

Courier & Freeman.

LOCAL DEPARTMENT

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 19, 1913.

REPUBLICAN VILLAGE CAUCUS.

A caucus of the Republican voters of the Village of Potsdam will be held in the Town Hall in said Village, on Friday, Feb. 28, 1913, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the office of President, Trustees, Assessor, Collector, Treasurer and Reading Room Trustee, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before such caucus.

Potsdam, N. Y., Feb. 18, 1913.

C. S. Ferris, W. T. Hinman, H. H. Fay, E. W. Flagg, C. A. Barnett, Village Committee.

Mr. H. N. Clark has returned from a week's trip in Canada.

Mr. John McDonald and daughter Helen of Canton visited relatives in town Sunday.

Mr. J. R. Part spent a few days in Sodus last week with his daughter Marion.

Mr. J. R. Weston has been confined to the house several days with the grip.

Miss Marion Eastman spent the week end with friends in North Stockholm.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Smith of Lawrence Ave., spent several days of last week in Syracuse and Watertown.

Mrs. W. F. Gabler and son Clyde of Watertown are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Heaton.

Mr. E. R. Safford Jr. has rented the Maxfield house on Chestnut street and will occupy it March 1.

Mrs. F. L. Dewey leaves tomorrow for New York enroute for Tampa, Fla. where she will spend a month.

Mrs. Evelyn McCormick, R. N., visited at Mr. M. M. McCormick's one day last week.

Hon. and Mrs. E. A. Merritt, Jr., leave today for a few days stay in New York, after which they will go to Washington for the inauguration.

The Young Woman's Social Club of the Methodist Church will give their annual Colonial Supper on Friday night.

An error was made last week in referring to the sale of lot No. 6 State Street. This lot is owned by J. O. St. Kearns and the lot transferred was No. 4 State Street which Mr. Kearns purchased from the Hatch estate.

Miss Winifred Attle, who has been spending the past six months in Lake Placid, Saratoga and Schenectady arrived Sunday morning Feb. 9, much to the surprise of her parents and friends.

February 22: Washington's Birthday, the post office will be open from 8 a. m. to 12 M. and from 7 to 8 p. m. City carriers will make the morning deliveries and collections. City carriers' window will be open from 11 a. m. to 12 M. and from 7 to 8 p. m. Rural carriers will not make a trip.

Duffy-Rivers Co. have engaged Miss Mary Seaman to manage their Millinery Department the coming season. Miss Seaman comes highly recommended to her new position, having some fifteen years experience as milliner in some of the best stores of the State.

The Moral Leaders section of the Fortnightly Club will meet Monday evening Feb. 24 with Dr. and Miss Thompson. Mrs. Finlmore will give a paper on the early life of Luther and Mrs. Keenan will take up the public life of Luther. The discussion will be in charge of Miss Johnson. The ladies are invited to read with Mrs. Russell Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Henry C. Bartholomew, who has been a life long resident of this section, died at his home on Walnut street Wednesday, Feb. 12, after a long illness. Mr. Bartholomew was born in Morley in 1854. For many years he engaged in farming, and of late years has been doing various kinds of concrete work. He is survived by his wife, one daughter Bernice, and one brother Howard of Stockholm. Funeral services were held from the late home Friday. Rev. S. T. Dibble officiated and the service was in charge of the Odd Fellows, of which Mr. Bartholomew was a member.

Automobilists are interested in a bill just introduced in the legislature by Senator Veltie, of Brooklyn, relative to liability for injuries caused by motor vehicles to persons and property. It provides that the owner whose name appears on the title, or if the name does not appear on the title, the one to whom the license was issued, shall be primarily liable for such injury, and any person who has been injured, or whose property has been injured, or in case of his death the person authorized by law to maintain such action, may bring action against the owner for such damage, and it shall be no defense to the action that at the time of the injury or damage the vehicle was being operated by a person not authorized by the owner or by his agent or employee, otherwise than in the course of his employment.

News was received here yesterday of the death at his home, Hastings on the Hudson, of Prof. James M. Graves. He was born in Waddington, Nov. 27, 1862. He graduated from the Normal in 1888. In 1889 he went to New Brunswick, N. J., to teach, and in 1890 returned to Potsdam, where he became a member of the Normal Faculty. Later he entered Columbia University, graduating in 1905, at which time he was elected Professor of Mathematics in the Normal. Three years later he resigned to take up professorship in a large school near New York, where he has since been. He was united in marriage with Miss Boyd, a member of the Normal Faculty here, who, with one child, survives him. During his residence here Mr. Graves made many friends who will learn of his untimely death with deep

Mr. Reuben Garlough of Stark made a business trip to Potsdam last week.

Mr. N. J. Abernathy of Madrid was a visitor at Mrs. Clara Royce's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. E. Sisson are receiving congratulations over the birth of a son Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jenkins attended the funeral of a relative at Rensselaer Falls last week.

