BRATTLEBORO LOCAL NEWS

Thursday evening, Dec. 21.
 F. B. Putnam and C. E. Gruffam attended a Mystic Shrine meeting in Boston

Don H. Scovill has sold his interest in a restaurant in Northampton to his part-ner, Sidney Hall. Both are former residents of Brattleboro.

The appeal of the town of Brattleboro from Judge Waterman's decree regarding the \$50,000 bequest from Col. William Austine for a hospital has been allowed by the probate court. The appeal was filed in the county clerk's office Saturday.

There was a large attendance at the auction on the Sholes farm Friday. A. W. J. Wilkins was the auctioneer, and all the personal property was sold. It was decided not to sell the farm for less than \$5.00, and as no bid was received the trustee retained possession of it. An effort will be made to dispose of the farm at private sale.

Deputy Sheriff E. R. Thayer has taken possession of the sporting goods store in Ray building, formerly operated by W. H. Show, by virtue of a breach of conditions of a chattel mortgage given by Mr. Snow to Orlin H. Ellis. The contents of the store and a plano will be sold by auction at the American House on Saturday of pest week.

to be in White River Junction yesterday and to go to Windsor this morning to remain until after the execution of Mary Rogers, not for the purpose of witnessing the hanging, but to be on hand in case any attempt was made through some technicality to prevent the law from tak-

Leon Hall and Miss Mina Burt were married Tuesday, Nov 28, in Manchester, N. H. Mr. Hall established and ran suc-cessfully the restaurant in the Odd Fellows building which he sold a short time ago to his brother, Ernest S. Hall. Miss Burt was employed there three or four years. She went early last summer to Atlantic City and later to Narragansett Pier. Mr. and Mrs. Hall have gone to Jacksonville, Pla., on their wedding jour-

in Festival hall Monday evening, Dec. 18, at 7.30 o'clock, to act upon the report of the water committee, and to see if the village will vote to own and operate a water supply system and to issue bonds therefor. A meeting was set for last night, but it was found that it would not be legal as it did not give sufficient notice to the voters. The date was changed to next Tuesday, but on account of the Auditorium being engaged it was put off until

Washington despatch to the Burlington Free Press Monday: "In the drawing of feats in the House today, Representative Foster secured a place on the centre aisle somewhat back of the middle row of desks. Representative Haskins's name was among the last to be called and he was forced to take a seat in Cherokee strip, the name given to a few seats used by the overflow of the Republican majority and separated from the rest of the Republican members by the seats of the Democratic minority."

The Lorne Elwyn stock company which opened a week's engagement at the Auditorium Monday night made good from the start, and large audiences which were well pleased have greeted the perform-ances each evening and Wednesday aftermoon. The company takes the lead for a sepertoire organization playing at popular prices, and is particularly strong in specialties. This evening "The Little Minister" will be presented. "Cinderella" Saturday afternoon is particularly adapted for pleasing the children and the closed for pleasing the children, and the clos-ing performance Saturday evening will be "The Fatal Likeness."

The coffer dam built by Crosby & Parker, contractors for putting in the Sunset Lake Water company's water system, to turn the course of Whetstone brook while a pipe line was being laid under the bed of the brook, was washed away Sunday, the heavy rain having swollen the stream to such proportions that the dam could not resist the pressure. In building the dam 180 bags of sand were used, and all of them were

The records of the Brattleboro druggists covering sales of liquor on physicians' prescriptions during November have been filed in the county clerk's office, as prescribed by law. The prescriptions conform to the law, showing that the action of the state's attorney in calling attention to previous errors in this respect has had a good effect. There still appears to be opportunity for the adoption of corrective measures. The records show that one man bought 14 quarts of whiskey during the month, searly all prescribed by one physician and nearly all bought at one store. The siles for the month by the local stores were as follows: C. E. Graffam 71; F. H. Holden & Co. 167; George E. Greene 189; C. F. Thomas 196. The total number of was 623. One physician gave 174

