

EXPLOSION KILLED 14

And 13 Were Injured at Woolwich Today.

FIVE BUILDINGS WRECKED

Bodies of Victims Were Blown Into Atoms and Pieces Were Collected in Buckets.

London, June 18.—A terrific explosion occurred in the Lyddite factory at Woolwich this morning. Five buildings were completely wrecked. The reports as to the number of casualties are conflicting, but the latest statement places the dead at 14 and the injured at 13. Those who were killed were blown to atoms, the remains being gathered up in buckets, the scenes about the wrecked building is pathetic.

MUST PUNISH REGIDES.

Russian Official Communication on Servian Massacres.

St. Petersburg, June 18.—An official communication was published this morning welcoming the accession of Prince Peter Karageorgevitch to the throne, expressing the conviction that he will know how to severely punish the regicides, whose misdeeds should not fall on the entire Servian race. It declares it would be dangerous for the tranquillity of Servia to leave unpunished the crime of the military assassins.

MAXIMUM II. WON \$20,000.

American Jockey McIntyre Rode Whover at Ascot Race.

London, June 18.—The race for the gold cup, valued at a thousand sovereigns, and with 3,000 sovereigns added, ran at Ascot today in the presence of the King, Queen and a number of members of the royal family, was won by DeBromond's Maximum II. with McIntyre, the American jockey, up. Lord DeWalden's Blazing Glass was second and Lord Cadogan's Elba third.

BURIED IN RUINS.

Four Persons Thought to be Under Collapsed Building.

New York, June 18.—The interior of a factory building at 49 Bowery, collapsed this morning. The second and third floor, occupied by the Lyons Paper Box Manufacturing company, with about fifty of their employees, was carried into the cellar and buried in a mass of debris. Many scrambled out unaided but seven were seriously hurt. Four are missing and it is believed they are buried in the wreckage.

Sons of Veterans at Stowe.

Stowe, June 17.—About fifty delegates and visitors from out of town arrived in Stowe on Tuesday to attend the state encampment of the Sons of Veterans and Ladies' Aid societies. The exercises began on Tuesday evening with a concert by Stowe Military band at the Palisades Park. A large number of people attended the concert and were served with ice cream and cake at the Pavilion, after which the company adjourned to Lovejoy's hall, where a promenade and dance was held.

NEW AIR SHIP.

Stanley Spencer's Model Claimed to Be One That Will Really Sail.

Stanley Spencer, who sailed over London last year, will make a remarkable trial with his new air ship from the Ranelagh club grounds July 11, says the New York World. The journey will not be dependent upon perfect weather conditions, the great power of this craft being sufficient, it is calculated, to force it through winds which would stop smaller craft. It will have twenty-four horse power, while last year's air ship had only four horse power. Mr. Spencer says a storm might delay the start, but that ordinary summer breezes will make little or no difference.

The air ship when finished is to be ninety feet long and twenty-two feet broad in the widest part. Beneath a clear shaped balloon will be suspended a bamboo framework carrying one or two passengers, a petrol engine, a screw propeller and a rudder. Everything will be worked from the car by an apparatus similar to the Bowden cycle brake.

Quick Shirt Making.

At Troy a linen shirt is made in six and a half minutes, the working of the buttonholes occupying one-quarter of a minute.

Raw Vegetables.

A physician recommends housewives to wash raw vegetables in at least two waters and then expose them to the force of water running from a faucet in order to dislodge any germs that may be lurking therein.

WILL NOT CHANGE NAME.

Episcopal Diocese of Vermont Puts off the Matter.

Rutland June 17.—The annual convention of the Episcopal diocese of Vermont was held in this city today, the work being largely of a routine nature. The question of changing the name of the church was taken up but no definite result was obtained.

The matter of changing the church name was taken up this afternoon. A resolution was introduced to the effect "that it is not deemed necessary to change the name of the church at present." This was lost by a non-concurrence of orders, the lay delegates favoring the resolution and the clergy opposing it.

