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BENNINGTON BRIEFS

News of the Town and Village Told Briefly for Busy Readers

Watch for "The Mysteries of Myra." Adv.

Robert Warwick. Opera House tomorrow. Adv.

Coming to Harte Theatre Wednesday Mary Pickford in "Poor Little Pipina." Adv.

"Graft"—"The Hidden City of Crime" dealing with the opium industry. Opera House today. Adv.

E. T. Lane has completed the moving of his family from Reimerville, N. Y., to the tenement at 107 Gage street.

Helen Holmes in Helen's Perilous Escape, a Railroad thriller in two parts at Harte Theatre today. Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ladd and daughters, Helen and Dorothy of East Hoosick, were guests Sunday of Mrs. E. F. C. Mosher and family.

A big Triangle show with special arranged music rendered by Hurley's six piece orchestra showing at Harte Theatre tomorrow. Adv.

Helen Holmes in "The Girl and the Game" and Julius Steger in "Blindness of Love" a Metro feature in five parts at Harte Theatre today. Adv.

Miss Kate Mitchell, a former resident now employed at the mills of the American Woolen company at Winoski, is visiting in the village.

"Blindness of Love" a five part Metro, featuring Julius Steger supported by Grace Valentine and George Le Guire at Harte Theatre today. Adv.

Books about camping and stories of interest to Boy Scouts and Camp Fire Girls may be found on the table in the young people's room at the Free Library.

At the regular meeting of Miriam Rebekah lodge tomorrow evening a class of candidates will be initiated. The meeting will open as usual at prompt 8 o'clock.

Frank E. Howe left today for Stowe to attend the opening of the Lake Mansfield Trout club Wednesday and also expects to visit other places in the north part of the state.

"The Supreme Sacrifice" affords Robert Warwick a magnificent opportunity to display his brilliant gifts of dramatic power and characterization. Opera house tomorrow. Adv.

Regular meeting of Mt. Anthony Lodge F. & A. M. on Tuesday, June 6th, 7.30 p. m. The 1st or Entered Apprentice degree will be conferred and other business transacted.

The Brookdale drama to be played in the opera house Friday, June 9, is one of the best home town talent ever played in Bennington. Tickets are now on sale at Evans' News room. Adv.

The United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, local 994 of Bennington have presented Mrs. Norman W. Edgerton with a donation of two hundred dollars (\$200) on the death of the late Norman W. Edgerton.

Wednesday evening will be officers night at a regular meeting of the Bennington Grange to be held in U. O. G. C. hall. The officers will provide entertainment and ice cream will be served. Grange ladies are requested to bring cake.

"Cross Currents", a five part Griffith production and "Love Will Conquer" a two reel Keystone comedy with Webster & Fields also music arranged especially for these pictures and rendered by Hurley's six piece orchestra. At Harte Theatre tomorrow. Adv.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred LaFlamme of Lincoln street are extending sympathy in the loss of the latter's six-months old baby who died at the home Sunday morning. Prayer was held at the house at 3 o'clock this afternoon and interment was in the Catholic cemetery.

"The Supreme Sacrifice" is unquestionably one of the most noteworthy dramas in which the universally popular Robert Warwick has appeared. Big scenes, dramatic climaxes, swift pulsant action and a splendid story with perfect photography enhance the vital interest of this photoplay. Opera house tomorrow. Adv.

Word was received in the village Saturday afternoon of the death of Myron N. Breckenridge in Concord, Cal. Mr. Breckenridge is a brother of Mrs. C. H. Rice of this village. He left Bennington for California when about 21 years of age and has since made Concord, Cal., his home. He has made several visits to his former home here. He was 61 years old at the time of his death. His wife, his sister and a nephew, F. S. Rice of this village, survive him.

William M. Morse, who makes his home with his children on Bradford place, and who has followed the trade of a knitter in the H. E. Bradford company's plant, was seized with an attack of apoplexy while en route to North Adams by trolley Sunday afternoon. By a peculiar circumstance there was nothing in his pockets to show his identity and there was only the trademark of a local clothier in his hat to show he was from Bennington. He was removed to the North Adams hospital and inquiries started by phone to Bennington which resulted in his identification. At a late hour this forenoon his condition was still considered serious.