One of the features of the concert'to be given by the Mozart Symphony club at the Auditorium next Thursday even-ing, Dec. 7, will be the playing of Richard Stoelzer on the viola d'amour. To those who are familiar with this instrument, a description of its qualities and con-atruction will be of interest. It has 14 strings, similar to the viola in theory, but far more expressive in sweetness and power of tone, and must be heard to be appreciated. When listening to it, a per-son at times gets the impression of a complete ensemble, and a melodious voice. The enchanting music which has been elicited from these instruments has induced poets and great old composers to sall it the viola of love. In 1720, the viola d'amour was most favored, and continued so, up to the 18th century, when it became entirely obsolete. Seven of the strings are used only in bowing, while the balance are directly under the original seven and vibrate in unison. original seven, and vibrate in unison. It is the largest instrument held under the chin. Herr Stoelzer was the first soloist who introduced this instrument to the American public, and values his present violage amour at \$1000.

A pay train on the Central Vermont railroad plunged into the rear of Conductor Robert Wheeler's passenger train at Dwight's station, near Amberst, Tuesday night at 8.18 o'clock: George Mason of Northfield, Mass., brakeman on the passenger train, had a collar lone broken and was badly shakeman on the shector Wheeler was in the baggage car when the collision came. He was thrown, but not seriously hurt. The passenger train left New London on time and the pay train followed soon afterwards. The passenger train reached Dwight's a trifle ahead of scheduled time and was just starting out when the pay train crashed into it. Brakeman Mason stood on the rear platform when he saw the pay train coming. He stepped off to the ground, thinking he would have time to signal the oncoming train to stop. The rear passenger car contained but a few passengers, and none of them were hurt. passenger car contained but a few passengers, and none of them were hurt. The car and second locomotive were locked Logether so that they could not be separated. The pay car was switched off and was drawn to Brattleboro by Conductor Wheeler's train, arriving about I o'clock Wednesday morning. W. J. Gare of Brattleboro, railway mail clerk, was on the train. The pay train was in charge of Conductor Joseph Young and Engineer Church of St. Albans.

H. D. Ryder, county examiner, gave examinations to 15 teachers in Brattle-boro Friday and Saturday.

The annual business meeting of the Brattleboro East society will be held in the Congregational vestry next Wednes-day evening at 7.15 o'clock.

Bishop A. C. A. Hall of Burlington will make his annual visitation to St. Michael's Episcopal church tonight and will preach at 7.45 o'clock. A class will be

Fort Dummer colony will hold its regular meeting at Red Men's hall Monday evening, to be followed by a social. Danc ing and card playing will be in order. All members are requested to bring friends.

A copy of the opinion of the United States Supreme court in the appeal of States Supreme court in the appeal of Mary Rogers was received Saturday by Attorney General C. C. Fitts. In the opinion delivered by Judge Day, each of the four points raised by Mrs. Rogers's attorneys is considered separately, and

Saturday of next week.

Attorney General C. C. Fitts went to Woodstock Wednesday to attend a murder trial in county court. His intention was thrown through a street car window and at another time a driver of one of the Estey teams was hit by a missile. There ought to be some way to prevent an analysis of the county of the same way to prevent an analysis of the same way to prevent and a same way to prevent ing, and a gash was cut in the top of his head. On a previous occasion a stone was thrown through a street car window

Lafayette Thayer, Si, a native of Mariboro, died in Somerville, Mass., Nov. 25. He had been with Fairbanks & Brown, the Boston house of the Fairbanks Scale company, 40 years. He leaves three sisters, Mrs. Rosina Kingsbury of Nebraska and Mrs. O. J. Hale and Mrs. Joseph Bishop of Halifax, and one brother, Orson Thayer of Brattleboro, who is employed by F. Z. Dickinson. The funeral was held in Somerville Nov. 27 and the burkil was in Sloansville, N. Y.

