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EFERENDUM ON RAIL WAGE AWARD

h a Move Either for or gainst Acceptance With No ecommendation from Union eaders Seems Probable

icago, July 21. (By the Associated s)—Submission of the $600,000,000 rail award to a referendum vote by the 000 railroad workers without recommdation from the union leaders either its acceptance or rejection appeared able to-night.

is was the opinion in labor circles wing rejection by the United States way Labor Board of a petition for a arsing of the case.

ree courses were open to the union fs:

rst, submission without recommenda-; second, recommendation that the rd be accepted; and, third, that it be cted.

e more conservative counsel in the n ranks has steadfastly opposed out- rejection in the labor board's de-n. The door to recommendation of tion apparently was closed to-day, ers of the rail workers intimated. n they requested that the case be ened, and the board refused to de.

ter asking for a rehearing it ap-ed doubtful that the union leaders d consistently recommend acceptance he award as their action indicated it unsatisfactory to them. The only ce left open, therefore, would be to the board's decision along to the and rely on their referendum.

e labor board declined to reopen the on the ground that its decision repre-ed the conclusions reached after an austive survey in which both sides been given ample time to present all s surrounding the case.

eports reaching union headquarters the Railroad Managers' association indicated with few exceptions that men were holding fast and waiting their officers to act.

e first reported strike was recorded Chicago late to-day when about 100 d trunk railroad employes walked according to company estimates. kers, however, claimed 900 men figured he walk out. Company officers said demands had been presented and that as presumed the men were dissatisfied n the rail board decision.

om a few cities came reports that the had voted to reject the award and d on their original demands.

COMPANIES INCORPORATE

ite Mfg. Co. Has $50,000—McAuliffe Firm of Burlington to Increase Capital to $100,000

ontpelier, July 21.—The White Manu-turing company of Brattleboro has articles of association with the retary of State for the purpose of nufacturing cotton, woolen, worsted silk knit goods. Their capital stock 0,00.

e Howland Pulp and Paper company the same town has filed a certificate it it intends to increase its capital k to $200,000.

e McAuliffe Paper company of Bur-ton has filed a statement that it in-ds to increase the capital stock from 00 to $100,000 and that the increase in-les in part, the Huntington block and ock of goods valued at $51,000.

e Community Church of Stowe has articles of association in the same e to conduct a place of worship in we. The Lamoille Valley Creamery as-iation of East Hardwick intends to rease its capital stock from $42,000 to 00.

RIDING HALL CORNERSTONE

morial to Lieut. Moses Taylor, Jr., Killed in France, to Be Used for Horsemanship Instruction

orthfield, July 21.—The cornerstone of new brick riding hall at Norwich iversity was laid yesterday in the sence of officials and friends of the titution. The ceremony which took ce was of a very informal character, f remarks being made by the presi-t, Charles A. Plumley, and Dean H. R. erts.

his building is 300 feet long and 75 t wide and is a memorial to Lieut. ses Taylor, Jr., who was killed in tion in France, and will be ready for upancy by the opening of the college ar. It is to be used for instruction in semanship and equitation by the alry unit at Norwich University. This lding is located just north of the new ck cavalry stable which was erected t year and which accommodates one ndred horses.

he increased enrollment last year and prospects for the coming year make mperative for the erection of a science l and also for another barracks to ommodate 150 or 200 additional dents.

ROBBED DEAF MUTE

Albans Girl Goes to State Prison for One to Two Years—Stole $100

t. Albans, July 21.—Ruth Hilliker of city, who was arrested by County eriff G. C. Catlin at the Central Ver-nt railway station on June 13 charged h taking $100 from Roy Sheets of West anton, a deaf and dumb person, was raigned before Judge N. N. Post in y court this morning and pleaded guilty the charge against her. She was sen-ced to serve not less than one nor more an two years in the State prison at ndsor and pay the cost of prosecution, ich amounted to $44.94.

UTLAND FARMER INSTANTLY KILLED

Rutland, July 21.—James Fiske, ed 77 years, a farmer living in the wn of Rutland was almost instantly lled this afternoon by falling from load of hay in his field. He was near e rear of the rack receiving forkfuls om the man on the ground when e horses started suddenly and he tched head first to the ground. His ull was fractured. Mr. Fiske was a tive of Randolph and was a veteran the 14th Vermont Volunteer Regi-ent in the Civil War. He is survived his wife.