Another resolution was introduced providing "While it is desirable to change the name of the church the convention does not deem it advisable at this time." The resolution was laid on the table.

The afternoon was largely devoted to reports and routine work. The report of the finance committee showed \$240,000 in invested funds and everything in excellent condition.

MUSICIANS SEEK DIVORCE.

Lives of Prof and Mrs R. O. Goldsmith not Properly Attuned.

Bennington, June 17.—Bennington county court has been occupied the last two days with the divorce case of Prof. R. O. Goldsmith, vs. Carrie Warren Goldsmith. The case is closely contested by the respondent, who now resides in Boston.

It is the most sensational divorce case tried in Bennington county for years. Both parties are prominent here and widely known in musical circles, and the outcome of the suit is awaited with much interest.

Mrs. Goldsmith has also filed an application for divorce from her husband.

A SECOND CLASS LICENSE.

First One Granted in Addison County Goes to Bristol.

Bristol, June 17.—Addison county now has a second class liquor license, the first permit of this kind under the new law having been granted to Daniel Layne.

At the first hearing on Mr. Layne's application no objections to the man were made but four adjacent property owners opposed the granting of the license. These property owners were given an exclusive opportunity to state their cases before the commissioners. At the close of the hearing the commissioners came to a unanimous decision in favor of granting the license.

NEW ODD FELLOWS LODGE.

Eighteen Charter Members at Newfane—Grand Officers Present.

Brattleboro, June 17.—A lodge of Odd Fellows to be known as Newfane Lodge, No. 72, was instituted in Newfane last night by Grand Master S. W. Reed, of Windsor. Grand Secretary Harry E. Wacker of Bradford, was also present. Wantaquest lodge of Brattleboro conferred the degrees, sixty-six members being present. The new lodge has eighteen charter members.

OPPOSE STATE DISPENSARY.

Resolution Adopted at Franklin County W. C. T. U. Convention.

St. Albans, June 18.—At the recent convention of the Franklin County W. C. T. U. resolutions were adopted opposing a state liquor dispensary as follows: "That we will discourage any attempt to fasten the dispensary system upon our state and thus make it a partner in the liquor traffic."

LEAGUE BASE BALL.

Boston Nationals Lost Afternoon Game With Brooklyn.

Yesterday's National League scores: At Boston, Brooklyn 14, Boston 0. At Philadelphia, New York 7, Philadelphia 4.

National League Standing: Won. Lost. Pct. Won. Lost. Pct. New York 25 15 .625 Cincinnati 21 27 .438 Pittsburgh 20 27 .425 Boston 19 29 .408 Chicago 18 29 .383 Philadelphia 15 33 .312 Brooklyn 15 34 .310 St. Louis 12 38 .240

Yesterday's American League scores: At Boston, Boston 0, Cleveland 1. At New York, New York 1, Chicago 0. At Philadelphia, Philadelphia 11, St. Louis 1.

American League Standing: Won. Lost. Pct. Won. Lost. Pct. Philadelphia 31 18 .633 Chicago 23 23 .477 Boston 28 19 .594 New York 23 27 .457 Cleveland 23 26 .468 Detroit 20 28 .417 St. Louis 22 31 .413 Wash'ton 14 32 .304

RELIC TO BE TOMBSTONE.

Veteran Boys Bowlder That Shielded Him at Gettysburg.

H. P. Patterson of Aurora, Ind., a veteran of the civil war, recently while on a visit to Gettysburg succeeded in locating a large bowlder behind which he sought shelter during the furious attacks of the Confederate troops on the exposed position of the Union tank, says the Philadelphia Press.

Mr. Patterson was so well pleased with his find that, notwithstanding the fact that the rock weighed between six and eight tons, he purchased it from the Culp estate and had it shipped to his western home, where he intends to use it as a monument to mark his grave after his death.

Inventing.

The "business of inventing" pays an average smaller profit than any other in the United States.

