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SPRINGFIELD, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 13, 1909

MARRIED IN SOUTH CHURCH.

Prominent Society Girl the Bride of an Army Officer—Large Gathering at Church and Day Home.

One of the most brilliant weddings which Springfield has seen in a long time was that of last evening, when Miss Pauline Boyden Day, the only daughter of Mr and Mrs Robert W. Day, became the wife of Charles Andrew Meals, a lieutenant in the United States army, who has been stationed at the local arsenal for the past two years. The marriage ceremony was performed in the South church at 8 o'clock, and was followed by a beautiful reception at the Day home on State street a half an hour later. Both affairs were signals for local society people to gather in force, the big church was crowded and more than 400 were bidden to the party at the house. The bride and the groom have so many friends in town that their wedding evoked an unusual amount of interest, while the many who came from other cities gave more than a local atmosphere to the gathering. Springfield has seen few social affairs that have been as elaborate, none where every detail which might tend to the pleasure of the guests or the choiceness of the decorations, has been more perfectly worked out. It was one of the largest weddings ever given for a Springfield girl, as well as one of the prettiest.

It was soon after 7 when the first of the long line of carriages and automobiles began to arrive at the south entrance of the brown church on the corner of Maple and High streets, and for the next hour both thoroughfares were rather more than crowded. Not only had the usual front seats on the center aisle been reserved for the relatives of the bride and groom, but last evening it was necessary to take the head pews on the sides as well. While the people were gathering John J. Bishop played a number of selections on the organ, and people were given plenty of opportunity to admire the pleasing simplicity and good taste of the church decorations. No attempt had been made to transform the big auditorium into a bower of green and white, and the only touches of color were in the front of the church. The platform was banked solidly with great palms that reached high up toward the organ and extended around the edge of the choir. In the center two huge clusters of white chrysanthemums fell from either side of the pulpit to the floor, and before them was the white prayer dieu for the bride and groom.

Mr Bishop interrupted his recital as the clock began to strike and swung into the soft opening strains of the "Lohengrin" wedding march. The bridal party entered from the north vestibule of the church, crossed the rear of the auditorium and marched up the center aisle. The ushers came first, and were Robert F. Day, a brother of the bride, Brewer Corcoran, Frederic W. Fuller, Ralph K. Safford, Winsor B. Day, another brother of the bride, and Lieut Norman F. Ramsey, United States army. They were followed by the bridesmaids, Miss Elsie Trowbridge of New Haven, Ct., Miss Emma Holbrook, Miss May Shepard and Miss Rebecca Birnie, all of this city, and behind them was Mrs Robert F. Day, the matron of honor and the sister-in-law of the bride. The bride herself came last, leaning on the arm of her father, who gave her away. Lieut Meals and his best man, Lieut Jo-

orator, youthful genius.

seph W. Stillwell, United States army, with Rev Dr Philip S. Moxom, in robe and academic hood, met the bridal procession at the head of the aisle and the marriage service was begun. Dr Moxom used his own service, and Mr Bishop played softly while the couple were being married. At the close of the service the wedding party left the church to the notes of the Mendelssohn wedding march.

The reception at the Day home was an unusually charming affair, and the big house and huge addition built on to its western side for the occasion were well filled until late in the evening. As the guests came down the stairs they were ushered into the big music room which occupies nearly the entire eastern side of the house, and there they were given opportunity to extend their congratulations to Lieut and Mrs Meals and to Mr and Mrs Day, who received at the left of the doorway. The bride wore a magnificent gown of white satin with a tunic of white net and Venetian point lace, trimmed with orange blossoms. Her long veil was of white tulle and worn with a headdress of lace and orange blossoms. Her only jewels were a diamond pendant, the gift of the groom, and she carried a big bouquet of lilies of the valley and white orchids. Mrs Day was gowned in white satin, with an overdress of gold-spangled tulle, with trimmings of gold embroidery. The bridesmaids were dressed in green and white, as those were the colors carried out throughout the entire wedding and all the festivities which preceded it. Their gowns were of white satin with hand-embroidered bands of green and silver, and their white satin sashes had a silver fringe. They wore bands of silver embroidery in their hair and carried large bouquets of green orchids, gardenias and maiden-hair ferns. The matron of honor was gowned in the same style, only her dress was all of white, with white embroidery. The bridesmaids wore their gift from the bride, dainty brooches of pale green enamel bordered with platinum and set with diamonds. Lieut Meals gave his ushers handsome silver-mounted walking sticks.

The decorations in the room where the receiving party stood were of great beauty. Many palms were about the walls, and the mantel and fireplace were banked with white chrysanthemums and green orchids, while great bunches of the big, duffy white flowers were scattered among the palms. The dining-room was decorated in the same manner, while the large library was done in yellow and green. Orchids and yellow chrysanthemums hid the fireplace and mantel, while palms and southern smilax figured in the mural decorations. In two of the rooms on the second story the bridal gifts were set about on long tables, and included about everything in the way of silver, cut glass, art objects, books and furniture that any young couple could dream of to make their new home comfortable as well as luxurious.

It was in the big supper-room, which was later used as an impromptu ballroom, where the guests could get the full value of the beauties of the chosen color scheme. This addition was a very long affair, and quite wide, large enough to allow nearly 100 little supper tables to be set, and still leave plenty of room. The walls and ceiling were hung in white, while a delicate frieze of southern smilax trembled from the cornice half-way down to the long settees which ran around the base of the walls. The ceiling was paneled with light strands of smilax, in which were buried the many little white incandescent lights. At small intervals the sides of the room were joined with garlands of asparagus tips, which made a green false ceiling, through which the lights from above came. Four huge baskets of white chrysanthemums were suspended at intervals down the length of the room. From its eastern side a raised alcove opened, decorated in the same manner, and affor-

ed with this

ing seats for the Philharmonic orchestra, which played during the reception and supper and for the ensuing dancing. The supper was elaborate, and served to four people at a table, each table being prettily decorated with flowers and green and white confections. Maresi of New York catered. Opening from the north side of this room was the smoking-room, fitted with comfortable chairs and divans, and decorated as was the rest of the addition, the decorations being by Aitken.

Mr and Mrs Meals did not leave for their wedding trip until late in the evening, remaining for the dancing which followed the removal of all the little supper tables. But when they did leave the Day home they went in clouds of flowers and an automobile. They will be gone for three or four weeks, probably spending the major share of their honeymoon at New York and West Point. They will make their home in the Armory when they return. Among the guests from out of town at the wedding were:—

Mr and Mrs Rutherford Trowbridge and Mrs Ezekiel Stoddard of New Haven, Ct.; Mr and Mrs Alfred A. Cowles of New York; Mrs and Miss Richardson, Dr and Mrs F. W. Taylor, Mrs S. H. Woodbridge, Miss Minnie Taylor of Boston, Mr and Mrs George F. Duncan of Portland, Me., William Maxwell and Miss Alice Maxwell of Rockville, Ct.; Mr and Mrs Walter P. Winsor of Fair Haven, Mr and Mrs J. Frank Hitchcock and Dr and Mrs Blake White of New York, Mr and Mrs William P. Schell of Seneca Falls, N. Y., Brig-Gen William Crozier of Washington, Miss Carrie Ct., Mrs Alfred George Baker and Ballston Spa, N. Burlington, Vt., Capted States army, Lang of Salem, Mr Miss Yergason, Mr of Hartford, Ct., M of New York, and of Worcester

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Portsmouth, N. H., October 25.—Dr. Boris Sidis, internationally known expert in psychology and psychopathology, died suddenly yesterday at his home here. He was 56 years old.

Dr. Sidis some years ago attracted attention throughout the system of education by which his son, William James Sidis, was enabled to read and spell at the age of two years; passed the Harvard medical school examination in anatomy at seven, at the same time having mastered elementary mathematical; passed the Massachusetts Institute of Technology entrance examinations at eight at which time he spoke French, Russian, English and German and possessed a knowledge of Latin and Greek; entered Tufts college at the age of ten and Harvard in 1909 when he was 11 years old.

The boy received his bachelor of arts degree in 1914 at the age of 15. After two years in the school of arts and sciences and the law school, he became an instructor in mathematics in Rice Institute at Houston, Texas, and well put in 1918. On May 1, 1919, he was arrested with eleven others in a socialist and in some branctic demonstration in Boston, was found guilty of assaulting an officer and was sentenced to eighteen months in the house of correction. He appealed and defaulted, two warrants being issued for his arrest. He was reported in 1922 to be an instructor in a socialist-labor institute in New York city.

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by that of the son. From his infancy he has been what is commonly known as a "mental prodigy." Entering grammar school when six years old, he electrified teachers and pupils alike by passing through seven grades in less than as many months. Becoming a student at the Brookline High School at eight, he was in three months assisting the mathematical master to correct the papers of boys twice his age.

His specialty has always been mathematics, yet his father insists, and certain facts would seem to bear him out, that the boy is no mere "mathematical wonder." It is notorious that most boys of uncommon mathematical facility are as a general rule woefully deficient otherwise. A few years ago Mr. Frank D. Mitchell undertook in the Cornell Psychological Laboratory an exhaustive inquiry into the accomplishments and characteristics of the most celebrated mathematical prodigies. Of all those of whose history he succeeded in obtaining any detailed record he found only four—André Marie Ampère, Carl Friedrich Gauss, George Parker Bidder and Truman Henry Safford—who were at all proficient outside of their peculiar gift, or who were even of average intellectuality. Some of the best known—such as Jedediah Buxton, Jacques Inaudi and Johann Dase—were, in fact, stupid and backward in everything except mathematics. And even in mathematics they seemed to have no grasp of the principles of the science, but were simply human counting machines, able to make complicated calculations with almost incredible rapidity.

Dase, for example, according to Mr. Mitchell, "multiplied together mentally two 8-figure numbers in 54 seconds, two 20-figure numbers in 6 minutes, two 40-figure numbers in 40 minutes, and two 100-figure numbers in 8½ hours; he would extract the square root of a 60-figure number in an 'incredibly short time,' and the square root of a 100-figure number in 52 minutes. All these times, with the exception of that for the 100-figure multiplication, are probably more rapid, in some cases much more rapid, than those of a good computer using paper." Now, William James Sidis cannot do anything like this. He needs to use pencil and paper like the rest of us, and he makes mistakes in multiplication and division just as we all do. But, unlike the vast majority of "lightning calculators," he seems to have a phenomenal insight into mathematical principles and an equally phenomenal capacity for applying them to the solution of the most abstruse problems. He has already studied, and is said to have to a large extent mastered, analytical geometry, differential and integral calculus, and the properties of the hypothetical "fourth dimension." That he has indeed made marvellous progress in this respect is sufficiently evidenced by the action of the mathematical department of Harvard in recommending his admission to the university at an age when most boys are still struggling with the rudiments of mathematics.

Besides this, he differs from the ordinary mathematical prodigy in having a remarkably wide and varied range of intellectual interests. Those who know him well describe him as absolutely insatiable in his desire for knowledge. A story is told illustrative of the early development of this characteristic. When less than five years old he was rummaging about the house one day, poking as children will into all sorts of out-of-the-way closets and corners. Suddenly his inquiring gaze encountered a skeleton, a relic of his father's student days. Instead of crying out in terror as most children would, he stood for a moment quietly inspecting the grim figure, and then ran to his mother—who, by the way, like his father, holds an M. D. de-

—to demand eagerly what the skeleton was. On being told, he immediately wanted to know how the bones were put together, and what each bone was called. This preliminary lesson in anatomy so excited his curiosity that he soon became absorbed in the study of the subject and, according to his father, could have passed creditably an examination in anatomy by the time he was seven years old.

At a still earlier age he displayed considerable proficiency in other subjects. He could spell, read, and write at the age of three. At three and a half he began type-writing. At five he took his first lessons in arithmetic, but, oddly enough, was for some time quite backward in this study in which he is now so advanced, and while at the grammar school was weaker in mathematics than in anything else. In his grammar school period he developed a distinct gift for oratory, and became the child "star orator" of the school. Today he declaims in Greek, with, it is said, a high degree of eloquence. This past summer he has been busily engaged not only in studying Greek, and other languages, but also in charting the heavens according to a plan of his own devising.

There would literally seem to be no limit to this strange boy's intellectual activities. Recently there appeared in "Success Magazine" an intimate study of his varied accomplishments, in which the writer said:

"Go into his home with him, and follow him up to his room. At first sight there is nothing to surprise or astonish you. On the bed lies, open, a colored picture book. Beside it is a volume of fairy tales, one of Andrew Lang's quaint compilations. 'Alice in Wonderland' lies on a table, convenient to his hand. Note the mechanical toy on the floor, the checkerboard, the scattered dominoes. It is much like any child's room.

"But look a little further. Turn and examine the contents of that bookcase against the wall. It is well filled, you observe—packed to overflowing with books of all sizes. Take one down and open it. As you see, it is a textbook on algebra. Here is one on trigonometry. This other has to do with geometry. Now we have a ponderous work on differential and integral calculus.

"Turn again to the bookcase against the wall. It contains, as you will find, works on astronomy, anatomy, physiology, geography, history, political science and languages.

All of these he studies with genuine enthusiasm. For the past few months he has been chiefly interested in the study of American history and government. Not long ago he showed me a paper giving his conception of the twenty greatest events in the history of the United States. It would have done credit to a university student. Indeed it revealed a clearer insight into the philosophy of history than many a teacher of history ever attains.

"He studies the present, the life of the world around him, as earnestly as he does the past. Every day he takes the morning newspaper to his room, pores over its contents and reads with especial care the news of political happenings. During the national campaign of last year, it was his custom to discuss its progress, the principles involved, and the probable outcome, not only with his father and mother, but also with visitors—with anyone who cared to talk to him. Often he wandered down to nearby stores for the express purpose of engaging the storekeepers in a political discussion. You may depend upon it, when this boy is old enough to vote he will know exactly why he casts his ballot for any particular candidate or measure—and it will be a pretty difficult matter for political orators to throw dust in his eyes."

building in South Weymouth.

SIDIS IS GIVEN 18 MONTHS

Young Socialist, Former Harvard Prodigy
Sentenced to House of Correction for His
Part in the Roxbury May Day Riot

With the exception of several cases that were put over until May 22, Judge Albert F. Hayden of the Roxbury court yesterday afternoon completed the disposition of the cases arising out of the May Day riots in Roxbury. One of the last defendants to be arraigned was William James Sidis, the young man who some years ago, at the age of fifteen years, was graduated from Harvard and was called a boy prodigy. He was sentenced to eighteen months in the House of Correction on charges of rioting and assault and entered an appeal, being held in \$5000 bonds for the Superior Court.

Sidis, who said he is twenty-one years old and lives at 260 Newbury street, Back Bay, admitted that he was at the Dudley Street Opera House May 1, that he was in different parts of the line of parade and that he carried a red flag. He added, in response to questions, that he is a socialist, believes in the soviet form of government and in economic evolution.

"Do you believe in God?" he was asked. "No," was his reply.

The witness stated that the soviet ideals do not necessarily imply violence. Political socialists, said Sidis, believe mainly in the ballot and the Bolsheviks in control of industry. He said the red in the red flag stands for the common blood of humanity as it does in the American flag.

In cross-examination, Sidis said he was in the draft and claimed exemption because of conscientious objections. In re-direct examination he said he does not believe in force. He denied that he had said "To hell with the American flag," adding that he never used such language. He admitted that he had an American flag in his pocket May 1. In reply to a question by the court as to whether he believes in the American flag, Sidis said he believes in it in the sense of the Declaration of Independence.

Several other defendants were given terms of six or eighteen months in the House of Correction.

HARVARD PRODIGY SERIOUSLY ILL

William James Sidis, the 11-years-old mathematical prodigy of Harvard university, son of Prof Boris Sidis of Harvard, is seriously ill at his father's home at Brookline. No definite information regarding his ailment has been given out. The lad is weak constitutionally, but his brain development is phenomenal. It is believed he is breaking down. He has been absent from his lectures during a period of up to several weeks. In fact he has attended lectures but twice since he was removed from the fourth year of Harvard.

To Be Graduated.

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ROWTH OF A GENIUS.

ous times between fifteen years ago, cultured Boston interested and amazed at the appearance of Professor Boris Sidis at Harvard University, for he was what is often loosely termed a prodigy. No one recalls many languages, dead and living, that he had mastered at the age of fifteen. His mathematical feats were then accomplished, but they were varied and surprising. He graduated from Harvard at the age of sixteen, and some years later, while he was the youngest living graduate of the university. Now he is 21 and more New England hears of him now he is not discussing the question nor is he speaking English nor is he speaking English, for he on Tuesday in the Roxbury court with eleven other defendants in connection with rioting.

witnesses testified that they saw Sidis carrying a red flag in his pocket and two testified that, when asked why he was not carrying an American flag, he cried, "To the American flag!" In his testimony Sidis said that he believed in the soviet form of government and in economic evolution.

He was sentenced to six months' imprisonment and appealed.

Sidis may remain an idol to a few worshippers, but most persons who had heard of his precocity will now forget him promptly and will reflect that a brilliant intellect and excellent education does not insure straight thinking or guarantee common sense on the part of its possessor. A private with a clean record and two or three gold chevrons on his sleeve looms large when compared with this young man.

THE PROGRESS OF A GENIUS.

"The Courant" yesterday told its readers something new regarding a person who once took rather more than his share of space in print. Now it is fairly certain that his appearances on the first page are likely to be rare.

He is William J. Sidis, once of Boston, where he was a youthful prodigy even for that city. The son of a professor, his mental development was surprising. He could read and write when 2 years old and at

The case of young Sidis—a precocious and probably visionary youth—has prompted some very serious reflections along the Merrimac river. The Manchester Union seems to think Harvard's long-time Unitarian tendencies very largely to blame for Sidis's views and conduct. The Lowell Courier-Citizen suspects that there is something wrong with this diagnosis, but suggests that the time has come to question "the courses, methods of instruction and personnel that have prevailed since the great renunciation of conventional academic education under President Eliot 40 years ago." It is reassuring to the Lowell Courier-Citizen, however, to think that "reds" of one kind and another are doubtless "a small band in the great army of Harvard alumni." They doubtless are. But the Lowell Courier-Citizen is inveighing against "highbrows" in general these days, and possibly some citizens who are usually regarded as only moderate blue look red to the Lowell paper. ment for him for he insisted on doing work which did not require thinking. Of that it seems he has had enough to last him a life-time.

There must have been many parents in Boston as well as elsewhere who looked upon their perfectly normal children with some regret as they read of the progress and achievements of young Mr. Sidis during the period between 1904 and 1914 and who are now more reconciled to their lot. It was nothing short of marvellous that this youngster could lecture on the fourth dimension when he was eleven years old but now that he is 26 he is operating an adding machine at \$23 a week. There must have been a considerable number of youngsters about the age of Sidis who failed to finish their course in high school who are now earning more and who have a more hopeful outlook than youthful genius.

SWORDS OF CONNECTICUT OFFICERS, WITH HISTORIES

Gift to Colonel Seymour by General Assembly for Meritorious Ser-

vices in Mexico.

Thomas H. Seymour was the recipient of a sword in 1849 from the general assembly, as a testimony on account of the gallant and meritorious service which he had performed on the battlefields of Mexico. A committee, consisting of Governor Joseph Trumbull of Hartford, William J. Hamersley, Henry C. Deming, Addison H. Fitch and James T. Pratt, was appointed by the legislature for purchasing and presenting the sword. In 1859 Colonel Seymour was elected governor of the state and held the office three years, when he was made United States minister at St. Petersburg. The sword which the state of Connecticut presented to him was one of the most valued recognitions of his public life. Governor Seymour died in Hartford, September 3, 1868, and the sword, which he had prized so highly for twenty years, passed into the possession of the Seymour family, finally drifting to New Orleans. From that city it was sent back to Hartford and deposited with the Connecticut Historical society. Governor Seymour left an extensive collection of public documents and records, which were examined and restored by Judge Sherman W. Adams. Some of them were records of men who served in the French and Indian wars, and their restoration to the state archives was invaluable.

Sword for Major Wessels.

The legislature of 1849 also presented a sword to Major Henry W. Wessels of the Second United States Infantry, as a testimonial of respect for the valor and good conduct which he had displayed at the bombardment of Vera Cruz, the storming of Cerro Gordo and at the battle of Cherubusco. The resolutions ordering the sword for Major Wessels recited the fact that he had risen from the grade of a first lieutenant to that of a field officer and that his service in the Mexican war reflected honor as well upon the service to which he was attached as upon the state of which he was a native and a citizen. General Francis Bacon, Colonel George C. Woodruff, Colonel Henry D. Smith and Major A. C. Goodman were appointed a committee by the legislature on purchasing and presenting the sword. This was sixty years ago. Major Wessels attained the rank of brevet brigadier-general during the Civil War, and was in command of the garrison at Plymouth, N. C., at the time it was surrendered, April 20, 1864. He was mustered out January 15, 1866, and retired from the United States army, January 1, 1871. General Wessels was a native of Litchfield. The sword, which he received from the legislature in 1849, is supposed to be in the custody of the Wessels family of Litchfield. It is not likely that the sword was lost at the capture of Plymouth.

General Lyon's Sword.

At a special session of the legislature in October, 1861, a resolution was passed, accepting the sword, belt and chapeau of General Nathaniel Lyon, which had been presented by the rela-

that of the son. From his infancy he was that of that gallant officer. The resolution was approved by Governor Buckingham, October 16. As property of the state, the sword, belt and chapeau were deposited for safe keeping with the Connecticut Historical society. The secretary of state was directed to provide a suitable case for that purpose.

Fitting Out Precious Memorial.