RESOLUTE DEFEATS SHAMROCK IN THIRD RACE FOR THE CUP

Challenger Finishes Course a Scant Half Boat Length Ahead with Lead of 19 Seconds, the Same Advantage She Had Gained at the Start—Defender Therefore Wins by the Amount of Its Time Allowance 7 Minutes and 1 Second—Next Race Friday

Sandy Hook, N. J., July 21.—Resolute, defender of the America's yachting cup, came back to-day after two straight defeats and won magnificently over the British challenger, Shamrock IV.

Shamrock finished a scant half boat length ahead, with a lead of 19 seconds, but as she had gained precisely that advantage at the start the race was—miraculously in yachting events—a dead heat over the 30 mile course. Resolute won by the amount of her handicap, seven minutes and one second. The fourth race of the series will be started Friday.

A REAL YACHT RACE.

Veteran yachtsmen who followed the trim craft through the four hours, three minutes and six seconds of racing time, thought back over many years of racing without being able to conjure up a picture that could compare with to-day's spectacle. It was a real yacht race from the start, and it provided a finish rivalling in closeness that of a neck and neck horse race.

Resolute had taken the lead early in her favorite 15-mile beat to windward, and rounding the stake with about a quarter of a mile lead, slipped swiftly down the wind with spinnaker and balloon jib top sail billowing superbly.

But Shamrock IV with her greater spread of canvas would not be denied and slowly but steadily ate up the intervening distance until with little more than a mile to go, her bowsprit reached, then slowly began to creep past the defender's stern.

RUN NECK AND NECK

Inch by inch, as the spectators watched breathlessly, Shamrock IV moved and up. A mile from the stake, they were running neck and neck through the fluffy little white caps turned up by the breeze. They appeared so close together from the press boats that it seemed as if a man might have jumped from challenger to defender. Actually the distance was several boat lengths.

Shamrock IV kept up the steady crawl ahead until, at the half mile mark from the line, she was nearly a full boat length ahead.

Then Resolute caught a tiny extra puff of wind from somewhere, and straining like a thoroughbred under the lash, crept up, slowly—almost imperceptibly. She had got her bow about even with Shamrock's towering mast when a puff of steam from the committee boat's whistle registered Shamrock's finish.

SOME JOCKEYING

But the finish did not provide all the thrills of the race. Shamrock IV, jockeying for position, seemed to have gotten the advantage at the start, and started on a starboard tack in the weather berth. Captain Adams, of Resolute, offered little opposition, electing to wait for the port tack, which came within a few minutes.

Here he took the windward berth, and pointed Resolute high up into the wind. Captain Burton turned Shamrock IV's nose further in toward the Jersey shore and the two sloops, traveling on diverging paths soon were nearly a half mile apart. Superficially Shamrock IV appeared to have the advantage. But finally, when Shamrock tacked, about two miles off the Jersey highlands, Captain Adams' strategy was proved. He held Resolute on her course and the yachts began to converge.

It was a question which would have the weather berth when they met, but Resolute gained it by a scant 100 yards.

Then ensued an exciting series of sharp tacks, in which Shamrock IV tried to cross Resolute's bow. The nimble yachts were like playful swallows, darting first to port, then to starboard, then back again to port—oftentimes almost before their sails had filled on the preceding swing. But it was Resolute's game, and each time Captain Adams swung her over, she had drawn a little further ahead of her arrival.

Skipper Burton feinted twice, bringing Shamrock IV about until her sails flapped and then swinging her back on the original tack. But he lost on the maneuvre for Captain Adams refused to be tricked.

Finally Resolute gained a point where Captain Adams felt he could make the mark in one long reach and the defender turned her tail on Shamrock IV and scudded away.

Shamrock IV quickly forsook her short tacks, and gave chase. She gained slightly on the reach, but Resolute beat her to the mark by two minutes and four seconds, made a close turn to windward, and broke out her greatest wind catchers with surprising rapidity.

LITTLE JIB SAIL DOES IT

Shamrock's turn was a bit wider and she was slower breaking out her spinnaker and ballooners, and when she did get them out there was a great gap of daylight between them. Resolute held her own on the home stretch until Shamrock IV filled this gap with a little triangular jib sail. This seemed to help her immensely and she began to close up the interval until she had passed the defender.

When they had crossed the finish, both yachts hoisted the "C" flag that indicated unwillingness to race to-morrow and it was announced the next start would be Friday. Later it was announced Shamrock was to be placed in dry dock to-morrow, presumably for cleaning and polishing of her hull.