Chinese Census Making.

In China the inhabitants are counted every year in a curious manner. The oldest master of every ten houses has to count the families and make a list, which is sent to the Imperial tax house.

DISHONEST IN CONTRACTS

Supt. of Money Order System Removed.

POST OFFICE SCANDAL

Said to Have Favored a Company in Which His Son is an Employee.

Washington, June 17.—As a result of alleged indiscretion in matters pertaining to the award of contracts for printing the money order forms of the government, James T. Metcalfe, for many years superintendent of the money order system of the postoffice department, today was removed from office by the post-master-general. A full investigation of the case will be made later.

GASOLENE SLOPPED OVER.

Caused a Slight Fire in a Burlington House.

Burlington, June 17.—An alarm was rung in this morning from box 22 at the corner of North and North Willard streets shortly before 10 o'clock. The blaze, which was of it, was in the house of Miss Laura C. Duffey at 210 North Willard street. The lady of the house had lighted a gasoline stove in the kitchen, and it is thought the gasoline slopped over. At any rate the affair developed that sudden desire to burn up which all gasoline stoves have in common, and was in flames in an instant. The ladders from station three, being nearest, arrived first and carried the stove out of doors. The damage was slight.

DEDICATION ARTHUR MEMORIAL.

Likely to Take Place During the Week Ending Aug. 16.

Ludlow, June 17.—It is now very probable that the dedication of the Chester A. Arthur monument at Fairfield will take place some time during the week of August 16. Members of the Vermont association of Boston, which is to visit the east side of the state in a body that week, have expressed a desire that the dedication exercises be held when they can come across to be present at them, and, if the date will be acceptable to Robert T. Lincoln who is to make the address, the change will probably be made. The arrangements are in the charge of ex-Gov. W. W. Stickney.

JOHN L. BACON MENTIONED.

Windsor County May Present His Name for Governor in 1904.

White River Junction, June 18.—The mention of State Treasurer John L. Bacon of this town as a possible candidate for governor at some time in the future appears to have favorably impressed the people of Windsor county. Some are inquiring, "Why not place him in the field next year instead of later?"

SMALL POX IN BARTON LANDING.

Thirty-Five Pupils in Grammar Department Exposed.

Barton Landing, June 18.—There is a case of small pox in the village and several have been exposed. At present there are about 20 houses quarantined as suspected, the patient, Hazel Merriam, having attended school when sick, exposing 35 pupils in the grammar department.

EAST MONTPELIER.

Mrs. Ira Wright has been called to Barton on account of her father being ill.

Mrs. Frank LeBarron and son Robert, were in Plainfield Tuesday.

Wallace Clark and daughter Lena, came home from Wood Pond where they have been camping to attend the strawberry festival.

The White Mountain train makes its first trip Monday, when the new time table on the M. & W. goes into effect. The 1.23 and 3.37 p. m. train will stop. The mixed leaves at 9.37 and mail at 11.37 a. m. for Montpelier.

The strawberry festival, held under the auspices of East Montpelier Lodge of I. O. G. T., in the village hall Wednesday evening, was quite well attended considering the weather. C. F. Dudley sang a solo entitled "Mistress Prue." Miss Alice Gray rendered several violin solos. Ruby Wright spoke a piece. The young folks promenaded, after which refreshments were served.

The Evangelical society will hold three meetings commencing Tuesday, June 23rd, on the old camp grounds in the grove if the weather permits, otherwise meetings will be held in the church. There will be several speakers present, Rev. M. E. Perry of Woodsville, N. H., Rev. J. A. Ward of Montpelier and several others. During the meeting there will be a camp meeting association organized. A large attendance is desired and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

CUPID'S MANY VICTORIES

Miss Mabel Way and C. H. White Married.

NORTHFIELD WEDDINGS.

