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BRATTLEBORO.

The next band concert will be given on the common next Friday evening.

The Olympian Tennis club of Bellows Falls will play a team from the Wantastiquet Golf club at the golf club court tomorrow afternoon.

Leon White has the contract for setting the poles from Brattleboro to the Brattleboro Gas Light company's dam on West river and will begin the work next week. The construction of the dam is now in progress.

The marriage of Miss Lena Mabel Henkel of Brattleboro, for several years connected with the telephone exchange, and Horton Dudley Walker of Boston will take place at Miss Henkel's home next Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. No invitations have been issued.

The Y. M. C. A. rooms took on a gala appearance last evening, when one of the best suppers of the season was served by the Woman's Auxiliary. Tables were set in all of the rooms and all were well filled. Strawberries, ice cream and cake, salads, etc., gave a variety which was ample for the most fastidious.

Children's day will be observed in the Congregational church next Sunday in an unusual way. The children of the younger departments of the Sunday school will furnish a large part of the music and will assist Mr. Miles in other ways at the regular morning church service. The service will be attractive and interesting.

Members of Bingham chapter, Order of Eastern Star, who attended the grand chapter meeting in Bennington this week were Mrs. Hattie S. Taylor, Mrs. Maverette Fisher, Mrs. Fremont Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney H. Farr, Dr. and Mrs. F. G. Pettee. Mrs. Taylor was elected grand associate matron of the grand chapter, and Dr. Pettee was elected grand sentinel.

The Windham and Bennington association will meet at the Universalist church next Tuesday and Wednesday, beginning Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Charles Conklin of Springfield preaches the occasional sermon Tuesday evening. Other speakers will be Rev. H. K. Reigel, Rev. R. D. Van Tassel, Rev. C. E. Petty, Rev. Albert Hammatt, Rev. Elizabeth Goldthwaite and Rev. D. H. Ball. The society will furnish dinner and supper free of charge.

The subscribers to the fund for promoting the project to build a dam across the Connecticut river will meet in Festival hall next Tuesday at 8 o'clock to choose a committee to take whatever steps are necessary for furthering the project. It is urged that every subscriber be present. This is the most important project that has been taken hold of in Brattleboro for a long time and our citizens cannot afford to do less than give it their heartiest support.

William R. Bates, 71, died in West Brattleboro Monday morning. He had been in ill health for some time, but his last illness began but a few weeks before his death. Mr. Bates was born in Wendell, but came to Vernon when a young man, and from there to Guilford and then to Brattleboro. He was employed by the S. A. Smith Company in Guilford, and later in Brattleboro, for about 15 years. He worked for some time in New York, after leaving Brattleboro. Mr. Bates was twice married, and is survived by a son, Wolcott, of Leominster, Mass., and a daughter, Beulah, who makes her home in New York. The burial service was held in Vernon Tuesday afternoon, with prayer by Rev. R. K. Marvin. The bearers were S. A. Smith, Joel Flagg, J. H. Hubbard and S. S. Hunt.

The annual convention of the Congregational Sunday schools of Windham county was held in the church in Dummerston Wednesday, with a large attendance. The program was carried out to the letter, every person named being present. The discussions were lively and interesting. Rev. W. P. Jackson of Dummerston spoke on "Young Men and the Sunday School." Mrs. F. W. Keuch of Brattleboro had a paper on "The Junior Department," and Miss Anna W. Smith of West Brattleboro one on "The Home Department." The meeting closed with a symposium on the parents' part in the Christian development of children, by Rev. R. E. Danforth of Newfane, C. W. Osgood of Bellows Falls and Mrs. L. M. Keneston of West Brattleboro. Rev. L. M. Keneston was elected president and Miss Minnie Laughton scribe for the day. C. R. Prentiss was elected secretary of the convention. Mr. Randall of Townshend, Miss Anna W. Smith and Rev. R. E. Danforth were elected executive committee for the year. West Brattleboro had the banner delegation of 26.

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MR. AND MRS. W. T. BATES.
MISS BEULAH E. BATES.

Brattleboro, June 4.

Six new members were voted in at a meeting of the Y. M. C. A. directors Monday evening.

The Vermont Wheel club and Dunham Brothers base ball teams will cross bats on the island tomorrow.

F. H. Howard sold two fancy driving horses this week to E. B. Prince of Brooklyn and took them to Coventry, Conn., returning Wednesday night.

Col. J. Gray Estey and J. Harry Estey have presented a piano to Norwich University for the new Dewey hall as a memorial to their father, the late Gen. J. J. Estey.