GUILLOW GIRL MENTIONED

Her Frequent Meetings With Pettibone Testified to in Trial of Bennington Murder Case

Manchester, July 21.—The fact that Miss Helen Guillow, a trained nurse, graduate of an Albany Hospital, was often in the company of Byron M. Pettibone, who is being tried here for wife murder, was brought out in the testimony presented by the prosecution to-day along with the testimony of the medical officials from the State laboratory who performed the autopsy. The numerous times that Pettibone was known to be motoring, going to the movies or visiting at the home of Miss Guillow in Sodom, N. Y., both previous to and directly following the death of Mrs. Pettibone were testified to by the prosecution's witnesses. It also was testified to that Pettibone asked one Roy Paddock, the undertaker with whom he worked at the Walbridge undertaking rooms and the individual who prepared the body for burial, to attempt to prevent autopsy.

Dr. B. H. Stone, State pathologist of Burlington, testified to the effect that the autopsy revealed that the body was in a healthy condition as to all organs and that it did not reveal the cause of death without a further laboratory test which was made by Dr. C. F. Whitney. Dr. Whitney later told of his laboratory tests including the fact that a minute quantity of the contents of Mrs. Pettibone's stomach was injected into a white mouse and the mouse died within three minutes.

The episode of the possible attempt at poisoning in tea on the Sunday evening preceding the tragedy was told by Mrs. Bessie Wright this morning much as Eugene Rice told the same story yesterday excepting that she quoted the victim as using stronger language.

A group of witnesses were called to testify relative to seeing Pettibone in the company of Miss Helen Guillow both previous to and following the death of Mrs. Pettibone. Cole Bowen, a taxi driver, told of taking Miss Guillow and Pettibone to Hoosick Falls from Bennington twice in August, 1919.

Michael Fitzgerald, a fireman at the Putnam Memorial Hospital told of seeing the two walking together several times in the hospital corridor.

Frank O'Toole, a taxi driver of Bennington testified to no less than ten instances since the middle of March of this year and not later than May 10th that he had either taken Miss Guillow and Pettibone together in his automobile or had taken Pettibone to Sodom to see Miss Guillow. These trips included one to North Adams from Bennington, but most of them were to or from Sodom.

Edward Shanahan, a deputy sheriff of the county, evidently had been employed to shadow the couple to some extent as his note book revealed notes of their being in each others company frequently between April 26 and May 10.

Because of the funeral of a near relative of Attorney Joseph C. Jones, one of the attorneys for the defense, court took a recess until two o'clock Thursday afternoon.

G. W. BURLESON'S FUNERAL

Held at Late Home in St. Albans—Prominent Democrats Attend

St. Albans, July 21.—The funeral of Capt. George W. Burleson, who died early Monday morning at his home on Stowell street, was held at the house this afternoon at two o'clock, the Rev. Richard E. Armstrong, rector of St. Luke's Episcopal Church officiating. The bearers were George S. Burleson, H. C. Pomeroy, Maurice Walsh, W. B. Witters, A. C. S. Beeman and W. H. R. Davidson. Burial took place in the family lot at the East Fairfield cemetery. Members of the Franklin County Bar Association and A. R. Hurlburt Post, No. 60, G. A. R. attended in a body. Many prominent Democrats of the State were present at the funeral among them being Mayor J. Holmes Jackson, T. B. Wright, J. E. Kennedy and M. G. Leary, the Hon. C. H. Darling of Burlington, H. C. Comings of Richford, collector of customs, Olin L. Merrill of Enosburg Falls, former collector of customs, ex-Gov. C. W. Gates of Franklin and J. E. Kennedy of Williston.

FINE N. H. MAN $100

Operated Auto While Intoxicated—Charged With Smuggling

Montpelier, July 21.—E. A. Drown of Sullivan, N. H., has been fined $100 and costs in Newport according to information which the Secretary of State has received and Mr. Black has sent to the Secretary of State of New Hampshire a copy of the conviction, which was for operating an automobile while intoxicated. He was arrested last week at Derby Line, charged with having smuggled liquor in his automobile. Ara Gregg stopped the car.

The Secretary of State has revoked the automobile operator's licenses of W. P. Wright of North Troy and Wilford James of St. Albans for operating an automobile, according to the report received by the secretary, when they were intoxicated.

Civil War Veteran Dies

Montpelier, July 21.—George G. Brown, a veteran of the Civil War died to-day following an operation for an ulcer in his intestines. He was a native of Montpelier, born in 1845, a son of Stephen and May Brown. He served in the 10th Vermont Regiment, while his father served in the 9th regiment. He was 33 years employed by the Brooklyn Rapid Transit company and the lines that existed before the company was developed. He leaves a widow who was Mattie Wheelock; two sons, George and Harry of New York. The body will be taken to New York for burial.