Manager Fox has secured a star attraction which will appear especially to the lovers of good music, for next Thursday night, Dec. 14, when the Mozart Symphony club will be heard at the Auditorium. This organization has appeared with sig-nal success in all the large cities of the country. The Louisville Courier-Journal country. The Louisville Courier-Journal said of the concert given in that city: 'Musical ears have never heard such harmony blended from stringed instruments, as this expert organization furnished last night at the Masonic temple. The audience was enraptured.

Dr. E. R. Lynch brought suit against the town of Brattleboro Saturday, through Lawyer Arthur C. Spencer, to recover damages in the sum of \$500 for injury to his horse. Dr. Lynch alleges that on Sept. 30, while driving across the iron bridge at the junction of Elliot and Frost streets, near the Fletcher mill, his horse stepped through a hole in the planking and was thrown and hurt so that he has been wholly deprived of the use of the horse since then. The accident, he alleges, was the result of neglect on the part of the town. Unless the case is settled it will be tried in county court. Dr. E. R. Lynch brought sult against

Edward Kirkwood, driver for the Valley Grain company, was taken ill with scarlet fever Monday and was taken to the isolation building at the Brattlescarlet fever Monday and was taken to the isolation building at the Brattle-boro Memorial hospital. Five members pleted 25 years of service with that paper. of Andrew Kirkwood's family are now ill with the disease. Mrs. Kirkwood and four children. They are "comfortably" ill, but not seriously so. Miss Ethel Kirk-wood was the first to be taken ill, and Mrs. Kirkwood and two children took the disease from her. It is not known where Edward Kirkwood contracted the fever, as he does not live with his parents on Birge street, but with his wife at 63 Elliot street. Miss Janet Davenport, who was taken ill last week, is improv-

Under a heading "By Attorney General Clarke Fitts" the Boston Post pub-lished Monday what purported to be an interview with Mr. Fitts in which he was quoted as saying that there was no longer any hope for Mary Rogers, that her lawyers had taken advantage of every loophole, that the decree of the United States Supreme court had sealed the woman's fate, etc. Mr. Fitts charactercarried down stream and lost. Aside from the loss of the dam, however, luck was on said the only basis for it was a telephone said the only basis for it was a telephone call from the Post asking him if he had just been completed. All of the pipe for the 1½ miles which will be laid this season has arrived and about half of it has been put in the ground. was to be made in Mrs. Rogers's behalf, to which he answered: "I don't know."

> Rev. H. R. Miles recently spent a week in Hartland holding services in the inafter a series of meetings covering nine weeks. Rev. I. W. Swart of Hartland says in the last issue of the Vermont Missionary concerning these closing vices: "The messages were in pe harmony with all that had been done before, and fitted into the past so smoothly that the development was constant from the beginning of the nine weeks message was large. but the man behind the message was larger. The Christian workers have been encouraged. A general interest has been aroused. The Hartland church desires to express its thanks to the Brattleboro Centre church and pastor for their contribution to this blessing, and feels they have loaned to us what we

Miss Florence Arabella Eames, 24, youngest daughter of Mrs. Persis Eames, dled Sunday morning at her home on Union street. She had been ill several months with tuberculosis. Miss Eames was born in South Deerfield, Mass., Jan. 7, 1881, and was a daughter of James M. and Persis (Howe) Eames. She went with the family to Vernon when she was a child and lived there until 12 years ago. when Mrs. Eames and children came to Brattleboro. Mr. Eames died 21 years ago last June. Miss Eames attended one Brattleboro high school before beginning work in the overall factory. She was a member of the Universalist church and Sunday school and of the Young People's Christian union. Besides her mother the leaves two sisters, Miss Alta Earnes and Miss Alice Earnes, both of Brattle-boro. The funeral was held at her late home at noon Wednesday, Rev. R. K Marvin of Franklin, Mass., formerly pastor of the local Universalist church, officiat-ing. The bearers were G. S. Howe, A. N. Howe and E. E. Howe, uncles of Miss Eames, and S. L. Rice, a cousin. The burial was in Vernon.