The season of 1901-'02 in the Auditorium closed last Thursday night with the performance of "Miss Simplicity." The next season will open Sept. 2 with Wm. A. Brady's company in "Way Down East."

J. E. Hall's Sunday school class made Mrs. W. B. Eddy a surprise visit one evening last week and presented her a handsome mahogany chair. Refreshments were served, and the evening was spent very pleasantly.

M. W. Howard is now the head agent of the Equitable Life Assurance society which has a large clientage in Vermont. Mr. Howard's advertisement of his insurance and real estate business will be found in this paper.

A hearing was held before Judge J. M. Tyler, chancellor, Saturday, on the petition of the receivers of the Stowell Manufacturing company of Putney for permission to sell the plant. The petition was granted, there being no opposition.

Edgar D. Sanders, son of W. D. Sanders of Putney, and Miss Annis Crawford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crawford of the same town, were married by Rev. E. T. Mathison in St. Michael's Episcopal church at 4 o'clock Wednesday. They left for a short wedding trip. Mr. Sanders is employed by E. L. Hildreth & Co.

The annual meeting of the Western Aqueduct association was held in the office of C. F. Thompson Tuesday evening. These officers were elected: President, for the 40th time, C. F. Thompson; clerk and treasurer, G. C. Averill; directors, C. F. Thompson, E. C. Crosby and G. A. Boyden. It was voted to levy an assessment of 50 cents a share.

The work on the Main street drain is progressing well. Tile has now been laid to the top of the American House hill, with three granite man holes between that point and the bridge. The drain will be laid across the street to the Vermont National bank corner and thence to the foot of High street. The tile already laid is two feet in diameter. From the bank corner to High street it will be 15 inches in diameter.

The Catholic Union minstrels gave a successful performance in Bellows Falls Tuesday evening for the benefit of St. Charles's parish in that town. The house was filled and the audience was enthusiastic throughout. A number besides those who took part in the performance went from Brattleboro. The members of the troupe were given a reception in Hibernian hall, after which they returned to Brattleboro by special train, reaching home about 2 o'clock in the morning.

Arthur Henry Longuell and Miss Alice Elizabeth Finch were married Thursday evening at the home of the bride's father, Conductor C. I. Finch, on Pine street. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. F. E. Marble. The bride was unattended. She wore a white lawn gown, and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The house was decorated in green and white, and the ceremony took place in front of a bank of ferns. The wedding march was played by Miss Lillian Higley. An informal reception was held, after which Mr. and Mrs. Longuell went to their home on Western avenue.

The stockholders of the Brattleboro & Whitehall railroad held their annual business meeting in the Brooks House Saturday at 10:30 o'clock. After the reports of the treasurer and board of directors had been read these officers were elected: President, C. F. Thompson of Brattleboro; vice president, E. L. Waterman of Brattleboro; clerk and auditor, J. L. Martin of Brattleboro; treasurer, Charles H. Thompson of Brattleboro; directors, the president, vice president, Francis Goodhue of Brattleboro, O. L. Sherman of Williamsville, E. B. Batchelder of Townshend, J. W. Taft of West Townshend, J. Q. Shumway of Jamaica, J. W. Melendy of South Londonderry and J. H. Merrifield of Williamsville; executive committee, C. F. Thompson, E. L. Waterman and J. W. Melendy. About 75 stockholders were present, and after the business meeting the annual dinner was served by the house.

Jacob Cohen, an itinerant vender of handkerchiefs and spoons, was arrested Saturday night by Chief-of-Police Hall on complaint of a merchant who alleged that Cohen was selling without a license. Cohen had taken a stand near the American House and had gathered a good sized crowd. Chief Hall asked to see his license. Cohen replied that he had tried all the afternoon to get one, but was unsuccessful, whereupon Mr. Hall told him to stop selling. Cohen did so, but later in the evening he began selling again and was arrested. He was taken before Justice C. C. Fitts, who placed him under bonds to appear Monday morning. Cohen put up $50 bail, and on Monday morning he was released after paying the costs and $30 for a license, as required by law. One of the bailiff's gave him verbal authority Saturday to conduct a sale, but told him that he must stop if the officers so requested.

