

**HOT METAL EXPLOSION.**

Bridgeporters thought that an earthquake or some other catastrophe had arrived about 8 o'clock last night, when hot metal dumped into the river by the American Tube & Stamping Co. caused an explosion which jarred the entire city.

Buildings were well shaken, and plaster was knocked from the walls of some structures near the scene of

the explosion. Residents in the immediate vicinity of the works have registered vigorous complaints about this annoying practice of the Stamping Co. Last night's blast was only one of many which have occurred.

The middlemen no doubt charge too much, and if so a lot of the smart traders should be able to get rich by providing the same service for a good deal less money.

**OBITUARY**

**Frank A. Brady.**

Frank A. Brady, a well known resident of the West End, died this morning at his home, 787 State street. Mr. Brady was a devout communicant of the Sacred Heart church, a member of Park City council, Knights of Columbus, and Court Nathaniel Wheeler, Foresters of America. A widow, Catherine J. Brady, one daughter, Elizabeth J. Brady, and one son, John J. Brady, a well known truckman of this city; one sister, Mrs. John Murphy, of Hartford, and one brother, Edward Brady, of Derby, survive. The funeral will be held from his late home Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock and from the Sacred Heart church at 9 o'clock, where a high mass of requiem will be celebrated. Burial will be in St. Michael's cemetery.

**Charles P. Cronin.**

Charles P. Cronin, infant son of Daniel and Catherine Cronin, of 38 Ford place, died last night. The funeral will be held this afternoon from the home of the parents. Interment will be in St. Michael's cemetery.

**John Herman.**

After a long illness John Alfred Herman died this morning at his family home, 745 Broad street. He was prominently known in this city and was employed as conductor of the New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. up and until his last sickness. A wife and nine children survive, Catherine Deiter, Mary E. Bucher, Benson and Mildred of Sunbury, Pa., John C., William C., Benjamin and Maurice of Bridgeport. Fraternal, he was affiliated with Henry A. Bishop lodge, No. 111, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. Friends are invited to attend the funeral from his State home, 745 Broad street, March 6, at 7:30 p. m. Body will be taken to Sunbury, Pa., for interment.

**Mrs. Augusta Koehler.**

Funeral services for Mrs. Augusta Koehler were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the family home 262 River street. Rev. James Whitey of Scranton, Pa., a cousin of the deceased, conducted the services. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends. The floral offerings were many. The bearers were Messrs. May, Walzer, Thornton, Mills, Peichert and Pels. Burial was in Park cemetery.

**Michael Link.**

Funeral services for Michael Link of this city were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the undertaking parlors of Charles L. Dennis, 553 State street. Rev. Archibald F. Campbell, pastor of the Washington Park M. E. church, officiated. Deletions from the Loyal Order of Moose and local Bakers' union were present. The bearers were Patrick Carty, Arthur S. Allen, Joseph Farmer and John O'Brien. Burial was in the Moose plot, Lakeview cemetery.

**William C. Taylor.**

After a brief illness of pneumonia William C. Taylor, infant son of William D. and Affy Taylor, died yesterday at the Bridgeport hospital. Funeral services will be conducted at the family home, 43 Black Rock road, on Saturday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Burial will be in Oaklawn cemetery, Fairfield.

**Miss Anna Stasko.**

The funeral of Miss Anna Stasko was held yesterday morning at 10 o'clock from the family home, Hollister ave-

**FINE MUSIC IS PLANNED FOR CHAUTAUQUA**

If music could always be musically good and still, in varying degrees even, within the reach and enjoyment of practically all people, there would be gain and pleasure both of which are sometimes missed. The Chautauqua program this year seems to approximate in a rather exceptional way to this legitimate and varied interest, through its musical features.

Tuesday, March 16th, will open with a concert by the Boston Male Quintet in the afternoon, at which Elsie Mae Gordon, a reader of dialect pieces, will be heard. The men of the quintet are soloists of reputation and their work together is remarkably fine as well as popular. They are heard in a fuller program Tuesday evening.

The second chief day of music will be Friday, the 19th. Both afternoon and evening Sergei Adamsky, the young Russian tenor, will sing operatic numbers and Russian, Spanish and other folk songs; Harriet Case, Loric soprano, of New York, a young singer of peculiarly charming personality and style as well as the possessor of a clear, limpid voice, will be heard; and with these, Anna Eichhorn, violinist, and Edna Sheppard, piano soloist and accompanist.

