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- FOR SALE**—Blacksmith and wheelright most of the no-license column, but state's attorney claims to have evidence of several sales of liquor at the hotel. Business has been slack and Mr. Matthews has been talking of closing the hotel until the automobile trade begins for the coming season, and it is his present intention to do so, keeping the place open about six weeks. The people of Putney were somewhat surprised the morning after town meeting day, when the town again voted no-license, to see the curtains drawn and the hotel to all appearances closed. Mr. Barber states that he had intended for some time to have papers served on Mr. Matthews, but that he held off until after town meeting in order that his action might not influence the vote on the license question. On May 5, 1911, Mr. Matthews's predecessor, Landlord Shumway, and two other persons connected with the Kendrick House paid fines in the county court in Newfane amounting to \$2200, the result of prosecutions by the State's Attorney Barber. This was the largest amount ever collected in penalties in a liquor prosecution in the history of Windham county. Mr. Barber states that he had intended for some time to have papers served on Mr. Matthews, but that he held off until after town meeting in order that his action might not influence the vote on the license question. On May 5, 1911, Mr. Matthews's predecessor, Landlord Shumway, and two other persons connected with the Kendrick House paid fines in the county court in Newfane amounting to \$2200, the result of prosecutions by the State's Attorney Barber. This was the largest amount ever collected in penalties in a liquor prosecution in the history of Windham county.
- LOCAL OVERTHROW.** Francis B. Blake, who has been singing in the Dreamland theatre in Bellows Falls, came here yesterday to sing in the Empire theatre and to have charge of the drums and traps. He also has sung in Claremont, White River Junction and other cities in this state and New Hampshire. A letter from Mrs. Franz Soukenik of Hutton, N. H., received, establishing the home of her husband, who is in the Brattleboro Retreat, and as soon as the necessary papers can be made out Soukenik will be sent to Hutton. He came here several months ago from New York to work for the Estey Organ company, went to the Brattleboro House and then disappeared, wandering to a lumber camp in Stratton. Later he returned, was found to be insane and was committed to the Retreat, no one being able to locate his relatives. There are two imperial universities in Japan, but women are admitted to neither.
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THE LOCAL OPTION LAW IS A PRETTY GOOD PROHIBITORY LAW.

There will be saloons in less than 20 cities and towns of the state after May 1. Senators Dillingham and Page and Representatives Foster and Plumley have issued signed statements in which they announce their intentions to support President Taft for renomination. All four plainly state that they cannot stand for the policies set forth by Col. Roosevelt in his Columbus speech.

Henry Lee Hatch of Randolph would make a creditable delegate from the Second Congressional district to the Republican national convention. Mr. Hatch graduated in 1884 from Dartmouth college, and until within a few months was engaged in farming in Stratford, but recently moved to Randolph. He was an active and influential member of the last house as the representative from Stratford and is now one of the trustees of the state school of agriculture.

Brattleboro's town meeting was a fine exhibition of public spirit and progress. The appropriations included \$20,000 for new cement sidewalks, \$10,000 for road work in the southern part of the town and to cover the cost of the library addition, and \$50 extra highway money which will bring an equal sum from the state. The 40 no-license majority was the original number of the workers for no-license had anticipated. While Marlboro and Somerset voted yes it is not expected that a saloon will be maintained in either town and that Windham county will be entirely dry. The total vote on license in the county was "yes" 1127, "no" 2378.

Dorman B. E. Kent of Montpelier, Vermont, the generosity of Ex-Gov. McCullough and his son, Hall Park McCullough, at an auction sale of rare books and documents in New York City, the original copy of the Bennington declaration of independence for the Vermont Historical Society. The copy or a photographic reproduction will be framed and hung in the state house. The price paid for the document was \$90. This is one of the earliest declarations of American patriots against the British government. It is dated at Bennington in 1776 and is signed by five members of a committee and 32 other residents of the town.

PUTNEY LANDLORD ARRESTED.

Charge of Illegal Liquor Selling in Kendrick House Preferred Against C. H. Matthews—Hearing April 2.