To Propogate Trout

Montpelier, July 21.—Linus Leavens is investigating the different places in the tate relative to the installation of brooding ponds for propagating trout. It is proposed to do as much of this as possible in the streams by forming small ponds because of the fact that the wild trout when propagated are much stronger than those raised in a hatchery. With that in view, he has inspected a place near Wells River and as soon as he has completed his investigations of other places the designation of brooding ponds will take place.

HARDING WILL BE NOTIFIED TO-DAY

On the Eve of this Event He Urges G. O. P. Members of Tennessee Legislature to Fight for Suffrage Ratification

Marion, O., July 21.—Senator Harding enlisted in the fight for the woman suffrage amendment to-night declaring on the eve of his formal acceptance of the Republican nomination for president that he was ready to throw the weight of his influence for ratification in time for all women to vote in November.

The announcement followed a call by representatives of the National American Woman Suffrage association, and took the form of a telegram to Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, head of the association at Nashville, Tenn.

"I am exceedingly glad to learn, the telegram said, that you are in Tennessee seeking to consummate the ratification of the equal suffrage amendment. If any of the Republican members of the Tennessee assembly should ask my opinion as to their course, I would cordially recommend an immediate favorable action."

WOMAN'S PARTY OUTGENERALED

In presenting their plea and securing results to-night the association representatives stole a march on a delegation of the National Woman's party who had planned to enliven the formal notification ceremonies to-morrow by demanding that the nominee urge Republican legislators in Tennessee to vote for ratification. What action the women's party crowd would take was uncertain to-night, but their engagement to see Senator Harding to-morrow stood.

The conference between Senator Harding and the party of women occupied only a few minutes and followed a day given over largely to last minute preparations for the notification ceremonies at which the nominee will mark out the skirmish lines of his campaign in an acceptance speech interpreting the party platform and declaring his personal stand on national issues.

CONFERS WITH LODGE

His position on the League of Nations colored with particular interest by recent developments was discussed by the candidate at a two-hour conference with Senator Lodge of Massachusetts who will deliver the notification speech and who as chairman of the foreign relations committee led the Senate fight against unreserved ratification of the treaty. Afterward neither would make a public statement, but it was understood they went over thoroughly the ground on which the battle over the league is to be fought.

By his close associates the candidate is expected to lay down a policy to-morrow contributing to the paramountcy of the league issue in the campaign and helping to clear the air for a finish fight between the two big parties. His advisers declare he will strike out with all his strength against the league as President Wilson submitted it, and will add a constructive suggestion of what should be done to secure peace and to maintain it.

FLAG RAISING AT 7:00 A. M.

The acceptance speech will be delivered late in the afternoon near the end of a program which begins at seven o'clock in the morning. At that hour a local delegation will march to Senator Harding's residence and the candidate will officiate at a flag-raising, hoisting the Stars and Stripes on the flag pole recently transplanted to the Harding lawn from the residence of William McKinley at Canton.

Delegations from other cities will be greeted by the nominee as they arrive during the morning and early afternoon by train and motor, but he expects to make no address until the notification program begins at a park in the outskirts of the city at 2.00 p. m. He has been invited to a luncheon given the national committee and the notification committee by Dr. C. E. Sawyer, but he said to-night he thought it unlikely that he could attend.

More than thirty special trains are expected during the day and many thousands will motor in from nearby cities and towns. Republicans and Democrats of Marion have joined hands to provide entertainment and the city is decked out for the occasion as never before in its history.

DELEGATION FROM DAYTON

Two of the delegations will be particularly welcome. One will be a resuscitated brass band from Caledonia, in which Senator Harding once played a trombone, and the other a group of several hundred citizens of Dayton, the home town of the senator's Democratic opponent, James M. Cox. Of the two, the senator expressed himself as most anxious to see the veterans from Caledonia and to judge of their efforts to put on a close harmony come back.

The notification is to be held in a Chautauqua pavilion, where seats have been provided for about 4,000, although more than ten times that number of visitors are expected. Will H. Hays, the national chairman, will preside, and there will be no addresses except those of Senator Lodge and Senator Harding. Bishop William F. Oldham of the Methodist Episcopal Church will deliver the invocation and the Rev. Father Joseph M. Denning of St. Mary's Catholic Church here the benediction.

