

WELLS RIVER

Reception to Department President of W. R. C. Wednesday Evening.

A reception Wednesday evening to Mrs. George Wheeler and her staff of White River Junction, department president of the W. R. C. state of Vermont, was tendered by the local corps, of which she is a member. A large number of her many friends in Wells River, who are not members, were present. Punch and wafers were served and music was furnished in the earlier part of the evening by the Ideal orchestra of Littleton.

The Ideal orchestra gave its fourth and last social dance of the season in village hall last Wednesday evening. A good crowd from the dancers' standpoint was present.

On Friday evening the junior-senior party of the Wells River high school was held at the home of Mrs. Dean Goehy. Light refreshments were served and a most social evening enjoyed by all.

Fred Bailey of Washington, D. C. left Wednesday for his home, after a short visit with his people, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bailey.

Mr. Goddell, secretary to the governor, was a visitor at his home in town over Sunday.

The local high school won its second game from Peabach at Peabach last Wednesday afternoon by a score of 25 to 5.

Murray Willour is working after school hours in the Buck drug store, where he expects to remain during the summer vacation.

Andrew Jackson of Boston has been spending a week with friends in town.

Fern Hazelt and wife of Springfield are spending a short vacation with their mother, Mrs. Fred Myers.

Pre-Memorial exercises were held in village hall by the pupils of the graded schools Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Memorial day exercises will be held at Wells River Monday, under the direction of Col. Preston Post, G. A. R., assisted by the W. R. C. and the Fair Brook post, American Legion. Dinner will be served to the above and their families in the hall at noon.

The speaker is Rev. Thurston of Groton, who saw service in the World War. Following this the posts will form and march to the cemetery, where appropriate exercises will be held. The outlying cemeteries will be visited by courtesies early Monday morning.

Woodville for the first time in many years will also observe Memorial day under the guidance of Tracy Ross post, A. L. In the years gone by these services were always held at Haverville, where the G. A. R. post is situated. In the same manner Groton exercises will be under the care of the American Legion, the Wendell Lord post.

Schools throughout Ryegate closed Friday for the summer vacation. The Newbury and Wells River schools will not close until the 11th of June.

L. C. Boyce is the new night clerk at Hale's tavern, taking the place of Mr. Maynes, who left about a week ago.

SOUTH RYEGATE

Joseph Buchanan of Rockford, Ill., Visits His Town After 40 Years.

Joseph Buchanan of Rockford, Ill., who left this place about 40 years ago, is making a visit to the old home and his two sisters, who alone survive of a large family. He is accompanied by his wife, and is making the trip in his own car, a large Buick limousine, which is fitted up with sleeping accommodations and devices for cooking meals en route if desired. After a visit in the East he will go through to the Pacific coast, where he intends to make his future home.

Rev. J. S. Garvin, Rev. Dr. McKinlay and Elder W. T. George visited Mr. F. McDonald at the hospital in St. Johnsbury Tuesday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Celeste Rosa Friday, May 21. Mrs. A. Monti of Barre, the mother of Mrs. Rosa, is with her.

Dr. George Darling and Alexander J. Smith attended the Republican state convention at Montpelier this week.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. Chivovida Tuesday.

Dr. Hatch of Montpelier will fill the pulpit of the Presbyterian church Sunday at morning and evening services.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McDowell arrived from New York City Monday evening, having driven the entire distance that day. They had gone to New York for a few days to visit their father, Peter McDowell, who has a summer home here.

The village schools closed Friday for the summer vacation.

Rev. W. T. Bailey left Monday evening for a six week vacation, which he expects to give a course of Bible readings. He spent a few days in Philadelphia on his way, attending the meeting of the Presbyterian church.

Allen T. Gray went to Belfast, Me., Friday for a visit to his sister. He will return to South Ryegate before leaving for his home in California.

M. F. McDonald, who was taken to Brightbrook hospital a week ago, is now comfortable, but there is no marked improvement in his condition.

Health Officer Dr. C. H. Burr of Montpelier made a brief inspection of the schools in South Ryegate Tuesday morning.

RANDOLPH

Mrs. Carpenter and Mrs. Houghton of Northfield were guests of Mrs. Newell Jones on Thursday.

Miss Gladys Chadwick went to Waterbury on Friday night to pass the week end with friends there.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Seaver, who have been two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Seaver, left on Friday for their home in Williamstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Metcalf went to Frankburg on Friday to pass several days with relatives. Mr. Metcalf is able to attend to business.

Mrs. G. E. Cushman and Mrs. F. A. Eaton left here on Thursday for Burlington, where they will pass a few days.

Miss Lawson, the teacher of music in the schools, returned on Friday from Rutland.

The graduation exercises of the high school will be held on June 11 and during the week there will be something for nearly every evening.