Herbert N. Gunn, formerly a Brattleboro real estate agent, is legally dead even though he may not be dead in fact passenger train, had a collar lone broken and was badly shaken up, and the rear passenger car was badly smashed. Conpassenger car was badly smashed. Confuctor Wheeler was in the baggage car appointed Frank W. McClure administraBRATTLEBORO PERSONAL.

D. E. Stowe attended the poultry show in Springfield, Mass., yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crugin of Camden,
N. J., were at C. E. Allen's Thanksgiving. Mrs. C. F. Bingham is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. A. Willey, in Newport,

Miss Florence Allen of Hudson, N. Y., was at the home of her parents over Thanksgiving.

Miss Lucy Haynes returned Monday af-ter spending Thankegiving at her home in Bennington. Mrs. Marcus Robbins returned Mon-day from a visit of several weeks in Chicago and other places,

Miss Coutremarsh, who has been trimmer in Mrs. Neal's millinery store, re-

mer in Mrs. Neal's millinery store, re-turned to Boston Monday.

Prof. Arthur Field of Colby academy returned to New London, N. H., Tuesday after a visit with his cousin, S. A. Daniels. Me., has been in town this week on busi-ness. He is one of the directors of the Peel's Food company.

Mrs. Francis Goodhue, jr., and child-ren returned Tuesday to their home in Germantown, Pa., after spending some time at Col. Francis Goodhue's.

Carl Anderson and Oscar Larson start-Wednesday for Berkeley, Calif., t They have been among the beknown of Brattleboro's younger Swedish

Clyde Chamberiain, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Chamberiain, started Wed-nesday for Duytona, Fla., where he will work for his uncle, C. O. Chamberiain, in notel during the winter.

Rev. H. R. Miles attended a meeting of the churches of the Windham and Union conferences at a Forward Movement rally in Bellows Falls, which be gan Wednesday and closed yesterday. Clifford Davis, who had been in St. Johnsbury a short time, came to Brat-tleboro Monday for a visit of several days before returning to his home in Worces ter. Mr. Davis is on the staff of the Wor cester Telegram.

Miss Julia I., Dolan, trained nurse, formerly of Brattieboro, who underwent an operation on the glands of her throat in the Rutiand elty hospital recently, is improving rapidly and will soon be able to return to this town.

Dr. Henry D. Holton, secretary of the state board of health, went to Burlingtor yesterday to attend a meeting of the board. The commission appointed to revise the Vermont statutes has asked Dr. Holton to be in Essex Junction today for a conference relative to the state health laws.

Fred Spencer, Luther Hawley and Artemas Wilkins returned this week to Worcester Polytechnic institute, Horatio Smith, Ned Leonard and George Pierce to Amberst college, and Horace Scott, Stuart Prost and his guest, John Spengler, to Renssalner Polytechnic institute Tray, N. V.

spengier, to Renssanier Psytechnic in-stitute, Troy, N. Y.
Harry P. Greene, who has studied in the Cornell medical department, matric-ulated in the second year class of the medical department of the University of Vermont at the opening of sessions for this year on Monday. The medical school is now held in the building recently completed at an expense of \$100,000. There are 175 men in the medical department this year, an increase of 25 over last

and the anniversary was celebrated by a breakfast at Delmonico's, where a lovnig cup was presented to Mr. Lord. A com-pany of 100 was present, including in addition to members of the Sun staff many others prominent on other news-pages, who were formerly connected with papers who were formerly connected with the Sun, including Clifton L. Sherman, managing editor of the Hartford Courant.