By act of the general assembly, approved by Governor Buckingham, June 24, 1862, the sword of Colonel Charles L. Russell of the Tenth Connecticut, who was killed at Roanoke Island, February 8, 1862, was accepted, being the gift of Mrs. Russell. It was received as "a fitting and precious memorial of one of Connecticut's most noble and worthy sons, an efficient, skillful and beloved commander." The sword was deposited under the direction of the governor in the Connecticut Historical society.

Bequeathed to His Son.

Colonel Thomas F. Burpee of the Twenty-first Connecticut, who was mortally wounded at Cold Harbor, Va., June 9, 1864, and died June 11, requested that his sword should be placed in the possession of his son, Lucien F. Burpee, now judge of the superior court. The first year that Judge Burpee was colonel of the Second regiment, C. N. G., he took the sword with him to Niantic, where it was seen by the adjutant of the Twenty-first, who was deeply impressed by it. At the adjutant's request Colonel Burpee wore the sword at dress parade. Charles W. Burpee of this city is also a son of the Connecticut hero, who sacrificed his life at Cold Harbor in 1864.

Presented to the State.

The sword of Major General John Sedgwick, who was killed at Spottsylvania, Va., May 19, 1864, was presented to the state by P. C. Sedgwick and Miss Emily Sedgwick, brother and sister of the distinguished commander. By act of the general assembly, approved July 20, 1865, the sword was ordered to be deposited under direction of the governor in the room of the Connecticut Historical society. The resolution accepting the sword recited that the legislature received it as "a fitting and precious memorial of one of Connecticut's most noble and worthy sons, an efficient and skillful commander and died beloved by all his command." The phraseology is closely identical with that used in connection with Colonel Russell.

The son of Captain James H. Ward of this city, who was killed at Mathias Point, Va., June 27, 1861, C. W. Ward presented the captain's sword, coat and chapeau to the Connecticut Historical society, which accepted the custody.

At the special session of the legislature in 1864 an act was passed, accepting the sword of Captain George W. Rodgers of the United States navy, who was killed in an attack on Fort Sumter, S. C., August 17, 1863. The

resolution directed that it should be deposited with the Connecticut Historical society. The swords of General Robert O. Tyler and Colonel George S. Burnham, both of Hartford, have been placed with the society by family relatives.

General Hawley's Sword.

General Joseph R. Hawley was the recipient of a vote of thanks from the general assembly in 1865 on account of the bravery and valor, which he exhibited in the defense of Fort Mifflin, Pa., in 1862. He was a youthful genius.

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George S. Burnham, both of Hartford,
have been placed with the society by
family relatives.

General Hawley's Sword.

General Joseph R. Hawley was the
recipient of a vote of thanks from the
general assembly in 1865 on account
of his valor, which he ex-

hibited in the attack on Fort Pulaski,
Ga. The citizens of Hartford present-
ed a valuable sword to General Haw-
ley while he was in the field. This
sword has been placed in the Con-
necticut Historical society by Mrs. Haw-
ley.

General Terry's.

The legislature of 1865 passed a
vote of thanks to Major-General Al-
fred H. Terry on account of the faith-
ful services which he had rendered
during the war and "for his brilliant
exhibition of skill, pertinacity and
valor in the investment of Fort Fish-
er and its final capture by storm, Jan-
uary 15, 1865." The custody of Gen-
eral Terry's war sword has been
placed in the hands of the Connecticut
Historical society by the general's
brother-in-law, General Robert P.
Hughes. The sword was received here
in July.

With the Battle Flags.

The legislature of 1903 passed a res-
olution, approved June 22, accepting
the sword of Lieutenant-Colonel Dan-
iel C. Rodman, which he had received
from the citizens of Hartford for lead-
ing the gallant assault on Fort Wag-
ner, July 11, 1863. The sword was
placed at the disposal of the general
assembly by Charles L. Rodman, son
of the original owner. It is deposited
with the battle flags on the south side
of the battle flag corridor.

Gen. Griffith A. Stedman of this city
was killed at Petersburg, Va., August
5, 1864, after a career of great bril-
liancy in the field. His sword is sup-
posed to be in the possession of his
brother, Dr. Robert S. Stedman of
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Sacred Relics.

The sword of Colonel Elisha S. Kel-
logg of the Second Connecticut Heavy
artillery, who fell at Cold Harbor,
June 1, 1864, is the property of his
adopted son, Edward Kellogg of Wind-
sor. The body of Colonel Kellogg was
sent home by the regiment and was
buried in Winsted. The colonel's
watch was placed in the casket. Af-
terwards disinterment was ordered and
the watch was removed. The sword
and watch were kept by Mrs. Kellogg
until her death three years ago, when
Edward Kellogg, who is a farmer in
Windsor, became the custodian.

The sword of Major Joseph H. Con-
verse of the Eleventh Connecticut, who
was killed at Cold Harbor June 3,
1864, was brought home and placed
in the possession of his wife. Mrs.
Converse afterwards took it to her old
home in St. Albans, Vt., where her
nephew used it in play. When the
property was sold the sword and scab-
bard were lost. The sash which Ma-
jor Converse wore at the time of his
death is kept as a memorial by Con-
verse post, G. A. R., in Windsor Locks.

Wanted for Memorial Building.

President Samuel E. Elmore of the
Connecticut River Banking company
has been engaged for years in the ef-
fort to secure the sword of Colonel
Albert W. Drake of the Tenth Con-
necticut for the South Windsor Mem-
orial building which was erected for
the town by S. T. Wolcott. Colonel
Drake was a native of South Windsor
and succeeded Colonel Charles L.
Russell in command of the regiment.
He died in the service June 5, 1862,
and is buried in South Windsor. The
sword is owned by a member of the
Rollo family in Chicago. President
Elmore has been in correspondence
for some time with the idea in mind
of procuring it for the Memorial
building in South Windsor.

Jeweled With Diamonds.

General Henry Warner Birge, who
won a vote of thanks from the general
assembly on account of gallant con-
duct at Fort Hudson, while at the
head of the Thirteenth Connecticut,
had one of the costliest swords in the
service. It was jeweled with dia-
monds. General Birge was a nephew
of Governor Buckingham and vindi-
cated his valor by successful service
in the field. After the war his sword
was long in the possession of Colonel
George P. Bissell of the Twenty-fifth
Connecticut. General Birge died
June 1, 1888, and the sword went
back to members of the family.

Gift of His Mother.

Captain Charles E. Bulkeley, who
graduated from Yale in 1856, was the
son of Judge Eliphalet A. Bulkeley of
Hartford and the brother of Morgan
G. Bulkeley, now United States sena-
tor. The sword, which he carried in
the First Connecticut Heavy artillery,
was the gift of his mother, Mrs.
Eliphalet A. Bulkeley. The captain
died at Fort Garesche, Washington
defenses, February 13, 1864. His
mother, Mrs. Bulkeley, and Morgan G.
Bulkeley, were with him in his last
hours. The sword was brought back
to Hartford and given by Mrs. Bul-
keley to her grandson, Charles E.
Brainard, son of Leverett Brainard,
mayor of Hartford in 1894. Mrs.
Brainard, widow of Mayor Brainard
and sister of Senator Bulkeley, placed
the treasured blade in the custody of
the senator after the death of Charles
E. Brainard.

Will Be Brought From the South.

The sword of General George A.
Washburn, which was worn at Antie-
tam by that gallant soldier, is in
Aiken, S. C., packed with the family
effects. In the spring Miss S. Alice
Washburn, daughter of the general,
will visit Aiken and send the sword
to her brother, Albert L. Washburn
of this city, who will be its author-
ized custodian.

General Harland's Sword.

General Edward Harland's swords,
which he wore with great distinction
in Virginia and North Carolina during
the Civil War, are in that command-
ing general's possession in Norwich.

A Family Relic.

The sword which Lieutenant-Col-
onel Frank W. Cheney of the Six-
teenth Connecticut carried at the bat-
tle of Antietam is kept at the home
of the family in South Manchester.
At the time of Lieutenant-Colonel
Cheney's funeral, the last of May, it
was placed by the side of the loving
cup which was given him by the reg-
iment on the occasion of his 76th
birthday, June 5, 1908. A fragment
of the colors under which he fought
at Antietam was fastened to the lapel
of his coat and was buried with him.
The sword is venerated by the mem-
bers of the Sixteenth regiment.

OCTOBER 17, 1909.

Frank Waldo Vaille, formerly of this
city, who has been in Washington the
past week in the interests of the railway
mail service, is expected here to-day to
visit his mother and sister, Mrs. A. B.
Wallace. He has recently been appoint-
ed superintendent of the 13th division of
railway mail service. This division is the
largest in the country, including Alaska,
Idaho, Montana, Oregon and Washing-
ton. The important work of organizing
this division was intrusted to Mr. Vaille,
who brings the experiences of 32 active
years in railway mail service.

SPRINGFIELD, SUNDAY, OCT. 17, 1909.
GRAY-BARTLETT WEDDING.

Pretty Ceremony at the Bride's Home on Commonwealth Avenue.

A wedding of local interest took place last evening at the home of Mr and Mrs George L. Gray of 34 Commonwealth avenue, when their daughter, Miss Mildred Leota, was married to Arthur Lucius Bartlett, son of Lucius W. Bartlett of Hartford, Ct., Rev Mark A. Denman, pastor of the Memorial church, performing the ceremony. The single-ring service was used, and the couple were attended by Miss Ruby Edith Couch, who acted as maid of honor, and Warren Tower Bartlett of Hartford, brother of the groom, as best man. The ceremony took place at 6.30, and was performed in the parlor, the couple standing before a bank of palms and autumn foliage and white chrysanthemums. The bride was prettily gowned in white silk messaline over white taffeta, cut princess style, and trimmed with princess lace and chiffon. She wore a tulle veil caught up with lilies of the valley, and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley, maiden-hair ferns and white bride roses. The maid of honor was handsomely attired in pearl gray taffeta silk and carried an arm bouquet of enchantress. Before the ceremony Miss Ethel Hayes played the Nevins wedding march, during the ceremony "To a Wild Rose," by MacDowell, and after the ceremony Mendelssohn's wedding march. The ushers were Charles C. Osterman of this city and Richard M. Crosby of Hartford, Ct.

After the ceremony a wedding reception was held, at which Misses Hilda and Hazel Grout, Myra Newton, Ethel Hayes, Susan Eaton and Grace Gruendler, school-mates and friends of the bride, assisted in serving. A. H. Gray had charge of the catering. The house was tastefully decorated by Osterman & Steele. The veranda was inclosed in an awning and was decorated so as to blend with the interior rooms of the house.

The parlor was decorated with oak leaves, asparagus, palms and white chrysanthemums, while the mantel was banked with maiden-hair ferns and white chrysanthemums. The decorations throughout the rest of the house consisted of autumn leaves, white, pink and yellow chrysanthemums. The groom's gift to the bride was a diamond brooch, and to his best man and ushers scarfpins. The bride's gift to her maid of honor was a gold pin. The couple received many beautiful and useful gifts, which were attractively displayed to the friends and guests. Among the gifts were several checks from relatives and friends of both bride and groom. Beside many local friends of the couple there were a large number of out-of-town guests, coming from Boston, Hartford, Holyoke Waterbury, Ct., and New York city.

After the reception Mr and Mrs Bartlett left on a wedding trip to Atlantic City, and upon their return they will make their home at 95 Granada terrace, and will be at home to their friends after January 1. The groom is employed as a traveling salesman for the Springfield photo-engraving company, and the bride is a graduate of the central high school, class of 1907.

COUCH-MAYNARD WEDDING.
Oct 18 1909
Pretty Ceremony in Congregational Chapel Yesterday Afternoon.

A wedding of interest to a wide circle of friends took place yesterday at 2.30 in the Congregational chapel, when Miss Ruby Edith, daughter of Mr and Mrs Arthur A. Couch of Springfield and Blandford, became the bride of Guy Burnham Maynard of Springfield. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a large party of relatives and friends by Rev S. G. Wood, pastor of the First Congregational church.

As the bridal party entered the chapel Miss Fanny Hunt of Springfield played the wedding march from "Lohengrin." Following the ushers, Henry S. Couch, brother of the bride, and Edward Riveton of Springfield, was the matron of honor. Mrs C. Denison Talcott, Jr., of Talcottville, Ct. The bride entered on the arm of her father, by whom she was given away, and met the officiating clergyman with the groom, who was attended by his best man, E. Clement Taylor of Springfield. The bridal party stood before an arch of laurel and autumn leaves, the platform in the background being banked with laurel. The single-ring service was used, and at its close the company left the room to the strains of the Mendelssohn "Wedding March."

A reception followed at Glasgow hall, the home of the bride's parents. The house was attractively decorated, autumn foliage and African marigolds being used. A buffet luncheon was served in the dining-room, which was also beautifully decorated. The wedding presents were numerous and included beautiful and useful gifts of silver, cut-glass, china, table linen and furniture. The bride was handsomely gowned in white messaline satin cut en train. Her veil of white tulle was caught up with orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of bride roses and lilies of the valley. The matron wore tan silk voile over silk, and carried yellow chrysanthemums.

The groom's gift to the bride was a pearl and gold brooch, to the ushers cravat pins and to the best man gold cuff links. The matron of honor received a gold pin from the bride and collar pins were her gift to Miss Hunt. About 200 invitations were sent out and guests were present from Springfield, North Wilbraham, Boston, New York, Jersey City, South Manchester and Talcottville, Ct. Mr and Mrs Maynard left in a motor car for a two-weeks' trip. Upon their return they will live at "The Pearl," 62 Pearl street, Springfield, where they will be at home to their friends after January 15.

HER HUNDRETH BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. Phebe Raymond Irish Enjoys Her Centennial Anniversary.

Providence, October 19.—Mrs. Phebe Raymond Irish of this city was 100 years old yesterday. She is the last of the eight "real daughters," members of the Pawtucket Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution.

Yesterday morning Mrs. Irish enjoyed an automobile ride, and in the afternoon a reception was held at the home of the centenarian which she enjoyed hugely. She received many floral gifts.

Mrs. Irish was born at Little Compton, October 18, 1809, and was the oldest of nine children of Anthony and Hannah Dedham Salisbury.

Youthful genius.

She died April 4/1910

SPRINGFIELD, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 20, 1909

GRANVILLE.

ROSE-WILSON WEDDING.

Ceremony of Interest at Methodist Church—Local Young Woman Married to Hartford Attorney.

The marriage of Albion B. Wilson and Miss Lavinia S. Rose took place in the Methodist church at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Rev W. H. Upham performed the ceremony. Dr J. Wesley Hale of Springfield and Walter Holcomb of Granville were ushers. The couple entered the church and took their places inside the altar to the strains of the wedding march played by Mrs J. W. Fairing of Springfield. The bride was prettily gowned in white French lawn with lace, and wearing a gold and pearl necklace, the gift of the groom. The couple were unattended. Many friends and neighbors gathered to witness the ceremony and a large number of relatives of the bride. Only the parents of the groom were able to be present.

The church was trimmed with immense boughs of autumn leaves back of the pulpit and around the altar railing. A reception was held at the bride's home on Maple street, a short distance from the church, to which only relatives and intimate friends were invited. The front parlor was decorated in green and white. A large arch of evergreen dotted with white asters was fastened in the bay window and from its center hung a large white wedding bell. The bridal party received the congratulations of their friends under this arch. Another bell hung at the archway near the door. The windows and pictures had evergreen trimming. A heart of the green with white asters was also used in the decoration. For the large sitting room, branches of autumn leaves were used. A pink and white horseshoe was hung over a door. The dining-room was trimmed with small sprays and twigs of alder, with its green leaves and bright red berries. The east room in which the presents of the bride were displayed, had only flowers.

The presents were many and valuable. Among them were pictures, cut glass, silver, linen, etc. One set of a dozen solid silver teaspoons was from the Granville library club, of which the bride was a member. A \$100 bill was from the parents of the bride. A dainty luncheon was served to the guests under the direction of Mrs Lizzie G. Noble, assisted by Mrs Cone, Mrs J. W. Fairbanks, Mrs Will Hunt and Miss Nellie Peck. The decorations were by the women of the church, with Mrs Cone as director. The couple left for Westfield and Springfield during the afternoon. They will take a carriage drive through the Green mountains and visit many places of interest in Vermont and will then go to Hartford and begin housekeeping at 34 Raymond street, and be at home to their friends after January 1, 1910.

Guests were present from Amherst, Collinsville, Granby, Greenfield, Hartford, Springfield, Warehouse Point, Westfield, Windsor, Vt., Wallingford and Granville. The bride is a graduate of Wilbraham academy, Mount Holyoke college, and has been a teacher in the high school at Windsor, Ct., and the Campbell school there. She has also taught in the Attleboro high school and has long been interested in church and library work. The groom is a well-known attorney with Robinson & Robinson at Hartford, Ct.

A very attractive home wedding, attended principally by members of the Yale faculty and their families, took place here this afternoon when Miss Ellen D. Mixer, only daughter of Professor and Mrs. William Gilbert Mixer, was united in marriage to Henry L. Galpin of this city.

The ceremony was performed at 4 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, 250 Edwards street, which had been attractively decorated for the affair. Quantities of greens had been used within doors as well as on the wide verandas about the house. These had been screened in and festoons of southern smilax hid the canvas from view, carrying out a very effective suggestion of wooded effect. The rooms of the first floor of the house open on the verandas so that during the reception following the ceremony the guests, many of them, were out of doors. The interior of the house was very effectively decorated, not only with greens but with quantities of roses and carnations, the color scheme being pink and green.

The wedding itself was very unostentatious, and the decorations carried out this effect of simplicity. In the drawing room, where the ceremony

Shortly after the hour set for the ceremony the wedding party entered the drawing room, where the guests were in waiting. The ushers, who included Yale friends of the bridegroom, were: Pierce N. Welch, jr., David S. Smith, H. M. Luquens and L. J. Perrin of New Haven. The bridegroom was accompanied by his best man, his brother, Perrin Galpin, and the bride was given in marriage by her father. The Rev. Anson Phelps Stokes, assistant rector of St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal church and secretary of the Yale corporation, performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a gown of white satin semi-princess in cut and trimmed simply with old family lace. Her veil was of tulle and reached to the bottom of her court train. She carried a shower bouquet of gardenias which, following the ceremony, was distributed among her young friends.

During the ceremony and for the reception which followed an orchestra furnished a pleasing program of music. Following the ceremony the bride and bridegroom were assisted in receiving by Professor and Mrs. Mixer. In the late afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Galpin left for a wedding trip of two weeks, returning from which they will make their home at 200 Livingston street, this city. Mrs. Galpin's traveling gown was a brown, tailor-made, with which she wore a brown toque, trimmed with a Paradise plume.

The young people were the recipients of a beautiful collection of wedding presents which included much silver and several handsome pieces of antique. The bride has been one of the most prominent of the younger people connected with the university set, and since her debut, several winters ago, has taken a leading part in many of the university social affairs.

The bridegroom is the son of the late president of the New Haven Clock company. He graduated from Yale in the class of 1902 and for some time was connected with the clock company. Recently he has become associated with the New Haven Trust company.

The bride's father is professor of chemistry in the Sheffield Scientific school. Guests were present at the wedding from New York, Boston and Hartford.

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As the wedding party entered the chapel

the wedding march from "Lohegrin" was

played by the organ, and the bride, wearing

a gown of white satin, was escorted by

her father, Mr. Maynard, to the altar.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. Wood, pastor of the First Congregational

church.

A reception followed at Glasgow hall,

the home of the bride's parents. The house

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*The Cleveland's trip
around the world*

Mrs. B. A. Bidwell

*Oct. 16, 1901
Returning*

Aug 16
Daniel D. Bidwell, for a member of the city TIMES, starts, Wednesday a trip into the wilds of Canada. Bidwell makes the trip for of his health. He expects Vancouver ere long and here would not be surprised that he had embarked for with a possible side trip in A year or more ago Mr. Bidwell completed with his wife, daughter a trip encircling the globe supplied the data for a moving book entitled "As Far East Is From the West." improbable that his latest also find permanent record publication.

EAST HARTFORD GIRL'S ADVENTURE IN BERMUDA

March 1918
Miss Pauline Bidwell and Chum in Overturned Canoe Are Saved by Heroic Efforts of Girl Friend.

BEAT OUT THE MEN SWIMMERS.

Rescued from the waters of Hamilton bay, Bermuda, by a plucky companion, her cousin, was the thrilling story told by Miss Pauline Bidwell, daughter of former Representative Daniel D. Bidwell and Mrs. Bidwell of East Hartford, upon arrival in New York, Sunday, of the Royal Mail steamer Orotava from Bermuda. Miss Bidwell, Miss Dorothy Mines of New York, a niece of Mrs. D. D. Bidwell, and Miss Helen Smith of New York,



MISS PAULINE BIDWELL.

FEBRUARY 2 Engagement Announcement

At a luncheon held at had been on the summer island in Hartford yesterday no the Atlantic for two weeks and Miss ment was made of the e Bidwell and Miss Smith declare that Miss Pauline Bidwell, daughter only for the prompt and heroic efforts of Miss Mines they would all of No. 57 Atwood street, most surely have drowned. Miss terday was Miss Bidwell's Mines is a bit older than the other the luncheon was attended by a number of her friends. Mr. Mahl is connected with the Society for Savings in Hartford.

TO CIRCLE WORLD IN THREE MONTHS.

Connecticut Party To Sail On Cleveland On October 16.