Cecil C. Brown, 51, a native of Brattleboro, died May 30, in New York city of pneumonia. He was the elder son of the late C. L. Brown, who built the large building now occupied by Emerson & Son, and at the time of his death in 1884 was the leading undertaker and furniture dealer of this village. The son left Brattleboro upward of 30 years ago, and had since lived in New York. For a time he was a purser on one of the Sound steamboat lines, but for a long term of years had been in business as a cotton broker. Funeral services were held in New York Sunday afternoon, the Lotus club, of which Mr. Brown was a member, attending in a body. Mr. Brown's brother, C. F. Brown of Dorchester, Mass., and Mrs. Brown, accompanied the body to Brattleboro Monday, and the burial was in the family lot in Prospect Hill cemetery. The committal service was read by Rev. E. T. Mathison. Besides the brother, a sister, Mrs. Willard of Williamsville, survives, who was also present at the burial.

The Forest and Stream club will open its club house in Wilmington June 28.

Congressman Haskins has been engaged to deliver the Memorial day address in Randolph next year.

The June number of the Vermonter contains a full page portrait of Miss Anna Maud Essex in the department of "Vermont's Fair Women."

A handicap stroke competition on the grounds of the Wantastiquet Golf club will be held tomorrow, also a tennis match. Refreshments will be served at the club house at 4 o'clock.

The Sunday afternoon meeting in the Y. M. C. A will be led by the religious work committee, G. L. Shutts, L. M. Stickney, H. G. Pearson, Harlan Miller, W. D. Stockwell, Ralph Cain and Herbert Lovejoy.

A portrait of ex-Governor Holbrook, pictures of his home and his study were given a prominent place in the Boston Globe last Friday at the head of an article entitled "Losses in Killed and Wounded."

The police have been asked by Mrs. Julia Hart of Brattleboro, to locate her son, Frank C. Hart, who came to this city several weeks ago and secured employment as an iron worker.—[Springfield Republican.

W. G. Shaffner was thrown by a horse in Dunklee's livery stable Tuesday night and bones in his right hand were broken. He was intending to start tomorrow for San Francisco with four horses, but the accident will delay his starting until next week.

The Bellows Falls Times says: "The Catholic Union minstrels of Brattleboro are a pretty clever lot. It would never do to admit that any Brattleboro aggregation is superior to home talent, but it is only fair to say that the entertainment given in the opera house Tuesday evening closely approached the Bellows Falls standard."

The Connecticut river bridge commissioners received this week from George W. Townshend of Boston a report as to the condition of the pier of the Connecticut river bridge, which was examined by a diver two weeks ago. Mr. Townshend says it is an extremely poor structure and that the crib work is rotten and worthless, if not positively dangerous.

Sunday, June 8, will be observed by the Odd Fellows as memorial Sunday. All members are requested to meet at the hall promptly at 2 o'clock to attend services, and afterwards to march to the cemetery in a body. Invitation is extended to the Rebekah branch of the order to join in the exercises. A large delegation is desired. Members are requested to bring white gloves and badges.

The Brattleboro Aqueduct association held their annual meeting Tuesday evening in the office of S. W. Edgett. After hearing the reports of officers it was voted to raise $2 on a share to meet current expenses. These officers were elected: President, H. B. Chamberlain; secretary and treasurer, C. W. Wyman; trustees, E. C. Crosby, G. E. Crowall and George S. Phillips; superintendent, E. G. Phillips.

W. F. Goddard, the bookbinder, has leased the rooms in Grange building formerly occupied by Mrs. Farr for a term of five years and will move his business there next week. The apartments have been remodelled for the convenience of the business. W. J. Pentland, who has been employed several years by A. V. Cox, also has leased rooms in the building and will engage in the plumbing business for himself.

If Brigham Young, president of the Mormon sect and a native of Whitingham, had lived until Monday he would have been 101 years old. A salute of 101 guns was fired from the top of arsenal hill in Salt Lake City, overlooking the temple, and the bronze monument of Young was decorated with flags and bunting. Several hundred of Young's relatives listened to speeches and a musical and literary program.

Warren Stockwell and Ned Ray of Bellows Falls, representing the Olympian tennis club, defeated L. L. Dunham and O. R. Butterfield, representing the North End club of Brattleboro on the North street court Friday. Five sets were played, with the following results, the first figure in each instance being the score of the visitors: 6 to 4, 7 to 5, 8 to 6, 3 to 6 and 6 to 3. A return match will be played in Bellows Falls later.

The Audubon society held a pleasant meeting with Mrs. A. D. Wyatt Monday evening. The subject discussed was the wrens and thrashers. Descriptive readings were given, and specimens of the birds exhibited. Mrs. E. B. Davenport gave an interesting account of the many birds and nests seen on her walks and drives this season. A bird walk was planned for next Monday afternoon. Members and friends are invited to go. The place of meeting is the entrance to the golf grounds at two o'clock.