Mrs. Katherine M. Hall of Boston closed a week's visit here with her son, A. K. Hall, on Friday and left for her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Cassidy of Highland avenue were recently surprised by a company of friends from the Baptist church, who went in to assist them in the celebration of their 15th wedding anniversary. Two easy chairs were presented them and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed. Refreshments of sandwiches were served and the party left with many good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Cassidy for happiness in the coming years.

Mrs. Bettie Loring, who committed suicide in Salisbury this week, formerly lived in town, and to some of the people was very well known. Her brother, Mr. Leland, lived here for some time.

Miss Florence Neill, a nurse in Springfield, is passing several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Neill.

Pre-Memorial exercises were held at the school building on Friday afternoon, in which representatives from the different grades took part. The program was very interesting and attended by a large number.

The school at Beauville closed on Friday with exercises which were attended by several from here. This school has had a quantity of teachers in the last year, the girls from the training class taking up the work when the teacher resigned. Eleven teachers have been there during the time.

EAST CALAIS

Washington county farm bureau business meeting, following a fine program, at Waterbury June 2—adv.

Harry Clark and son, Theodore, visited relatives in Brownington part of the week.

Superintendent Batchelder of Cabot was in town Tuesday visiting schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Charlies were in Montpelier on Tuesday.

George Clough and family visited at Gardner Poor's in Brookfield on Sunday.

George Balestine was in Montpelier on Wednesday.

Mrs. George Cline and daughter, Ethel, visited friends in Orange recently.

Mrs. Comstock and Mrs. Pelkey of Plainfield visited Mrs. George Coffin on Wednesday.

Robert Keniston and Charles Scribner were recent visitors in Montpelier.

Miss Mabel Clough was a visitor in Marshfield on Wednesday.

WORCESTER

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Paul Richardson has bought the Stephen Richardson farm.

Mrs. Chester Kellogg and son, Wallace, of Worcester, Mass., are visiting friends in town.

Carlisle Buzzell of Warren has bought the Hutchinson farm of Dean Lilly and moved there.

Mrs. Emma Giddins of Cambridge is at Charles Batchelder's, caring for her sister, Miss Gertrude Fay, and Mrs. Charles Carpenter has returned to her home in Enosburg Falls.

Mrs. Lillian Reynolds and daughter, Mrs. Charles Robinson, and children and Mr. Griffith of Waitsfield were in town Sunday, calling on relatives.

GROTON

Colonel F. B. Thomas to Deliver the Memorial Day Address.

Colonel F. B. Thomas of Montpelier, who is in command of the 1st Vermont infantry at Fort Ethan Allen before the regiment went overseas, will give the address in the afternoon, Memorial day. In the evening Rev. Donald Fraser of Wells River will be the speaker, and the Woodsville, N. H. cornet band will furnish music, both afternoon and evening. Following is the program for the day: Program for the afternoon, 1:45 selections, band; 2:15 opening remarks, chairman; 2:25 reading of scripture, Rev. J. S. Garvin; prayer, Rev. P. A. Smith; 2:35 selection, band; 2:45 recitation, Crawford Adams, "In Flanders Field"; 2:50 address, Colonel F. B. Thomas (former commander 1st Vermont inf.); 3:35 song, schools, "To Thee, O Country"; 3:40 reading of French memorial over the graves; 3:45 selection, band, "Le Marseillaise"; 3:50 song, audience, "Star Spangled Banner." Following the singing the procession will form and march to the cemetery to decorate the graves. Supper for invited guests and all persons will be served in the dining room at 5:30. Program for the evening: 7:30 concert, band; 8:00 opening remarks, chairman; 8:15 address, Rev. Donald Fraser; 9:00 singing, audience; 9:30 concert, band; 10:00 finale.

A daughter, Jean Elizabeth, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lee S. Blanchard.

Mrs. William Emery and children have been passing the week with their parents at Westford. Mr. Emery took them over Sunday by automobile, returning Monday.

Mrs. C. A. Miller and daughters, Gladys and Rozella, of Barre visited Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Welch, Mrs. Miller's parents, Wednesday and Thursday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Mallis, May 29th.

George Ashford went to St. Johnsbury Wednesday, where he expected to undergo an operation at Brightbrook hospital.

Clyde M. Coffin and children, Hope and Clyde, Jr., of Montpelier were visitors at M. D. Coffin's Thursday.

Miss Grace Hyde of Concord, N. H., came the first of the week to pass some time with Mr. and Mrs. D. N. McKay, her uncle and aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Campbell and children and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Page of Brookline, N. H., arrived here Wednesday to visit relatives.

A. S. Clark of Bellows Falls, who has been visiting friends in town, has gone to Waterbury, where he will pass some time with his daughter, Mrs. S. Anderson.

A. T. Gray of Sierra Madre, Calif., and T. P. McDonald of New York City were visitors in town the first of the week.

STOWE

The body of Mrs. O. E. Style was taken from the vault in Morrisville to Hyde Park for burial this forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bacon accompanied the party and conducted prayer service at the grave.

