short and manufacturers will have little time to slick up their plants and put cut flowers on the window most of the plant owners of Bennington have already accepted the invitation which is one of the activities of the Greater Vermont association.

The people of Bennington and the neighboring towns are cordially invited to spend Wednesday in looking about Bennington and taking note of the many things of interest here.

RECREATION NOTES The Recreation League base-ball schedule for this week is as follows: Tuesday, July 14—West End vs. Evening Banner.

Thursday, July 16—All Stars vs. Invincibles.

Saturday, July 18—Huckleberry Juniors vs. West End.

Saturday afternoon at the playground, the Huckleberry Juniors defeated the Invincibles by a score of 4 to 2.

The game was called in the seventh inning on account of rain. The battery for the Invincibles R. White, pitcher, E. White, catcher; for the Huckleberry Juniors, Maher, pitcher, Shaw, catcher.

The evening sessions of the playground will be resumed as follows: Girls over fourteen years, Monday and Thursday; boys over fourteen years, Tuesday and Friday. Exceptions will be made in this age limit for those who work during the day.

TWO AUTOMOBILES HITCHANDWOMAN IS KILLED

Mary Korhonen, a Domestic Servant, Sustains Fractured Skull

LIGHT CAR OVERTURNED

Accident Happened in West Rupert While Rutland Car Was Attempting to Pass

Rutland July 13.—Mary Korhonen, a maid in the family of Frederick Crane of New York and Dorset, was killed almost instantly yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock while riding in her employer's car, when the machine collided with the heavy Buick owned machine and driven by F. E. Bowker, Jr., of this city, and occupied by a number of Rutland people.

The Crane car was thrown across the road at Rupert flats, overturned, and the occupants thrown out, Miss Korhonen suffering a fractured skull and having an ear torn off. She lived but a few moments after she was picked up.

Mr. Crane's chauffeur, Frank Mortenson of New York, was driving the Ford, which contained four other maids of the Crane family beside the Finnish girl who was killed. The accident occurred near the old Sheldon place, above the Frank Root property.

Mr. Bowker had been trying for two miles to pass the slower machine. Both were traveling south. Coming to a spot in the road seemingly wide enough to allow passage, he speeded up to get by, but one of his rear wheels came in contact with the front tire of the smaller car which blew up.

The Ford was thrown completely across the road, turning bottom-side up, but none of the occupants fell under it. The opinion was expressed that Miss Korhonen was struck by the windshield of the car in which she was riding.

Mr. Bowker immediately went to Dorset for Dr. F. E. Liddle, and for John Lillie and the lifeless body of the young woman was taken to a Manchester undertaker to be prepared for burial in Dorset.

Miss Korhonen's home was in New York. She was 30 years old.

MARRA—STOPPIELLO Pretty Wedding of Italian Couple at Sacred Heart Church

Frank Nichols Marra and Miss Margaret Beatrice Stoppiello, two members of the Italian colony in Bennington, were married Sunday afternoon at the Sacred Heart church by the pastor, Rev. Charles E. Prevost.

The wedding party, in eight automobiles, formed on Depot street near the home of the bride's father, and were driven directly to the church, where the ceremony was performed at 3 o'clock.

The bride sat on the front seat of the leading automobile and was so pretty in her dress of white satin trimmed with white pearl beading that she attracted not a little attention on the way. She wore a veil caught up with orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet.

Miss Alice May Stoppiello, sister of the bride, was the bridesmaid and she looked charming in her dress of lemon satin trimmed with shadow lace and beading; she carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

Joseph Pello acted as best man. The guests from out of town included Misses Helen, Josephine and Lucy Stoppiello of Troy and there were relatives of the bridegroom from Williamstown and North Adams.

A sumptuous wedding dinner was served to the prospective bride and bridegroom by the former's father, Frank Stoppiello, at 12 o'clock. Mrs. Marra was the recipient of many pretty and useful presents and among them was a purse of \$300 from her father. She has a large circle of acquaintances in Bennington who will wish her and her husband a long and happy married life.

BENNINGTON GRANGE Children Will Give Entertainment Wednesday Evening

Bennington Grange will hold a regular meeting on Wednesday evening. The entertainment given by the children of members, beginning at eight o'clock will be followed by a business meeting.

Arrangements are being made for a social dance on the 29th of this month and it is hoped for a large attendance at the meeting.

TOWN FARM HOUSE COMPLETELY DESTROYED

Building Burned to the Ground Sunday

INMATES ALL RESCUED

Loss Will be over \$10,000 with Insurance of \$7,000—Barns Were Saved

The residence building on the Bennington town farm was completely destroyed by fire Sunday causing a loss of fully \$10,000 with insurance of \$7,000. George T. Phelps, the superintendent, carried insurance of \$1000 on his household effects, a portion of which were saved. The 14 inmates of the farm house are temporarily quartered at the American house which was closed shortly after May 1.