Miss Simplicity a Big Hit.

The biggest hit of the season in the Auditorium, and the funniest and most satisfactory comic opera production that has graced the local stage, was "Miss Simplicity," in which Frank Daniels, one of the leading comedians of the day, and his "swell" company appeared last Thursday evening. There was a big house and the enthusiasm was unbounded. The company was fresh from the Tremont theatre, Boston, and contained the same stars who captivated that city. They were simply irresistible and their costumes were superb. Of course Frank Daniels, as "My Man Blossoms," was the leading character, and when he began to distort his features he was sure to find plenty of laughter on tap. Those who had cares forgot them in an effort to keep in their seats. His solos, including "Don't Mind Me" and "The Sunday School Boy," were especially pleasing. Next to Daniels was William Danforth as "Dr. Willie Pellet," who prescribed pellets for all ailments. Nobody ever saw eyes equal to his, and his style was of a kind of which he has a complete monopoly. He is positively funny. Miss Grace Orr Myers had the leading female role and in it she was charming. Kate Uart, who took the part of Lady Bagges, is a Boston favorite. She acted a minor role in a highly satisfactory way. Indeed the work of every member of the cast was highly creditable. The large and appreciative audience was a well-deserved recognition of the public spirit shown by Manager Fox in assuming the responsibility of bringing to Brattleboro to close the season one of the largest and most expensive organizations on the New England circuit.

Rev. E. R. Perkins of Putney preached in the Baptist church last Sunday.

The Y. M. C. A. base ball team will play the Winchester team in Winchester tomorrow.

The annual convention of the Windham and Bennington Association of Universalists will be held in the Universalist church, Brattleboro, next Tuesday and Wednesday.

The W. C. T. U. held their last meeting with Mrs. Stearns. After refreshments were served there was a short program of recitations and music by members of the Union and by a number of children. The next meeting will be held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms next Thursday.

One hundred of the leading singers and dancers of Gardner, Mass., gave a successful production of "King Jollity" in that city Thursday night in aid of the fund for Old Home Week celebration. The performance was under the direction of E. Wales and son, Harry.

The readjustment of the salary list of New England postmasters makes the following changes in this locality: Putney, increased from $1000 to $1200; Wilmington, increased from $1400 to $1500; Bellows Falls, increased from $2500 to $2600; Chester, increased from $1100 to $1200.

At the meeting of the Vermont Wheel club Tuesday evening the matter of holding a field day was brought up and discussed at some length. It was finally voted to have a field day on Labor day, in September, but to dispense with the usual clam bake. Just what will be substituted for the bake has not been determined.

W. S. Carson of Greenfield, the Brattleboro correspondent of the Boston Globe, has bought Richard O'Hara's news and stationery business in Greenfield and will be associated with D. L. Crandall of Orange in carrying it on. Mr. Crandall will be the active manager. They will have exclusive control of the sale in that town of the more important newspapers.

A musicale will be given in the Congregational vestry next Thursday evening, consisting of instrumental selections by H. F. Jordan, Helen Weatherhead, Ernest Waterman, the mandolin club and others, readings by Mrs. C. H. Thompson, and vocal solos by George Adams and Alfred Thompson, and a violin solo by Miss Grace Eels. It will be under the direction of the Christian Endeavor society and will begin at 7.30 o'clock.

Lawyer C. C. Fitts has brought a bill in chancery for Derby & Ball of Bellows Falls, scythe snath manufacturers, against L. T. Lovell and C. E. Whitman, alleging that the defendant Whitman is storing gasolene in the building of the defendant Lovell, which is near the plant of Derby & Ball, that the plant is thereby endangered, and asking that the defendants be enjoined from continuing to use the building for that purpose.

D. E. Tasker of Brattleboro was elected president of the Vermont branch of the National Association of Letter Carriers at the annual meeting of the branch in Rutland. T. A. Austin was elected secretary and a member of the executive board. It was voted to hold the next annual meeting in Brattleboro May 30, 1903. A vote of thanks was extended to Congressmen Haskins and Foster and others who have performed favors for the association.

Oscar J. Willard of Washington street, machinist for the Central Vermont Railway company, was hurt at West Dummerston Monday afternoon, having his collar bone broken and receiving a scalp wound. As a broad gauge train load of granite was being pushed past a switch a wheel under one car struck against the frog and the truck was displaced. Mr. Willard went to West Dummerston to assist in replacing the truck. He found it necessary to unload the granite, and he was on the car prying with an iron bar when the bar slipped off, letting him over backward on to the track, striking on his head and shoulders. He was brought to the station on a hand car and carried home in a coupe.