Mrs. Eunice Pottle was in Waterbury Friday and Saturday.

Parties from St. Johnsbury have been here this week considering the purchase of the Green Mountain Violin company factory here.

The subject of Rev. M. E. Bason's sermon Sunday morning will be "The Growing Vision."

Homer Stowell of Sutton, P. Q., who has visited Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Buron this week, was accompanied home by his uncle, Jerome Stowell, Mrs. Buron's father, for a visit with his brother.

News was received Thursday of the death on May 26 of F. J. Holden's sister, Mrs. D. J. Tarbell of Dorchester, Mass., a former resident of Stowe. She was born in Weston, April 26, 1876.

She had been in poor health with tuberculosis for over a year. She leaves her husband, two sons, Richard of Dorchester, and Robert of Dorchester; two daughters, Freda and Julia of Dorchester; and mother, Mrs. O. J. Holden of Stowe, who has been with her since last July, and brother, E. J. Holden of Stowe, who went Thursday night to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Mary Avery, Mrs. Annie Squires and Mrs. M. W. Abbott of Waterbury called on friends in town on Thursday afternoon.

The ladies of the Bridge Street Community club met with Mrs. Janet Adams Thursday afternoon with 12 present. Work on aprons and linen dories was furnished and tea was served. The next meeting will be June 10, with Mrs. H. H. Downer and Miss Susan Downer.

Raymond Melvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Melvin, is ill with diphtheria.

Orlo K. Jenney of the University of Vermont came Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Jenney.

Miss Bertha Goodell of Hartford, Conn. formerly of Stow, is visiting Miss Rebecca Buron.

Mrs. E. W. Tinkham and daughter, Alberta, returned to Johnson Thursday night after visiting relatives in town for a few days.

Mrs. H. L. Call, who underwent a surgical operation at the Fanny Allen hospital last week, is doing as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Carrie E. Straw, who recently sold her home to H. J. Foster, is moving this week into Mrs. Eunice Pottle's tenement on Main street.

A Dutch Monopoly. Prior to the war, Holland's yearly imports of bulbs into this country amounted to more than \$3,000,000. The interruption of foreign trade, however, resulted in attempts to make Dutch bulbs cultured in an American industry. Due largely to our Dutch immigrants, many of whom are skilled horticulturists, these efforts are meeting with success, as evidenced by the extensive cultivation of tulips in California and the achievements of Mr. Jelle Kooze, of Massachusetts, in the cultivation of gladioli.

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WHITE RIVER JUNCTION

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bond of Maplewood terrace are entertaining Mrs. Bond's uncle, of Bradford, John B. Waugh, for a couple of weeks.

Captain Horace French of West Lebanon was the Memorial day orator at Kimball Union academy this afternoon.

The regular meeting of Submit Whittier chapter, D. R., was held in library hall, West Lebanon, Tuesday afternoon. The guests of the afternoon were State Regent Mrs. Charles H. Barrett of Claremont, Mrs. Howard Regent of Samuel Ashley chapter of Claremont, and members of the Thomas Chittenden chapter of White River Junction. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent. Refreshments were served.

Fredrick Farrington, jr., has sold his home on South Main street to Edwin J. Boura.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stevens and two sons, Roland, Jr. and Paul, left Saturday morning by automobile for Lyndon, N. H., to visit their son and brother, Robert M.

Mr. Perry, who has lived in West Lebanon for some time, has found that Concord is a more convenient center for his work and has moved his family to there.

Mrs. Frank Wells, who has been a resident of West Lebanon for many years, has bought a home in West Andover and will make that place her future home.

Mrs. Gordon Grainger of Somerville, Mass., the guest of her daughter, Miss Louise Grainger of West Lebanon, for the remainder of the school year, at the home of Mrs. William Plastringe.

Miss Maud Burton and Miss Katherine Franklin, who spent the winter in California, recently returned to the home of Mrs. Burton, in West Lebanon. They came by automobile, and let those who were with them be interested in their trip.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Welch, who were in Burlington, were visited by Mrs. Maud Burton on Friday. Attorney Raymond Trainor and Muriel E. Murchie of Concord represented the plaintiffs.

Miss Nina Palmer is at home again after a motor trip to Boston with friends from Vermont, N. H. She is the wife of a former pastor of the Wilder Congregational church, was the speaker in the White church at Hanover Sunday morning.

Rev. Mr. Chase, the pastor of the Federated church of Wilder, was in attendance on the Congregational conference held at Sharon Thursday and Friday.

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BETHEL

Mrs. N. L. Chase and Mrs. Eliza T. Miller were in Sharon Thursday to attend the Windsor county conference of Congregational ministers and churches.