R. W. Dunsmoor, Formerly of Barre, Married to Miss Lois Worcester at Roxbury.

Burlington, June 18.—At the home of the bride's father, Abel Whitney, on Mansfield avenue, Miss Mabel S. Way was united in marriage this afternoon to C. H. White of Walden, the ceremony being very quietly performed in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the bride by Rev. Edie K. M. Jones of Barre.

DUNSMOOR-WORCESTER.

Former Barre Young Man Married at Roxbury.

Roxbury, June 17.—A pretty home wedding occurred last evening when Miss Lois Worcester was united in marriage to R. W. Dunsmoor of Northfield at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worcester of this village at 8.30 o'clock, Rev. W. S. Hazen of Northfield performing the ceremony.

The couple marched into the room where they were to be married to the strains of a wedding march played by Miss Mae Ellis. They were attended by Miss Statton as bridesmaid and Mr. Brown of Hanover, N. H., as best man, and stood under a large bell of evergreen.

The room was profusely decorated with evergreen, ferns and flowers. There was a large number of relatives of the contracting parties present and there were many costly and useful presents. The bride and groom are very popular and well known young people and have many friends who wish them happiness. The groom is in the employ of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunsmoor left for a short wedding trip and on their return Friday night will be given a reception by the Good Templar lodge of this village of which both are members.

Mr. Dunsmoor resided for a time in Barre.

BRYAN-STEWART.

Popular Montpelier Man Takes a Lanceter, N. H. Bride.

Lancaster, N. H., June 18.—Miss Inez Stewart of Lancaster, became the bride of Frank Bryan of Montpelier, last evening, the ceremony being performed in the Congregational church by Rev. Edward R. Stearns. The Episcopal service was used.

The bride had as maid of honor, Miss Grace Bullard of Lancaster, and her maids were Misses Sally Oviatt, Agnes Thompson, Mary Bright and Roxanna Jordan. Frederick Bryan of Montpelier, was best man, and the ushers were business associates of the groom at Montpelier, Paul Dillingham, Frank G. Goss, Dorman B. Eaton-Kent and Edward D. Field. The bride was becomingly gowned in silk muller over white silk with train. She wore a tulle veil and carried bride's roses. Blue and white was the color effect in gown of the maids and of the decorations.

LANCE-CUSHMAN.

Pretty Marriage Ceremony at St. Mary's Church, Northfield.

Northfield, June 18.—Carrie M. Cushman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cushman, and Joseph Theron Lance were married in St. Mary's Episcopal church last evening by the Rev. W. L. Schofield. Miss Isabelle Line of New York was maid of honor, Miss Kibber of South Royalton and Miss Clara D. Hovey, bridesmaids, Frank Judd was best man. The attendants were Harriet Whitney and Evelyn Harlow. The bride was given away by her father, W. F. Cushman. The church was handsomely decorated with ferns and daisies. The bride wore white crepe de chine over silk with a veil and carried bride's roses. A reception was held later at the bride's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lance are both popular in social circles and the wedding was one of the most brilliant of recent years. They will make Northfield their home.

WOODBURY-LOWELL.

Norwich University Professor Takes a Northfield Bride.

Northfield, June 18.—Carl Vose Woodbury, professor of languages at Norwich University, and Ella Frances, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Lowell, were married at the bride's home last evening

by the Rev. W. S. Hazen, in the presence of relatives and faculty of the college and their wives. Following the ceremony a reception was held from 8 to 10 o'clock. The house was handsomely decorated, the color scheme being green and white. The bride wore white silk trimmed with lace. Miss Ruth Woodbury of Maine was bridesmaid and George P. Lowell the best man. Prof. and Mrs. Woodbury will spend the summer in Maine and return here at the opening of the fall term of the university. He has been professor here several years.

Bennington Lady Married.

Bennington, June 17.—The marriage of Miss Mary P. Norton, to Robert Knights of Philadelphia, took place today at noon. The ceremony was performed at the Edward Norton homestead on Pleasant street, by Rev. George B. Lawson of Brattleboro.