Seventy-five logmen have been at work since last Friday to remove the log jam which formed last week against the pier of the covered bridge across the Connecticut river, and their operations have been a centre of attraction every day for a large crowd of people. They began at the southeast corner and at noon yesterday had cut a channel the entire length of the jam. Several days more will be required to clear the river. The logmen state that there were from 8,000,000 to 10,000,000 feet of logs in the jam and that there are about twice that number of feet yet to come. George Van Dyke of Boston, of the Connecticut River Manufacturing company, who owns the logs, was in Brattleboro Saturday and Sunday. He stated that the jam was one of the largest the company ever had to contend with. The logmen have four meals a day and work from early morning until dark. They have had 12 horses at work the past week.

Automobile a Juggernaut.

A racing automobile in charge of W. C. Baker of Cleveland, Ohio, a cousin of Henry R. Brown of Brattleboro, and a frequent visitor in this town, became uncontrollable at the races on Staten Island last Saturday, and after rounding a curve made a leap in the air, turned in circles on the ground and dashed into a crowd of spectators, killing one man, mortally wounding another so that he died the next day, and seriously injuring six others. The machine was shaped like a huge cigar on wheels, weighed over a ton and a half and was running at the rate of a mile in 54 seconds. The sharp nose of the machine hit Andrew Fetherstone, a New York politician, in the chest, and as he fell the wheels ground and mangled his body horribly. Mr. Baker and his electrician, C. A. Danzer, who were strapped in their seats were thrown 40 feet or more, but were not seriously hurt. They were arrested and locked up in the police station, but were afterwards released on bail, Mr. Baker depositing $10,000 in cash for himself and $5000 for Mr. Denzer. So far as they knew the machine was in perfect condition, and they could not explain the cause of the accident. The machine crashed into several stumps in its wild course and finally turned over on its side a complete wreck. On Monday a coroner's jury reported that the accident was unavoidable and said: "We exonerate W. C. Baker and C. Edward Benzer from all blame." The hearing of the two men, on the charge of manslaughter, was postponed to today.

Rev. E. T. Mathison will conduct services at Christ church in Guilford Sunday, June 8, at 2.30 p. m.

The Garment Workers' Union held their regular monthly meeting Monday evening in Grand Army hall. Three new members were initiated.

The annual June drill of Company I, Vermont National Guard, will be held in Brattleboro tomorrow. An inspection will be held in Festival hall at 9 o'clock by Gen. Gilmore of Fairlee and Maj. F. L. Howe and his adjutant, Lieut. Moseley, of Northfield. The company then will go to the rifle range at West Brattleboro, where drill, guard mount and target practice will be held.

A pretty wedding took place at 8 o'clock last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Winslow of Central street, when Miss Florence Maud Robinson was married to Fred P. Viall, who carries on the Eddy farm in Vernon. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. R. Miles, of the Congregational church, who used the ring service, in the presence of a few intimate friends. The bridal couple were unattended and stood before a bank of ferns. The rooms were trimmed with ferns, fleur-de-lis and other flowers. The bride wore white muslin trimmed with lace medallions. She carried lilies of the valley in a silver carrier. Refreshments were served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Viall started on a carriage drive for Chelmsford, Mass., and other places. They will live on the Eddy farm.

A special meeting of the town of Hinsdale was held Saturday to see what action the town would take in regard to co-operating with Brattleboro in building a steel bridge across the Connecticut river. A resolution to aid was adopted unanimously and the selectmen were appointed a committee to supervise the details and were authorized to borrow on the credit of the town a sum not to exceed $9000 to pay the town's share. The action of the town is given in full in our Hinsdale correspondence. A meeting of the Brattleboro and Hinsdale commissioners was held Wednesday afternoon in Brattleboro, when it was voted to proceed jointly to build a steel bridge as provided by the votes of the towns. It was voted to have the roadbed four feet higher than the present roadbed and to have the bridge span the river without the use of a pier, the distance between the abutments being 326 feet. It was decided to engage L. F. Liscom of Hinsdale, a bridge man, to prepare a statement of specifications to be submitted to bidders, after which bids will be called for for a bridge not less than 26, nor more than 28 feet in width, of sufficient strength for all purposes, including electric railroad traffic. The granite in the present pier will be used in enlarging the abutments.

Death of Charles H. Davis.