Sailing from New York at 6 a. m. Saturday, October 16, a large party of Connecticut and western Massachusetts people will leave on the steamship Cleveland on a globe belting trip of about three months' duration. The ship will reach Funchal on October 24 and will go to Gibraltar, Naples, Port Said, Bombay, Colombo, Calcutta, Rangoon, Singapore, Labuan, Manila, arriving at Hong Kong on Christmas Day. From Hong Kong the route will be to the Japanese ports, Honolulu and San Francisco, from which place the party will return overland. The steamship will make a return voyage to New York.

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WHITMORE-JACOBS.

Pretty Autumn Wedding in Farmington Avenue Church

Miss Alice Walton Jacobs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ward W. Jacobs of No. 530 Farmington avenue, and Arthur Eugene Whitmore of Brooklyn, N. Y., were married at the Farmington Avenue Congregational church, Wednesday evening, by Rev. Dr. W. DeLoss Love, the pastor. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of relatives and friends. As the wedding party came up the aisle the wedding march from "Lohengrin" was played by the organist, Benjamin W. Loveland, while the organ played softly during the ceremony. The bride, who was given away by her father, was dressed in white satin with duchess lace and a white veil, and carried a handsome bridal bouquet. The maid of honor was the bride's sister, Miss Editha Laura Jacobs, who wore a rose colored moire jacket over a princess lace dress and carried Killarney roses. Raymond D. Whitmore of Brooklyn, N. Y., brother of the bridegroom, was groomsmen, while the ushers were Ward S. Jacobs, brother of the bride; W. T. Whitmore, Jr., of Paterson, N. J., brother of the bridegroom; Lewis A. Storrs and Lieutenant Herbert A. Ross of this city; Arthur B. Dean and Arthur Williams of New York.

The bridegroom's mother wore silver gray princess satin with pearl and crystal trimmings, while the bride's mother wore amethyst crepe de chine with point lace. At the close of the ceremony, Mrs. Grace Preston Naylor sang "O Perfect Love," while Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" was played as a recessional.

Following the ceremony there was a reception at the home of the bride's parents, the house being beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums and greens. The receiving party consisted of the bride and bridegroom, Mr. and Mrs. Ward W. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Whitmore, and Miss Editha L. Jacobs. Mr. and Mrs. Whitmore received a large number of handsome presents, including cut glass, silver, china, and linen, the bridegroom's gift to the bride being a diamond crescent. The bride's gift to the maid of honor was a diamond pin. The bridegroom's gifts to the ushers were mother-of-pearl studs.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitmore left on an evening train for a trip and on return will live in New York, as Mr. Whitmore is a banker, with the Long Island Loan & Trust Company in Brooklyn.

Mrs. Lewis A. Storrs of Farmington avenue gave an afternoon "at home" last Saturday in honor of Miss Editha W. Jacobs who is soon to be married to Arthur E. Whitmore of Brooklyn, N. Y. A large number were present and the affair was both pleasant and informal. Miss Williams of Brooklyn was also of the receiving party. The beautiful weather added not a little to the pleasures of the festivities.

Oct 10 Goodwin-Fitch.

Roy Wilbur Goodwin of Elmwood, employed by the Pope Manufacturing Company, and Miss Ethel C. Fitch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Asa P. Fitch of No. 70 Church street, were married at noon yesterday at the rectory of St. Thomas's Church by the rector, Rev. Thornton F. Turner. Only members of the immediate families of the couple were present. Mr. and Mrs. Goodwin, on their return from a trip, will live at No. 70 Church street.

KELLY—Born to Mrs. and Mr. James Edward Kelly, Jr., 30 Allen Place, Sunday, February 19, a daughter, Barbara.

Miss Jennie's baby.

KELLY—Friday, November 28, 1913, a daughter, Doris Kingsley, to Mr. and Mrs. James E. Kelly, Jr., 61 No. 527 Sargeant street.

Kelly-Kingsley. 20. 1909

Miss Daisy Maud Kingsley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dumont Kingsley of No. 30 Allen place, and James Edward Kelly of this city, but formerly of Matteawan, N. Y., were married at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Windsor Avenue Congregational Church by the pastor, Rev. Harry E. Peabody. Only a few relatives and friends were present and the couple were unattended. The bride wore white satin messaline with white chiffon sleeves and Irish crocheted lace. A small reception followed at the home of the bride's parents and in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Kelly left for a trip, on returning from which they will live at No. 146 Jefferson street. They will be "at home" after February 1. Among the gifts were \$40 in gold from business associates of the bridegroom.

Oct 20 Mahl-Francis.

Frank H. Mahl, son of George Mahl of No. 329 Windsor avenue, and Miss Emma E. Francis of No. 208 Capen street were married late yesterday afternoon by Rev. Henry Medd, pastor of the North Methodist Church, at the parsonage. After the ceremony, a wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mahl left last evening for a short wedding trip. On their return, they will live at No. 5 Mather street.

Oct Chamberlain-Ackerly. 20

Miss Jennie Christine Ackerly and Albert Hamilton Chamberlain were married at 11 o'clock yesterday morning at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Addie R. Ackerly, No. 2 Ward street, Rev. Dr. Elmer A. Dent of the South Park Methodist Church officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain will be at home at No. 2 Ward street after December 15.

Blodgett-Moore.

(Special to The Courant.)

Winsted, Oct. 20.

One of the prettiest church weddings that has occurred in Winsted in several years was that of William H. Blodgett, prosecuting attorney and clerk of the Legislature, and Miss Beatrice Lucella Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Adams, which was performed in St. James's Episcopal Church at 6 o'clock this evening. No invitations had been issued, every effort being made to make the affair as informal as possible, and admiring friends of the popular young couple filled the edifice to its capacity. The ceremony was performed by the rector, Rev. S. Wolcott Linsley.

The wedding march was played by Miss Elinor Mixson. The bride was charmingly attired in a creation of white satin messaline with a veil tied with lilies of the valley and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. She was attended by Miss Bessie May Barber, who was attractive in a gown of pink messaline with black hat with plumes and carried pink chrysanthemums. Luther Lovell Chase was best man.

The church was tastefully decorated with chrysanthemums. Franklin, Carlton and Alfred E. Moore and Paul Meade of New York acted as ushers.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents on Main street.

KELLY—A son, Kingsley, Wednesday, October 27, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. James E. Kelly, Jr., of No. 227 Sargeant street.

CHAMBERLIN—In this city, Tuesday morning, August 8, 1911, a son, William Ackerly Chamberlin, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Chamberlin of 2 Ward st.

MISS DOROTHY MINES TELLS RESCUE STORY

How She Went to Aid of Cousin and Friend.

Miss Dorothy Mines of New York, who rescued her cousin, Miss Pauline Bidwell of East Hartford, and her friend, Miss Helen Smith of New York, when their canoe capsized at Hamilton, Bermuda, a week ago, arrived at the home of former Representative Daniel D. Bidwell, father of Miss Bidwell, in East Hartford, yesterday afternoon.

In response to a request from a "Courant" reporter at the Bidwell home last evening, Miss Mines, who said the incident had been much exaggerated by the New York newspapers, gave the following account of the incident:—

"The girls were paddling about in a canoe and I, knowing how slight their knowledge of canoeing was, called to them to be careful. I was standing on a float in front of the Princess Hotel, with other bathers, ready for a swim, when I saw the canoe tip and the girls thrown into the water. Four or five of us dove off the float and swam out to the canoe, which was about 300 feet away. I knew that the girls could swim and, although they were dressed in street clothes, I was not altogether frightened. By good luck I reached the canoe ahead of the others and steadied it so the girls could hang on. Soon after we started a launch set out from the float and quickly came up to the canoe and the girls were taken in. In spite of their exciting adventure they were not a bit worried."

Miss Mines says that there was no heroism on her part, although the eye-witnesses to the affair maintain that there was.

Daniel D. Bidwell, who is well known as a globe trotter, is now in Constantinople on an extended trip to the Holy Land and Egypt. Miss Bidwell is staying with relatives in New York.

Among the births chronicled in the social column of the "New Haven Sunday Register" was that of a son, born to Mr. and Mrs. John Day Jackson on March 21.

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John Day Jackson, editor and proprietor of the New Haven Register, is to be married at Elgin, Ill., on Wednesday, July 28, to Miss Rose Marie Herrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler Herrick. Mr. and Mrs. Jackson will be at home in New Haven after October 15. Mr. Jackson is a son of General Joseph C. Jackson and a grandson of the late Calvin Day of this city.

WATTS-JACKSON—On Wednesday, Oct. 20, in New York, at the Church of the Epiphany, by the Right Reverend David Hummel Greer, Bishop of New York, assisted by the Reverend William T. Crocker, Elizabeth Huntington Jackson Wolcott, daughter of General and Mrs. Joseph Cooke Jackson, to Martin Sheeler Watts.

Granddaughter of the Late Calvin Day Is Married in New York.

Miss Elizabeth Huntington Wolcott Jackson, daughter of General and Mrs. Joseph Cooke Jackson of No. 138 East 24th street, New York, and a granddaughter of the late Calvin Day of this city, was married to Martin Sheeler Watts in the Church of the Epiphany, New York, Wednesday afternoon. The ceremony was performed by Bishop David H. Greer, assisted by Rev. W. T. Crocker, rector of the church.

Miss Katherine Seymour Jackson, a sister of the bride, was the bridesmaid and Dr. Lawrence Dade Alexander, jr., was the best man. The ushers were Walter J. Whipple, Alexander V. Blake and Claude M. Jester of New York, Paul G. L. Hilken of Baltimore, P. H. Goodsell of East Orange, N. J., and John Day Jackson of New Haven. Miss Jackson wore a princess dress of white satin trimmed with duchess lace and made with a court train. Her veil General and Mrs. Joseph C. Jackson point lace was son of New York opened their summer home, Calvin Day homestead, corner of Spring and Myrtle streets, this week. Their sons and daughters separated. Joseph C. Jackson, jr., and his family are traveling during vacation in Europe, while Mr. and Mrs. John Day Jackson remain at their residence on Prospect street, New Haven. Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hamilton Goodsell (formerly Miss Katherine Seymour Jackson), who were married in this city in December, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin S. Watts, the latter formerly Miss Elizabeth Huntington Wolcott Jackson, who were married in New York in October, all now residents of New York city, have together taken for the season the E. E. Tappan cottage, on Mass., was the Town Path, Glen Cove, Nassau county, New York.

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Norton Place Sold.

The house and property owned by the late Luther S. Norton on the Unionville road five miles north of the Center has been sold by the executor, Charles Norton, to Charles Evans Morris of Hartford, who will take possession at once. The house is one of the famous ones of this section and was built over fifty years ago by a well known New York merchant. The house cost upwards of \$25,000 to build and it was equipped with the most modern furnishings of that period. Luther S. Norton lived there for years previous to his death which took place suddenly last March.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. John Day Jackson of New Haven and has been named Rose Day.

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GOODSELL-JACKSON—In Hartford, at the summer home of the bride's parents, Saturday, December 4, by Rev. Francis Goodwin, D.D., rector emeritus of Trinity Church, Katherine Seymour Jackson, daughter of General and Mrs. Joseph C. Jackson of New York, to Percy Hamilton Goodsell of East Orange, N. J.

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The bride wore the gown in which she was presented at the last drawing room held by Queen Victoria. It is of white satin trimmed with Brussel lace. Her tulle veil was caught with orchids and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of orchids and lilies of the valley. The matron of honor was her sister, Mrs. Martin S. Watts of New York, who was married October 20. Mrs. Watts wore her bridal gown of Dutch satin and lace and carried white roses. The best man was Frank M. Leavitt of New York, a cousin of the groom. The ushers were Joseph C. Jackson, jr., brother of the bride; Martin S. Watts, brother-in-law; Charles Brainard Clark of New York, Nathan Hale Mull of Phillipsburg, Penn.

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Among the Hartford people present at the ceremony were Mayor Edward W. Hooker and Mrs. Hooker, the Hon. Lewis Sperry and Mrs. Sperry, Judge William Hamersley, Mrs. Hamersley and Miss Hamersley, the Rev. Dr. Rockwell Harmon Potter, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson G. Taylor, Miss Augusta Williams, Mrs. Thomas M. Day, Mrs. George C. Perkins, Miss Mabel H. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Cone, the Rev. Joseph T. Twichell and Mrs. Twichell.

Invited Guests. "DOC" RAYMOND REACHES HIS 80TH BIRTHDAY. Wesleyan's Janitor Is Still a Live Man at That



MRS. MARTIN WATTS
Of New York, Formerly of Hartford

1919
Mrs. Watts, who is granddaughter of the late Hon. Calvin Day of this city, is attending the reception given at the Seventh Regimental hall, in honor of the Prince of Wales. When living in London, she spent several weeks this fall at the old Day home on Spring street.

Oct 20 Talcott-Kaser, 1909
Herbert Wayland Talcott and Miss Gertrude Elizabeth Kaser, both of West Hartford, were married yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob W. Kaser, on East street, Elmwood. The ceremony was performed by Dr. James Gammack, rector of St. James's Church, in the presence of a large party of relatives and friends. The bride was dressed in white satin, hand embroidered, and carried bridal roses. Miss Edna Kaser, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid; she was dressed in blue and carried pink roses. The best man was Albert Kaser, a brother of the bride. The rooms were prettily decorated with autumn leaves and chrysanthemums.

Guests were present from New Britain, Coventry, Manchester, New York, Deepport and other places. Many presents of gold, silver and cut glass were received.
After a reception Mr. and Mrs. Talcott left last evening for a trip to Canada that will occupy several weeks. On their return they will reside at the home of the bridegroom on East street, where they will be at home to
LOSING LONG SERVICE

AS WESLEYAN'S JANITOR

Doc Raymond," After 45 Years a University, to Retire.
(Special to The Courant.)
Middletown, Oct. 13.

"Doc" Raymond's regime as chief guardian of Wesleyan University, as far as mere material things are concerned, has practically closed. The indy old janitor, with his four-score years within but a month of completion, will retire from his active duties next March and give the remainder of his days on a farm at East Longmeadow, a few miles east of Springfield.

Harlow P. Raymond, hero of the far-famed Judge Sutherland jingle, is a character—not exactly unique, but decidedly interesting. For forty-five years he has been chief of his department; he has seen two generations enter and leave the historic walls of Wesleyan and his intimate knowledge of Wesleyan men and affairs is unexcelled. "Doc" Raymond's sympathies were always for the freshmen, a sort of a "First Aid to the Friendless Freshmen," as he used to call it. He had many homilies concerning said freshmen.

for a banquet tonight at Harry Bond's Cafe.
The Seneca Club will hold its annual daughter.
congratulations on the birth of a 300 West Main street are receiving.
Mr. and Mrs. Martin K. Pasco of No. 100 West Main street are receiving company to New Orleans.
from a trip for the Parker Shirt Company.
Howard Wilson returned yesterday the past week amounted to \$986.75.
The sewer department payroll for November 2.
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Hingham of Middletown will deliver Monday evening, October 18. Rev. B. will celebrate its fifteenth anniversary The St. John's Young People Society street.

Miss Marjorie Luce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Luce of Emerson Hill, Staten Island, N. Y., and William Incho Seaman, were married Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 at St. Paul's Memorial church, Tompkinsville, N. Y. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. F. W. Crowder of Christ church, and the Rev. W. Watts of St. Paul's church. The bride was given away by her father. She wore white satin, trimmed with rose point lace and pearls. The bridal veil was caught with orange blossoms. She carried a drop bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley. Her sister-in-law, Mrs. Arthur W. Luce, was matron of honor and wore her bridal gown of white crepe de chine and duchess lace with a black velvet picture hat trimmed with white ostrich plumes. The bridesmaids were Miss Edith Stevens of Philadelphia and Miss Gabriella Reynaud.

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GEORGE HARWOOD.

HARWOOD'S MOST HONORED CITIZEN

George Harwood, a Native of That
Town, Was More Than One Hundred
Years Old *March 13, 1910*

George Harwood, who reached the age of one hundred years on Oct. 24, died on Sunday at his home in Barre, his native town, after two weeks' illness from pneumonia. Until his illness began he was in excellent health and was active in his usual occupations.

Mr. Harwood had spent his entire life in Barre and was a prosperous farmer. He was the son of Wilcut and Sallie Sibley Harwood and next to the eldest of seven children. When he was twenty-six years of age he bought a farm adjoining his father's homestead. Mr. Harwood was prosperous as a farmer and raised much stock. He was accustomed to work in the hayfield up to the time he was ninety-five years old. He became a trustee of the Barre Savings Bank in 1880 and served to the time of his death, and was a regular attendant at all of the meetings and always took an active part in the business of the board, as he did also in town affairs. He was a member of the board of selectmen from 1850 to 1860.

In 1836, Mr. Harwood married Lucinda Stetson of Winchester, N. H., and in 1886 they celebrated their golden wedding. Mrs. Harwood died a few months afterward. Two sons were born of this union, George Nelson and Henry W., both of whom are living in Barre. About 1894 Mr. Harwood's house was burned and he since had made his home with his son Henry.

His wife died about seven years ago. During all this time he had kept up his acquaintanceship with his child-hood playmate, who had become Mrs. Laura Packard, and whose husband died about ten years ago. At that time she lived in Manchester but a few years ago she went to live in Wilimantic, where her son, Charles Packard, managed a music store. Mr. Sims kept corresponding with her and about two or three months ago they made up their minds to be married. On Thursday he took the train to Wilimantic, where he met his bride, and together they went to the Methodist parsonage, where the marriage was performed by Rev. L. M. Flocken. Mrs. Sims is 65 years old.

Mr. Sims said yesterday that he expected to go South for the winter but that in the spring he would settle in this city.

A CENTENARIAN IN BARRE.

Oct 24, 1909
Public Reception Will Be Given to
George Harwood Who Celebrates
His 100th Birthday To-day.

George Harwood of Barre is 100 years old to-day. He comes from a lineage well known for longevity. The grandfather, Daniel Harwood, went from his native town of Sutton to Barre early in the last century, taking with him 10 children. Daniel died at the age of 87, and the aggregate age of the 10 children was 799, 80 years. The sons all settled in Barre, possessing themselves of some of the best land in the town and becoming foremost among its agriculturists. George Harwood was the son of Wilcut Harwood, who went from Sutton to Barre with his father when he was 18 years old, and lived to be 81 years of age. His mother was Sarah Sibley of Barre, who died at the age of 69.

George Harwood, the present day centenarian, was born in the east part of Barre, in a house built in 1754 by some members of the Caldwell family, who were the earliest settlers. It was the first framed house erected in that section of the country, a large two-story building, and Mr Harwood was married March 29, 1836, to Lucinda Stetson of Winchester, N. H., who died about 20 years ago. He has but two children, George Nelson and Henry, with whom he has lived since giving up farming. He followed this pursuit until he was 80 years old, owning a farm in the east part of the town for 49 years. He has only two grandchildren, Mrs Arthur Boutwell and Charles A. Harwood of East Templeton, and one great-grandchild. Mr Harwood inherits all the sturdy qualities of his ancestors, is tall and quite erect and wonderfully well preserved. He is a little deaf and uses a cane when he walks to the village or climbs the steep hills that lead to Barre common. He has held several public offices, having been selectman for two terms, and for 29 years a trustee of the Barre savings bank. He attended the last meeting of the trustees, walking from his home to the bank. Always a republican and no-license man, he is a Unitarian and attended church so long as he could hear readily.

A small family gathering will be held to-day for a dinner at Henry Harwood's house on Heald Village hill and will include, beside the centenarian, Mr and Mrs Henry Harwood, Mr and Mrs George N. Harwood, Mrs Daniel G. Harwood, Mrs Lewis Bridge of Keene, N. H. (a niece), Mr and Mrs Charles A. Harwood of East Templeton and Mr and Mrs Arthur Boutwell. A public reception will be given him to-morrow afternoon. The only other centenarian in Barre was James Piper, who lived to be 104 years. Dr William Russell reached the age of 99 years and six months.

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Marriage Ceremony at Center Church
Yesterday Afternoon. 1909

Miss Bunnell, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor. The best man was Nelson Case Taintor, a brother of the bridegroom. The ushers were Ward Francis Bushnell, a brother of the bride, Charles Welles Gross, Richard J. Goodman, John Taintor Welles of Wethersfield, Heywood H. Whaples and James S. Goodwin. The bride wore a white chiffon satin gown, trimmed

**Former Hartford Man Marries Norwich
Mayor's Daughter.**

Nelson Case Taintor, son of the late James U. Taintor of Hartford, was married here this afternoon at 3 o'clock to Miss Ruth Mowry Thayer, daughter of Mayor Charles Frederick Thayer. The wedding was at Christ Episcopal Church and the ceremony was performed by the rector, Rev. N. P. Carey.

The best man was James S. Taintor of Hartford, brother of the bridegroom, and the ushers were Charles W. Gross of Hartford, Allyn L. Brown of Norwich, Melvin H. Walker, jr., of Westboro, Mass., J. Bradford Wardwell of Stamford, Charles V. Graham of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Robert C. Johnson of Norwich.

After the ceremony there was a reception for the immediate families and a few friends. Mr. and Mrs. Taintor will be at home Thursdays in January at the Osgood, No. 32 Church street. Norwich, Mr. Talnor being located here as district agent for the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company.

TAINTOR—In this city, March 19, 1916,
a son, James Spencer Taintor, jr., to
Mr. and Mrs. James Spencer Taintor,
No. 166 Sigourney street.

FEBRUARY 16, 1915.

A pretty home wedding of much local interest took place at 8 o'clock last evening at the home of Dr F. W. Chapin on 20 Maple street, when Miss Eleanor Chapin, daughter of Dr Chapin, and Dr Ralph B. Ober were married. The wedding was a simple and quiet one. Only relatives and a few of the most intimate friends were present. The house had been prettily decorated with autumn leaves for the occasion, and in the parlor, where the ceremony took place, the fireplace was completely hidden by a bank of potted palms.