FOUR GATES OF HELL.

Fr. Sutton Tells of Things That Are Bending People Down.

The fourth in the series of lectures to non-Catholics for the second week was given at St. Monica's Church last evening to a large and much interested audience. The subject was "Four Gates of Hell." On the first road we find a violent mob, we hear their curses, blaspheming, wrangling and quarrelling. Over the entrance of that gate we read, "Entrance into hell for the curser and blasphemer." One of the first commandments that God gave on Mt. Sinai, when he proclaimed the law to Moses as follows, "Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain."

At the entrance of the second gate is written overhead: "Entrance into Hell for all those breaking the Sabbath Day." For God's commandment is: "Remember thou keep holy the Sabbath Day." God it is true has a right to every day, we should worship him every day, for he is our Supreme Lord and Master. But God knows the need we have to provide for the body. He has limited us to one day. We then wish to rob God of this one day of worship.

Written over the third gate is: "Entrance into Hell for the Impure." God's law says: "Thou shalt not commit Adultery." Unfortunately as it is a common thing, the fornicator, the adulterer.

As the entrance of the fourth gate we find written overhead: "Entrance into Hell for the Drunkard." St. Paul says, "The drunkard shall not enter the Kingdom of Heaven." Drunkenness is a crime which includes all others. He does not worship God; curses and blasphemes; neglects his family; guilty of impurity; steals; will take things that are not always his own; robs from his own family what belongs to them. He is guilty of almost every crime.

The subject of tonight's lecture is "Is One Religion as Good as Another?"

GAVE PLEASANT SOCIAL.

Neal Dow Lodge, I. O. G. T., Entertain Many Friends.

The Neal Dow Lodge, I. O. G. T., held a very enjoyable social in the E. of P. hall last evening which was largely attended. An interesting program was rendered during the first part of the evening after which marching and refreshments took up the rest of the evening, the boys orchestra furnishing music for the marching.

The following is the program which was nicely rendered and very much enjoyed by all: Music, Boys' orchestra; vocal solo, Beatrice Callaghan; reading, Bessie Jones; flute solo, Mr. Rossi; piano solo, Miss Nelson; reading, Dr. F. M. Lynde; piano solo, Beatrice Callaghan; vocal solo, Jennie Mann. Photograph selections were given by Mr. Hayward during the program making one of the most interesting parts of the entertainment.

DISCUSSION OF HEALTH.

Continued by the School of Health Officers at Burlington.

Burlington, June 17.—Today's sessions of the fifth annual school of state health officers was largely attended. Two papers were read this morning, one by H. L. Stillson of Bennington, on "Vermont Laws Relating to Registration of Vital Statistics," and another by Dr. J. H. Blodgett of Saxtons River, on "What Constitutes a Nuisance Injurious to the Public Health."

The legal aspects of the first paper were ably discussed by Joel C. Baker of Rutland. This afternoon Dr. E. M. Brown of Sheldon, read a paper on "Sanitary Regulations of Barber Shops." Prof. M. P. Ravanel of the University of Pennsylvania, spoke on "Human and Bovine Tuberculosis."

MORE TROUBLE FOR POLICE.

More Burlington Blue Coats Suspended From Office.

Burlington, June 18.—Charges have been preferred against Police Officers M. C. Graton and P. J. Cosgrove. The charges are not made this time by Mayor Burke but by Paul Robinson, who claims that his son was abused, roughly handled and ill-treated when arrested several weeks ago.

John Donahue, a special policeman who has been doing regular duty, has been suspended by Mayor Burke on charges of immorality. It is said that many complaints have been made against Donahue.

FOR BAND CONCERTS.

Two Contributions of \$10 Each Already Offered.

The Times has received contributions for the proposed band concerts in Barre by the Montpelier Military band as follows: Vermont Fruit Co., \$10.00. E. A. Drown, 10.00.

If tired of paying rent, read the ad. of the D. A. Perry Real Estate Agency on page 7.