WIRE FROM CHRISTENSEN

So much personal attention was given to arrangements by the candidate to-day that he again got behind schedule in his correspondence. Among the telegrams he received was one from Perley Christensen, nominee of the Farmer-Labor party for president, requesting that he use his influence for executive clemency for Eugene V. Debs, the socialist nominee, who is in the Atlanta penitentiary. Senator Harding said he would reply after the notification ceremonies were over.

The suffrage delegation which called on the candidate to-night arrived unexpectedly and walked into Harding headquarters just as the senator was leaving for dinner. They were given a hearing at once and a few minutes later the telegram to Mrs. Catt was made public. Those in the party were Miss Mary Olcott, Mrs. W. H. Alleee and Mrs. James Stokes, all of Ridgefield, Conn., and Mrs. George A. Soden of Chicago.

TO REMOVE JACK JOHNSON

Los Angeles, Calif., July 21.—An order for removal of Jack Johnson, negro, former heavyweight champion pugilist, to Chicago, where he is under sentence for violation of the Mann act, was signed in the United States District Court to-day. Johnson will start eastward to-morrow, according to the United States marshal.

URYS WANT BRYAN FOR PRESIDENT

Convention Adopts Resolution Giving Him Nomination Despite Fact that Nebraskan Had Previously Declined It

Lincoln, Neb., July 21.—The prohibition national convention tendering the party's presidential nomination to William J. Bryan despite the fact that a communication from Mr. Bryan declaring he would decline was read. Only six of the more than 200 delegates opposed the resolution. The resolution only tenders the nomination to Bryan and he will not be considered as actually nominated until he accepts.

In naming Mr. Bryan the convention upset precedent as well as its program by selecting the candidate on the first day. Nominations were not scheduled until Friday.

The nomination came after a struggle of the delegates which was started by the resolution of W. J. Calderwood of Minnesota, "tendering" Mr. Bryan the leadership and asking him to reply promptly to the convention whether he would accept.

Attempts to table this resolution only resulted in an hours recess during which its opponents led by Clinton N. Howard, of New York urged Charles Bryan, brother of the nominee, to make public communications he was known to have concerning Mr. Bryan's attitude.

This brought out the fact that a proposed stampede, plans for which became known yesterday, had resulted in Mr. Howard sending a telegram to Mr. Bryan asking if he would accept the nomination and that the Nebraskan had replied, saying he would decline. Speakers criticised Mr. Howard for what they termed his recalcitrant attitude" in not making public the correspondence sooner, when it was generally known this morning that he had heard from Mr. Bryan.

Charles Bryan sent a letter to the convention after it reconvened urging that it reject the resolution and saying that Mr. Bryan's friends would oppose his acceptance.

Speakers then charged that secret conferences between delegates and Charles Bryan had been held in the last 24 hours with the apparent object of preventing Mr. Bryan's nomination on the ground that he did not want to be named.

Miss Marie Brehm of California, first woman to be elected permanent chairman of a national political convention relinquished the chair and placed Mr. Bryan in nomination. The nomination was seconded by Nebraska, Florida, Missouri, Illinois, California, Wisconsin and Ohio.

To-night the delegates heard several speakers assail the Republicans and Democrats and tell of "the wonderful success of the Prohibition Party.

Every effort was being made to get in touch with Mr. Bryan and learn his attitude toward the convention's action.

HELD UP 180 AUTOISTS

Inspector Operated in Johnson Saturday and Sunday—Some Had Neither Certificates or License

Montpelier, July 21.—Inspector Pierce of the State automobile department has reported to the secretary of State the result of his work Saturday and Sunday in Johnson, where he detained 180 automobilists causing them to show whether they had authority to operate an automobile.

He found many instances in which the drivers had neither certificate of registration of the car or the operator's license with them. He called attention of the drivers of machines to the fact that if they would carry these as provided by law they would be detained only long enough to show identification and would in the end save themselves some embarrassment.

REPUBLICAN RALLY

Dillingham, Greene, Smith Among Speakers at Highgate Springs July 28—Swanton Band to Play

St. Albans, July 21.—A great Republican rally for G. O. P. voters of this vicinity and the State will be held at Platt's camp, Highgate Springs, Wednesday July 28. Among the prominent speakers engaged for the occasion are Senator William P. Dillingham, Congressman Frank L. Greene, Fuller C. Smith, delegate to the Chicago convention will also speak. The Swanton Citizens' band will be in attendance and Felten's orchestra of this city will give selections. The big meeting will begin at seven o'clock standard time.

ITALIAN STABBED

Affray on Road Job at Fairlee Results in Wounding of Tironi—Greggis Held

Chelsea, July 21.—Luigi Gregis is held in Orange county jail to await the outcome of the injury sustained by Francesco Tironi, who is at the Barre City hospital suffering from a stab wound as the result of a fight among workmen on a State road job in Fairlee on July 4.