The bride's dress was of white satin with lace, and she carried a shower bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. The maid of honor wore a white silk dress and carried a bouquet of pink roses. An informal reception was held by Dr. and Mrs. Ober after the ceremony, after which the newly-married couple started on their wedding trip. They will be at home after February 1 at 76 Maple street. The ushers were Rhea Baker, Eugene Garretson, Giles Blague and William Chase of Newton. Many of the guests were from out of town. Among these were Mr and Mrs John Cole and Charles L. Cole of New York city, Mr and Mrs Charles D. M. Cole of Morris-town, N. J. Mr Henry Russell of Princeton, N. J.

son C. Taintor, younger son of New York city, to James U. Taintor of this city. New York has been the agent of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company of New Canaan in the Norwich district, has been prominent in the office of manager in New Britain, and for that section. He will resume his work there in a few days. White and Taintor began his work in the John Hew-Haven office, but has been in Marguerite since 1909 and, while a resident of that city, married Miss Ruth Harriet, daughter of Mayor C. F. Brooks. Both have many friends in Newton, Mass., who, though pleased at Mr. Taintor's promotion, regret that he is leaving that city. Mr. Taintor is a graduate in the class of young men of the Newton High School. She

Christ church, thus following the beautiful example of their mother, whose death last winter was so deeply lamented. Dr Ober has been in this city five years. He was graduated from Harvard medical school and was in hospital work for four years following. Since then he has been practicing here. He is physician for several charitable organizations, including the boys' club and the day nursery, and is medical director of the society for the prevention of tuberculosis. Both bride and groom have an unusually large and loyal circle of friends.

Dr and Mrs Ober are occupying their home at 76 Maple street, which has been made ready for their occupancy, and will be at home to their friends after January 1.

14 OPENING STATE'S BEST ROAD TODAY. OCTOBER 22, 1909. CEREMONIES AT THE NEW BERLIN TURNPIKE.

"The best eight miles of state highway in Connecticut" will be formally opened to the public this afternoon by State Highway Commissioner James H. Macdonald of New Haven, assisted by the Automobile Club of Hartford, under whose direction the celebration has been arranged. Commissioner Macdonald himself speaks of the new Berlin turnpike as the finest piece of road which he has built, and every one who has been on it seems willing to enthusiastically back up such a statement. Nearly eight miles in length, the road runs almost in a straight line from Cedar Hill to Berlin center. Near Berlin there is a slight curve, but aside from that it is a practically clear stretch of road. That it cuts off nearly six miles of the distance between New Haven and Hartford is not the least of its good features. Formerly when an autoist came from the seat of Yale University to the state capital, his road was, as at present, to Berlin, but at that place he would turn off and go through New Britain and then to Hartford by way of Newington or West Hartford. But with the completion of the new Berlin turnpike New Britain will see the through going automobilists but seldom.

The width of the macadam is sixteen feet and the shoulders and gutters on each side make the total width of the road thirty-two feet. Over 100,000 cubic yards of filling was done on the road, and there are approximately four miles of wooden railing, substantial enough to last for years, along the sides. Something like 2,500 cubic yards of walling has also been done on the road.

Besides being the best, it is also one of the most economically built roads in the state, according to Commissioner Macdonald. Its cost is about \$100,000. Three contractors have been doing the work which lies in the town of Berlin, Newington and Wethersfield. The Wethersfield section is in the hands of A. Brazos & Sons of Middletown, F. Arrigoni & Bros. of Durham have the Newington part, and the Berlin section is constructed by Olin T. Benedict of Pittsfield, Mass. The contracts for the work were signed in September, 1908, and the work was begun shortly after. The road itself is a part of the old post road between Port Chester, N. Y., and Boston.

The automobile club rooms were a busy place yesterday for the members of the different committees kept dropping in to settle some disputed point, or to make final arrangements in connection with various questions concerning the day's events. The members of the finance committee were hard at work over their accounts and

wishing they could get hold of a few extra tickets for the banquet in the evening, as all of the 230 were gone several days ago, and it is said that something like sixty applications were turned down. Nearly ninety entries for the sociability run have been received, and it is expected that the parade to the new turnpike will be a slight long to be boasted about by the club members. As was told yesterday in "The Courant," the parade will form at the Allyn House and leave there for Cedar Hill at 2 o'clock, with President Wallace T. Fenn leading, followed by Commissioner Macdonald and the guests and members of the club. The sociability run will be started from the Berlin end of the turnpike, and it is expected that this will begin about 3 o'clock.

C. H. Gillette, the official representative of the contest board of the A. A. A., will be the official starter of the reliability run. Something like fifteen minutes before Mr. Gillette sends out the first car Commissioner Macdonald will go over the road in his Pope-Hartford car. Within a few days has been seen the amusing sight of the framer of the automobile law being accused of its violation, while a state senator was haled into court on a similar charge. With such warnings there is little reason to fear that Commissioner Macdonald will let his enthusiasm run away with him, resulting in the exceeding of the speed limit. Something like ninety autoists would very much like to know in advance just what his private ideas of a reasonable rate of speed are for the distance to be covered, for the person who covers the ground after him in the time nearest to that in which he does it, will receive a very handsome prize, as will also a number of others who come near his rate of travel. Although the commissioner will break down a fence and thus throw the road open to the public, it has not been accepted by the state as yet, and just when it will be is not as yet certain.

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Announcement has been made of the coming marriage of Miss Gladys, daughter of Rear Admiral Caspar F. Goodrich, to Lieutenant Charles Belknap, U. S. N., on Monday, October 25, at 1 o'clock in Christ Memorial Church, Pomfret.

GOODRICH SENIOR REAR ADMIRAL

He Takes This Place Through Retirement of Evans 1908

New York, Aug. 19—With the retirement yesterday of Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, Caspar Frederick Goodrich, commandant of the Brooklyn Navy Yard, becomes the senior rear admiral of the United States navy. He is one of the best of the distinguished naval officers still in service who took part in the Civil War. As it is, Admiral Goodrich's Civil War record, though an active one, is not so long as those of his predecessors. He was but fourteen years old when the war broke out, and but seventeen when he was detailed to duty aboard the Macedonian, bound out in 1864 on the mission of running down the Confederate commerce destroyers Florida and Tallahassee.

It is more on his Spanish War record than on that of the earlier day that his reputation as a commander is founded. His career, well filled during his forty-four years of naval activity, is marked with naval progressiveness. He is, above all, a naval commander of the present generation, keeping step with the momentarily increasing problems of naval affairs. His most effective work has been done within the past ten years of his service.

Rear Admiral Goodrich, who by the retirement of Evans now becomes senior in the grade, has had his days of strenuous service, too. He commanded in the cutting of the Cuban cables under fire, an experience that proved how much better our men were as cable-cutters than the Spaniards were as artillerymen. He has a Civil War record also, though a brief one, having graduated from the Naval Academy just in time to be in at the finish. Admiral Goodrich is of the quietly efficient type, but possesses a gift not common in his profession, being an excellent public speaker.

**JANUARY 4, 1909.
ADMIRAL GOODRICH
RETIRES THIS WEEK.**

Well Known Officer Reaches Age Limit on Thursday.

Rear Admiral Caspar Frederick Goodrich, Commandant of the New York Navy Yard, who was appointed to the Naval Academy in 1861 from Connecticut, will be placed on the retired list Thursday, though he will for some time continue in command of the navy yard. Since the retirement of Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, he has been the ranking rear admiral on the list.

Admiral Goodrich was born in Philadelphia, January 7, 1847, and after moving to Connecticut, went to the Naval Academy, where he was graduated in 1864, the first honor man of his class. In the fall of that year he saw service on the old Macedonian and in the years following he was promoted in regular order, spending until 1878 at European stations. In 1897 he was placed in command of the

Naval War College at Newport. He was then a captain and at the outbreak of the Spanish war was placed in command successively of the cruisers Newark and St. Louis. He did good service in the war and after serving as commanding officer of the battleship Iowa and the cruisers Minneapolis and New York, he was made a rear ad-



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"Admiral Goodrich was active and influential in formulating the plan of navy yard organization adopted by Mr. Newberry, and is supposed to have written some of the circular letters Mr. Newberry signed for the guidance of navy yard commandants.

"The admiral's connection with the Newberry scheme has resulted in much feeling against him on the part of other line officers, who regard him as having unduly favored the naval constructors by making officers of that corps 'general managers' of navy yards and minimizing the importance and influence of line officers serving as commandants, who, under the new scheme, become inspectors instead of heads of departments at the yards.

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that Mr. Newberry's successor modify the instructions and so reduce the power and authority which Admiral Goodrich would otherwise wield in his capacity as inspector general of navy yards. It was Mr. Newberry's intention that Admiral Goodrich should get the reorganization plan into form at all navy yards, and by his dominance of the situation and his familiarity with the details of the system overcome the difficulties and remove the obstacles presented by those officers stationed at the different navy yards, notably at Philadelphia, who were opposed to the new arrangement. "It is impossible to predict at this time what effect the anti-Goodrich influence will have on Mr. Meyer, but a formidable effort is being made by line officers in Washington who are unfriendly to the Newberry system and who believe that their cause would be aided by the revocation of Mr. Newberry's orders to Admiral Goodrich, or at least a radical modification of the powers which Mr. Newberry intended to delegate to that officer."

ADMIRAL GOODRICH

TURNS OVER COMMAND.

On Retired List After Forty-eight Years' Service. 1908

New York, May 16.—Rear Admiral Caspar F. Goodrich turned his command of the New York navy yard over to Captain John B. Murdock and ended his forty-eight years of service with the United States navy yesterday. Then he jumped into an automobile and started for his home in Pomfret, Conn., where he intends to spend the rest of his life. He was one of the most popular men in the navy and his going away is the cause of much regret.

The ceremonies for the event were very formal. A battalion of marines was drawn up in front of the commandant's house and he appeared with all the gold lace of his rank. He read the formal order to turn over the command of the navy yard to Captain Murdock and then the new commander read the order of the department appointing him to the command. The admiral returned to his house, changed his clothes, and came out to say goodby to his friends. Meanwhile there was a salute of thirteen guns from the Rhode Island and the Massachusetts. The admiral entered the naval academy in 1861, when he was fourteen years old. He was graduated in 1864. Captain Murdock is only four years younger than the man he succeeds. He was born in Connecticut, but entered the navy from Massachusetts in 1866.

Rear-Admiral Caspar P. Goodrich, who, as commandant of the Brooklyn navy yard, has brought its various bureaus into a high state of efficiency through consolidation and otherwise, has been chosen by Secretary of the Navy Metcalf to make an inspection of the navy yards of the East, with the object of reorganizing the present methods of operation. This is a compliment to the service which Admiral Goodrich has rendered in his own field, to the advantage of the government. He will visit the yards at Portsmouth, N. H., Boston, Philadelphia, Washington, Norfolk, Charleston, Pensacola and New Orleans.

DAVIS—CAPORON—In Danbury, Ct., October 27, 1909, by the Rev. Arthur J. Smith, D. D., J. Vincent Davis of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Sadie Morrison Caporon of Hartford.

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WEDS W. K. SESSIONS. PROMINENT YOUNG PEOPLE OF BRISTOL MARRIED.

Bristol, Oct. 27.

Miss Marjorie Alice Goodenough, daughter of Rev. Dr. Arthur Henry Goodenough, pastor of the Prospect Methodist Church of this place, was married to William Kenneth Sessions, youngest son of Hon. William E. Sessions, the well known manufacturer, this evening at 7:30 o'clock, in the church of which her father is pastor. It was the big society event of the year in Bristol and over 2,000 people attended. The interior of the church was a work of art and a scene suggesting Fairyland. Hundreds of little frosted electric bulbs were distributed about the church, intertwined with the beautiful decorations. The front of

Admiral Murdock a Hartford boy, he pulpit and Admiral Joseph Ballard Murdock, palms, yellow who is in command of the third division, with of the Atlantic fleet, is a native of this city, born February 12, 1851, ed all along the son of Rev. Dr. John N. Murdock, vander chry- dock and Martha (Ballard) Murdock. everywhere. g the cere- Ray, Dr. Murdock at the time of the recital given pson of Yale admiral's birth was pastor of the a chorus of the South Baptist Church and he dressed in continued in charge there for a number from the of years thereafter. Admiral Murdock singing the was graduated from the United States penquin. On Naval Academy in 1870. He entered gallery, the the academy from the fourth district led by the of Massachusetts in 1866. After service on North and South Atlantic stations and in coast survey duty, he the brides- became instructor in physics at the The bride the Naval Academy. Later he saw duty on the arm of the Asiatic station, home and Euro- bodenough, a d, N. J. They pel by the The cere- performed by Dr. Arthur or of the by Rev. Dr. New Haven, Haven Dis- as used and the church sang the The Rose ss of white rocheted lace he also wore shower bou-

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The bridesmaids were Miss Florence Goodenough, sister of the bride, Miss Mildred Orcutt of Rockville, cousin of the bridegroom, Miss Florence Kusche of New York, and Miss Nell Bartlett of Boston. They each wore gowns of yellow satin messaline, with silk applique of same shade and lace yoke, and each carried yellow chrysanthemums.

The best man was Lamson Jennings of Cleveland, O., cousin of the bridegroom. The ushers were Louis Allen of Meriden, Frederick S. Gorham of New Haven, Morton Ingraham of Bristol, and Hiram Kilborn of Waterbury.

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BRISTOL Friday April 8.

drewell reception was given Rev. Arthur Henry Goodenough and in the church parlors last night, 350 being present. The parlors were prettily decorated. The receiving party were Rev. Dr. Goodenough, Mrs. Goodenough, Hon. Mrs. William E. Sessions, District Attorney W. W. Bowdish of Laven, Miss Lillian Goodenough, Florence Goodenough, Miss Made Goodenough and Mrs. Marjorie Goodenough Sessions. Hon. William E. Sessions, on behalf of the church congregation, presented to the

**GOODENOUGH TO
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Special to The Courant.)
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TOOLE-NASON WEDDING
At the Home of James W. Toole Last
Evening—A Society Event for Both
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One of the prettiest of the fall weddings took place last evening at 223 Elm street, the residence of James W. Toole, general superintendent of the American writing paper company, when his daughter, Florence M., and Albert W. Nason of 29 Dartmouth terrace, Springfield were married. The house was handsomely decorated for the occasion with palms and yellow chrysanthemums by Aitken and the large piazzas were screened with white and trimmed overhead with green vines and lighted by many electric lights. A canopy extended from the front door to the street. The ceremony was preformed in the living-room, Rev Dr E. A. Reed of the Second Congregational church officiating. The best man was John C. Jay, Jr., of New York and the maid of honor was Miss Edith L. Toole, a sister of the bride. The ushers were Quincy Bent of Lebanon, Pa., James R. Miller and Walter Mullins of Springfield and James A. Toole, a brother of the bride.

The bride wore a handsome gown of ivory satin trimmed with point lace. Her tulle veil was caught back with orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of lillies of the valley and gardenias. The maid of honor wore pink with pearl trimming and carried pink roses and gardenias. The Philharmonic orchestra of Springfield furnished the music for the occasion and at 7 o'clock, the hour set for the ceremony, played the wedding marches as the bridal party came down the stairs and entered the room where the ceremony was performed. First came the ushers, then the maid of honor and the bride on the arm of her father. They were met by the groom and his attendant with the clergyman and the ceremony was performed, the bride being

The ceremony was witnessed by only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom and following the service a reception was held to which over 200 had been invited, the bride's parents and the groom's mother assisting in receiving. Mrs. Toole wore a gray gown with steel and coral trimming and Mrs. Nason wore a black jet over white. Following the reception a luncheon was served. Barr of Springfield catering. The groom's gifts to the ushers were moonstone scarf pins and to the best man pearl studs and links and to the bride he gave a crescent of diamonds. The bride gave her maid a coral pin, set with pearls. The couple received many costly and beautiful wedding presents among them being a beautiful oil-painted screen from Senator Crane of Dalton, a mahogany china cabinet from W. N. Caldwell, president of the Americanizing paper company, a chest of silver from the groom's sister, Mrs. George Nye, Jr., of Springfield, beside a check from the groom's mother and many articles of silver and cut glass. Six of the managers

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Orrin Turner of Hartford and Miss Edith Cameron Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Williams, were married Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock at the First Congregational church. The ceremony took place before an arch of autumn leaves and chrysanthemums. The Rev. William C. Prentiss, pastor of the church, officiated. A ring service was used. Wyllis B. Waterman of Hartford was at the organ and played the wedding march from "Lohengrin" as the bridal party entered in the following order: Two ushers, two ushers, two bridesmaids, two bridesmaids, matron of honor, bride and father. At the altar they were met by the groom and the best man, J. Ward McManus of Hartford. The order in leaving the church was: Bride and groom, best man and matron of honor, ushers and bridesmaids in couples. The Mendelssohn wedding march was played. There were 400 invitations for the church ceremony. A reception followed at the bride's home for the relatives and immediate friends. The rooms were decorated with laurel and ground pine.

The bride was gowned in white satin with pearl trimmings and real lace. She wore a tulle veil, caught with orange blossoms. Her bouquet was roses and lilies-of-the-valley.

Mrs. Charles F. Barrett of Bridgeport, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and wore her wedding gown of white satin. She carried pink chrysanthemums.

The bridesmaids were Miss Julia Williams, sister of the bride, and Miss Florence Bogue of East Hartford, and Miss Lulu G. Vinton and Miss Grace M. Sellew of Hartford. They wore pink messaline, cut en train, and carried white chrysanthemums.

The ushers were Franklin O. Williams, brother of the bride; Walter I. Turner of Hartford, brother of the groom; Charles F. Barrett of Bridgeport, brother-in-law of the bride, and Horace George Williams, cousin of the bride.

The groom's gift to the bride was a brooch set with pearls. To the ushers, best man and organist he gave scarf pins. The bride gave the bridesmaids pearl pins and the matron of honor a pearl collar pin. There were many handsome presents in china, silver and cut glass.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner left about 9 o'clock for a trip to Atlantic City. They will live at No. 94 Washington street, Hartford, and will be "at home" after January 1. Mr. Turner is worshipful master of Lafayette Lodge, A. F. and A. M., of Hartford, and is employed by the Hartford Life Insurance Company.

Lawrence Edwin Dolan and Miss Ruth Caroline Hale, daughter of Charles Hale were married by the Rev. John T. Huntington, rector of St. James's church, at the home of the bride, No. 25 Hudson street, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion and following the ceremony a reception was held. Miss Cecil Hauvre was maid of honor and Herman J. Dolan, a brother of the groom was best man. The groom is employed by Henry Kohn & Sons. Mr. and Mrs. Dolan left on an evening train for a wedding trip to New York and will be "at home" to friends after November 15.

Torrington, Oct. 27.

A quiet but pretty home wedding occurred in this place this morning when at 9 o'clock, Miss Emma Louise von Tobel of Torrington was married to Frank Joseph Sparks of Winsted, the marriage taking place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. William B. McIntosh of No. 204 South Main street. The house was appropriately decorated with chrysanthemums and autumn leaves. Rev. A. W. Ackerman, pastor of the Center Congregational Church here, performed the ceremony, which was witnessed only by relatives of the bride and bridegroom. The couple were unattended. The bride wore a traveling suit of blue and she carried a bouquet of sweet peas and mignonette.

Following their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Sparks left on the 10:17 train for a week's wedding trip along the New Jersey coast. The couple received many handsome gifts, including a purse of money from the clerical force of the Phoenix Fire Insurance Company of Hartford, where Mr. Sparks is employed in the classification department. Mr. and Mrs. Sparks will make their home at 1,115 Park street, West Hartford, and will be at home to their friends after December 1.

Ulrich-Hubbard.

Miss Gladys May Hubbard, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Franklin Hubbard of Bloomfield, and William Leroy Ulrich were married last evening at 7:30 o'clock at the family residence on Blue Hills avenue. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Herbert Gurdon White, pastor of the First Baptist Church of this city, of which the bride is a member. The double ring service was used. The Hubbard homestead was beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums, ferns and autumn foliage. The bride wore a gown of white moire and duchess lace, and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and orchids. Miss Drien presided at the piano and entertained the guests before and during the ceremony and reception which followed the ceremony with appropriate and pleasing selections. Mr. Ulrich is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Ulrich of this city, a graduate of the Sheffield Scientific School of Yale University, and is employed as superintendent of roads and bridges for the town of Manchester. After a southern trip Mr. and Mrs. Ulrich will be at home at No. 11 Flower street, South Manchester.

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Barnard-Packard.

Edward Barnard and Miss Susan Packard were married last evening at the home of the bride, No. 89 Main street, Rev. C. H. Edwards performing the ceremony. The best man was August Schuetz, and Miss Jessie Johnson was the bridesmaid. Among the large number of presents received was an oak dining room set from the employees of the Springfield Elevator Company, where the bridegroom is employed. Mr. and Mrs. Barnard will be at home at No. 89 Main street after November 15.

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SPRINGFIELD, TUESDAY, OCT. 25, 1909.
MERRIHEW-RICE WEDDING.

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A wedding celebrated at the home of Mrs. William B. Rice of No. 204 South Main street, Springfield, Mass., on Monday, October 25, 1909. The bride was Miss Mary Anna McDonald of No. 95 Seymour street, this city, and the groom was Peter J. Longan of Collinsville and Miss Mary Anna McDonald of No. 95 Seymour street, this city, will be married at 7 o'clock in St. Peter's Church, Rev. Paul F. McAlenney, pastor of the church, will officiate. Miss Nellie McDonald of this city, sister of the bride, will be bridesmaid and John E. Myers of Collinsville will be groomsmen. While the marriage ceremony is being performed, Miss Elsie Longan, sister of the bridegroom, a graduate of the Boston Conservatory of Music and instructor in music in the Catholic School at Watertown, Mass., will sing the "Ave Maria."