NEW BARRE ENTERPRISE

General Grocery and Provision Store

BY CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY

To Be Opened Next Monday—Large and Commodious Store to Be Run on New Plan.

The Barre Cooperative Society, which began in a small but successful way last fall to purchase and distribute wood to its then few members, and which a little later added milk to its business when the milk dealers raised the price from five to six cents, will on Monday next branch out into a much larger undertaking, that of furnishing meats, groceries, provisions and bread to its now large number of members and also to all others who wish to become its patrons.

The society has been very successful in the two enterprises it first took up and its new undertaking promises to be even more so.

A few months ago the society rented the block and grounds of Patrick Brown at 303 North Main street, and since then has been making active preparations for their new undertaking. When they open their store Monday, all the business of the society will be done here. The wood yards are located at the rear end of the lot; the stable for their horses and wagons is also here, and a smoke house is being erected. In the main building is located their store, 30x20 feet in size, with basement and chamber for storage room. On the second floor are rooms for the director's meetings and also for the ladies meetings.

The store will be one of the best equipped in the city, being supplied with a large meat refrigerator 9x15 feet, refrigerator scales, sausage machinery run by electric motor, coffee mill run by electric motor, an Eddy butter refrigerator, a power freight elevator and a cash railway system—in fact, everything needed for prompt service. One side of the store will be given to the meat, fruit and provision department, the other to groceries and bread, cakes and pastry, and a full line of goods will be kept in stock.

The new store will open with a full line of experienced employes as follows: Fred P. Kinney, formerly with the City Fish Market, general manager; Frank Hutchins, with F. D. Ladd, head of the meat department; George Flanagan, formerly with Ladd, meat clerk; Warren Church, formerly with M. W. Scribner, meat clerk; Thomas C. Peters, formerly with Frank Merchant, grocery clerk; C. F. Newhall, grocery clerk; Leroy Livingstone and Willie Mears, boys; Miss Jennie Broggi, charge of bread and pastry department; Miss George Wilson, cashier.

The society will have three grocery teams, with new Concord wagons, and stabling for the same; they have on the premises in the barn which will accommodate eight horses. The stable man to have charge of the teams is not yet engaged. Another man is delivering wood from the sheds on the premises and at this season much wood is being delivered direct from the society's wood lot to consumers.

The store will be open for inspection on Saturday evening and will begin business Monday morning. The sale of goods is not to be confined to stockholders only, as some believe, but to any and all who wish to purchase, and goods will be sold at a fair living price.

On Friday evening the clerks are requested to meet at the store for instructions.

MRS. CHANDLER'S BIRTHDAY.

Remembered by Friends and Neighbors With a Surprise Party.

Some forty or more of the friends of Mrs. Susan M. Chandler surprised her with a visit at her home, 80 South Main street, last evening, the occasion being Mrs. Chandler's birthday. Although unexpected, the gathering was given a hearty welcome, and before the congratulations to Mrs. Chandler had ceased C. S. Wallace, on behalf of the company, presented to her a handsome wicker rocker and also a picture, "Rest in Flight." Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

TROUBLE WAS ADJUSTED.

Fred Bruce Speaks of Brewer Worker's Union Trouble.

Mr. Editor: I wish to speak of a matter which is of interest to all union men in Barre and vicinity. There were circulars sent to Barre by an agent of the Brewer Work's Union during their strike in Boston last year. Some of these circulars are being distributed now, which is a rank injustice not only to the Brewer Worker's union but the handlers of these goods.

As some people apparently do not understand the situation I wish to say that the trouble was settled to the satisfaction of the union and all Boston goods in this line are union goods. Fred Bruce.

Citizens Attention!

Barre Socialists will hold a street meeting on Saturday, June 20th, on Depot square. Com. J. W. Brown of Hartford, Conn., state organizer for the Socialist party, will address this meeting. Com. Brown is credited with being one of the oldest exponents of Socialism in New England.