On complaint of State's Attorney Frank E. Barber of this town Sheriff George C. Wright of Westminster arrested Charles H. Matthews, proprietor of the Kendrick House in Putney, Wednesday night on a warrant charging him with selling and illegally selling and furnishing intoxicating liquor on several occasions. Judge W. R. Daley of the municipal court, State's Attorney Barber and Attorney A. P. Schwenn, the latter counsel for Mr. Matthews, went to Putney yesterday morning and arranged for a hearing April 2. Bail was fixed at \$500, which Mr. Matthews furnished and was released. Mr. Matthews went to Putney from Athol, Mass., last September. The town was then in the no-license column, but the state's attorney claims to have evidence of several sales of liquor at the hotel. Business has been slack and Mr. Matthews has been talking of closing the hotel until the automobile trade begins for the coming season, and it is his present intention to do so, keeping the place open about six weeks. The people of Putney were somewhat surprised the morning after town meeting day, when the town again voted no-license, to see the curtains drawn and the hotel to all appearances closed. Mr. Barber states that he had intended for some time to have papers served on Mr. Matthews, but that he held off until after town meeting in order that his action might not influence the vote on the license question. On May 5, 1911, Mr. Matthews's predecessor, Landlord Shumway, and two other persons connected with the Kendrick House paid fines in the county court in Newfane amounting to \$2200, the result of prosecutions by the State's Attorney Barber. This was the largest amount ever collected in penalties in a liquor prosecution in the history of Windham county.

SELECTMEN NOT IN A HURRY.

Will Appoint Road Commissioner in Due Time—Mr. Perry will be Released from County Work if Desired.

Friends of the candidates for appointment as road commissioner are freely expressing their views to the selectmen, but the board is not in a hurry to make the appointment as Commissioner D. T. Perry will hold over until his successor is appointed and the work in the road commissioner's department is not very pressing just now. They will fill the office in due time, however. The candidates are D. T. Perry, Henry E. Shipman and Arthur S. Gooch. The latter formerly conducted a grocery store on Elliot street, but has no particular occupation just now. Mr. Shipman conducted a sheep and cattle ranch in Montana until a comparatively short time ago, when he sold out and came here. He is engaged in the lumber business in town, and is not in a hurry to resign that he would give up that work in order to act as road commissioner.

Mr. Perry's friends urge his appointment as road commissioner, and the unfinished work begun by him and the large amount of work in sight for the coming year which will need the services of a competent road builder. Mr. Perry is county supervisor for Windham county and is regarded by State Highway Commissioner C. W. Gates as one of the best men engaged in road work in Vermont. Mr. Gates has sent word that if the town wishes to have the entire services of Mr. Perry he will relieve him from the duties of county supervisor.

In view of the criticism of Mr. Perry's account in the town report which was published in the town meeting, Mr. Dana H. Stafford went over Mr. Perry's accounts Wednesday and informed the selectmen that there were no financial irregularities in the accounts and nothing about them to reflect upon Mr. Perry's honesty in any way, the only criticism being an inadequate system of bookkeeping.

ONLY 21 LICENSE COMMUNITIES.

Number Smallest Since Local Option Law Was Enacted—13 Towns Changed from "Wet" to "Dry."

Only 21 out of 246 cities and towns in Vermont voted license Tuesday, as compared with 29 a year ago. Six of the 14 counties are solidly no-license—Caledonia, Grand Isle, Lamolle, Orange, Orleans and Washington—the latter for the first time. The cities of Burlington, Rutland, St. Albans and Vergennes voted yes, also the towns of Bennington, Bethel, Bloomfield, Brunswick, Canaan, Castleton, Fair Haven, Marlboro, Randolph, Ripton, Searsburg, Shelburne, Shoreham, Somerset, Swanton, Wells and West Rutland. Owing to the smallness of some town meetings were held in St. Johnsbury and Hyde Park.

The towns and cities to change from "wet" to "dry" were: Bolton, Brighton, Chittenden, Colchester, Fayston, Ira, Isle La Motte, Montpelier, Pownal, Reading, St. George, Troy and Vergennes.

Those to change from "dry" to "wet" were: Bloomfield, Castleton, Marlboro, Ripton and Somerset.

There will be saloons in less than 20 cities and towns of the state after May 1. The license will be granted in such sparsely settled communities as Somerset, Searsburg, Brunswick, Bloomfield, Ripton and Marlboro. Marlboro voted no applications filed for license. Searsburg and Somerset, which are little hamlets, have voted for license before, but have never legalized the sale of liquor. Bloomfield and Brunswick are small towns in Essex county.

CROSBY WILL BUILD

Four Story Garage to Face High and Green Streets

Retting Building to Be Torn Down—Fireproof Structure Will Contain 35,000 Feet of Floor Space.