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast will be served at the bride's home on Seymour street. Mr. and Mrs. Longan will go to New York for a wedding trip and on their return they will live in Collinsville, where the bridegroom is in the meat business.

Harold Bennett Kline, formerly of this city, and Miss Florence Gray of Columbia, Mo., were married Saturday at Calvary Church, in Columbia, Mo. Joseph Hooker Twichell of this city was groomsmen and Morgan G. Bulkeley, jr., was one of the ushers. Mrs. Harlan P. Kline, mother of the bridegroom, and his aunt, Mrs. Henry E. Taintor, both of this city were at the wedding.

Mr. Kline was graduated from the Hartford Public High School in the class of 1903 and from Sheffield Scientific School in the class of 1906. He formerly lived in this city at No. 112 Woodland street, with his mother and his aunt.

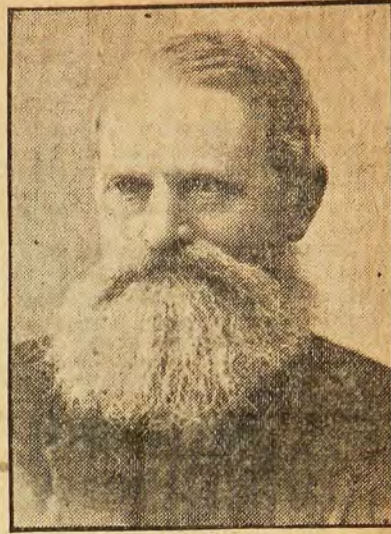
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CELEBRATE SIXTIETH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Tryon of Manchester Green.
(Special to The Courant.)
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Mr. Tryon was born in East Glasbury, the son of Nathaniel and Mary (Strickland) Tryon and remained a resident of that place until his marriage. He was born June 11, 1824, and was one of a family of six, of which he is the only survivor.

Mrs. Tryon was also born in Glasbury, January 4, 1830, daughter of Charles Kellogg and Mary Gay, her maiden name being Mirai Harrett Gay.

To them have been born five children, of whom two daughters and two sons survive and are residents of this place. They are: Mrs. Charlotte R. Seaman, wife of Carl Seaman, Mrs. Eva M. White, wife of Albert White;

THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING DAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus L. Bidgood Observing Anniversary, 1909

Fifty years ago to-day, in Chateaugay, N. Y., Miss Martha Robeistow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Robeistow, became the bride of Marcus Lafayette Bidgood, and at 6 o'clock this evening, at their home, No. 12 Wadsworth street, they are to have a dinner and informal reception in honor of the event. The reception will continue until 10 o'clock.

Mr. Bidgood was born in Clinton, N. Y., March 17, 1836, and lived there for a number of years. He has resided in Hartford seventeen years. Mrs. Bidgood was born in St. Martin's, Canada, July 4, 1843. They were married by the Rev. Mr. Goodel, a Methodist clergyman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bidgood have ten children, five sons and five daughters. The daughters are: (Mary Almyra) Mrs. W. C. Hurd, Boston; (Emma Fanny) Mrs. Joseph Walker, Dolgeville, N. Y.; Mrs. Ida Tatro, Miss Lucy Marsh Bidgood and Miss Laura Mason Bidgood, all of this city. The sons are Joel Lafavette, William Henry, Albert and Edward Harry Bidgood, all of Port Chester, N. Y., and Frederick Emery Bidgood of New York. Mr. and Mrs. Bidgood are in good health.

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Oct 30 Smith-Atwater *30, 1899*
Dr. Howard Franklin Smith of this city and Miss Mary White Atwater, daughter of Mrs. Francis K. Atwater of New Haven, were married Saturday evening at the home of the bride's mother, No. 37 Park street, New Haven. Miss Frances Butler Atwater, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor and Charles Benjamin Bishop, jr., of New York, a classmate of the bridegroom at Yale, was the groomsmen. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Donald Duncan Monroe, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, New Haven. Dr. Smith was graduated from Yale College in the class of 1894.

Following the wedding there was a reception which was attended by about 200 relatives and friends. Dr. and Mrs. Smith were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Frances C. Atwater, mother of the bride, and by Mrs. Franklin Smith of this city mother of the bridegroom.

Oct 30 Crosser-Ferguson, *1899*
Miss Blanche Sophia, daughter of Mrs. Martin Henry Ferguson of Chicago, Ill., and David Hogg Crosser, son of Dr. and Mrs. James Crosser of Salineville, Ohio, were united in marriage, Saturday afternoon. The Rev. Ernest deF. Miel, rector of Trinity church, performed the ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hixon Bennett, No. 40 Capitol avenue. The rooms were fragrant with yellow roses and chrysanthemums. The bride wore a white meteor crepe princess gown trimmed with hand-made embroidery and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and maiden hair fern. Mrs. James Hixon Bennett, sister of the bride, was mother.

New Britain, October 30.—Lillian Wainwright Hart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Hart of this city and Winthrop Pitt Tryon of Cambridge, Mass., were married this afternoon at the bride's home in this city in the presence of a few relatives and friends. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Watson Woodruff, associate pastor of the South Congregational church, and the groom's brother, the Rev. James L. Tryon of Boston. Among the out of town guests were Mrs. Joseph Tryon and Miss Ellen I. Tryon of Cambridge; Miss Mary A. Libbey and Miss Josephine W. Libbey of Portland, Me.; John Grant Moulton of Haverhill, Mass., and Captain and Mrs. J. W. Hinkley of Poughkeepsie, N. Y. New Britain guests included Mr. and Mrs. William H. Hart, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Humason, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wetmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Tryon will live in Somerville, Mass., where they will be at home to their friends after December 1.

Mr. and Mrs. James Collins Seymour of New York are guests at the Allyn House and will spend some time here visiting old scenes and friends. Mr. Seymour is a native of Hartford. His father was Harvey Seymour, who was a prominent druggist on Main street, where the Catlin building now stands. He was the owner of extensive real estate on Hopkins street. Mr. Collins went to New York as a young man and spent twenty-five years with H. B. Claflin & Co. He has crossed the Atlantic twenty times. He has recently returned from Europe with his wife. Mr. Seymour is a cousin of Governor Thomas H. Seymour.

SEDGWICK GOLDEN WEDDING.

Oct 31 1899
Prominent Local Couple To Observe Their Anniversary—Mr Sedgwick's Recollections.

Mr and Mrs Henry Sedgwick of Main street will observe the 50th anniversary of their wedding at their home this evening. Their wedding anniversary fell on yesterday, and for that reason the anniversary is to be celebrated the following evening.

Henry Sedgwick is the most prominent citizen of Lenox. He is one of its wealthiest native residents, the president of the Lenox national bank, the clerk of the Congregational church and the clerk and treasurer of the Congregational cemetery commissioners. He has lived all his life in Lenox, been a prominent agriculturist, is a member of one of Lenox's oldest families, and is in every way a typical Lenox man of the old school, quiet in demeanor, conservative in judgment, absolutely trustworthy, and occupying the highest position of trust in the community. For 20 years, ever since the incorporation of the Lenox national bank, he has lived in the village of Lenox. Before that time he was a farmer, tilling the soil. He was called from the plow to take the presidency off the new Lenox national bank. When the Lenox savings bank was organized, he was its president until, in 1904, the Massachusetts banking laws separated the national and savings bank, and Mr Sedgwick's position in the savings bank was filled by the election of William D. Curtis.

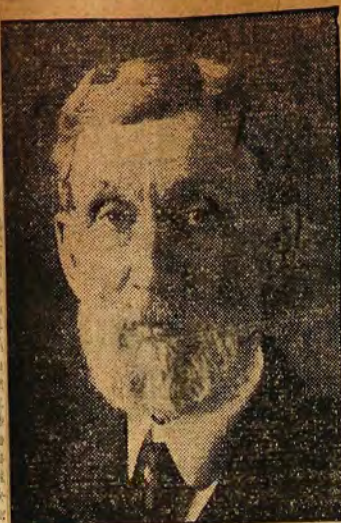
Since Mr Sedgwick's remembrance of Lenox affairs there have passed the days when Henry Ward Beecher lived in Lenox, and used to walk into the Lenox Congregational church, fling his big, black soft hat into a chair, and climb into the pulpit to preach a sermon which held everyone in the church, filled to its capacity, spellbound by his eloquence. He recalls that eccentric and famous actress and dramatic reader, Fanny Kemble, and that remarkable early American actress, Charlotte Cushman. Beecher he saw as a boy, when the preacher walked across the fields communing with Nature. Fanny Kemble in 1850 bought the property which became her Lenox home, and Mr Sedgwick often saw her riding her horse wildly about the Lenox highways. He saw Charlotte Cushman in 1875, during her one-year residence there.

Mr Sedgwick recalls the early inroads of the wealthy summer residents on the purchase of Lenox farms. He has seen the passing of 50 families from Lenox, who were farmers, by the purchase of their properties. Of the many residents of his section in Lenox, only his farm, now reduced from 150 to 50 acres, and the Milton Parker place remain undisturbed in the development of the resort. Mr Sedgwick recalls when Dr Samuel Shepard, a mighty man of God, broad-shouldered, strong, with stentorian voice roared over the doom of sinners, and yet with tender pathos he pictured the beauties of heaven. Mr Sedgwick was present in 1845 when Dr Shepard preached his 50th anniversary sermon in the Lenox Congregational church. Dr Edmund K. Alden of foreign mission fame, he knew well, as he did that virile reformer Dr Charles H. Parkhurst, who came to Lenox a young man not long out of the schools, and shot epigrams and brilliant, burning words in all directions.

The tide of society immigration setting in the direction of Lenox, Mr Sedgwick with others became interested in the organization of a bank, and in 1889 he gave up farming on the old Sedgwick homestead, still his property and tilled by his

youngest son, and moved into the village. He has inherited considerable property, and pays one of the largest personal property taxes of any native Lenox resident.

Mr Sedgwick



HENRY SEDGWICK.

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SEDGWICK GOLDEN WEDDING.

Many Attended Reception at the Home Last Evening.

Amid a handsome group of palms and chrysanthemums last evening Mr and Mrs Henry Sedgwick welcomed relatives, friends and neighbors to their golden wedding reception. To make the decorations synonymous of the occasion, the floral effects were in yellow. The setting was most attractive, and both Mr and Mrs Sedgwick, in excellent health, entered heartily into the spirit of the occasion, which was planned by their sons and



MRS HENRY SEDGWICK.

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TO CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr and Mrs Jonathan Edwards Field to Receive Their Friends To-mor-

row. Oct 31 1899
Mr and Mrs Jonathan Edwards Field will receive their relatives and friends to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, it being their 50th wedding anniversary. Mr and Mrs Field were married in the First Congregational church, Stockbridge, October 31, 1859, by Rev Dr David Dudley Field, grandfather of the groom. They were attended by Daniel B. Fenn, Miss Mary Stuart Field (now Mrs Averill), Miss Flora Goodrich, a cousin, and Marshall Brewer, the last two now dead. The date of the wedding was also the 56th anniversary of Rev Dr Field's marriage to Miss Submit Dickinson of Somers, Ct. Mr Field was born in Stockbridge, September 15, 1838, and Mrs Field, who was Miss Henrietta M. Goodrich, was also born in Stockbridge, February 4, 1840. With the exception of two years at Colle Point, L. I., and two years at San Francisco, they have always lived in Stockbridge. Mr and Mrs Field have two daughters, who are with them at present, Adele, wife of Samuel B. Christy, professor of mineralogy in the university of California at Berkeley, and May, wife of Edmund Clark, chemist in a laboratory of the government in Boston. They also have three grandchildren, Emilia and Elizabeth Christy and Elsie Clark.

Mr Field is a son of the late Jonathan Edwards Field, a lawyer, who in 1854 was a member of the state Senate for the county of Berkshire. Mr Field is also a nephew of Cyrus W. Field, who laid the first Atlantic cable in 1856, and a nephew of Rev Henry M. Field, widely known as a preacher, writer and editor. Mr Field is now engaged in farming at his home on Goodrich street. The house where Mr and Mrs Field are living is one of the oldest in the town. It was built more than 150 years ago by Joseph Woodbridge, who afterward sold it to a Mr Willard, whose descendants occupied it until 1817, when Spencer Byington bought it. After Mr Byington, Horace Goodrich owned the place. A large chimney fills the middle of the house, the bricks being laid in clay taken from the brook near by.

Field Golden Wedding.

Mr and Mrs Jonathan E. Field quietly observed the 50th anniversary of their marriage Sunday afternoon, when 18 members of their family were present. Messages of congratulation were received from Associate Justice David J. Brewer of the United States supreme court, from relatives in California, Berlin, Ger., Flushing, L. I., Rockville, Ct., and Springfield. Those present from out of town were Mr and Mrs Edmund Clark of West Medford, Mrs S. B. Christy and Miss Elizabeth Christy of Berkeley, Cal., D. Dudley

BACHARACH-MAY.

Oct 31 1899
Hartford Lawyer Married Yesterday, in New York.

Miss Florence Lola May, daughter of Mrs. Julia May of New York, and Milton Bacharach, one of Hartford's young lawyers, were married last evening at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride, No. 418 Central Park west, New York, Rev. Isaac S. Moses of that city officiating. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Louis May, was attended by her sister, Mrs. David Kempner of this city. The best man was Selectman Sidney L. Bacharach of Hartford. Only relatives of the bride and bridegroom were present. Upon their return from a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Bacharach will live on Homestead avenue, this city.

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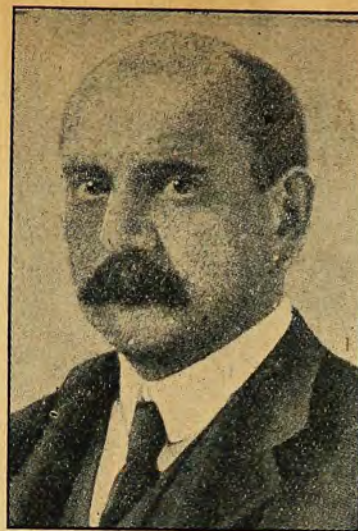
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ocrat and Mr. Bowers is a Republican,
the latter has the reputation of know-
ing no litigant's politics when the law
is concerned. It is said of him that he
is naturally a great constitutional
lawyer, and from decisions that he has
made it is predicted that, should he
be promoted to the supreme court,
the progressive policies of the admin-
istration with regard to the control of
corporations would find him a strong
supporter.

President Taft, it is said, has pri-
vately announced his desire to see
both Mr. Bowers and United States
Circuit Court Judge H. G. Lurton of
Nashville, Tenn., on the supreme
bench, should the opportunity occur
during his administration.



LLOYD WHEATON BOWERS,

Prominent Chicago Lawyer, Now U.
S. Solicitor General, Who is
Likely to be Appointed to
Supreme Bench.

Mr. Bowers' Interesting Career.

A study of the career of Mr. Bow-
ers reveals a steady rise from one po-
sition of influence to another attained
by hard work and native genius. It
is a rather interesting fact that the
late Samuel Carter, the eminent New
York lawyer, brother of Mrs Samuel
H. Lee of Wilbraham road, started
Mr. Bowers on his legal career when
he was reading law in the office of
Chamberlain, Carter and Hornblower.

The family resided in Springfield
until 1865, and then in Brooklyn, L.
I., until 1869, when Elizabeth N. J.,
became their home. Here at the
age of 10 years, Lloyd began his
studies with John Young, M. A., of
the University of New York and con-
tinued with him until his entrance
into college. Mr. Young's relations
with him were rather those of friend
and companion than of instructor, as
he was the only boy preparing for
college in the school, and to Mr.
Young's encouragement and influence
Mr. Bowers always has attributed
much of his later success.

He entered Yale university in the
fall of 1876, and spent four very
profitable years, graduating in the

class of 1879. Among his classmates
were Edward Southworth of West
Springfield, Timothy L. Woodruff,
former lieutenant governor of New
York and a lifelong friend, Poult-
ney Bigelow, Chun Lung, at one
time student in the Springfield Col-
legiate institute and Frank E. Hyde
of the law firm of Hubbard, Hyde and
Gross of Hartford. His cousin, Ed-
ward A. Bowers, son of Hon Caleb
B. Bowers of Hartford, assistant
comptroller of the United States
treasury from 1875-8, was also a
member of the class in 79 in Yale.
This class always has been consid-
ered one of the notable ones of the
university, and its tri-ennial reunion
on June 27, 1882, at which Lloyd
Bowers presided as president, was a
noteworthy affair. Mr. Bowers was
a good student, and excelled in ora-
tory. He was appointed one of the
speakers for the junior exhibition in
the undergraduate academical depart-
ment, on April 11th, 1878.

He was in college with President
Taft, who graduated one year earlier,
in the class of 1878, and it was while
they were in college together that
the lifelong friendship was formed
that has been cemented so firmly dur-
ing the 30 years since that time.

After graduation, he accepted the
soldiers' memorial fellowship, study-
ing in the post-graduate courses at
Yale university during 1879-80, but
he had during the year, determined
to make law his profession, and, ac-
cordingly, resigned his fellowship in
June, 1880. After four years spent
in Eastern travel and study, he en-
tered Columbia law school, graduating
in May, 1882, being admitted in the
same month by the supreme court as
a member of the state bar, at which
examination he was one of three es-
pecially commended by the examiners.
In 1882, he began the practice
of law in the office of Chamberlain,
Carter and Hornblower of New York
city, becoming managing clerk in
May, 1883, and partner in the same
firm in January, 1884. On account
of temporary ill-health he was com-
pelled, in May, 1884, to rest for the
summer, and visited his cousin and
class-mate, E. A. Bowers, in Dakota,
and traveled with him through the
Northwest. He returned to New York
city in September, but on October 1,
1884, left that city to make his home
in Winona, Minn., and there became
the law partner of former Chief Just-
ice

ice Thomas Wilson, and arose rapidly
 11. Wilson, who died
 He has
 The ambassadors' council met this
 the meeting

respects on an excellent footing, but in
 other respects it needed a man of peculiar
 and diversified educational qualifications.
 The resources were distinctly inadequate
 in almost every respect. During the
 few years of his service he has applied
 to

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PRES. SHANKLIN RESIGNS AND BECOMES PRESIDENT EMERITUS OF WESLEYAN

25-33

**TRUSTEES SELECT
 PROF. HOWLAND FOR
 ACTING PRESIDENCY**

**Made President Emeritus of Wesleyan
 Immediately Following Resignation**

**University He a d, After
 Year's Absence, Found
 Strength Insufficient For
 Continuing Direction.**

**HE BECAME PRESIDENT
 IN NOVEMBER, 1909**

**Letter of Resignation Ac-
 cepted by Trustees Meet-
 ing in New York Recites
 Accomplishments.**

(Special to the Courant.)
 Middletown, Sept. 7.

Rev. Dr. William Arnold Shanklin, president of Wesleyan University since 1909, tendered his resignation this afternoon at a special meeting of the board of trustees held at the Hotel Belmont in New York City. The resignation, which takes effect immediately, was accepted and Dr. Shanklin was elected president emeritus. The board then selected Vice-President Leroy A. Howland acting president of the university.

The resignation of Dr. Shanklin came as a surprise to the college. No intimation of the resignation had been made and the first news came by telephone this afternoon from New York.

The announcement stated that Dr. Shanklin offered the resignation because he felt that his health would not permit him to carry out the college administration. It had been proposed that he accept the presidency of Upper Iowa university. When he went to Upper Iowa university he found it in various



WILLIAM ARNOLD SHANKLIN

...a recent Taft, vice-President Sherman, Secretary Root, and many of the political men of Washington. A year or more ago President Taft spoke before a mass meeting at Minneapolis, on "Missions in the Orient." Dr. Shanklin was present and presided at this great meeting, and was invited to accompany the president in his private car, and he did so. Dr. Shanklin became well acquainted with President Taft, and when Dr. Shanklin was elected president of Wesleyan, President Taft sent him congratulations, and promised to come and help install him.

Mr. Olson became

One of the largest and most fashionable weddings of the season, and one in which New Britain society people are profoundly interested, will take place this evening, when ex-Representative Robert Clifford Merwin will be united in marriage to Miss Minnie Edith Read, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Wright Read of Bridgeport, at the First Presbyterian Church in the Park City. The ceremony will be performed at 7 o'clock by Rev. John MacLaren Richardson. Hundreds of invitations have been issued, and a New Britain party will leave in a special car as announced with parlor car accommodations from Berlin to Bridgeport. The church is lavishly decorated with palms and ferns and pink chrysanthemums for the event, the color scheme of pink and green giving a rich and charming effect. The maid of honor will be Miss Ada Lillian Read of Bridgeport, a sister of the bride, and the best man will be Charles P. Merwin of this city, a brother of the bridegroom. The bridesmaids will be Miss Caroline C. Barker, Miss Marguerite W. Hawley of Bridgeport, Miss Haviland of Brooklyn and Mrs. Robert W. Read of Philadelphia, who was Miss Marjorie Rossiter of Brooklyn and married to a brother of the bride just a month ago, at whose wedding Miss Read was one of the bridesmaids. The ushers will be Stuart C. Merwin of this city, a brother of the bridegroom, Harry Hollister Read of Bridgeport, a brother of the bride, Edgar T. Glass of this city, Howard L. Platt of this city, Robert W. Read of Philadelphia, a brother of the bride, and Howard S. Humphrey of this city, a lifelong friend, but who will be unable to attend on account of his illness. The bride's dress is of white satin with real lace, and she will carry a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. The maid of honor's gown is of pink satin with spangled trimmings, and the bridesmaids of pink chiffon cloth over pink satin. The maid of honor and bridesmaids will carry arm bouquets of pink chrysanthemums. The gown of Mrs. Read, the mother of the bride, is white crepe meteor with gold and silver lace, and she will carry violets and orchids. The gown of Mrs. Harriet N. Merwin, mother of the bridegroom, is black lace over gold satin, and she will have a bunch of violets and orchids. A reception will follow the ceremony, for relatives and intimate friends, at the home of the bride's parents, No. 276 West avenue, at 7:30 o'clock. A dinner of twenty-two covers was served to the bridal party by Mr. and Mrs. Read at their residence last evening.