**GALLI-CURCI TO SING AT POLIS SUNDAY AT 3**

Galli-Curci, who will sing here Sunday at Polli's theatre, under auspices of Rudolph Steiner, and whose fame has been noised abroad with ever-increasing vigor, was born in Milan, Italy, and at the age of 17 won a prize in the conservatory there for skill at the piano.

She was about to begin her career as a concert pianist when Pietro Mascagni, the great Italian composer, advised her to cultivate her voice. She decided to follow his advice, and studied for two years, making her appearance at the Teatro Costanzi in Rome, in the role of "Gilda." She sang at the principal Italian theatres in South America and Russia. For three years she was in Buenos Ayres singing with Caruso. Her American concerts are triumphs.

Her appearance in this city is being awaited with anxious anticipation. Tickets are selling fast at Steiner's, 915 Main street, and preparations are being made for "standing room only" signs.

Gov. Coolidge, whose administration has made a national figure, is not listed in "Who's Who." The country is full of "nomers" which put the "blue book" of fame out of date.

**The Read Annex**

The Usual "Unusual" Bargains Ever Presented in the Annex Fresh Window Draperies A Necessary Item in Spring House Cleaning Season

Some housewives, even now, are getting ready for the spring renovations, and we are ready with a display of new curtain materials.

Marquisette, in ecru, beige and white, perfectly plain, but of substantial weave, with noticeable moire effect. 36 inches wide.

**50 cts. a yard**

Same quality marquisette, with hemstitched borders in fancy design, ecru and white only.

**59 cts.**

**Voiles**

Printed Voiles, in a riot of colors and patterns. They are truly tempting. 39 inches.

**39 cts.**

Japanese, 17 x 50 inches. Pretty on dressers and tables. If a new order, would be \$1.25.

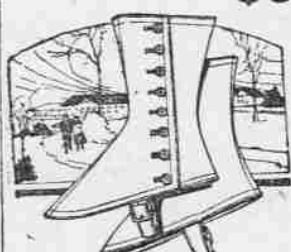
**79 cts.**

**Spring--The Time for Oxfords and Ties**

Visit Our Shoe Department Before Buying--It Will Pay

Black Kid Pumps, new spring styles, three tiny eyelets through which is run gros grain ribbon. High tongues and French heels.

**\$5.95**



**Spats for Between Season's Wear**

Light or dark fawn and taupe colors in a glove fitting spat. They are cut to fit the instep, whether high or low.

**\$1.50**

**Table Damask**

Mercerized, in five different patterns, a lustrous finish. 58 inches.

**89 cts.**

**Special!**

Huck Towels, in various lengths, slightly imperfect in weave, hemmed, good bargain.

**5 for \$1.00**

Special!

**The Read Annex**

**Viscount Grey, Practically Blind, Has Sight Recovered On Last Trip to America**

Yankee Dentist Discovers Reason For Fast Failing Eyesight to Be Infected Tooth. Removal Brings About Gradual Restoration of Eyesight. Read This Editorial Taken From Thursday's Issue of the Bridgeport Telegram.

**OUR TEETH**

From a local paper Thursday, March 4th, 1920.

Viscount Grey, one of England's greatest statesmen, was practically stone blind on his recent visit to America. Now the reports say that his sight is almost completely restored.

An American dentist did it.

While in Washington the British ambassador had a toothache and the toothache turned out to be singularly fortunate, for the Yankee dentist who examined the Viscount's mouth discovered a large abscess at the root of the infected tooth. Removal of this abscess, so the story runs, has brought about a gradual restoration of Viscount Grey's sight.

Recently a well known dentist of Bridgeport told the Rotary club something about the wonderful advances in dentistry. More and more the dental profession and the medical profession are working together, as it is coming to better understood that many baffling ailments have their inception in bad teeth.

Rheumatism, that bugbear of our forefathers, may arise from bad teeth. What connection can there be between an excruciating pain in your shoulder blade, or your knee, and your teeth? Simply this: Bad teeth manufacture poison. This poison is carried by the blood to various parts of the body until it finds lodgment and sets up housekeeping in the weak and exposed places.