Tironi was stabbed with some sharp instrument, which penetrated one lung and, while his injury was not considered very serious at the time, it was thought best, however, to take him to the hospital for care and treatment.

Immediately after the stabbing affray, two young Italians, who are said to have been mixed up in the affray, left Fairlee and arriving in Bradford, sought automobile transportation to Wells River, where they could avail themselves of better facilities of escaping by means of railroad transportation. They secured transportation to Wells River and, when the affray came to the attention of State's Attorney Sherburne on the following Monday morning, he immediately in company with Sheriff Tracy went to Fairlee and found that the men who were wanted were undoubtedly out of the Vermont jurisdiction.

Bruley Hearing Postponed

St. Albans, July 21.—A hearing in the case of Bessie Bruley, who confessed to being the mother of the girl baby found in the rear of Jordan Hall and which was to have taken place this morning was postponed until a future date. The physical condition of Miss Bruley made it impossible for her to come before the court.

Information of importance can be obtained through classified study.

HAPPENINGS IN VERMONT; THE NEWS BY COUNTIES

Addison County

MIDDLEBURY

George Wales has returned to Washington, D. C., after a few days here with old friends.—Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Winfield Scott Huntley, Jr., and Emily Jane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Atwell Calvin Ellis, of Lyndhurst, Vt., July 14. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Huntley of South Main street and was a student of Middlebury College before he went South to attend a law school in Durham, N. C.—Mrs. John Thompson of Brooklyn, N. Y., is in town to visit her mother, Mrs. Mary L. Tilden.—Mrs. A. S. Harriman has gone to Burlington to visit her daughter, Mrs. Albian Parker.—Mrs. Emily Brainard of Washington, D. C., is visiting at the home of Col. and Mrs. Thad M. Chapman.—Mrs. G. D. Miner and granddaughter, Beatrice Hubbard, are at Manamet, Mass., to visit at the home of Mrs. E. L. Briggs.—Dr. and Mrs. Earl Farnsworth and son of Grand Islan, Neb., are at the Addison House for a few weeks.—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ross of Barre have moved to town to make their home with their daughter, Mrs. Leroy Howard.

There are now 344 students in the various departments of the summer school of Middlebury College, which is 107 greater than the total number registered last year and the number of States represented is 21 besides Vermont. Of these students, 202 are in the French schoool, 50 are in the English school located at Breadloaf Inn at Ripton, and 81 are in the Spanish school.—Miss Inez Williams and brother, Rupert Williams, of St. Johnsbury, are in town for a few weeks' vacation visit.—The iron work for the two new railroad bridges which the Rutland railroad is to build in town has begun to arrive in carload lots and it is expected the work of constructing the bridges on Main street and Merchants Row will be begun right away.—Miss May Brislin, the district nurse, is taking a vacation of three weeks which she is spending with her mother in East Clarendon.—Frank Leno, who has been in bad health for many weeks and who recently returned after two weeks' treatment in the Fanny Allen hospital, is improving now and hopes to recover his former good health.—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Franklin and two children of Montreal are in town to spend a few weeks.—Miss Dorothy Ross has gone to Grand Isle and will spend her vacation at Camp Hochelaga.—Leslie Dayton has purchased the Mrs. Eva Pond house on South street and will take possession at once.—Word has been received of the death of Mrs. George D. Copeland at her son's home in Los Angeles, June 28. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel D. Austin and a sister of Mrs. Walter Billings of this town.