Mr. Merwin is one of New Britain's most popular young men. He served as a representative in the Legislature of 1907 with much credit to the city. He has also been a member of the common council from the Third Ward. He is president of the C. P. Merwin Brick Company of Berlin. He was graduated from Yale in the class of 1897 and was prominent in track athletics in his college course. Miss Read is one of Bridgeport's most charming daughters. Her father, Frederick W. Read, is treasurer of the Read Carpet Company. The young people will be at home January 1 at No. 61 Lexington street.

during his administration.

One of the largest and most fashionable weddings which has been held in the historical First Church, will take place this evening at 7:30 o'clock, when Miss Alice Louise Booth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Wilcox Booth, becomes the bride of William Edgar Manwaring, one of Meriden's prominent young business men. The church is beautifully decorated for the society event with yellow and white chrysanthemums and ferns, the color scheme of yellow and white being effectively and gracefully carried out. The house decorations are of the same character Robert Scott having charge of this feature. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Enos Bosworth of New Rochelle, N. Y., uncle of the bridegroom, assisted by Rev. Henry W. Maler, pastor of the church. The double ring Episcopal form of service will be used, the bride being given away at the altar by her father. Miss Elizabeth Bosworth of New Rochelle, N. Y., a cousin of the bridegroom, will preside at the organ. She has arranged an elaborate musical program as follows: "Spring Song," Hollins; Grand March, "Aida," Verdi; "Caprice," Guilmant; Grand March, "Queen of Sheba," Gounod; "Meditation from Thais," Massenet; Introduction to Third Act of Lohengrin, Wagner; Wedding March from Lohengrin; Recessional, Mendelssohn's Wedding March. Wilson Hinsdale of Meriden will act as best man, and the maid of honor will be Miss Olive Elizabeth Booth of this city, a sister of the bride. The ushers will be William Borstleman of New York, Joseph Jennings of Bristol, George C. Booth of this city, a brother of the bride, Willard Hyatt of Meriden, Raymond Ellis of Hartford and Norman Barbour of Meriden. The bridesmaids will be Miss Ethel Norton of this city and Miss Edith Collins of Rahway, N. J. Miss Dorothy Booth, a niece of the bride, will be flower girl, and Curtis Booth, a nephew of the bride, will be ring bearer. They are children of William H. Booth, vice president of the Corbin Cabinet Lock Company. The ushers will lead the way into the

Costly Wedding Gifts.

Seven hundred and fifty invitations have been issued to the church, and \$150 to the reception at the house on High street, this being strictly for young people. Lynch's Orchestra will render music for the reception and Besse of Hartford will cater. The bridegroom's gift to the bride is a jeweled bar pin, and that of the bride to the bridegroom is a sterling silver cigarette case. The bridegroom's gift to the best man is a cuff links and a program cuff.

May 17. AVON. 1914
A son was born Sunday night to Hon. and Mrs. Joseph W. Alsop. The Alsop's mother, Mrs. J. Douglas, is a gold loc onson of New York, is with the ring bearer.

DAY, AUGUST 6,

A ten-pound son was born day night to Senator and Mrs. Alsop. The young man will reside at No. 23 Lindsay avenue, Meriden.

The bridegroom is a factory systematizer and is a graduate of Williston. He is very popular in Meriden society circles. The bride is one of New Britain's best known young women, and is held in high esteem in local society.

outdoor genius.

MA

ALSOP APPOINTED TO FILL VACANCY.

Governor Holcomb Names
Avon Man for Public
Utilities Commission.
Republican Senator From
Fifth District for Two
Consecutive Sessions.

Oct 20, 1917

Governor Holcomb to-day appointed Joseph W. Alsop of Avon to succeed the late John Howard Hall of Glastonbury on the public utilities commission until the rising of the next general assembly. The salary of the position is \$5,000 a year.

Joseph Wright Alsop of Avon was a republican senator from the Fifth district for two consecutive sessions, 1909 and 1911. He represented the town of Avon in 1907. Mr. Alsop was born in Middletown, April 2, 1876, and is the son of the late Dr. Joseph Wright and Elizabeth Winthrop (Beach) Alsop of Middlefield. He attended the University of Berlin, at Berlin, Germany, and later attended the Scientific school at Yale university, from which he was graduated in the year 1898.

Senator Alsop then went to Colorado, where he worked for a land and cattle company until 1901. He afterwards became connected with the Russell Manufacturing company at Middletown, and continued this business connection until 1903, when he went to Avon, where he engaged in farming on an extensive scale. His farm holdings exceed 500 acres in area.

He married, on November 4, 1909, Miss Corinne Douglas Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Robinson of New York, and a niece of former President Theodore Roosevelt. He is a member of St. Mark's lodge of Free Masons of Simsbury and a member of Sphinx temple. He is also a member of the Knights of Pythias.

He was a member of the committee on incorporations when he was in the house. In 1909 he was senate chairman of the committee on roads, bridges and rivers and a member of the committee on claims.

In the 1911 session he was again chairman of the former committee and a member of the committee on agriculture. On January 9, 1912, he was elected president of the New England Tobacco Growers' association and served for several years.

Senator Alsop seceded from the republican party in 1912 and joined the progressives. He took a prominent part in behalf of the progressive ticket in the campaign of that year. He was one of the founders of the progressive political organization in this state and ran on the progressive ticket for congress in the First district, but was defeated.

On the disintegration of the progressive party Senator Alsop returned to the republican party and in the presidential campaign in 1916 he made a formal announcement of his return to the party of his previous allegiance and that it was his intention to support the national and state republican tickets. At the last town election in Avon Senator Alsop was the republican candidate for selectman and was declared elected by the superior court. Senator Alsop is a member of the state council of defense and he serves on the committee on agriculture and food supply of the council.

AVON.

W. Alsop has returned to Avon after a two months' stay in New York, accompanied by her son, Joseph, and an infant daughter, born March

Y 8, 1912.

1889
 Announcement has been made of the engagement of the artist and author Will H. Low and Mrs Mary L. Fairchild Mac Monnies. The date of the wedding has not yet been fixed. Mr Low's wife died last April. Mrs Mac Monnies obtained a divorce last November, by amicable arrangement with her husband. She was a close friend of Mrs Low's, and Mr Low and the sculptor Mac Monnies have long been friends. Will H. Low is a name most familiar in connection with decorative painting, but he is an artist of versatility, and has also written several successful books, notably memoirs of R. L. Stevenson, who was his intimate friend and dedicated "The Wrecker" to him. The late Mrs Low translated "Dr Jekyll and Mr Hyde" into French, and her death interrupted her plan of a French version of all his works. The news of the engagement has roused special interest in Albany, where Mr Low was born and where his sister still lives.

Nov 4, 1909
Mr Low and Mrs MacMonnies.

William H. Low and Mary Louise Fairchild, former wife of William Frederick MacMonnies, were quietly married at the Protestant church, L'Oratoire du Louvre, in Paris yesterday in the presence of the bride's mother, Mrs Sydney Fairchild, and a few intimate friends. These latter included Sarah L. Lowell, Paul W. Bartlett and M. B. de Manvel. A wedding

EVERY-ELLSWORTH.

Home Wedding on the Mountain Road in West Hartford.

West Hartford, Nov. 4.—A pretty home wedding occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Ellsworth on the Mountain road Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock, when their daughter, Elizabeth Fish Ellsworth, became the bride of Irving James Avery of Hartford. The Rev. Thomas M. Hodgdon, pastor of the Congregational church, performed the ceremony. The house was decorated with laurel and smilax and yellow and white chrysanthemums. Elliott Foote played the wedding march from Lohengrin as the bride and groom, unattended, entered the parlor. The bride was gown in white satin with duchess trimmings cut en train and wore a veil and carried bridal roses. Among the relatives present were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Norman and Misses Norman of Norwich, Mrs. Norman being a sister of the groom; Mrs. Frank Peckham and Miss Florence Peckham of Norwich; the Rev. Robert Turner of Lebanon; Mr. and Mrs. Billings T. Avery of Ledyard, Mr. Avery being a brother of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. David W. Mix of Bristol, Mrs. Mix is a sister of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ellsworth, Mr. Ellsworth is a brother of the bride. Other guests were present from Hartford, New Britain, Newington and this place. The bridal couple were the recipients of many handsome presents, among which was a chest of flat silver from the employees of the Travelers Insurance company, where the bride has been employed as a stenographer for many years, and a handsome drop lamp from the employees of the office of the Fairbanks company, of which the groom is the local manager. The presents include cut glass, silver and china. After their honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Avery will make their residence in Hartford.

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The price for which the sisters sold their mills, which employ about 20,000 hands, was not disclosed officially. It was said to have been in the neighborhood of \$15,000,000. The purchasers are a syndicate of eastern and southern mill owners, who, by acquisition,

Three Daughters Inherit All.

At the death of Mr. Garner the value of his estate was estimated at \$18,000,000. It consisted principally of his cotton goods factories. The whole was left to his three daughters, Marcellite, Edith and Florence, who are now respectively the Marquise de Breteuil, Countess Leon de Moltke Hultfeldt and Lady William Gordon-Cumming.

For some time after his death the estate was managed by the executors. Then it was incorporated, the heiresses, of course, holding all but a few shares. Under this form it has been operated most successfully ever since, but the titled heiresses, it was said last night, are becoming tired of being connected with trade and in addition are desirous of freeing themselves from the care and trouble incidental to their positions as owners of a large corporation. For that reason they decided to get rid of the mills and invest their money in something that will necessitate no such exertion and worry.

The Marquise de Breteuil, who is staying in the Holland House, last night asked to be excused from discussing the sale of the mills.

"We don't want to say anything about it, because all the details have not yet been settled," she said.

HAZARDVILLE GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr and Mrs Alfred Hancock Were Married in This City—Mrs Hancock a Prominent Temperance Worker.

The 50th anniversary of the wedding of Mr and Mrs Alfred Hancock of Hazardville, Ct., will be quietly observed by them to-morrow at their home in the northern part of the village. No formal invitations have been issued, but they will receive friends in the evening. Mr and Mrs Hancock went to Hazardville from Orange about 20 years ago. Mr Hancock was born in East Longmeadow and was the son of Daniel and Lucy Sheldon Hancock. He attended the district school and early in life learned the carpenter's trade. Theresa Marshall Hancock was born in Enfield, Ct., the daughter of James and Hannah Pease Marshall. Her father was a pioneer in the powder business in Enfield, being one of the first employes of the works in the industry's early days. He later turned his attention to farming. Mrs Hancock received her education at the Ellington boarding school in Ellington, Ct., and later at Williston seminary in Easthampton. She taught school for some time and then studied elocution under Prof. Brown of Yale and Prof. Dickson of Springfield, and she became well-known as a speaker and public reader.

Mr and Mrs Hancock were married in Springfield, where they lived for several years, later removing to Philadelphia, where Mr Hancock worked at his trade. It was there that he was chosen from 50 carpenters to do the inside work of one of the largest hotels on Broad street in the early '70s. Mrs Hancock continued her elocution work after her marriage, and later turned her attention to temperance work, giving many lectures with much success. She is still interested in temperance and is a very enthusiastic worker in the cause. Mr and Mrs Hancock moved to Orange in 1885, where they bought a farm, living there for several years, then removing to Hazardville, where they bought another farm and have since made their home. In 1900 Mrs Hancock spent several months in Florida, engaged in teaching and missionary work. Both are in fairly good health. Mr Hancock still working at his trade. Mrs Hancock is especially active, and a great many of her friends have enjoyed her readings and recitations at many of the social gatherings.

TOMPKINS-HOGE—In this city, Nov. 8, 1909, Harry Warren Tompkins and Miss Ella Virginia Hoge. Rev. Dr. Rockwell Harmon Potter officiating. Miss Ella Virginia Hoge, daughter

IN WEDDING GAIETY AT 104.

Great-Grandmother Chief Guest at Children's Golden Jubilee.

Saginaw, Mich., November 10.—Mrs. Kittay Novak, of Bridgeport, at the age of 104 years, yesterday attended the fiftieth wedding anniversary of her daughter, Mrs. Mark Szeseplinak.

The latter with her husband, whom she wedded in Germany, November 9, 1859, came to Saginaw county thirty-four years ago from near Detroit, where they settled after coming to America. They have lived in Bridgeport ever since.

To-day they came to Saginaw, where several of their children live, and celebrated the event by having a nuptial high mass at the Holy Rosary church and afterward a re-

MRS. J. J. ASTOR SUES TO SEVER MARITAL TIES 21

Report That Referee Has Been Named to Hear Action of New York Social Leader.

SECRECY ABOUT THE CASE.

Oct 26, 1909

(New York American.)

Society will hear with sincere regret that Mrs. John Jacob Astor, the beautiful and queenly leader of the Four Hundred, is suing her distinguished husband for a legal separation.

The proceedings have been conducted quietly and with dispatch. The case is now in the hands of the referee, C. H. Young of No. 76 William street. Exactly what is the basis of the action has not been learned.

Mrs. Astor returned from Europe on October 15. She travelled incognito. Mr. Astor is now on his yacht Nourman in Cuban waters, having sailed on October 12, three days before his wife's arrival home.

Gone Into the Country.

Mrs. Astor did not go to her recently remodeled city mansion at Fifth avenue and Sixty-fifth street, nor to her beautiful country seat at Rhinebeck. She went to the home of her devoted friends, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Guinness, No. 20 Washington Square West. She left there Sunday morning to visit friends in the country.

Mr. Astor's attorney in the proceedings is Lewis Cass Ledyard, who was the law partner of the late leader of the bar, James C. C. Carter. Mr. Ledyard is recognized as a master in the conduct of cases requiring the highest diplomacy and great social as well as great legal knowledge.

Mrs. Astor is represented by John H. Cadwallader, head of the firm of Strong & Cadwallader and former president of the New York Bar association.

Visit to Guinness Home.

On Saturday night a reporter for the American went to the Guinness house at No. 8 Washington Square North, and sent to Mrs. Astor a sealed note saying that the American had information that her suit had been forwarded by the court to a referee, and that it might be well if she would see him a moment in order that the forthcoming report could be correct.

The man brought word that Mrs. Astor would come down or would send a

POSSIBLY A HARTFORD WOMAN.

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The present head of the renowned house of Astor, as financier, inventor, soldier and sportsman, holds a lofty position in the respect of the public, as well as of his wife.

His wife, Mrs. William Astor, leader of New York society, besides the land and a tation for her persistent presence beneath the signature which made final, a firm though upheld the concordance with And although been her guest in Mayfair, hereby nob judgment." The decree, however, as filed with honor last night at Poughkeepsie, the county seat, makes little known that had not been forejudged in popular estimate. There appears the statement that the marriage is dissolved by reason of a statutory offense now 17 years by the defendant, but no money settlement daughter, as is mentioned, the name of the co-

Justice Isaac Mills, sitting at White Plains, N. Y., wrote yesterday afternoon. The plaintiff may remarry, but not the defendant. Custody of William Vincent Astor, his son, is given to the father, with provision that the mother may see him when she wishes, and custody of the daughter, Ava Alice Muriel, is awarded the mother, with provision that the father may see her at all reasonable times.

After citing the motion by the plaintiff's attorneys for the final decree, the motion is granted by the court, which adds: "And full Paris credit is further decreed that the custody of never to William Vincent Astor, the son of the plaintiff, shall be permitted to see him at now—a curial case of his illness or disability, and to consult as to his education and that he shall be permitted to visit the plaintiff for at least one month in each year; and the custody of the said Ava Alice Muriel Astor, there as here the daughter of the parties, be awarded to London was the plaintiff, but the defendant shall be permitted to see her at all reasonable times and to consult as to her education, distinguished and she shall be permitted to visit the defendant from time to time. And it is son of the further decreed that the plaintiff may name, was to marry again during the lifetime of the defendant, but the defendant shall not marry again until the death of the plaintiff unless this court shall in this respect modify this judgment."

The understanding is that a settlement of all money matters was arrived at privately before the decree was signed, and it is probable that the exact amount allowed Mrs Astor will never be known. It has not been the policy of the Astor estate to allow money to go out of the family. Therefore, it seems likely that no lump sum has been settled on her, but rather that she will enjoy a stipulated income during her lifetime, or so long as she remains single.

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MRS. ASTOR GETS DIVORCE.

Mar 8. 1909. Papers in the Case Are Sealed—She is Now at French Lick Springs, Ind.

Mrs John Jacob Astor was yesterday granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from her husband, Col Astor, by Justice Secrecy in Divorce for the Rich.

Mrs John Jacob Astor of New York has secured an interlocutory decree of divorce from her husband, Col John Jacob Astor, for the one cause admissible in that state. But for the newspapers the public could not have known about it; yet the law contemplates publicity of the fact, if not always of the testimony in relation to the cause, when publication might be deemed to endanger the public morals. As in so many similar cases where persons of large wealth are involved, the greatest secrecy was permitted to surround this case. It came before Justice Mills of the supreme court, sitting somewhere up in Rockland county, on a referee's report whose papers were sealed. Neither of the parties to the cause was present. The defendant, Col Astor, was cruising on his yacht in the West Indies. Mrs Astor was at a watering place in Indiana. Few of the people in the court-room knew or could know of what was going on. As our news dispatches have stated, Lawyer Henry W. Taft, representing the libellant, quietly arose with a motion, "with which you are familiar," and asked to have the judgment signed and a decree granted. And the judge, also without mentioning a name, gave his opinion that the evidence justified the findings, and signed the judgment and granted the decree. It was all over in a very few minutes—Justice in this case not moving with heavy and leaden feet but swiftly and stealthily on velvet slippers.

One of the great restraints upon the sundering of the marriage tie is the publicity supposed to attend the performance, and the causes leading up to it. Most couples who come to find their married life hard to endure will hesitate a long time before consenting to undergo a public trial or exposure of their troubles or transgressions. Increasingly frequent as divorce is becoming in America, few will venture to affirm it would not become much more frequent if divorces were obtainable in secret. Yet in secret, so far as the courts are concerned, has it come to pass that divorce is obtainable in New York state among the wealthy where divorces seem to be especially numerous.

This secrecy of divorce for the rich is fast reaching the dimensions of a public scandal. "Secret divorces of this sort," says the New York Times in commenting on the Astor case, "are not obtainable by 'humble persons of small means.'" How then does it come about that they are obtainable by the powerful and wealthy few? What is the secret of this favored secrecy? How does it happen that a boasted equality before the law disappears so strikingly in favor of the wealthy at this point in the New York courts? It would seem to be about time to put an end to such discrimination in the administration of the law.

American Woman Active In English War Relief



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is the latest photograph of
va Willing Astor, known to
nds as Mrs. John Astor, and
wife of the late John Jacob
a trip abroad with his sec-
le, formerly Miss Madeline
nd now Mrs. William Dick.
rst Mrs. Astor has lived in
for years and has won a
ial position, aided by the
which she is famous.
-war started she has been
worker in English war re-
ties, and she is assisted by
ther, Muriel, who is the
sister of Vincent Astor, now
in naval coast defense

work, while Mrs. Vincent Astor is
doing hospital work in France. In
this portrait of Mrs. Astor, she does
not appear old enough to be Vin-
cent's mother, although her lovely
hair is almost snow white. She is
typically English in appearance and
style of costuming.
It is said that Mrs. Vincent Astor
visited her mother-in-law while en-
route to France and it is often ru-
mored that various titled personages
are trying in vain to win Mrs. John
Astor as a bride. She has only made
brief visits to this country in recent
years, but is always welcomed with
enthusiasm by her friends in so-
ciety and lavishly entertained at
Newport or in New York.

WORRY OVER FATE COL. JOHN GIVES ASTOR YACHT

Entertains 250 Guests at Housewarm-
ing of the Two Astor Homes
Made Into One.

MANY BEAUTIFUL DECORATIONS.

COL. ASTOR WEDS AND SAILS AWAY

Married to Miss Force at Groom's, t,
Newport Home in the Presence
of a Very Few.

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PROVIDENCE MINISTER
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room Issues Statement and Says
He's Willing to Have Marriage
Laws Amended.

1911
Newport, R. I., September 3.—At-
tended only by the members of their
immediate families and a few intimate
friends, Colonel John Jacob Astor, of
New York, one of America's foremost
masters of capital, and Miss Made-
line Talmadge Force, daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. William H. Force, of New
York, were quietly united in marriage
to-day.

Several days had been spent in what
at times seemed a fruitless quest for
a clergyman to marry Miss Force and
Colonel Astor, who had been divorced
by his first wife, formerly Miss Ava
Willing, of Philadelphia.