Charles H. Davis, 43, died about 4 o'clock this morning at his home at the corner of South Main and Thomas streets after an illness of more than a year with bright's disease. Mr. Davis was born in Chesterfield, N. H., in February, 1859. He came to Brattleboro in the spring of 1888 and for a brief time was employed by N. T. Ryan in the slating business. On Nov. 28 of the same year he married Althene E. Burnham, daughter of Mrs. M. E. Burnham of South Main street. Soon afterwards he entered the employ of the Estey Organ company, continuing in their employ as a case maker and action trimmer until his illness compelled him to give up work last July. He had been confined to his bed since Monday noon. The funeral will be held at the house Sunday at 1 o'clock, Rev. R. K. Marvin, of the Universalist church, officiating. The burial will be in Prospect Hill cemetery. Mr. Davis was a member of Wantastiquet lodge of Odd Fellows. He was a brother of Will and Myron Davis of Chesterfield, Henry Davis of Keene and Irene, wife of Ansel Pierce, of Brattleboro. He was a faithful employe, a devoted husband and a good neighbor. Although of a quiet disposition he was genial and companionable and ready to assist whenever an opportunity was presented.

Bouquets for Congressman Haskins.

The nomination of Hon. Kittredge Haskins as representative in Congress from the Second congregational district for another term is assured. His constituents demand that he be returned to the seat he has filled with so much honor to them and himself. The Second district is proud of Col. Haskins, and of the record he has already made in Congress, and unanimously and enthusiastically will support him for re-election.—[White River Junction Landmark.

Very little is said about the district convention these days, so completely does the governor question overshadow other issues. Another reason is that the people have settled down to the conviction that Kittredge Haskins, having so fully proved his usefulness as an energetic, live congressman, should be renominated, and he will be, without opposition. He is a broad-minded, hard working member, with an eye single to the accomplishment of the welfare of his constituents and the country.—[Essex County Herald.

CHURCH AND FRATERNITY.

Adventist Christian church. Prayer meeting, 10.45 a. m.; Sunday school, noon; Loyal Workers' meeting, 6 p. m.

Unitarian church, Rev. E. Q. S. Osgood, pastor. Service every Sunday at 10.30 a. m.; Sunday school, 11.45. Theme for next Sunday, "The Boston Anniversaries." All are welcome.

Christian Science services in Market block Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject, "Sacrament." Sunday school, 11 a. m. Testimonial meeting, Wednesday at 7.30 p. m. Reading room open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday from 3 to 5 p. m. All are welcome.

Universalist church, Reignold K. Marvin, pastor. Morning worship, 10.30 o'clock. Subject of the sermon, "The Enchantment of the Sea." Sunday school, 11.45 a. m. The Young People's Union will meet at the Home for the Aged at 3 p. m. All are welcome.

There will be a special meeting of Friendship circle Tuesday afternoon to sew. Members are requested to bring lunch.

Business of importance will be transacted at a meeting of Dennis Rebekah lodge next Tuesday evening. It is hoped there may be a large attendance.

Advertised Letters.

Men.—C. B. Brown, D. E. Bigelow, Hoyt Barber, Bert Caldwell, D. Clark, Joseph Custine, John A. Foisy, John Fitzpatrick, Prof. M. B. Franklin, Andrew Christ Johnson, Hon. Wm. Nathaniel, Rev. Olaf Olson, E. O. Smith, J. T. Scott 2, John W. Sheehan, J. M. Walker 2, Wm. Willard, W. K. Young, F. C. Yeaw.

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Brattleboro School Teacher Married at Her Home in North Adams—Bridegroom a Progressive business Man.

A wedding of interest to many Brattleboro people took place in North Adams, Mass., Thursday evening, May 29, when Miss Helena Charlotte Harrington, for several years a teacher in the Canal street school building, was married to William H. Orr of North Adams. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. L. Tenney at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Harrington, which was trimmed with palms, evergreen and cut flowers. The party, who, entered the parlor through an isle of ribbons, consisted of the minister, followed by Evelyn Thayer, who carried the ring on a tray, Miss Jessie Harrington, sister of the bride, who was maid of honor, the bride and bridegroom. The bride was gowned in white and carried lilies of the valley. The bridal march from Lohengrin was played, with violin obligato.

The North Adams Transcript said in its account of the wedding: "The bride, who has lived in this city for a number of years, is a native of Adams and a graduate of the High school in that town. She afterward studied at the Westfield normal school and for the last three years she has been teaching at Brattleboro, Vt., where she has been very successful in her work. She is a young lady of pleasing personality and varied attainments, and is held in high esteem by all who know her. The groom is a native of this city, where all of his life has been passed. He attended Drury High school and is a graduate of Bliss business college. For some years he has been engaged in the ice business and is recognized as one of the city's energetic and progressive young business men."