A good number of members of Addison Encampment, No. 27, I. O. O. F., went to Bristol Monday evening to attend a meeting of Wardwell Encampment, No. 31, at which meeting the Bristol Encampment worked the royal purple degree on a class of six candidates, three of whom were from Addison Encampment, No. 27. Among those who went were Melvin E. Damon, Louis H. Stalker, William H. Ford, Guideon E. Abbey, William W. Turner, Michael Grady, C. F. Rich and Burt Rickert.—George E. Abbey has returned from Burlington.—Miss Dorothy Walker has returned from Proctor.—Mrs. L. J. Bruya of Barre is in town on a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Napoleon LaPan.—President John M. Thomas has returned from Vergennes in the vicinity of which city he on Sunday preached at an open-air gathering on the shore of Lake Champlain.—Miss Evelyn Houghton and brother, Albert Houghton, have returned to Wallingford after having spent a week at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Billings.—Large quantities of hay which were lying out on farms in this county were got up and into the barns during Sunday. There were still other large quantities lying out ready for storing which could not be got in. This work was made necessary by the steady wet weather extending back some time.—The Misses Hilda and Alice Munroe of Brookline, Mass., are in town for two weeks with relatives.—Mrs. Eugene Whittimore and son, Paul, have returned to Rutland after a week in town.—John Tommasi after making his home in town for two years has gone to Fair Haven and expects to go into business for himself in that town.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sparrow of Spring Lake, Iowa, are with friends in town for several weeks.—Odell Estes has returned to Bristol after a few days' visit in town with friends.—A daughter, Jane Ruth, was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Chambers Saturday at the Mary Fletcher hospital. Mrs. Chambers before her marriage was Miss Frances Piper.—Leonard Zeeman, with a gang of men, is putting in a new piece of cement walk on North Pleasant street to take the place of an old tar walk.—Monday, market day, eggs brought 50 to 55 cents, dairy butter 55 cents and creamery butter 64 cents.—Mrs. R. D. Worden of Ravenna, Ohio, is visiting her brother, Earl E. Pelsue.

Another large audience gathered at the town hall Monday evening to witness the second presentation of the pageant drama, "The Court of Fame," many whom were present Friday evening attending again. In the voting contest at the home talent show at the town hall Monday evening, Mrs. George Chaffee received most votes, as Samatha Allen; Mrs. H. B. Hagar as Barbara Frietchie, Miss Pauline Sanford as Topsy was a close second. The drama netted $152.18 which will be devoted to the district nurse fund.—Mrs. Elbert B. Holmes gave an afternoon tea to Mrs. William T. Forsythe, wife of the late William Forsythe, a former rector of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church of this village, at her home on South Main street Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Cassin of New York city have arrived for several weeks here and at Lake Dunmore.—Hundreds of apple barrels are being delivered at this station every day and drawn out to the country to be used in the packing of the fall and winter apple crop. From the present outlook the crop generally will be about an average one, with a much better yield of better fruit to the growers who have taken proper care of their orchards.—Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Blakely have returned to Lawrence, Mass., after several weeks in Middlebury and vicinity.—Mr. and Mrs. James C. Morton of Indianapolis, Ind., are in town for a visit of two or three weeks.—The Misses Jennie Tisdale and Myrtle Lynch have gone to Swanton to spend a few weeks with friends.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Gilligan of Port Henry, N. Y., are visiting in Middlebury and neighboring towns.—Mr. and Mrs. Chauncy Ellsworth have returned to Franklin Falls, Mass., after three weeks in town.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sutton, who have been spending ten days at the Addison House, have gone to Burlington, where they will spend a short time, after which they will take a trip through Lake Champlain and from there will return to their home in New York city.

Mrs. T. H. Barnum of Weybridge has returned from a four weeks' visit with relatives in New Hampshire and Connecticut.—Dr. Charles G. Barnum and Miss Alice W. Barnum of Groton, Conn., are making a 10 days' visit with their parents, the Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Barnum.—The meeting of the Middlebury Grange No. 315 will be held Friday evening and the program will be as follows after the regular business session: Music; "Up to the Present Time What American has Done the Most Good With His Money?" answered by six members; roll call, a favorite childhood game; music; "What Did Our Farm Furnish for the Meals of My Family One Day in the Past Week?" Mrs. Charles James, Mrs. Fred Brookins, Mrs. Earl Dowey, Mrs. H. E. Sessions; six quotations of choice poetry, by as many members; music. The music for this meeting will be in charge of Mrs. Carl Barton. The Surprise committee is Mrs. F. J. Hubbard, Mrs. George Haynes.

VERGENNES

Fern and Lyle Mazon of Warrensburg, N. Y., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. H. W. Day.—Miss Alice Raymond of Baltimore, Md., is visiting Miss Grace L. Allen of Bellingham, Wash., who is spending her vacation with her father, Henry E. Allen.—The Vergennes apportionment of $200, toward the fund to match the $50,000 preventorium gift made by Redfield Proctor to the Vermont Tuberculosis association has been met by the payment of $183.45 in cash and $23.50 in pledges. This made a total from Vergennes of $206.95.—John Bunch, who with his wife has been spending a week's vacation with his parents returned yesterday to Springfield, Mass. Mrs. Bunch will remain some time longer.—Mr. and Mrs. Volney Avery, who have been making their home in Reading, Pa., have rented the J. O. Walker house in Ferrisburg and have moved their household goods there.—At the Vergennes Gun club shoot Friday afternoon, there were 20 contestants. H. W. Adams was high gun with a score of 22 out of a possible 25. F. W. Lebeau second, score 20, W. H. Warner, third, score 19.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Ross and daughter, Miss Adelaide of Rutland, are visiting his brother, Frank A. Ross, and daughter, Miss Mary Ross.—Mrs. William Smith of Burlington, a former resident, called on friends here Friday.—Charles Leo has returned to Hartford, Conn., after a visit to his father, Moses S. Lee.—Mrs. Christopher Yattaw has gone to make her home with her daughters, Mrs. Clayton McIntyre and Mrs. J. H. Hart.—The condition of Miss Helen Burroughs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Burroughs, who recently underwent a serious operation in the General Hospital in Boston, is improving. George Leloy has moved his family to New Haven where he has employment.