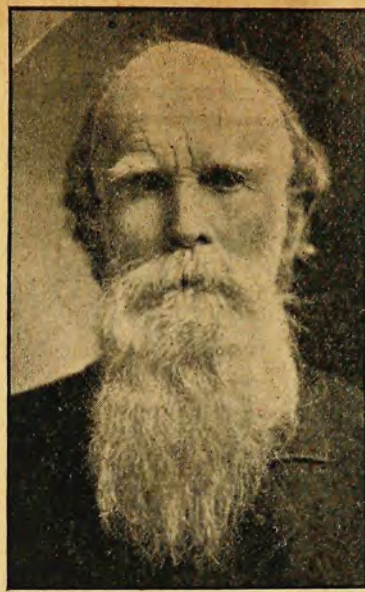
Rev. Dr. Joseph Lambert, pastor of
the Elmwood Temple Congregational
church, Providence, was eventually
engaged to perform the ceremony, and
he officiated.

The bride was given in marriage by
her father; her sister, Miss Katherine
Force, was bridesmaid, and Colonel
Astor's son, Vincent Astor, was his
father's best man. Less than a quar-
ter of an hour after the ceremony had
been concluded Colonel Astor and his
bride departed on the Astor steam
yacht Noma for a honeymoon cruise
in waters known only to the bridal
couple.

Seldom has Newport witnessed a
more unusual marriage. The event
was surrounded with the utmost se-
crecy and not until a half-hour or so
before the ceremony was actually per-
formed was it definitely known that
the couple would be married to-day.

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Nov 10 Raymond-Mayo, 1909
Philip W. Raymond of Montreal, Canada, was married at 11 o'clock yesterday morning at the rectory of St. John's Church, by Rev. James Eleanor E. Mayo. Raymond is the who was for St. John's Church on Main street in the office of Railroad Company gone to the ago. He was of the Central Company here a railroad office Raymond is the Mayo of No. 30 ter the ceremony mond left for their home.



HIRAM HULL OF WESTFIELD.

THE HULL
Mr and Mrs
All the Year
in the Same
On Monday Hull of Scho the 50th anni riage, and, wh formal recepti to meet all t and acquainta Mr. and Mr.

Nov. 15, 1859, by Rev. Mr. Cox in Chelsea, and for the past 50 years have made their home at 37 School street in this town.

Mr. Hull was born in Westfield, March 24, 1827, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Hull. He was educated in the public sch was identified ice business. business for f tired in 1902. David C. Hull Whip company ow of Dr. Woe ebrated throat

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Civil war. Mr Richardson lived in Mrs. Hull's maiden name was Miss Drusilla Clark, and she was born in North Lubec, Me., April 10, 1837, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Hull have two surviving daughters and three sons—Mrs. C. O. Taylor of Springfield, Mrs. George Embury of Hartford, Ct., Frederick and Edward H. Hull of Westfield, and Rev. William Clark Hull, pastor of the First Christian church of Pasadena, Cal.



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HEIRRESS 3 YEARS OLD.

Judge Rules This Amount Necessary to Support Alatheia Rudd Ward.

Nov 15 1909
New York, November 15.—In order that little Alatheia Rudd Ward, 3 years old, should be brought up in the house of her fathers Judge Truax, in the supreme court, yesterday ordered her father be paid \$15,000 a year for her support. The little girl is the sole heirless to an estate worth \$320,000 left her by her grandfather, George Rudd. The annual income from the property is about \$20,000.

The grandfather, George Rudd, maintained the dignified old Colonial mansion at Riverside Drive and One Hundred and Fourteenth street during the latter part of his life. He died many years ago, a prominent member of the old New York society. He left half of his estate to his daughter, Mrs. Alatheia Rudd Ward, and desired that she and her children maintain the big, old house. Mrs. Ward died last spring and the fortune passed on to her only child, the baby Alatheia.

The little girl's father, T. Edwin Ward, is in poor health, and applied to Judge Truax for an income sufficient to bring the little heirless up in the old house in accordance with her grandfather's wishes. Mr. Ward said that it would require \$15,000 a year to keep up the establishment and educate his daughter properly.

Thomas Diamond, of No. 20 West Seventy-third street, is the guardian of the baby heirless and was the defendant in the action. Judge Truax ruled that the amount asked by the father would be necessary to educate Alatheia and maintain her in the house of her fathers, where she herself was born.

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The little girl's father, Judge Ward, is in poor health and expects to die. Judge Trust, for as much as the old house in accordance with the grandfather's wishes. He made it that it would require \$15,000 a year to keep up the establishment and to educate his daughter properly. Thomas Dimond of No. 71 Seventy-third street is the guardian of the baby heiress and was asked by the judge to ask for the money necessary to educate Althea, where she should be brought up.

KENT SCHOOL FOR BOYS.

OCTOBER 18, 1910.

HENEUM GEIS

"SLEEPING BABES." with the Gift of General Lucius A. Barbour.

EXECUTED BY W. H. RINEHART, MARYLAND SCULPTOR.

The Wadsworth Atheneum has had a fine piece of statuary added to its collection in the gift of a group of "Sleeping Babes," executed by William H. Rinehart, the famous Maryland sculptor, and donated by General Lucius A. Barbour, president of the Charter Oak National Bank. The execution of "Sleeping Babes," the sculptor used the finest of Italian marble, while the base has been conceived of dark modeled French marble with cornice of black Belgium marble. The group represents two men reclining on a couch, with arms around each other, and the one at carelessly thrown over them. They are fast asleep and their curls are tossed about on the breeze.

The conception is not bold and it is estimated. While the sentiment is out of fashion these days, appeal to the masses is true and wide. The marble is signed "Rinehart, Roma, 1872," and is owned by the late A. S. Barnes of New York city, about that time it probably from the artist himself came to the late Mrs. Barbour who was the daughter of Mr. General Barbour's generous placed in the transverse hall of the organ Memorial and is sure to attract much attention.

Mr. Rinehart was born at Bridge, Md., September 13. He died at Rome on October 4. Most of his best creations executed at Rome, where he came in 1855, after learning his profession in Maryland. Among his masterpieces following are listed: "Hero and Leander," "Indian Girl," "St. Maria," "Christ," "The Angel of the Morning," "Night," "Morning." Rinehart also did much with the executed the bronze statue, "Reconciled With Death," at the Mount Cemetery at Baltimore. He completed the bronze doors of the capitol at Washington, which Crawford left unfinished at death. On a trip to this country he came in 1853, Sculptor Rinehart with him the statue of Chief Roger B. Taney, which was unveiled at Annapolis, Md., in 1872. He also executed numerous busts of figures for the post office at Annapolis, and two figures, "Indian" and "Blackwoodsman," to support the House of Representatives. His principal works include, "Nymph," and "Clytie," which he has called his masterpiece. It is owned by the Peabody Museum at Atlanta. "Latina and Her Children," "Diana and Appollo," "Enoch and Rebecca," in the Corbelly at Washington.

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MARRIED IN KING'S CHAPEL

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Wedding of Mrs. Hugh Whitney and Dr. Elisha Flagg a Family Affair, Marked by Simplicity Nov 17, 1909.

With only relatives and a few of their more intimate friends present, making a gathering of not more than twenty-five or thirty in all, Mrs. Hugh Whitney was married at noon today in King's Chapel to Dr. Elisha Flagg of Commonwealth avenue, the son of Mrs. George Flagg. He is a member of the Somerset, Tennis and Racquet, the University and other clubs, and is a graduate of Harvard, class of '87.

The wedding was to have taken place at the same hour at the home of the bride's parents, Dr. and Mrs. George B. Shattuck, at 183 Beacon street, but a change in plans was made because of the breavement in the neighboring house, at 181 Beacon street, in the family of Henry R. Dalton, whose daughter, Miss Alice Dalton, who died in New Mexico last week, was buried this forenoon.

King's Chapel was not decorated for the wedding, other than with a few tall palms placed within the chancel. At the organ, Charles S. Johnson, the present organist of this church, played appropriate selections before the arrival of the bride and also for her entrance and departure, following the ceremony. There were no ushers and everything was carried out in as informal a way as possible. Rev. Howard N. Brown, minister of this church, performed the ceremony.

The bride, who before her first marriage to the late Hugh Whitney of Milton, was Eleanor Shattuck, arrived at the church accompanied by her young children, Eleanor and Hugh Whitney. They alone accompanied their mother up the aisle of the church, and she had no other attendants. She was gowned in pale mauve satin, made with a short train and the bodice of the dress was profusely trimmed with rich lace. A toque of purple velvet trimmed with pale mauve bird of paradise and egrets of the same shade was worn, and for flowers she carried a cluster of bride roses, tied with streamers of white chiffon. Mrs. Whitney also wore a long coat of moleskin, which

ROONEY-McCLUNIE

Morning Wedding at Church of Immaculate Conception.

Miss Blanche Mary McClunie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. McClunie of No. 97 Washington street, and Joseph D. Rooney of New York were married at the Church of the Immaculate Conception yesterday morning. Thomas F. Maher of Milford was best man and Miss Mary Troy Hassett was maid of honor. The bride was given away by her father. The church was decorated with chrysanthemums and palms, making a very pretty effect. The bride wore white satin cut en traine, with princess lace and crystal trimmings. She wore a tulle veil with lilies of the valley and carried lilies of the valley. The gown of the maid of honor was pink crepe de chine with chiffon and silver trimmings. She wore a black picture hat with willow plumes and carried pink chrysanthemums. The bride's gift to the maid of honor was a gold bracelet and the bridegroom's gift to the best man was a pearl scarf pin. The bride was employed as a stenographer for the Whitney Manufacturing Company and among the presents was silverware from the company. After a wedding trip to Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Rooney will live in New Haven.

GENERAL LUCIUS A. BARBOUR
PRESIDENT OF CHARTER OAK.

**Directors of the Bank Elect Him to
Succeed the Late James P.**

Taylor.

NOVEMBER 15, 1909

At a meeting of the directors of the Charter Oak National bank, to-day, General Lucius A. Barbour was chosen president, to succeed the late James P. Taylor. Mr. Barbour heads the board of directors of the bank, and has taken great interest in the institution. Mr. Taylor died about six weeks ago.

Lucius A. Barbour was born at Madison, Ind., January 26, 1846, and came to Hartford when young, with his parents. He attended the public schools, and was graduated from the Hartford high school in 1864. He was appointed teller of the Charter Oak bank soon after and resigned in 1870, for the purpose of traveling in Europe two years. On September 9, 1865, he enlisted as a private in the Hartford City Guard, then attached to the First regiment as Battery D. He resigned from the company in 1871 and was out of the service until February, 1875, when he was elected major of the First regiment. December 29, 1876, he was elected lieutenant-colonel and was advanced to the command of the regiment June 26, 1878. He resigned the command November 12, 1884. He was appointed adjutant-general by Governor Morgan G. Bulkeley in 1889. General Barbour was a member of the house of representatives in 1879, being the colleague of the late Hon. Henry C. Robinson.

For many years from 1884 he was president and treasurer of the Williamantle Linen company. He retired a few years ago. General Barbour is considered one of the ablest business men in Hartford, and is well qualified for the duties of his new position.

Prominent Society Event in the First Church Last Evening—Reception at the Bride's Home.

The most prominent wedding event which has been celebrated in Northampton for some time was that which united, in the First church last evening at 6.30, Miss Grace Carver Arnold, daughter of Mr and Mrs Jonathan W. Arnold of West street, the reception at the home of the bride, was attended by relatives and a few intimate friends. The bride and groom were assisted in receiving by the parents of the bride, and stood under a wedding bell of white chrysanthemums. In the other decorations yellow predominated in a lavish display of chrysanthemums against palms, ferns and laurel. The bride's mother wore a black spangled decollete gown. The little sister of the bride, Anna Arnold wore a white lace dress over pink. Among the striking gowns were the following: Mrs. Andrew Reid Lewis, mother of the groom, rose-colored messaline with jet trimmings; Mrs. Warren Kyle of Boston, aunt of the bride, a handsomely embroidered gown of light gray satin; Mrs. Edwin Nelson Kimball of Boston, aunt of the bride, check spangled net over light blue satin; Mrs. J. D. Kellogg of Northampton, aunt of the bride, black satin; consins of the bride, Mrs. Arthur Curtiss James of New York, pink brocade; Mrs. Samuel B. Parsons, black chiffon with jet; Miss Minnie Parsons, light blue satin; Mrs. Frank Bailey Parsons of Boston, black spangled jet; Miss Sarah Kellogg, white chiffon; Mrs. Francis T. Maxwell of Rockville, Ct., apricot satin, diamond necklace and sunburst; two little daughters of Mrs. Maxwell, Priscilla and Helen, white embroidered dresses; Mrs. Charles Emerson Smith of Providence, blue satin meteor; Mrs. Charles S. Rodimon of Waterbury, Ct., black jet; Mrs. Charles Mitchell Clark of Waterbury, Ct., gold tissue over pink; Mrs. Isaac Parsons Kellogg of Waterbury, black meteor crepe; Mrs. Sidney Williams Clark of Hartford, white net, embroidered with seed pearls and silver spangles. Among the other guests were the father of the groom, the husbands of the bride's consins, Wilbur Lewis, cousin of the groom, 30 members of Amherst chapter of Delta Upsilon fraternity, the bride's grandfather, Isaac Parsons of Brookline; the bride's granduncle, P. F. Parsons of Providence, R. I.; the bride's grandaunt, Mrs. J. D. Kellogg of Northampton; Mr and Mrs L. D. Chase of Waterbury, Mrs. Richard Beckwith of New York, President and Mrs. George Harris of Amherst and Prof John Todd of Amherst.

A collation was served and the splendid array of wedding gifts, comprising articles of silverware, chinaware, cut glass, rugs and furniture, which filled an upper room, was inspected. There was a \$1000 bond, and the gift of Delta Upsilon fraternity was a cut-glass, silver-mounted water set. Among other costly gifts were a diamond and pearl circlet and crescent. The gift of the groom to the bride was a ring with topaz surrounded by diamonds; the bride's gifts to the maid of honor and bridesmaids were white leather cardcases, lettered in gold; the groom's gift to the best man was a diamond and pearl pin, and the groom's gifts to the ushers were gold link cuff buttons, bearing the monogram of the bride and groom's initials. The bride is a descendant of two prominent Northampton families, the Parsons family being descended from Cornet Joseph Parsons, one of the first settlers of Northampton, including the late Capt Samuel Parsons. The groom was graduated from Amherst college in the class of 1906, was captain of the varsity football team and afterward coach. He is now manager of the Montreal branch of the Library bureau. After the wedding trip Mr and Mrs Lewis will be at home in Waverly

TRUE LOVE SAVES HER HOME TO MISS ECKELS

Nov 17 — 1909
Mr. Stevens, Her Fiance, Will Make
Bridal Gift of Her Late Father's
Superb Residence.

Chicago, Oct. 19.—Again has true love not only stemmed but reversed the tide of misfortune.

The beautiful country estate at Oconomowoc, Wis., on which the late James H. Eckels had spent a fortune, is to be a bridal gift to his daughter, Miss Phoebe Eckels. On their wedding day, November 17, next, John Archibald Stevens, the wealthy clubman, will present to his bride the superb home which she and her mother were certain was lost to them forever.

A close friend of the Eckels family so said yesterday, adding that the purchase of the property at the receiver's sale of the Eckels estate has been arranged.

Vain Struggle to Save Fortune.

James H. Eckels, president of the Commercial National bank, formerly comptroller of the currency, close friend of Grover Cleveland, had a national reputation as a financier. He died suddenly April 14, 1907, and it soon became plain that his last years were passed in a vain struggle to save his fortune. Large claims, many held in New York, were made against his estate. Out of the wreck, the courts have allowed his widow to retain \$150,000, the amount of his life insurance, and the silver and curios her husband owned. Mrs. Eckels and her daughter live now in a small house, No. 83 Elm street.

A Pretty Romance.

The Eckels and Stevens families were neighbors on Prairie avenue here; Miss Phoebe and young Stevens were playmates, then sweethearts. After her father's death he asked her mother for her hand in marriage. A touching scene followed, the World correspondent's informant says. Mrs. Eckels, much affected, told Mr. Stevens that so far from being immensely wealthy she and her daughter are comparatively poor.

"I asked you to give me Phoebe for my wife," said Stevens. "I have enough money for both of us, for all of us."

So in a month the young pair will marry. And as another wedding present Mr. Stevens will give his bride the library her father assembled in the Oconomowoc country house. It is one of the most beautiful residences at the Wisconsin resort, a great, rambling house, on a hill overlooking Lac La Belle, and surrounded by many acres of terraced lawn and garden. Her friends think Mrs. Eckels will give up her home here and reside with her daughter most of the year.

A Columbus, Ohio, paper says the engagement is announced of Miss Lucy G. Stock, pastor's assistant of the Broad Street Presbyterian church of that city and Gilbert W. Chapin of Hartford. The marriage will take place in November, in Springfield, Mass., Miss Stock's former home. Miss Stock is the writer of the lessons for the primary department in the Sunday-School Times.

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STOCK-CHAPIN WEDDING.

Miss Lucy Gould Stock of Columbus,
O., formerly of this city, and Gilbert
Warren Chapin, a banker of Hartford,
Ct., were married Wednesday afternoon at
4 o'clock at the home of Mr and Mrs
Orlando M. Baker, 7 Dartmouth terrace.
Rev George S. Rollins, pastor of Hope
church, officiated, and the couple were un-
attended, except by the three-years-old
cousin of the bride, Master Erwin Breck
Paddock, who carried the ring in a lily.
The bride was gowned in white silk,
trimmed with duchess lace, and carried a
shower bouquet of lilies of the valley.
Following the ceremony a reception was
held, at which a wedding-luncheon was
served. The house was decorated with
palms and chrysanthemums, and there
were a number of out-of-town guests pres-
ent, among them being Mrs George De-
Long and Miss Helen DeLong of North-
ampton, Mrs E. G. Bradley of New Brit-
ain, Ct., Mrs Helen A. Paddock of East
Berlin, Ct., Miss Gertrude Phelps of Wil-
limantic, Ct., and G. Frank Phelps of
Boston. After a brief wedding trip Mr
and Mrs Chapin will live at 350 Farming-
ton avenue, Hartford, where they will be
at home to their friends after Febru-
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NOVEMBER 20, 1909. ROBERTS-HATCH.

Miss Laura Hatch Becomes Bride of Trinity Man.

Miss Laura Knight Hatch of this
city and Edward Kilbourn Roberts of
New Haven were married at noon to-
day at the home of the bride's uncle,
James H. Knight, president of the
First National bank, No. 6 Charter
Oak place. Both the bride and the
bridegroom, who was a graduate of
Trinity college in the class of 1909, are
well known in Hartford, and the wed-
ding was largely attended.

The ceremony was performed by the
Rev. Walter C. Roberts, rector of
Christ Church, Corning, N. Y., a rela-
tive of the bridegroom, assisted by the
Rev. Edwin Pond Parker, pastor of the
South Congregational church. The
bride was attended by Miss Inez Brain-
ard as maid of honor, the bridesmaids
being Miss Marion Welch and Miss
Helen Hatch, the latter a cousin of
the bride. The groomsmen were Clif-
ton L. Roberts of New Haven, brother
of the bridegroom, while the ushers
were Lewis G. Harriman of Windsor
and John H. T. Sweet of this city, both
Trinity men.

The house was prettily decorated
with ferns and chrysanthemums, while
the wedding march from "Lohengrin"
was played by an orchestra as the
party entered the library, where the
ceremony was performed. The Epis-
copal service was used, the bride being
given away by her uncle, Mr. Knight.

The bride was dressed in white satin,
with pearl trimmings, and carried a
shower bouquet of lilies of the valley.
The maid of honor and bridesmaids
were in white. Following the wedding
there was a reception.

After a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs.
Roberts will live at No. 33 Washington
terrace, Bridgeport, the bridegroom
being in the automobile business in
that city.

Dr. Edward K. Roberts of New
Haven is laid up at his home at No.
244 Grand avenue as the result of
overwork. Dr. Roberts on February
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More Than 200 Guests Entertained by

Mrs. Enos Smith of Clarendon St.

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hostess Received in Her Beautiful
Drawing Room, Panelled in Robin's
Egg Blue Brocade, in an Exquisite
Gown in Harmony With Surround-
ings — Beautiful Decorations
Throughout—Charming Music and
Catering of Best—Other Features
of Function.

Springfield Nov 18, 1909

Mrs. Enos Smith of Clarendon
street gave the most elaborate re-

Albert Steiger Company THE WOMAN'S STORE.

SATURDAY SPECIALS

Saturday Will Be a Great Coat
These Special Values Will Center the

Style Coat of extra quality.
Broadcloth, Skin-
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Nichols and Miss Ambia C. Harris
presided at the table, being assisted
in serving by Mrs. A. B. Wallace, Jr.,
and Misses Helen O. Harris, Madara
Wallace, Madeline S. Baker, Freida
Powers, Isabelle F. Wheat, and Louise
Mc Clean. The hostess was aided in
caring for her guests by Mrs. Char-
les D. Hosley, Mrs. Avery Smith, Mrs.
Edmund H. Smith, Mrs. Frank S.
Smith, and Miss Charibel H. Smith,
while those assisting in the music-
room were Mrs. Parker M. Cort, and
Misses Dorothy Kirkham, Lois Fonda,
Marian Lincoln, Ethel Merriam, Flo-
rence Folsom, Anna Pillsbury, and
Florence Moore.

Haberstein of Hartford catered
and the decorations were in charge
of Ostermann and Steele, Mrs. Smith
being, also, the recipient of many
floral tributes sent in by her friends.

For in Springfield

Edward Kilbourn
Roberts, 3d, only son of Edward Kil-
bourn and Laura
Roberts, Jr., aged 4 months and 20
days.
Funeral service at No. 137 Whitney
street this (Thursday) afternoon at
3 o'clock.

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GREENE AND HOLCOMB.

Sketches of the Men Nominated for Superior Court Judgeships.