managing editor of the Hartford Courant.
Only 13 out of 119 applicants to practice pharmacy passed the recent examination of the state board in Columbus, Ohlo. Three of the successful candidates were from Cleveland, one of them being Theodore P. Babbitt, youngest son of the late Rev. J. H. Babbitt of West Brattleboro, Mr. Babbitt, both before and after he studied at a college of pharmacy in Philadelphia, was an employe of George E. delphia, was an employe of George E. Greene's drug store. Mr. Babbitt visited in town several days within a few weeks. The Burlington Free Press published the following Saturday in its special correspondence from Washington: "Rep-

on their journey across the continent over the New York Central. Burlington, Denver and Rio Grande and Southern Pacific raffrond systems. Their destination will be Benicia, Mrs. Crowell's forme home, 30 miles from San Francisco. M Crowell will leave there the day after Christmas, but Mrs. Crowell and son will remain until next summer, when Mr. Crowell will travel to California again to return with them

Dr. Lane on "The Social Evil." feels they have loaned to us what we could in no way have secured without their assistance. Their release of their pastor became a direct blessing to us."

Ine Errattleboro Professional club held its second meeting of the season Monday evening in the Brooks House. Dr. W. H. Lane gave a comprehensive paper on "The Social Evil," and Dr. G. B. Hunter took a leading part to the season Monday evening in the Brooks House. The Brattleboro Professional club held took a leading part in the discu which followed. Supper was served. Lane spoke at some length upon the ex-tent of the social evil. giving figures which were surprising in their revelations. He said there were but three attitudes possisaid there were but three attitudes possi-ble toward proposed methods relating to the regulation of this ever increasing evil. There are indifference, govern-mental control and an active personal crusade. Indifference is the attitude of the country at the present day. It has proved a failure. Governmental control has been tried in other bountries and jus been found ineffectual. An active personal crusade remains to be tested. Its success depends, not upon collective influences, vigilance committees, social purity leagues, etc., powerful adjuvants as they are, but on the quickening of the individual conscience of every man and woman to a profound sense of personal resuonshility.

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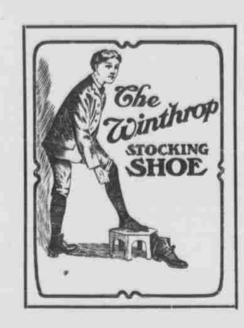
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CHURCH AND FRATERNITY.

The Universalist Church. The Bible study class will meet prompt

ly at 7.15 this evening. Read Nehemiah and bring your Bibles. All the members of this parish and friends are invited to attend the recep-tion to be given this evening by the Murray club to those who participated in "The Chimes of Normandy," at Grange hall.

Mr. Masseck will conduct the service The men's class at noon on Sunday will

take up the consideration of the revolu-tion in Russia under the leadership of James F. Hocker. The young people's meeting will be

The ladies' circle will meet early Thursday afterneon for work. At 4 o'clock business will be transacted. At 6.15 a fine chicken-ple supper will be served. Everybody is invited to attend all these gatherings, and enjoy them to the fullest

Unitarian church, Rev. E. Q. S. Osgood pastor. Service every Sunday at 10.30; Sunday school at 11.45. Theme for next Sunday, "Advent Lessons." All are wel-

resentative and Mrs. Kittredge may help lived at a hotel last winter, have this year taken a handsome flat in the Connecticut, one of the newer and most handsome of the many flat houses in Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Haskins have tried housekeeping and boarding and a winter in a fashionable apartment house, equipped with a cafe, will add still more to their experience."

Tuesday, 7.30, social of Young People's union; Friday, 7.30, social of Young People's union; Friday, 7.30, prayer meeting.

Centre Congregational church, Rev. H. day service at 10.45 a. m., subject, "Is the universe, including man, evolved by atomic force?", Wednesday evening testi-mental meeting at 7.30. All are welcome.

R. Miles, pastor. Morning service at 10.30. The pastor will preach upon "Putting Little Things in the Place of Large Ones," Sunday school at 11.45; evening song service, at which the choir will be assisted by a chorus, at 7 o'clock. The paster will speak upon "The Obedient Will."