Nearly all of the inmates of the farm house are aged people and when the fire was discovered some difficulty was experienced in moving them from the building. One of them is bed-ridden and she was carried on a mattress to a neighboring farm house. Two or three more are partially if not entirely helpless because of advanced age but none of them suffered beyond the nervous shock due to the intense excitement of making their escape from the burning house.

One painful, if not serious accident, was directly due to the fire. William Ryan, the driver of the steamer, was thrown from his seat while on the way to the fire and sustained two broken ribs and bruises. Chester Reynolds, an employe of the New England Telephone company in Pittsfield, who was visiting over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Thompson, fell from the roof of the corn barn while assisting in preventing the spread of the fire from the main building and sprained his ankle.

The fire originated in a shed which stood about 10 or 12 feet in the rear of the house. The general presumption is that some one had been smoking in the shed and that sparks from a pipe or cigarette started the fire. There is, however, no evidence that this solution of the fire's origin is correct.

At the time the fire was discovered Miss Nellie Barry, the Western Union telegraph operator, and Miss Hazel Woodard, a telephone operator, were taking a horseback ride over the road to South Shaftsbury. They were directly opposite the house when the first alarm of fire was given by some one of the inmates. They added their voices to the cry of fire and the alarm was spread so that it reached the house of Frank M. Thompson, the former town farm superintendent. The young women at once dismounted, their horses were turned into the meadow and they rushed into the house to assist in removing the household furniture. Assistance was quickly summoned from nearby farm houses and an attempt was made to put out the fire in the shed with water from a pump. There was a good breeze stirring at the time the fire broke out, about 11.30 o'clock in the forenoon, and the flames were quickly carried from the shed to the house.

As soon as the news of the fire reached the home of Mr. Thompson the alarm was sent into the village by telephone. Mr. and Mrs. Phelps, the superintendent and his wife, were not at home, having gone to Pownal for the day. Believing that the superintendent and his wife were at church in this village, Mrs. Thompson at first attempted to reach them by telephone. Being unable to locate them she then succeeded in putting a call through to George R. Mathers, the overseer. Shortly before 12 o'clock an alarm was rung in for the fire department.

As soon as the location of the fire became known in the village the engineers and Chairman North of the fire committee of the board of trustees realized that the steamer was the only apparatus that could be used. Some delay was experienced in collecting the hose. It was necessary to find a pair of shafts for the wagon of the Stark hose company. Some of the hose was buried to the scene of the fire in an automobile delivery truck and ultimately all of the hose, except that of the Eagle company was brought into requisition.

The worst delay was occasioned by

the accident to the steamer. When near the iron bridge over the Walloomsac river the kingbolt holding the pole and whiffletrees fell out. William Ryan, the driver, was pulled from his seat and as he failed to release his hold on the reins he struck heavily on his side. The horses with the pole and whiffletrees ran as far as the Mount Anthony country club golf links where they were caught. The horses were considerably cut by the banging of the whiffletrees upon their heels but were not badly hurt. The steamer went into the ditch.

As soon as the horses could be returned to the steamer the pole was roped to the running gear of the engine and the trip was resumed. The steamer was stationed in the highway near the bridge over the Furnace brook and a single stream with good pressure was put on the fire. Because of the distance from the village and the delays experienced the building was doomed before the department could be of any assistance. The structure was entirely of wood and in two hours there was nothing standing but the chimneys and the northwest corner of the hospital. The department was able, however, to keep down the big sheets of flame which were driven toward the barns and assist in preventing that portion of the property.

Mrs. Thompson's assistance was invaluable in the work of taking the inmates from the burning building. She was thoroughly acquainted with the interior of the house as her husband was for several years the superintendent. After she had notified Overseer Mathers of the fire she called some of the houses of neighbors by telephone and then a once hurried to the house. Knowing where the more feeble of the inmates were roomed she directed the men and women who had gathered and all of the aged and helpless were safely taken from the house to the shade of nearby trees.

In the mean time the flames had jumped the highway and caught the nearest of the farm buildings, the corn barn. Men hurried to the roof of this structure and with a bucket brigade system finally put out the fire. It was hot work and the men worked like Trojans.

News of the fire was finally sent to the superintendent in Pownal. He at once secured an automobile and hurried to Bennington and Mrs. Phelps took the first trolley car. As soon as he observed that all of the inmates had been safely taken from the burning house he hurried to the village for food as none of them had had anything to eat since morning.