Good teeth and good health are almost synonymous terms. How seldom you find the one without the other!

Bridgeport has reason to be proud of the fact that she is the first city in the world to realize the intimate relationship of teeth and health, and to instill in her public schools a system of dental education, inspection and hygiene that will give to the future generations in this city the finest teeth ever.

The man whose teeth were ruined by neglect in childhood will never get them back. The good dentist today doesn't aim to repair teeth—he aims to save them, to keep them beyond need of repair. And his motto is "Get them young."

The Bridgeport idea in the care of teeth is a product of the genius, enthusiasm, and personal effort of a Bridgeport dentist, who is one of the nation's foremost authorities on dental work. Other cities—even other nations—are sending delegations to Bridgeport to see how we do it, but when we show our teeth to them the gesture is a friendly one.

And a pleasant one to look at, thanks to the above doctor's efforts.

In Thursday's issue of the Telegram this article appeared! And this is not the first instance where the cause of GOOD TEETH has been made a health stand by a Bridgeport newspaper. Recently the Bridgeport Times printed a story showing how the dental clinic of one of the New Jersey State Hospitals had practically restored the mental powers of 289 supposedly insane people of that state in 1919 by dental extractions. The press of the country is repeatedly taking up matters of this nature, which space to call the attention of the public to the importance of keeping teeth in good condition.

The Bridgeport Telegram says: GOOD TEETH AND GOOD HEALTH ARE ALMOST SYNONYMOUS TERMS. HOW SELDOM YOU FIND ONE WITHOUT THE OTHER!

GOOD HEALTH AND GOOD TEETH go hand in hand. Unless you enjoy GOOD TEETH you are not enjoying GOOD HEALTH. And if you are not in the best of health—there is something radically wrong and needs attention. Going to the family medicine chest and pawing over a lot of dusty half-filled bottles doesn't mean that you are searching for GOOD HEALTH. If you would take that time to go to the dentist—a reliable dentist—instead of placing so much faith in so-called "family" medicine "cure-alls" you might learn some very interesting news—news that is only obtainable from the story divulged by the X-Ray which makes the gums give up their secrets.

Everything you own of a mechanical nature—the vacuum cleaner, the electric iron, the electrical washer, motor car, bicycle, etc., get out of kilter every so often. WHY? Parts wear out and need attention. Suppose you find a tiny leak in the gas pipe. Would you put off fixing it? Suppose you found a drop-in-hour leak in the water pipe. Would you put off repairing it? OF COURSE NOT! THEN—WHY PUT OFF THE ATTENTION THAT YOUR TEETH NEED? YOUR TEETH MAKE OR BREAK HEALTH! SURELY YOU DON'T DESIRE TO BECKON ILL-HEALTH! WELL—THAT'S EXACTLY WHAT YOU ARE DOING WHEN YOU LET YOUR TEETH GO UNATTENDED.

Every single living man, woman and child in the world owes one pledge to themselves. And this is—"I BELIEVE IN GOOD TEETH BECAUSE GOOD TEETH MAKE GOOD



DR. D. D. KRAUSE.

HEALTH TO ENJOY GOOD HEALTH — TO KEEP GOOD HEALTH — I WILL GO TO THE DENTIST AT LEAST TWICE A YEAR TO HAVE MY TEETH EXAMINED.

Make this the STRONGEST PLANK in your rules for living. See that it is carried out. Live up to it—and if you do—you will be money in—and you will always be in GOOD HEALTH—and you will have what hundreds of others haven't but wished they did have—and this is—GOOD TEETH.

Bridgeport, Connecticut, is taken as model city the world over! WHY? Bridgeport, Connecticut, receives letters for assistance constantly from other municipalities! WHY? Bridgeport, Connecticut, has earned the right to be known as the first city in the world to CARE FOR ITS CHILDREN! WHY?