Methodist church, Rev. A. H. Webb, pastor, 52 High street. 10,30 a. m., pastor, a2 High street. 10.30 a. m., preaching by the pastor; 11.45 a. m., Sunday school; 4 p. m., junior league; 8 p. m., Epworth league; 7 p. m., social meeting, preceded by a service of song. Next Tuesday evening the class meeting will be omitted on account of the union service for Sunday school workers. Frilay evening, prayer meeting at 7.39

West Brattieboro Baptist church, Rev. J. A. Mitchell, pastor. Notwithstanding the rain of last Sunday evening a good number attended the union temperance service in the Baptist church. A stirring address by Rev. W. R. Davenport, field secretary of the Vermont Anti-Saloon league, was listened to with deep interest, The union chorus sang several temperance hymns. Next Sunday the services will be as usual. Morning worship will begin at 10.30 with sermon by the pastor; Bible school at 11.45; Christian Endeavor service at 6 p. m.; at 7 p. m. evangelistic service, with short sermon and good music. Young and old and the strangers as well are cordially invited.

"Si Stebbins," Famous Rural Play, Com ing Dec. 16.

"Si Stebbins," which is booked for the Si Steonins. Which is booked for the Auditorium Saturday afternoon and even-ing. Dec. 16, is full of bright features, laughable incidents and funny situations, yet devoid of coarseness. It is only a laugh producer throughout and it is the old story of love and devotion under difficulties encountered through parental opposition and by cupidian strategy won as usual. The production is especially noteworthy because the plot is in such pleasing accord with the simplicity of the surroundings and is so well and even-ly brought out at the close. The com-pany introduces a distinct novelty in the hape of a continuous performance, be-ng filled with several first class special-les. Dan Darleigh's manner and acting is as true a type as could be found with-out the flaws usually found in such a production. The members of the company are artists in their re-spective lines. A fitting close to the performance is a genuine good old fash-ioned country dance, strict attention beoned country dance, strict attention be ing given to every detail in its perfect

A sociable will be held in Odd Fellows' hall Wednesday evening, Dec. 13, to which all Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and their friends are invited. There will be dancing in both halls. The sociables held previously have been very enjoyable.

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The business meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution, for the annual election of officers, will be held at the home of Mrs. Annie G. Cobb on Linden street on Tuesday, Dec. 12, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

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ATHLETICS WON AT FALLS.

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The Athletics defeated Bellows Falls The Athletics defeated Bellows Falls Tuesday evening at that place in one of the fastest and cleanest games ever played on the floor there. The first half ended with a score of 6 to 5 in favor of the Athletics. In the second half, by fast passing and good shooting, the Athletics increased their lead and held it for the resolution of the same D. Bushwell and mainder of the game. R. Bothwell and Stafford did the best work for Brattle-boro and Bankhardt for Bellows Falls. ATHLETICS. BELLOWS FALLS.

c......c. Bankhardt R. Bothwell, if...... Score, Brattleboro Athletics 22, Bellows Falls 12. Goals from floor, Riley 3, Staf-ford 3, R. Bothwell 3, Ellis 2, Bankhardt 3. Gorse 1. Referee, Piper of Bellows Falls. Timer, Wales of Bellows Falls. Time, 20m. halves.

The Athletics will go to Turners Falis Dec. 13 to play the strong Father Mat-thews team of that place.

Brattleboro Independents Will Have Games Tuesday and Friday. Basket ball has not been played in

Festival hall this week, owing to the at-tractions each evening in the Auditorium, out lovers of the game will be given satisfaction next week, when Managers Allen and Cobb of the Brattleboro Independ-ents have arranged two games against strong professional organizations—the Adelphi Athletics of Bristol, Conn., Tuesday night and the Middletown Inde-pendent team of Middletown, Conn., Fri-day night. These two organizations have day night. These two organizations have been the contestants in the final struggle for the Connecticut state championship the past three seasons. Doran, formerly of Brattleboro, Sears and other noted professionals will be seen with the Adel-

Sixty employes of the Woodbury Granite company went out on a strike at Hard-wick Tuesday, and on the following day the company locked out all of the employes, so that about 350 men of the village are now out of employment.

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