

THE MEDDLER.

"If the coat fits put it on." The Meddler opines that the town of Brattleboro would have a pretty lawsuit on its hands should some venture some wayfarer meet with an accident on the toll bridge.

Speaking of the bridge reminds the Meddler of a story told him this week in connection with the advertising which is being done for the forthcoming attraction "Out of the Fold."

The usual display of Easter creations (which being interpreted means hats) were out last Sunday, and many were the walking flower gardens and aviaries which could be seen on Main street during the day.

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WEST BRATTLEBORO

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George Mather has returned to his studies in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, after spending a part of his vacation in town.

The primary department of the academy in charge of Miss Sarah Whittier, began Monday with seven pupils, the attendance the second day increasing to 17.

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THE WORLD OF SCIENCE

In Switzerland a machine has been invented which is able to thread needles at the rate of thirty thousand an hour. The machine is automatic, and works by steam.

The Oregon Agricultural Experiment station is making vinegar from prunes. If it proves satisfactory to consumers, its manufacture will be of great value to western prune growers.

Dr. Ture, a medical man of much repute in Vienna, advocates as an effective remedy for rheumatism the saturating of the patient's body with the venom of bees.

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GOSSIP FROM THE WORLD OF LETTERS

The French academy not long ago placed a tablet upon George Sand's house at Garglisse, which has resulted in a renewed public interest in the great French writer.

An important sale of rare books took place recently in New York. The collection of Americana was one of the finest offered by auction in New York in several years.

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MARRIAGES

In Brattleboro, April 2, by Rev. H. R. Miles, Lucius J. Weatherhead, of Brattleboro, and Mettie Ryder, of Halifax.

BIRTHS

In Putney, March 27, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Percy J. Ward.

DEATHS

In Northampton hospital, Mar. 18, Marshall Cushman, a native of Wilmington, 75.

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25 pound bag, 75 cents.

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HORSES MORE HORSES

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GENERAL PURPOSE HORSES.

Coming and see them.

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