May Session of Probate Court.

A busy session of the probate court was held Saturday, Judge Waterman presiding. License was granted to C. H. Shepardson, administrator, to sell the real estate belonging to the N. H. Shepardson estate of Halifax. The will of Sarah J. Halladay of Brattleboro was probated and allowed and George R. Bennett was appointed executor. License was granted J. E. Gale, administrator, to sell the real estate belonging to the Mary A. Morse estate of Newfane. The account of J. C. Allen, executor of the will of Lucretia J. Kendall of Vernon, was allowed. The account of L. M. Newell, administrator of the J. D. Watson estate of Wardsboro was allowed. The will of Silas W. Richardson of Brattleboro was allowed, Lydian Richardson was appointed executrix and H. E. Taylor and R. E. Gordon appraisers and commissioners. The will of Austin C. Reed of Wardsboro was allowed and L. M. Newell was appointed executor. The will of Erastus Tyler of Vernon was allowed, and George E. Tyler was appointed executor and J. C. Allen and A. A. Dunklee appraisers and commissioners. The will of Emily A. Pierce of Wardsboro was allowed, E. J. Morse was appointed executor and W. R. Lyman and E. A. Eddy appraisers and commissioners. D. C. Dexter and Spencer Robinson were appointed appraisers and commissioners of the Oscar B. Doolittle estate of Wardsboro. Charles Akley was appointed administrator of the Alma Akley estate of Brattleboro.

Death of Mrs. M. T. Van Doorn.

Mrs. Sophia L. VanDoorn, 78, widow of Moses T. Van Doorn, died Wednesday after a period of failing health covering two years. She had been confined to her home over a year. Mrs. Van Doorn was born in Swanzey, N. H., in December, 1823. Her maiden name was Sophia L. Simonds. She came to Brattleboro when she was a young woman and spent the rest of her life here. She was married to Moses T. Van Doorn in December, 1847. Mr. Van Doorn was then engaged in the furniture business with his father, Anthony Van Doorn, afterwards in the meat business with Hannibal Hadley, and still later in the crockery business with his son, Elbridge H. Van Doorn, first in the Devens building and afterwards in Crosby block in the store now occupied by Morris & Gregg. Mr. Van Doorn died in November, 1885. Mrs. Van Doorn united with the Baptist church of Brattleboro some 60 years ago and was always a faithful and consistent member. She possessed a delightful character, a lovable disposition, and had a wide circle of friends. She leaves two brothers, Joseph Simonds of Brattleboro and George Simonds of Boston, and a half sister, Mrs. Henry Reynolds of Brattleboro. The funeral will be held at the house, 3 School street, at 3 o'clock today, Rev. H. R. Miles of the Congregational church officiating in the absence of Rev. F. E. Marble. The burial will be in Prospect Hill cemetery.

Dr. Holton on Tuberculosis.

The American Congress of Tuberculosis, of which Dr. H. D. Holton is president, and the Medico-Legal society began Monday a joint session of three days in New York city, about 150 delegates being present. Dr. Holton made the opening address. He urged that the congress take definite steps toward the suppression of tuberculosis, to which it was estimated that a seventh of the world's deaths are due. After discussing the disease in its scientific aspect, its propagation and development, Dr. Holton took up the problem of prevention, saying he believed the most important thing was the education of the masses in better methods of living. "They must," he said, "understand the necessity of clean, well-ventilated houses and properly cooked food, and avoid all excesses which reduce vitality. With proper care patients may remain in their own family without danger of infecting them, but in many cases, especially among the poor, this is not practicable, and for them sanitariums should be opened." Dr. Holton said that any plan which involved the withdrawal of every patient from his associates and from remunerative labor was not to be considered, but the reporting of every case to the health authorities should be most strictly required.

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BRATTLEBORO PERSONAL.

G. L. Dunham went Tuesday to Boston on a business trip.

Miss Minnie Baker has been visiting in Lebanon, N. H.

Frederick Currier of Fitchburg visited his cousin, J. E. Leach, this week.

Lawyer E. W. Gibson went Monday to Amherst, Mass., on a business trip.

Mrs. E. O. Howe of South Main street spent Sunday in New Britian, Conn.

Judge E. L. Waterman went Saturday to Arlington on business, returning Monday.