HOW

To Keep the Windmill in Good Running Order

A GREAT many people seem to have the idea that a windmill is some sort of a perpetual motion machine which needs little if any care. As a matter of fact a windmill is a machine, and as such needs a reasonable amount of care, particularly in the way of lubrication.

The windmill should be gone over from time to time with a wrench and the bolts tightened up and kept in shape so that there will be no possibility of the windmill or tower twisting in the heavy breezes.

The oil holes in the windmill sometimes become gummed up and need to be cleaned out. A good grade of oil will help this. When the oil holes become gummed up oil may be put in from above, and yet the bearings may run dry for a long time.

Nothing so damages the looks of a farm and gives such a "down and out" appearance as a disreputable windmill. The windmill kept up in good shape and painted gives a trim, neat effect to the place. The steel windmill tower when first put up with a new coat of paint presents a very pleasing appearance, and with ordinary care the metal itself will last a lifetime. If paint is not used from time to time it will soon become rusty and gradually work toward the junk heap.

It is well when getting a windmill to get one with a step attachment so that it will be easy to get up to the platform of the tower.

Keeping the windmill up in shape and keeping the bearings well oiled will make the windmill run in lighter breezes in the summer when it is needed the most.

FOR AUTOISTS.

How to Spare Your Tires When You Feel Like Speeding.

Rough streets tempt one to drive in car tracks. It is more comfortable for the passengers and may be economy to protect the car from bumps and vibration. The tires won't be injured noticeably by doing this occasionally—it is continued practice that shortens the mileage. Quite often the pavement along inside edges of rails is rough and may result in cuts to the rubber and bruises to the fabric. Driving over street car track switches at the pointed frogs may cut the tires seriously.

Rails on hills are to be avoided as much as possible, as they usually have sharp, thin splinters on the edges, which are liable to cut or puncture the tires. Be careful when driving on wet rails. Quick twisting of the front wheels may result in accident from rear of car skidding sidewise when leaving rails. Edges of the rails wear away the tread rubber and cause a sharp bending action of the fabric, which will usually develop breaks inside. It is just a matter of time until the rubber cover loosens underneath and the fabric weakens from moisture and decay. Later an unusual bump or shock may result in a blowout while running on a perfectly smooth street or road. It is careless, indeed, to spoil a tire in this manner when possible to secure so much more mileage from it if used correctly, or if reversed on the wheel—namely, the worn side turned toward the car. A competent workman can make satisfactory repairs if only the tread rubber be worn and the tire has not been neglected too long.

HOW TO SEND FLOWERS THROUGH THE MAIL WITHOUT WILTING THEM.

If the flowers are to be sent to town in the morning cut them during the very late afternoon of the day before and keep them all night in a large pail or pitcher of cold water. Then pack them in the morning in a box with layers of wax paper, and they will travel for hours and remain perfectly fresh. A flower is like a camel—give it a long, deep drink of water and it can go without water for a long time. Dahlias require a peculiar treatment. When first cut plunge their stems into a vessel of hot water and allow them to remain until the water has cooled off; then put the flowers in cold water for the night, and so treated the dahlias will remain stiff and travel safely.

How to Cure Hives That Annoy Your Peace of Body.

Hives are not dangerous if you avoid taking cold. Either soda, starch or vinegar baths are curative, soothing and grateful. The soda is prepared by adding a tablespoonful of bicarbonate of soda to the bath. The starch bath, which is also effective for hives and chafing, is made by simply adding one-half cupful of powdered laundry starch to the bath. These baths may be given daily. The vinegar bath is made by putting a tablespoonful of pure vinegar into one-half pint of warm water. Sponge off parts of the body distressed and allow to dry in without using a towel.

How to Decolorize Saucepans After Cooking Strong Vegetables.

After cooking onions, cabbage or fish try this plan: Wash and dry the pan, then place a piece of thick brown paper on the stove, set fire to it and turn the saucpan over the blaze. After a few minutes remove it and the odor will not be noticed.



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