Mr. Robert Cushman of Kingston Ont., was in town Saturday. Mr. Cushman is manager of some lead mines near Kingston.

At a meeting of the Potsdam Club last week Mr. Wm. F. Anderson, Prof. L. M. McDermott, and Mr. H. E. Flack were elected resident members.

There will be held a regular meeting of Union Court Potlatch No. 212, on Monday evening, Feb. 24 at Leney Hall.

Miss Flora Winters of Bangor and her sister Irene spent the day recently at Dr. Emery's on the Hopkinton road.

Mrs. David Bix of Norwood is spending two weeks at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mandy's helping to care for her sister Ida who has been ill for some time.

Dean Cook of the Agricultural School, Mr. Sheehan, Overseer of the Farm, and Mr. Phelps, Supt. of the Farm Bureau, were guests of Mr. A. A. Field Saturday.

Mrs. Leon Seaver and daughter Ruth spent a delightful week with her sister Mrs. McCarthy at Dekalb and her friend Mrs. Charles McBride at Rensselaer Falls.

Mr. D. C. Gibbs of Brushton, Mr. Orrie Northrup of Morley and Mr. and Mrs. John Hedden spent the Sabbath with Dr. and Mrs. Emery on the Hopkinton road.

Mrs. Mabel Power, who is teaching at Carthage, attended the convention held at the Normal last week and visited her mother and son on Upper Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Samson of Converse visited their brother Doctor Samson at Dickinson and a aunt at Lawrenceville and friends at Norwood last week.

Mrs. F. A. Stanton attended the funeral of a cousin at Rensselaer Falls last week, this is the second relative of Mrs. Stanton's who has passed away at Rensselaer Falls in the past month.

Mr. Glen Sealy, principal of the High School at Rensselaer Falls, attended the teachers' conference at Potsdam last week and visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sealy. Mrs. Sealy and son spent a day at Parishville Ctr. visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Manzer.

Mr. Mark Wilder of Watertown, a well known paper man of this section, has purchased a water power in Franklin Co. at Chasm Falls, and will build a hydro-electric plant which will develop 4000 horse power, under a head of 260 feet. The electric power will be transmitted over a ten mile line to Watertown.

The next meeting of the St. Lawrence Co. Holstein-Friesian Breeders' Club will be held in Gouverneur, Thursday, March 13, 1913. There will be both an afternoon and an evening meeting, and good speakers will address both meetings. It is earnestly desired that every member be present and a cordial invitation is also extended to all who are not members.

The death of Mrs. Edson Potter occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. S. Cushing, Wednesday Feb. 12. Mary Read Potter was born in Colton in 1841, the daughter of Benj. F. Read of that village. She was united in marriage to Edson Potter about 50 years ago. Her entire life had been spent in Colton. Mrs. Potter is survived by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. C. I. Olmstead and Mrs. F. S. Cushing of Potsdam; one sister, Mrs. William Raymond of Colton, and two brothers, Frank Read of Norfolk and Charles Read of Watertown. The funeral services were held in Colton Friday afternoon, Rev. W. J. M. Waterson officiating, with interment in Pleasant Mount Cemetery.

The St. Lawrence County Farm Bureau has been organized and commenced work Feb. 15. This is the second bureau in the State, Jefferson County having the first one. The headquarters are at Canton. Mr. Norwood of Massena is President, and Mr. A. A. Field of Potsdam, Master of Pomona, is one of the Board of Directors. Mr. Phelps, a Cornell graduate has been engaged as Superintendent for one year. The first regular meeting will be held March 6. The aim of the Bureau is to assist the farmer in every possible way with advice concerning his soil, availability of crops, etc., and the Supt. will visit any farmer on request to advise on whatever problems may come up. It is believed that this Bureau will be of great benefit to the farming interests of St. Lawrence County.

The Friendship Birthday Club met with Mrs. O. D. Lee and daughter Ethel Jan. 15. The house was very charmingly decorated with red hearts of all sizes reminding one of St. Valentine's Day last past. There were 15 members present, Mrs. Frank Eastman being an invited guest. The meeting was opened by all singing "Coming Through the Rye," after which the roll was called. Mrs. V. H. Kirk in behalf of the Club presented Mrs. Lee with half a dozen silver knives and Ethel with half a dozen silver fruit knives. Next came hidden animals to guess to which Mrs. Frank Eastman won first prize, Mrs. W. H. Thompson consolation. After this a large red heart with a white heart center for a target was set up and each one was given a bow and arrows with 3 shots each. Mrs. A. F. Tupper won first prize, Emily Campbell consolation. At supper, which was a fine one, each gave an original toast. The favors were shiny valentines. Before leaving for home they all sang "Auld Lang Syne" and departed saying they had spent a most delightful afternoon and wishing Miss Ethel many more happy birthdays. The next meeting will be with Mrs. James Regan and Mrs. Eva Converse at Regan's March 26th.