The need in Brattleboro of a first class fireproof garage has been apparent for some time, and to meet this need E. C. Crosby has had prepared plans for a four-story fireproof building, with basement, which he will erect the coming summer at the corner of Green and High streets, west of the Brooks House. The building will be steel, concrete and brick and will be as nearly fireproof as it is possible to make it. It will have a frontage of 50 feet on High street, and of 18 feet on Green street. The main entrance being from High street. For automobiles there will be entrances also on the second and third stories from Green street. The building is planned so that the three stories may be reached from the streets without the use of elevators. The fourth story may be used for apartments or other purposes.

This improvement will necessitate the removal of the old Retting building adjoining the Brooks House property on the west, as well as the demolition of the new garage will cover the site of the Retting building, and the work of tearing out the old structure will be begun by April 1.

The basement of the garage will front on the Brooks House yard and will be rented to several persons for storage and other purposes. Manley Brothers, who have a garage in the rear of the Brooks House, will occupy the first three stories of the new building and will take a long lease of the premises. Their automobile business has grown to such proportions that they are much cramped for room in their present quarters, and the proposed structure will be the most convenient building in the state for the sale, repair and storage of automobiles, an industry which all recognize has come to stay.

This building will remove a large fire hazard at the High street corner. The property to be torn down has been built about 90 years, consists of wood and has become a veritable fire trap. The fire department, at least, will be glad to have the old buildings removed. It is expected that the new garage will be completed by July 1 of the present year. It will contain, including the basement, about 35,000 square feet of floor space.

Mr. Barber will move his piano business from the Retting building to the same rooms in the Brooks House building, fronting on High street, and Peter J. Colton, who conducts a laundry in the Retting building, will move to the store east of his present location. The persons living in the tenements will have to seek accommodations in some other locality. It is expected that Robbins & Cowles, hardwaremen, will use the present Manley garage for storing goods.

Mr. Crosby is showing commendable and characteristic enterprise in this venture. It is evidence of his belief in the future of Brattleboro and in the business development of the town which may be seen on every hand.

CHASE-GILMAN.

The marriage of Harrie Brigham Chase and Miss Mina Annis Gilman took place in the home of the bride's parents on Green street last evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. E. Trout of the Universalist church performing the ceremony. Only the relatives and a few intimate friends of the families were present. The house was decorated prettily, the color scheme being pink and white. The bay window was banked with laurel, studded with a large number of bright and white chrysanthemums, their colors making a pleasing effect. Evergreen trees were placed about the rooms and formed a pretty background.

Previous to the ceremony Miss Harriet M. Holden played Schumann's "Traumerie" on the piano and at 8.30 o'clock the bride entered the room to the strains of Nevin's "Venetian Love Song." Rev. Mr. Trout used a double ring service, during which Miss Holden played the organ to promise. The couple were unattended. The bride wore white satin, with a white veil and carried a shower bouquet of cut roses. The bride's trousseau was a wedding supper was served at individual tables, the color scheme of the decorations being the same as in the ceremony. The tables were decorated with pink and white carnations and other cut flowers and sprigs of green. A reception was held after the supper and the couple went to Greenfield on the 8.34 o'clock train. This morning they went to Whitingham to remain about a month in Charles S. Chase's home in that village.

Mrs. Chase is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Gilman of Green street, her father being the head of the firm of G. E. Gilman & Son, Iverymen, truckmen and contractors. She was born in Pawpaw, Mich., and came to this town with her parents six years ago. She attended the public schools of this town and graduated with the class of 1909 from the Brattleboro high school. She is a well-known and popular young woman and is a member of several clubs and organizations.

Mr. Chase is a son of Attorney and Mrs. Charles S. Chase of Brattleboro, his father being a member of the firm of Chase & Daley, attorneys. He was born in Whitingham and attended the schools of that town and the Wilmington high school, and five years ago came here with his parents. He graduated from Phillips Exeter academy in 1908, and later attended Dartmouth college, leaving there to go to the Boston University School of Law, entering in the fall of 1910. He completed his course in less than the allotted time, and in December, since leaving college he has been engaged in Chase & Daley's law office. He is a popular member of Columbian lodge, F. & M., and the Vermont Wheel club. Mr. and Mrs. Chase will be at home at 9 Harris place after June 1.

Among those from out of town who attended the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Irving C. Ellis and Mrs. Henry Hovey of Northfield, this state, Miss Eva M. Averil of Boston, an intimate friend of the bride, and Harold Bullard of Glens Falls, N. Y., Mr. Chase's college chum.

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