Next Monday will be observed Memorial day with the following program: At 9:30 the procession will form in front of G. A. R. hall headed by the Norwich university band and will march to Cherry Hill cemetery, where the graves of all soldiers there buried will be decorated. Details will decorate graves in other cemeteries. At noon the Woman's Relief corps will serve a dinner in G. A. R. hall to members of the G. A. R., Sons of Veterans, Spanish war veterans and soldiers of the World war, and the wives of each of these. After dinner the band will play in the park. At 2 p. m. the procession will form again at G. A. R. hall and march to the town hall, where the exercises of the day will take place, the school children giving a drill and Principal W. T. Davis giving the oration. The Lympus ladies' aid society gave a social Thursday evening at Wilbur Darr's.

The following remarkable endorsement of Tanlac was given recently by Mrs. Alice Gresham Dodd, at the Gresham Memorial Home, Gavin Park, Evansville, Ind., which home was presented to her by the patriotic people of Indiana, as evidence of their appreciation of the services rendered to his country by her son, Corporal James B. Gresham, the first American soldier killed in France. Expressions of sympathy were received by Mrs. Dodd from all parts of the United States, and the newspapers of the country carried the story of the first "war mother."

The shock of her son's death resulted in the serious breakdown of Mrs. Dodd's health, but everyone will learn with interest and pleasure that she is now in splendid health again. When seen at her home recently she made the following statement, giving the entire credit for her recovery to the well-known medicine, Tanlac.

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EMERY'S CANDIDACY

And His Relations to Vermont Corrupt Practice Law.

It appears that those papers which have been banging away at Mr. Emery on the corrupt practices act have drawn fire when they had not expected it. He has been quoted as saying that the act makes it a crime to employ political advertising, but says he never made such a statement. He does not deny, however, the drafting, introducing and advocacy of the present act, which has caused so much comment, but says that he had not in mind then, 1902, political advertising as it is now known, and the interpretation of the act is for the court. Then Mr. Emery comes back with a statement which forces the question of money in political campaigns in Vermont into the open, and makes it a live issue in this campaign.

Mr. Emery says that if he is elected governor he will make an effort to have enacted a real corrupt practices act in this state. One which shall place a limit upon expenditures and make it possible for a poor man as well as a rich one to go into politics at all.

Mr. Emery has been quoted as saying that he has been touched upon a most vital question.

Shall we go on sanctioning the expenditure of thousands upon thousands of dollars in a campaign to become governor of this little Commonwealth, when the salary of the chief executive is but \$3,000 per year? Shall we drift on and on with laws which make it possible only for men of large means to become governor of this state? Shall we face campaign after campaign where money is a first place factor? Shall we continue to allow men of means to hoist of proposed expenditures to a small amount, and let those hoists go unchallenged?

If the voters of Vermont are satisfied with the usual regime of the past administrations where money has played so important a part in campaigns and administrations, let them elect Harrison, Barre, or Agan. These men have large means and are spending, have threatened to spend or are about to spend much money to be elected governor, as their predecessors have done. Why is this?

Mr. Emery proposes to conduct his campaign upon a modest plan, limit campaign expenditures to a small amount, and leave the verdict with man of ability, integrity and acquaintance with the state, in the governor's chamber.

Mr. Emery has rightly and properly forced into the campaign the issue of money expenditures in seeking office. With the issue he will win thousands of voters who are tired of money in politics. Clement acknowledges the expenditure of over \$11,000 in his campaign two years ago. McCullough spent large sums in his campaign. Meade and Prouty ran expensive campaigns.

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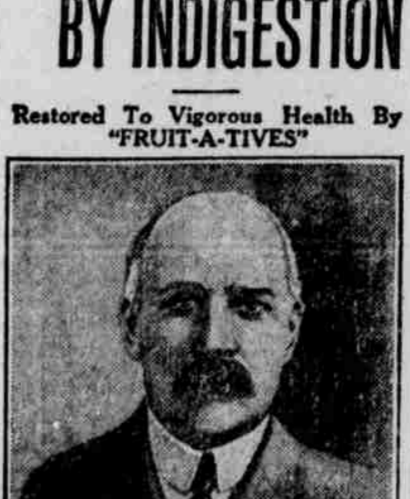
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one that overshadows the 18th amendment, the Volstead act and other dead issues which his opponents are trying to force into the campaign. When large expenditures of money by men of wealth make it impossible for the poor man to enter politics with anything like an equal opportunity, and the law allows that man of wealth to make his wealth a great political force, then has the very foundation corner of our Americanism been shaken.

Money in Vermont political campaigns will be an issue until that issue is settled, and settled right. Other states limit expenditures and bring men into contempt and shame who violate the law. Vermont can settle this question right by electing Mr. Emery governor.—Barton Monitor.

MOTHER OF FIRST AMERICAN SOLDIER KILLED IN FRANCE

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