L. P. Harris and brother, Edgar Harris, went yesterday to Boston for a brief stay.

Capt. Upton of Boston has been a guest of Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Lawton this week.

Wells Sargent of Keene was at the home of his father, F. A. Sargent, over Sunday.

Miss Julia Frost of Worcester has opened her summer home on Tyler Hill, Guilford.

E. B. Coates of Washington street has been granted an increase of pension, which is now $10.

Rollin Brown spent Friday, Saturday and Sunday in Springfield, Mass., and in Waterbury, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Knight went Saturday to Manchester, N. H., for a vacation of two weeks.

Mrs. H. F. C. Todt and daughter, Josephine, went last Friday to Holyoke to spend several days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lillis of Rutland spent Memorial day with Conductor and Mrs. J. T. Denning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Jones and son, Guy, returned Monday night from a visit in Washington, D. C.

Edgar Harris of Greencastle, Ind., is visiting his brother, L. P. Harris, and Mrs. W. W. Walker.

P. Frank Amidon of Wilton, N. H., and Will Amidon of Hinsdale were in Brattleboro Monday.

Emerald Fisher of Cherry Vale, Kan., spent Saturday and Sunday with his cousin, Mrs. I. L. Moore.

E. E. Moberg went this week to Chicago, where he has a position with the American Steel Wire company.

Fred W. Putnam and family went yesterday to their cottage on Ames Hill, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. J. E. Rogers and son returned Monday from an extended visit with relatives in Shirley and Orange, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bishop of New Haven, Conn., are visiting Mrs. Bishop's brother, Leopold Retting, on Chase street.

Postal Clerk Davis of South Londonderry has returned to duty after being disabled for a time by an injury to his wrist.

Dr. James C. Austin of Spencer, Mass., is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Austin, on Grove street.

Rev. Gertrude Earl of Gorham, N. H., who preached in the Universalist church last Sunday, is a niece of T. J. B. Cudworth.

James Carey of New York, a sleight-of-hand performer whose stage name is "Yarick," is visiting relatives in Brattleboro.

Mrs. Elizabeth Davenport and Mrs. J. W. Phelps went this week to Stowe for the purpose of studying the birds on Mt. Mansfield.

Dr. F. W. Gwyer and family of New York came yesterday to spend the summer at their Marlboro North pond summer home.

Gen. H. B. Titus was the Memorial day orator in Winchester, N. H. James F. Hooker delivered the address at Saxtons River.

Dr. G. H. Gorham will be absent next week in attendance at the annual meeting of the American Medical association at Saratoga, N. Y.

Mrs. George Chamberlain went to Greenfield last week to attend the golden wedding celebration of her brother, Giles M. Kelley.

C. H. Davenport started Saturday for Lincoln, Neb., for a stay of two weeks. He will visit his sister, Mrs. Annie Day, in South Dakota.

Charles Brockington has finished work for the Estey Organ company and moved to Brightwood, Mass., where he has a position in the car shops.

Postmaster J. P. Wellman of Keene, brother of H. P. Wellman, has been granted an increase of $100 in salary, making his salary now $2700.

Mrs. Howard B. Spencer of Amsterdam, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Martin Austin, jr. Mr. Spencer spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Austin.

Col. and Mrs. J. G. Estey left Brattleboro Monday for Europe on a business and pleasure trip. They will be absent a month, spending part of the time in London.

E. C. Robertson of Hinsdale was thrown from his carriage near the little bridge Saturday night while driving from Brattleboro to his home. He was not seriously hurt.

Dr. H. D. Holton, retiring president of the American Congress of Tuberculosis, was elected honorary president of the congress Wednesday at its annual session in New York.

C. H. Pratt, treasurer of the Vermont Savings bank, and Frank L. Hunt returned Saturday from a visit of three weeks in the West. They went as far west as Kansas City.

Mrs. W. W. Walker will go to Ludlow tomorrow to be present at the commencement exercises at Black River Academy next week. Her nephew, Merrill Walker, is one of the graduates.

Dr. and Mrs. Holton, Dr. and Mrs. Miller and Dr. and Mrs. Waterman plan to attend the annual meeting of the American Medical association, to be held at Saratoga, N. Y., next week.

Capt. David Conner of New London, visited Lieut. W. N. Batchelder Wednesday. Capt. Conner and Lieut. Batchelder commanded adjacent companies in the 46th regiment in the Philippines.

F. L. Houghton, secretary of the Holstein-Friesian Association of America, went Monday to Syracuse, N. Y., to attend the annual meeting of the association. He is expected home today.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Ryder and