Attorney George W. Stone of Vergennes has announced himself as a candidate for State's attorney.—Mrs. Cecil R. Bristol and children, have gone to Alburg to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clellan.—Mrs. Susanna (Merritt) Booth has purchased of Mrs. Alexander Bennett the Samuel Wilson place near the park and will take possession October 1.—A. L. Blanchard and nephew, James Kirk of New Haven, Conn., are visiting Mr. Blanchard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blanchard.—Ira Brydia has installed a Pine Tree milking machine on his farm in West Ferrisburg and has purchased a Fordson tractor for farm uses.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry LaRock were brought before Municipal Court Judge A. W. Dickens Saturday on a complaint by neighbors on the charge of disturbing the peace. Both pleaded guilty. The court sentenced LaRock to six month's imprisonment in the house of correction at Windsor and Mrs. LaRock was fined $17.25. Both sentences were suspended subject to good behavior. The children were placed in charge of State Commissioner W. H. Jeffery. State's Attorney A. R. Sturtevant appeared for the State.—The condition of Henry Preston, who has been ill for several weeks from heart trouble at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary Goodale, is so much improved that he is able to be out.—Truman Tyrell of New York is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph A. Tyrell of West Ferrisburg.—Abraham Cohen and family and Max Fishman and children spent Sunday at Lake Dunmore.—Prof. George Dalrymple and family of Newark, N. J., are visiting his brothers, William R., and Walter A. Dalrymple.—Mrs. P. Singerman has returned to New York city after a visit to her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Cohen.—Charles Miller has purchased the Lang house on the west side of the river of the Herrick Stevens estate and will take possession August 1.—Mrs. May Gale has returned from Greensboro, where she has been caring for a patient.—Mrs. Louis Panton of Lowell, Mass., is visiting her son, Alfred Panton.

Congressman Frank L. Greene was in town Monday.—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McManus of Worcester, Mass., are guests of City Representative and Mrs. William H. Norton at the Stevens House.—Mr. and Mrs. William R. Sessions and two sons have returned from a two weeks' vacation spent with relatives in Brandon and Bristol.—Benjamin Clifton of Watertown, N. Y., called on friends here Monday.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bartley of Bridgeport, Conn., are visiting Mrs. Bartley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Floyd.—Miss Marjorie Phelps is attending summer school at the University of Vermont.—Mr. and Mrs. George Gee spent Sunday with Mr. Gee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gee.—Mrs. Cynthia McIntyre and niece, Miss Jessie Neill, accompanied by Mrs. McIntyre's brother, Elynn Kent, and wife of Mineville, N. Y., left yesterday for Tacoma, Wash., on a two months' visit to Mrs. John Norton.—Miss Ernestine Renaud of Montreal is visiting her uncles, Desire, Louis and Nelson J. Renaud.—The Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Sanderson of Montreal are guests of H. P. Edwards at the State Industrial School.—Miss Ruth Dickinson of White Plains, N. Y., is spending the summer with her aunt, Mrs. E. G. Norton.—Clinton Pecue of Buffalo, N. Y., is visiting his father, William Pecue.—Miss Gertrude Piper, accompanied by her grandfather, Cassius T. Warner, and Dr. V. W. Waterman, was taken Monday to the Mary Fletcher hospital to be operated upon for appendicitis.—The Vergennes town baseball team will cross bats next Sunday afternoon on the old fair grounds here with the fast Burlington American Legion Post, No. 2, team.—Henry V. Wheelock is spending the week at his camp at Woodbury Pond.—Mr. and Mrs. Grover Gowett, Abraham and Mrs. Elda Gowett have returned to Holyoke, Mass., after a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Gowett.

Over 200 people attended the free lecture, illustrated by moving pictures, on the

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