The answer to all these questions is—BECAUSE BRIDGEPORT, CONNECTICUT, IS THE FIRST CITY IN THE WORLD TO INSTALL IN HER SCHOOL SYSTEM INSPECTION AND HYGIENE THAT WILL GIVE HER FUTURE GENERATIONS THE FINEST TEETH IMAGINABLE. If the teeth are important enough for the City of Bridgeport to spend thousands of dollars annually, in inspection work—if the teeth are so important that this work is carried out free to the patient—your smaller brother or sister, your daughter or son, your niece or nephew or your grandchild—YOUR TEETH DESERVING OF THE SAME ATTENTION? Save your teeth. Start today. Don't take a chance and put it off. We will

EXAMINE YOUR TEETH FREE. Perhaps they don't need attention. Such an examination would mean that you were nothing out if this was the case. On the other hand supposing such an examination did disclose needed attention— isn't it cheaper for you to have that work done today instead of waiting? To wait is to invite larger dental bills— because the longer you wait—the worse the condition grows. To wait is to invite pain and suffering. AND—a general poisoning of the system. Get that NEEDED ATTENTION at once. Don't put it off another day.

Now to use the dentist to perform this work for you! Experience must serve you in picking out your dentist. For 15 years we have been practicing—successfully in Bridgeport. This places us in a position to do your work for you—to perform this work painlessly for you carefully, thoroughly—and at small cost. We must keep our operators busy. To do this we offer the following prices special for the next month:

Besides an entire set of teeth for \$15, the next 30 days we have several other special offers to make. X-Ray examinations two dollars a picture—entire set \$8; Porcelain Teeth, \$4; Reinforced Gold Crowns—22 k. gold—\$4; Silver Fillings, 50c; Porcelain Fillings, \$2; Teeth Cleaned, 75c, and examinations are free.

We contend that our offices are not only the most up-to-date with up-to-the minute equipment and methods in the city but also the state. You may pay us a visit and see how well we are prepared to care for your teeth. Be your own judge.

Our 15 years' successful practice of



DR. R. E. TURNER.

**DR. BELL'S VERDICT**

The following is taken from an article appearing recently in the "Journal of the American Medical Association"—quoting Dr. George Foster Bell, attending surgeon of the New York Eye and Ear Infirmary.

The three T's are as indispensable to physical diagnosis as are the three R's to rudimentary education. And the three T's as selected by Dr. Bell are—THE TEETH, the tonsils and toxemia or intestinal poisoning. But the most important of these three—the one that Dr. Bell lays the greatest stress on, is—THE TEETH. He states that an examination on the teeth should include—(1) inspection of the mouth—(2) Examination of the gums—and—(3) X-Ray of all teeth, dead or alive, pivots, arches and bridges.

Dr. Bell tells of two very interesting cases to illustrate the relation between mouth infection and eyesight. The first was a clinic patient with inflammation of the iris in each eye, which gave severe pain. He was sent to the hospital for treatment, and while there, 14 badly decayed teeth were removed. The patient's recovery was so rapid that in four weeks he left the hospital. He gained 14 pounds in weight at the end of nine weeks, and regained normal sight in both eyes.

The other case was that of a man complaining of failing vision in his right eye. His tonsils had been removed, but his mouth was in bad condition with inflamed gums and a gum boil, while an X-Ray of his teeth showed an old root and an abscess around two upper teeth. This examination was made in 1917. His mouth was put in absolutely sanitary condition, and in one year he had improved so much that the vision in his right eye was normal.

Dr. Bell makes a plea to "get right" on the dental question. He further states that errors of diet and condition of the teeth are also responsible for much toxemia of the intestinal tract.

WHEN SUCH AN EMINENT SURGEON AS DR. BELL MAKES THE ABOVE CONCLUSIONS—YOU MUST DO YOUR CONCLUDING TOO. A TRIP HERE FOR EXAMINATIONS WILL NOT COST YOU A PENNY—BUT—SUCH A TRIP TODAY WILL SAVE YOU UNTOLD SUFFERINGS AND WEEKS—YES? PERHAPS MONTHS AND YEARS OF ILL HEALTH.

DRS. KRAUSE AND TURNER

dentistry in Bridgeport stands behind us as a monument to the best work possible. It is the benefit of these years that is yours and this experience will help you as it does others. Don't forget the names! Drs. Krause and Turner—187 Fairfield avenue—across from the Telephone building. Up one flight. We are just a half block from the corner of Main street and Fairfield avenue—right in the heart of the city. Office hours are from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Open Sundays 10 a. m. to 1 p. m. Lady in attendance. Phone Barnum 3282 and make an appointment today.—Adv.