

35,000 FOR A CHILD

Waterbury Case Resembles Poem, "Which Shall It Be."

One of the wealthy residents of Waterbury gave a woman, who has been in the habit of complaining of having too many children a nut to crack the other day and she doesn't know what to do with it.

ORATORIO SOCIETY.

Great Preparations Made for Coming Musical.

Not only has the Waterbury Oratorio society engaged for its concert in Music hall the Buckingham on the evening of Tuesday, February 12, two such excellent soloists as John Young, tenor, and Leo Schulz, violinist.

The tickets for this concert are priced at 50 cents, 75 cents and \$1. The tickets which the chorus members will offer for sale will be disposed of at the uniform rate of 75 cents.

PROMINENT LECTURER.

Bicknell Young Will Speak at the Buckingham To-morrow Afternoon.

Bicknell Young, C. S. B., the lecturer, who is to explain Christian Science to Waterbury people to-morrow afternoon in the Buckingham Music hall, is a graduate of the National Training School for Music of London, England, and was a well known baritone singer and a lecturer upon subjects relating to music.

CITY NEWS

The members of Court McGivney, Daughters of Isabella, gave a dance in Knights of Columbus hall last evening.

Miss Sadie E. Cunningham, formerly employed as stenographer at the Elton, has accepted a position with the Waterbury Rubber Tire Coach company.

Miss Eileen Dunn of 33 Meadow street, who has been suffering for the past three months with an acute attack of arthritis deformity is able to sit up.

The cold weather of the past few days, aided by the snow, have kept the trains behind time, some of them being a half hour late.

Fulton's American band is meeting with much success in the effort to collect \$1,000. The band has found it hard going by endeavoring to keep together on the proceeds of engagements and now the members are calling upon their friends for aid.

An automobile going at a very fast clip narrowly missed colliding with a car on West Main street this morning. The machine was traveling along the car tracks and as it rounded the curve near St. John's church, the chauffeur had to hustle to get the automobile into the middle of the street so as not to crash against an oncoming car.

AS YOU LIKE IT.

Some Stray Leaves from a Reporter's Note Book.

The request to omit flowers is becoming quite common in connection with obituary notices and many say they hope to see a few words more added in the near future in the form of a modest hint that a long line of carriages is not desirable.

The recent finding of a tomb stone in a cellar of a candy store on South Main street caused much comment among those who thought that it was rather peculiar that candy should be made on a slab which some time before designated the resting place of some person that had gone to join the majority.

As the result of telling a very clever story to a crowd of willing listeners at Washington recently, Representative Ryan of New York has been unanimously elected a member of the Amalgamated Order of Fabilettes.

The other day Representative Charley Landis accosted Representatives Hay and Lamb of Virginia and asked them if there was any truth in the story he heard in Indiana about the large number and the great strength of the Virginia crows.

Landis says somebody told him the following story and swore it to be gospel: "The crows were terrible in Virginia, and we had scarcely planted the corn when the crows followed us, scratching up and gobbling every grain, and we had the planting to do over again."

In some respects the snow helps because it gives men who are willing and able to work lots to do, but those who are old and feeble and not very well fixed financially find it pretty hard to get along, and as a consequence the department of charities have a few callers during snow storms that do not show up at any other part of the year.

Some folks are hard to handle and once in a while they get huffy over nothing and try to get square with the boys and girls by applying for quarters at the Brookside home, but these are exceptions.

REJECT BANGS

Government May Give Contract to W. J. Oliver on Conditions.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—As a result of an extended conference at the White House last night it was decided to reject the bid of Oliver & Bangs, who proposed to complete the construction of the Panama canal for 6.75 per cent of the total estimated cost, in so far as Anson M. Bangs of New York city is concerned.



ANSON M. BANGS.

other contractor who is financially responsible he will be given the contract for the construction of the canal. The fact that the MacArthur-Gillespie company of New York, whose bid for the construction of the canal was 12.5 per cent, were represented at the conference leads many of the interested parties to believe that a combination may be formed between that firm and Mr. Oliver.

If Mr. Oliver refuses to consider the contract, after the rejection of Mr. Bangs, the canal commission will immediately issue a call for new bids. Anson M. Bangs of New York, Mr. Oliver's associate in the canal proposal, who was rejected by the canal commission, was the contractor for the 800 canal locks. He is president of the Federal Construction company of New York city, which is capitalized at \$2,000,000.

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., Jan. 26.—John Boylan, local agent for the Standard Oil company, convicted of selling oil of inferior quality and of a flash test below that required by law and whose conviction has been upheld by a supreme court decision, will not have to serve his sentence of forty days in jail, this being made possible by an order issued by Judge Case of the superior court, which places Boylan in the care of a probation officer for forty days.

PATCOQUE, N. Y., Jan. 26.—A new form of scooter, which promises to mark a new era in ice competitions, has been invented by Nathaniel Roe in this village, who expresses confidence of attaining a speed exceeding a hundred miles an hour with his new device. He easily runs it at the rate of seventy-five miles an hour. An ordinary fourteen foot scooter is furnished with a powerful motor which last year served for driving a flying machine.

TROLLEY SCHEDULE

New Service Soon With New Haven Car From the Green.

Through service New Haven to Waterbury, leaving New Haven every 24 minutes, beginning January 28th, 1907, is as follows: First car leaves New Haven for Mt Carmel 5:30 a. m. and every 24 minutes to 11:54 p. m.

Leave Mt Carmel station for New Haven at 6:06 a. m., 6:30 a. m., Mt Carmel switch 6:54 a. m., and every 24 minutes to 12:30 midnight.

First car leaves New Haven for Cheshire and Waterbury 6:18 a. m. and every 24 minutes to 11:54 p. m. Leave Waterbury for Cheshire 5:45 a. m., 5:54 a. m. and every 24 minutes to 11:30 p. m.

Leave Cheshire for Waterbury 6:15 a. m., 7:18 a. m., and every 24 minutes to 12:54 midnight. Leave Waterbury for New Haven 5:54 a. m. and every 24 minutes to 11:30 p. m.

Cars leaving New Haven for Waterbury will connect with car for Middale at Cheshire from 7:18 a. m. to 11:18 p. m., except the cars leaving 30 minutes past the even number hour.

Last car from New Haven connecting with cars for: Plainville and Meriden, 9:06 p. m. Southington, 10:18 p. m. Cheshire and Waterbury, 11:54 p. m.

Last cars from Waterbury for: Plainville and Meriden, 9:30 p. m. Southington, 10:42 p. m. Cheshire and New Haven, 11:30 p. m.

Last car from Cheshire for: Mt Carmel and New Haven, 12:06 midnight. Sunday first car from New Haven to Waterbury 7:06 a. m. (then same as week days).

Leave Waterbury for New Haven 6:42 a. m., then same as week days. Toulon Depot Burned.

TOULON, Jan. 26.—The provision depots of the government here were destroyed by fire last night. The damage is placed at \$200,000. A regiment of colonial infantry was called out to assist in the work. Ten soldiers of this regiment were arrested for pilfering from the burned buildings.

Fast Line From St. John's to Ireland ST. JOHN'S, N. F., Jan. 26.—English capitalists have closed a contract with the government of Newfoundland for a fast transatlantic steamship line to run between a port on the Irish coast and St. John's. The steamers are to make twenty-two knots an hour.

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