During the afternoon Overseer Mathers secured a temporary lease of the American house and the inmates were taken to these quarters as soon as the arrangements could be made. During the early evening they were gradually located in their rooms but it was not until about 8 o'clock that supper could be provided for them. All of the dishes were destroyed in the fire and considerable time was required to again equip the house for living purposes.

In order to keep as much of the heat as possible out of the foundation and the prevent the fire from communicating to the barns, the steamer was kept in operation all night until 3 o'clock this morning when the ruins were considered cool enough to leave.

SOME EXCITING RACES Wheeler Brothers Shows Are Featuring as in Former Years

During the history of the Wheeler Brothers Shows they have been noted for putting on the most intensely realistic racing in its Hippodrome contests that were ever witnessed under canvas, put on in a manner that distinguishes them from the farces of racing seen put on are, Flat Races, Running Races, Man against horse, Hurdle Races, Elephant, Camel and Pony Races. Also the ever exciting Chariot Races.

During the racing an exhibition of daring riding will be given by a troupe of genuine Cossack Riders, who without doubt accomplish more difficult and death-defying feats than any riders that have ever visited this country.

By means of cash prizes to the lady and gentleman winning the most of the races during the week, the show has caused a real rivalry to exist between the contestants and though the racing is good natured, yet it is always for blood and testing the nerve and ingenuity of the riders and the speed of the horses to the entire satisfaction of the spectators. "Oh, come, let us go before the racing begins," is a remark frequently heard at circuses, but the knowing ones never make such a suggestion when attending the exhibition of the Wheeler Brothers Shows, which will be in this city for one day.

WEATHER FORECAST Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday. Probably showers.

DROWNED WHILE BATHING IN FIVE FEET OF WATER

Antonio Rocco Apparently Taken with a Cramp

IN J. C. COLGATE POND

Young Italian Who Had Worked on the Everett Estate During Past Two Summers

Antonio Rocco, a young Italian, 23 years of age, was drowned Sunday afternoon in the artificial pond on the J. C. Colgate estate. Together with young men of the same nationality, Rocco was bathing in the pond between 2 and 3 o'clock when he suddenly appeared to be in distress. Before his companions could be of any assistance, the young man sank to the bottom of the pond. His friends hurriedly gave the alarm and some time later the body was recovered by Joseph Mahar who went to the bottom and brought the unfortunate young man to the surface.

The body was taken to the Walbridge undertaking rooms late in the afternoon. Rocco has two brothers living in New York. Last summer he was employed on the Everett estate. He passed the winter in New York, but returned to Bennington in the spring and had again been employed by Mr. Everett's superintendent.

He was an industrious young man and had an excellent reputation among Italian residents. He was a native Italian, but had expressed his intentions to become an American citizen. His declaration papers having been found in his room.

The water in the pond comes from springs at the base of Mount Anthony and it is the general belief that the young man was seized with a cramp.

The particularly sad feature of the accident is that the young man lost his life in water that was not over five feet deep and this fact strengthens the belief that he either became suddenly ill or was seized with a cramp.

State's Attorney W. J. Meagher took charge of the case this morning and made arrangements with the brothers in New York to transport the body to that city. The remains left here on the noon train today.

RUMORS OF SHOOTING Boy in Bathing Says He Was Hit By Small Shot

Yesterday was a day for wild rumors. There was a story on the street during the afternoon that John Bent had shot a boy on the mountain but the story finally died down to the usual small amount of truth. Sunday afternoon a number of boys were swimming in Bennington pond and as they were not at all particular as to their language or their actions, Fred Bent, who lives on Beach street, fired a shotgun as he stated, to frighten the youngsters. One of the boys by the name of LaTour later exhibited a scratch on his shoulder and asserted that the abrasion of the skin was made by one of the shot fired by Bent. The state's attorney has taken no action in the case as he does not know just what course to pursue. The boys were violating the village ordinances by bathing in the pond and Mr. Bent asserts that he discharged the gun in the air to frighten the boys and with no intention of committing any injury.

RIOT IN TONOPAH Western Federation Miners and I. W. W. Fight in Union Hall

Reno, Nev., July 13.—One man was shot and his assailant was put in jail for protection at Tonopah, Saturday night in a riot between members of the western federation of miners and their sympathizers and men said to belong to the industrial workers of the world. The fighting occurred in Miners' union hall. Fifty western federation men seeking to tear from the walls placards put up by the industrial workers of the world faction proclaiming three miners' hotels "unfair" met resistance from the industrial workers of the world supporters. Instantly the hall rocked to an all-around fight. In the melee one man drew a revolver and fired. Jack Whiting of the western federation was shot in the leg. A rush for the man who did the shooting was quelled by the police and he was hustled into jail.