Mrs. Ellis Benson visited friends in Canton last week.

Miss Cressy Peet is spending some time with her parents.

Howard Faulkner was in Ogdensburg-Monday.

Miss Hazel Fletcher spent the week end with the Misses O'Connor.

Miss Elizabeth Rafferty of Potsdam has been visiting her sister Mrs. M. Rosch.

Mr. Lee A. Hanes of Canton visited friends in Parishville for a few days last week.

There will be a meeting of the Racquette River Lodge No. 243 F. & A. M., Thursday even Feb. 20. Work will be on the second degree.

The lecture by Dr. Hillis which has been postponed twice, will surely be given on Wednesday evening, Feb. 26. All holders of tickets should note the date.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bacon, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Dains and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Shields spent last week Thursday at the old Homestead with their friends Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Austin.

Mr. Charles Dullex has rented his farm on the Hopkinton road to Mr. Ed. Brownell, possession taken March 1st. Mr. Dullex and family will move to Leroy St. near the fair grounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Baum entertained their friends Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Austin and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Donovan and Miss Katherine Sweeney for tea and the evening on Friday Feb. 14th at their home four miles from Potsdam.

The County Convention of the Royal Neighbors will be held at Leney Hall on Thursday Feb. 20. There will be an afternoon and evening session. Mrs. May Norton, the District Deputy is expected and a profitable and interesting session is anticipated.

The Greenery of Truth will meet at the home of Miss Edhel Murphy, 11 Hamilton St., next Thursday evening, Feb. 20, at 8 o'clock, for their monthly business meeting and social hour. Hostesses Miss Florence Edwards, Miss Letitia Matthews, Miss Ella Fisk, Miss Ethel Murphy.

Mr. Hamilton Glow, the efficient clerk at Goldsmith's One Price Shoe and Clothing Store, left on Monday morning for a short sojourn at Mexico, N. Y. The attraction that way seems strong; possible he may become anchored, as many another wise young man has. How about it, Ham? There are other young men here who are anxiously inquiring.

At the last Quarterly Conference of the Methodist Church held on Monday evening last at the parsonage, a unanimous invitation was extended to Rev. S. T. Dibble to return to this charge after the general conference, which convenes in Fulton early in April. There was a large company present and the reports from the various departments of the church were complete and showed the church to be in an encouraging condition, as expressed by the District Superintendent, Rev. H. W. Markham, who presided. At the close of the business meeting light refreshments were served.

A meeting of the dairymen of Potsdam and vicinity was held in the Grange Hall on Feb. 17, 1913, for the purpose of organizing a Dairymen's League. Ninety farmers signed an agreement representing 1534 cows. The officers elected for the local League were: President, Alva Gates; Secretary, Allen M. Wheeler; Treasurer, William J. Murphy. The State Organizer of the Dairymen's League, G. M. Babcock of New York was present and addressed the meeting, explaining the objects, plans and purposes of the League. The meeting was very enthusiastic, every one present showing profound interest in the movement just started in this locality. Papers are in the hands of the Secretary, and those who have not already subscribed can do so.

POTSDAM BOY IS SHOT.

Norwood Physician Mistakes Him For Burglar.

Frederick Barnhart, a Potsdam boy 22 years old, was shot and probably fatally wounded by Dr. J. W. Kissané of Norwood early Friday morning.

Young Barnhart had been employed at the Racquette River Paper Co.'s mill. He left there late Thursday night, thinly clad and walked to Norwood. He stayed around the station awhile and when it closed a little after twelve he went out leaving his overcoat there. After wandering around awhile he found a rear door unlocked in Dr. Kissané's house and went in to get warm.

Dr. Kissané was aroused by the barking of his dog and heard someone down stairs. Going onto an upper veranda he aroused Mr. C. F. Vance, who lived in an adjoining apartment, and secured a revolver. Going down to the lower veranda he walked around the house, and looking through the window he saw some one inside, who upon being fired, the bullet going thro' Barnhart's arm. Barnhart then went out onto the back veranda and Dr. Kissané fired two more shots, one going through his thigh and one thro' his groin, when his identity was discovered.

Dr. Kissané immediately notified Chief Leahy, who with Dr. Thatcher drove to Norwood at once.

Meanwhile Mr. Barnhart had been carried to the Whitney house and two of the bullets removed. On the arrival of Dr. Thatcher he was taken to the Ogdensburg City Hospital where it was found that one bullet had perforated five intestines and lodged near the spine, making a probably fatal wound.

Both of Mr. Barnhart's parents died about 18 years ago, and he has since made his home here with his uncle, Dr. H. D. Thatcher. One sister also lives in Potsdam with Mrs. Geo. Z. Erwin.

A report from the Hospital Tuesday afternoon stated that Mr. Barnhart had had a fair night and that his condition was as good as could be expected. The crisis will come today or tomorrow.

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