Gardiner Greene was born in Norwich August 13, 1851, and attended the Norwich Free Academy. He was graduated from Yale University in 1873 and from the Columbia Law School in 1877. In the latter year he was admitted to the bar in New York

HIS LAST DAY AS ATTORNEY GENERAL.

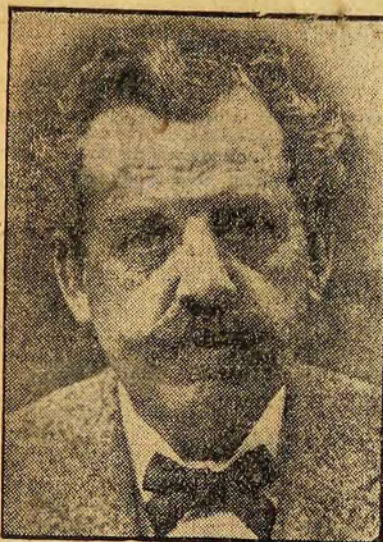
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judgeship to which he has been ap
pointed by Governor Weeks. While his
fitness is universally recognized and his
many friends are much gratified on his
account at his advancement, it is nev
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that he leaves his present office where
he has done so much useful work
and wisely settled so many important
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several years. These same departments
have expressed sentiments describing
Mr. Holcomb as a most faithful, con
scientious and efficient attorney-gen
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scribes the reliability of the man, the
interest he takes in his work, and his



WILLIAM D. CURTIS.

Dr. Grenfell to Marry.

Announcement has been made of the coming marriage of Dr. Wilfred T. Grenfell, so well known for his philanthropic work in Labrador. He is to marry Miss Anna Elizabeth MacClanahan, daughter of Mrs. E. B. MacClanahan of Chicago, and the ceremony will be performed in Grace Episcopal Church in Chicago on November 18. Dr. Grenfell is known in this city, where he has on several occasions told of his work in Labrador.

A FAMOUS LENOX HOTEL.

NEW OWNERS FOR THE CURTIS.

AFTER 56 YEARS IN ONE FAMILY.

Its Early History—The Many Famous Guests—Characteristics of Landlord W. D. Curtis and His Life in Lenox.

Prosperous hotels in the Berkshire hills are not the creations of a day or a year; they are institutions with a history, and their excellence is not infrequently in proportion to their age. The passing of the Curtis hotel from a management, conducted by father and son for 56 years, to new owners, has to do with a house of subtle charm, with varied associations and pleasant reminiscences of bygone days and folks. No epoch in the annals of the historic town of Lenox would be complete without mention of the Curtis hotel, so intimately is the old hostelry interwoven into every incident of importance almost since the foundation of the village. Its history is as remarkable as any hotel in Massachusetts. Way back in 1829 the Berkshire coffee house was built on the main corner of the village, and this was the establishing of what has proved the most famous hotel in all Berkshire. It was built by Maj S. Wilson, who had gained his military title by the war of 1812. He managed the hotel until 1851, when, by his failure and retirement, the hotel passed through the management of three or four parties until the spring of 1853, when it was bought by William O. Curtis.

The 1829 front, built by Peck & Phelps, known as the Berkshire coffee house, was demolished in 1897 to make room for the present severely simple old colonial building at the fork of roads leading to Lee, Pittsfield, Stockbridge and Great Barrington. William O. Curtis, the founder of Curtis hotel, was a man of sterling New England character and of ability that was original and striking. He was a man of rough exterior, but was warm-hearted, charitable, a great wit and a wonderful conversationalist. He held his own at the hotel fireside with the brainiest men of his day. He never sunk his personality in catering to travelers, and was much the same self-respecting Yankee citizen and sovereign in the presence of titled and famous folks as when he met his neighbors on equal terms.

When the elder Curtis took the management of the hotel Lenox was already quite a summer resort. The history of the town from that time to this has been one of marvelous transformation of farms to country estates. In 1853 it was a great

vention of the two factions within a year. Gompers. The committee will call a con-vent of Cincinnati, appointed by President P. Frey, editor of the Iron Molders' Jour-ney, selected by President J. J. Reid of the Iowa state federation of la-ber of the draymakers' union and pres-ident of electrical workers; A. L. Erick, a mem-ber of the recognized faction of the carpenters and joiners, named by Pres-ident McNulty, of the united brotherhood of diamond drillers; Frank Duffy of In-terday as follows: The committee was announced yes-

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sits at the fork of the roads which all
Lenox is constantly passing or repassing.
Mrs. William O. Curtis laid the same
to the Curtis hotel table. There is some-
thing different about it than is found else-
where. It satisfies. So strong has this
particular department become a factor in
the house that to-day the pies are pre-
pared and cooked by the same formulas
that characterized the house 50 years ago.

than most farmers get from a quarter
section. Here he has a greenhouse that
is a wonder and gardens that have great-
ly assisted in the supply of the hotel
tables. This farm did not pass in the
sale of the hotel. His Rhode Island Red
fowls are annually prize winners at
Lenox poultry show and other breeds
are kept for the table.
In his day he has been in almost every
town office. He was a democrat years
ago but the first cry of "silver" by Bryan
sent him into the ranks of the republic-

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PATTERSON MONUMENT.
THE CURTIS, LENOX, MASS.

THE CURTIS HOTEL AT LENOX.

sunlight in things. He knows the peculi-
arities, even the idiosyncrasies of his
guests. So from table to table, with
words of wit and quaint expression he
walks around the room leaving behind
laughter, good humor, a sort of personal
interest that takes. Outside in the office
it is the half-smoked cigar that is so
prominent in his appearance. He is a
keen observer and picks up a wealth of
knowledge everywhere he goes. He
could tell one the price of potatoes and
flour or of shingles and coal from any
section he had visited or he would sur-
prise a guest by a most intimate knowl-
edge of the flora or ornithology of the
South, the West, or Berkshire. He
has a hobby for mushrooms. Every
variety is known to him. He can
also tell one where the wild orchids of
the hills are to be found. For flowers he
has a passion. The rotunda of the hotel
abounds with blossoms. The windows of
the dining room are always blooming
with rare geraniums and other flowers
and in the parlors are carnations, roses,
and flowers in season, his own produc-
tion. He probably gets more out of his
little farm, "Pinacle Farm," he calls it.

New York.
After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs.
Angus will live in New York.

WEDDING UNITES TWO BIG FORTUNES.

**Mrs. W. H. Chapman Becomes Mrs.
Phelps Van Valkenburgh.**
New York, Nov. 23.—A quiet wed-
ding at the Hotel St. Regis today unit-
ed two American fortunes estimated
at \$10,000,000 and \$20,000,000 respec-
tively. The bride is Mrs. William
Hayes Chapman, whom numerous for-
eign noblemen sought in vain to wed
and the bridegroom is Philip Van
Valkenburgh of this city, a descendant
of an old Dutch family whose personal
fortune is estimated at \$20,000,000.
The new Mrs. Van Valkenburgh is the
widow of a Brooklyn dry goods mer-
chant.

See description p. 32

WESTERN MANAGER GETS PROMOTION HARTFORD FIRE CALLS IN J. W. G. COFRAN. NOVEMBER 23, 1909.

John W. G. Cofran, associate western manager of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company at Chicago, has

been called to the board of directors at the meeting of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company at Chicago, has

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son of Stephen Benjamin Cofran and

Alma Jane Cofran. His ancestors

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soon after settled in New Hampshire.

After his district school training he

took a course in Kimball's Union

Academy at Meriden, N. H. Believing

he could find employment more

congenial than what the farm

afforded, Mr. Cofran made his way to

the Pacific Coast when a youth and

landed in San Francisco with \$15 in

his pockets. He began as an office

boy with the Commercial Insurance

Company of California on October 16,

1874, and occupied various places in

the fire and marine departments until

September of 1879, when he was ap

pointed special agent and adjuster by

the Commercial for Oregon, Wash

ington and Idaho with headquarters at

Portland, Oregon. In July, 1881, he

was appointed special agent and ad

juster for the Hartford Fire Insurance

Company and represented both com

panies until May 1, 1886, when he was

appointed associate manager with

Henry K. Belden, for the Pacific de

partment of the Hartford Fire Insur

ance Company. In the month of Au

gust, 1895, he removed to Chicago,

being appointed assistant general

agent of the western department of the

Hartford Fire Insurance Company. On

June 1, 1896, he was appointed asso

ciate general agent with R. M. Bissell,

now vice-president of the company, for

the western department.

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In 1882 Mr. Cofran joined the Masonic fraternity, but he is a member of no other recent organization. He is a republican. He is married.

While in San Francisco he served as vice-president and chairman of the executive committee of the Fire Underwriters of the Pacific. He was also a member of the Pacific Union, the Olympic and the Merchants' clubs, of the Chamber of Commerce and the Merchants' Exchange.

FAREWELL TO J. W. G. COFRAN.

Associates Pay Tribute to Hartford Fire's New Vice-President.

J. W. G. Cofran, who leaves Chicago today to come to this city as second vice-president of the Hartford Fire Insurance Company, was the guest Saturday at a farewell luncheon given in his honor at the Union League Club, Chicago, by his associates in the business. About seventy-five were present. After the luncheon J. H. Lencham, chairman of the committee, after recalling the many warm friendships Mr. Cofran had made in Chicago during his fourteen years as Western manager of the Hartford, presented to him, in behalf of those present, a handsomely equipped desk set. John J. Purcell, superintendent of agencies for the Hartford, also spoke briefly, pay

WEDDINGS ON THE DAY BEFORE THANKSGIVING.

Cupid Earns a Great Big Dinner for Nov 24 Today. 1909

Miss Grace E. Shelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William O. Shelley of No. 96 Whitney street, and Edgar B. Peck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur N. Peck of this city, were quietly married at the home of the bride's parents on Whitney street yesterday afternoon at 14 o'clock, Rev. Henry M. Thompson, pastor of the Memorial Baptist Church, officiating. The house was tastefully decorated with cut flowers and at the wedding there were only members of the two families present. The bride was dressed in a blue traveling dress with hat to match. There were no attendants. Following the ceremony a luncheon was served. The couple received many handsome gifts, including a purse of gold from employees at the National Fire Insurance Company, where the groom is employed. Mr. and Mrs. Peck will be at home after February 1 at No. 96 Whitney street.

Nov 24 Kenyon-Cady. 1909

Miss Ethel Cross Cady, daughter of Arthur M. Cady of No. 19 Florence street, and Harold Morris Kenyon were married last evening at the home of the bride's father. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. John Coleman Adams, pastor of the Church of the Redeemer, and only relatives and intimate friends were present.

The bride wore a gown of princess lace over white satin messaline, trimmed with the old duchess lace, which her mother wore when she was married. She carried a bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley. She was attended by her sister, Miss Esther Jennings Cady, who wore a yellow satin messaline and carried yellow chrysanthemums.

Harold W. Rogers of Schenectady, N. Y., was the best man, and the ushers were Leonard A. Ellis and Harold C. Burnham of this city. A reception followed the wedding. Mr. Kenyon is employed at the Connecticut Trust & Safe Deposit Company. After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Kenyon will live at No. 541 New Britain avenue.

FEBRUARY 11, 1913.

KENYON—In this city, October 18, 1914, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Harold M. Kenyon of 541 New Britain ave.

A daughter has been born to Harold M. and Ethel Cady Kenyon of No. 541 New Britain avenue.

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YOUNG BRIDE MADE A PEERESS BY TRAGIC NEWS

Charles Greville, Who Married Mrs.

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"3 GRACES" HER COUSINS

London, December 3.—The honeymoon of the Hon. Mrs. Charles Beresford Greville, who was the widow of Henry S. Kerr of New York and a daughter of John W. Grace, has been interrupted by the death here last night of Lord Greville, her husband's father. The wedding of Captain Greville and Mrs. Kerr occurred in St. Paul's church, Knight's Bridge, on November 24, and in less than a fortnight her husband has succeeded to the title and the charming American woman, a niece of the late William R. Grace, twice mayor of New York city, and cousin of the "Three Graces," is added to the long list of American-born peeresses of England.

Never in the history of international marriages of note has the element of tragedy and romance been so prominent as in that of the former Miss Olive Grace, whose father was a resident of New York city, with a country home in Long Island. Death appears to have been a belated guest at the wedding feast.

Three days after the marriage of Captain Greville and Mrs. Kerr, they were in Paris to begin a honeymoon tour, to include travel on the continent for more than two months. A telegram caught them and summoned Captain Greville to the bedside of his father, Lord Greville, who had been suddenly stricken with serious illness.

Leaves Wife at Paris.

Captain Greville left immediately for London, but insisted that his wife remain in Paris with friends there until he could rejoin her. Last night Lord Greville died, and his daughter-in-law has been summoned to rejoin her husband here for the funeral, and after that will retire to the seat of the Grevilles, in the County Westmeath, Ireland, and it may be many months before the heir to the title will be able to resume with the new Lady Greville their honeymoon trip.

The Greville family and Mrs. Kerr were but recently out of mourning when the wedding occurred, and the new Mrs. Greville, her sister-in-law, and other members of the family planned a brilliant social season. This will be interrupted, in a measure, for the cousins of the new Lady Greville, the famous daughters of Michael P. Grace, and nieces of the late William R. Grace, all of whom live in England move in the most brilliant set of London society.

Lady Greville will abandon entirely her plans for the coming season, and will not re-enter society for a year or more. She has taken the mansion at No. 22 Carlton House Terrace, belonging to Captain the Honorable Frederick Guest, for a year. The house probably will be sublet for the coming season.

The marriage of Miss Olive Grace and Henry S. Kerr, a member of the banking firm of Redmond, Kerr & Co., of New York, was a notable society affair in the United States some years ago. In 1906 Mr. Kerr retired from business and died unexpectedly in 1907. His estate was appraised at more than \$3,000,000, and was divided between the widow and her two sons.

Brother Died Year Ago.

Mrs. Kerr came to England where her three cousins were living for a change of surroundings and companionship and has lived here since. Her cousins all contracted brilliant marriages. One is the Hon. Mrs. Herbert Beaumont, a sister-in-law of Lord Allendale, a second is the Countess Donoughmore and the third is Mrs. Jay Phipps, a daughter-in-law of Henry C. Phipps. Her uncle, Michael P. Grace, owns and lives at Battle Abbey, the most historic old place in England, and also has a town house in Belgrave Square.

While Mrs. Kerr was in mourning she visited quietly among her cousins and met many titled men and women. One of these was the Hon. Mrs. Ronald Greville, wife of the eldest son and heir of Lord Greville. She was the daughter of the Right Hon. William McEwan, a multi-millionaire and received an allowance of \$150,000 a year from her father, which is to be increased to \$1,000,000 a year on his death.

Mrs. Greville was a favorite in so-

Nov 24 White-Megin. 1909

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick S. Megin was the scene of a pretty wedding Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, when their daughter, Carle Siegel, was united in marriage to Peregrine White of No. 147 Madison avenue. The bride was gowned in white silk mull with pearl trimmings and carried a shower bouquet of bride roses. The bridesmaid wore blue silk mull and carried pale pink carnations. Miss Irma F. White, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid, and Miller R. Speer acted as best man. Miss Thelma White, the youngest sister of the groom, was ring-bearer. The bridal march from "Lohengrin" was played by Miss Florence Coleman. The bride was given away by her father, Frederick S. Megin. The service was performed under a wedding bell suspended from an arch of evergreen and white chrysanthemums. The house was attractively decorated with palms, ferns and chrysanthemums. The color scheme throughout the house was green and white. The Rev. John H. Jackson performed the ceremony, which was witnessed by only the immediate families and the most intimate friends of the couple. Guests were present from Boston, Naugatuck, Waterbury, Bristol, Rockville, Bolton Notch, Canton, Willimantic and Hartford. The gifts were numerous, consisting of cut glass, silverware, china, pictures and linen. "Oh, Promise Me" was sung by Miss White after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. White received from 9 until 11 o'clock, after which they left for a wedding trip through Vermont and Boston. Mr. and Mrs. White will be "at home" at No. 147 Madison avenue after January 1.

The wedding of Lieutenant Sherman Miles, U. S. A., the only son of Lieutenant General Nelson A. Miles, U. S. A. (retired), and Miss Yulee E. Noble is to take place in St. John's Church in Washington on Wednesday, Nov. 24.

The week began well with the wedding of Miss Yulee Noble and Lieutenant Sherman Miles, U. S. A., with the usual number of bridesmaids; with luncheons and dinners and the regulation teas for the introduction of debutantes.

Miss Isabel Gertrude, daughter of Mrs. John Thomas Brady, was married to Mr. Henry E. Owen, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. Henry E. Owen, Wednesday morning in St. Patrick's Cathedral.

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GOLDEN WEDDING OBSERVANCE.

Mr and Mrs W. T. Langdon of Summer Avenue Celebrate the Anniversary at Reading.

William T. and Katherine B. Langdon

of 30 Summer Avenue celebrating Thanksgiving at home of the son, at Reading, on Wednesday, November 15, 1914.

MARRIED FIFTY-FIVE YEARS.

Mr and Mrs William T. Langdon Hold Family Reunion.

Mr and Mrs William Thompson Langdon of Lenox street kept open house last evening from 7.30 to 10 o'clock, when their many friends called to extend their congratulations and best wishes upon the occasion of the celebration of the 55th anniversary of the marriage of their hosts. No formal invitations had been sent out, and the entire evening was spent in an informal way. The decorations throughout the house consisted of evergreen and chrysanthemums, and Mrs E. W. Shreve of Bridgeport, Ct., and Miss Nellie Fuller of North Wilbraham assisted in serving in the dining-room, while Mrs C. Irving Alger of Providence, R. I., presided at the punchbowl. Many beautiful remembrances of flowers were received by Mr and Mrs Langdon during the day.

Mr Langdon was born in Northampton 76 years ago, and much of the good health which he enjoys is due to the out-of-door life made necessary by his work as a landscape gardener. He has lived at various times in Newton, Bridgeport and Fall River, and following his taking up landscape gardening was employed by the Boston and Albany railroad to care for and beautify their grounds. Several years ago Mr Langdon retired from the employ of the railroad to devote himself to independent landscape gardening, taking care of many of the grounds around Springfield homes.

Mrs Langdon was born in Ludlow and previous to her marriage to Mr Langdon in Wilbraham by Rev Miner Raymond of that town was Miss Catherine Bliss Jenks. Mr and Mrs Langdon have two daughters, Mrs C. W. Austin of Reading and Miss Marion C. Langdon, who lives at home. They also have one grandson, A. Irving Alger of Providence, R. I., who with his wife is here for the celebration; a granddaughter, Mrs W. Homer Morrison of New Haven, Ct., who arrived Friday with her husband and two children, Kenneth and Lawrence, and another granddaughter, Mrs F. E. Gray of Reading, who was unable to be present.

Mrs Langdon is 10 years younger than her husband, her husband's junior by about four years, the date of his birth being June 27, 1838. He was born in Northampton, but he lived as a child at Wilbraham. He was only 14 years old when he went to work in the cotton mills, and the mill which he first entered was at Chicopee. Mr and Mrs Langdon have two daughters, Mrs O. D. Austin of Reading and Miss Marion C. Langdon, who lives at home. They have three grandchildren and one great-grandchild, Barbara Gray, daughter of H. E. Gray of Reading. All the family were present at the reunion at Reading yesterday, as were the children of Mr Austin, the Langdons' son-in-law, by his first wife. Mr Langdon was once a member of the Knights of Honor; but he gave up his membership. Mrs Langdon does not belong to any societies, being, as Mr Langdon says, a "home woman." There was no celebration apart from the reunion, which was all that Mr and Mrs Langdon wished, although they sent out a few cards to friends announcing the anniversary.

SCHULZE-WOLLENBERG—In El Paso, Texas, November 25, by Rev. G. L. Fisher, Alfred Schulze of El Paso, and Miss Luida Wollenburg, formerly of Farmington, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Pfeiffer Have Been Married Fifty Years. 1908

George Pfeiffer and his wife celebrated yesterday their golden wedding. They were married in Swikau, Germany, on November 24, 1859. They came to this city to live thirty years ago and for the last twenty-five years they have lived at No. 25 Mulberry street. In connection with the observance of the golden wedding anniversary, Mr. Pfeiffer's son, Max, who is the cashier of the police department in Dresden, came to this country with his wife and his son, Victor, who is a traveling salesman in Germany for the Standard Oil Company. Wednesday night members of the Saengerbund, of which Mr. Pfeiffer is an honorary member, called on him at his home. In addition to the son, Max, Mr. and Mrs. Pfeiffer have two other children. They are Paul Pfeiffer and Mrs. Martha Petsch, both of this city.

Nov 24 Riley-Taylor. 1909

Miss May Elizabeth Taylor, daughter of the late Charles and Elizabeth Taylor of Bloomfield, and Milton Dransfield Riley of Boston, were married Wednesday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at No. 262 Sargeant street. Rev. R. S. Eldridge officiated. Only relatives and friends were present. The bride wore a blue traveling dress. Following a wedding trip to Boston and vicinity Mr. and Mrs. Riley will live at No. 262 Sargeant street.

Mr. Riley is the Connecticut representative of the Nernst Lamp Company of Pittsburg, Pa.

Nov 24 Seidler-Risk. 1909

Captain Frederick A. Seidler, son of the late George N. Seidler and of Mrs. Hattie M. Seidler of No. 18 Bellevue street, and Miss

NOVEMBER, 12, 1909



STATE OF CONNECTICUT.

By His Excellency,

FRANK B. WEEKS,
Governor.

A Proclamation.

Following a custom of our forefathers who at the end of the harvest gave thanks to Almighty God for the blessings of the year, I hereby appoint Thursday, the twenty-fifth day of November, as a day of Thanksgiving.

And I recommend its observance in the homes and in the places of worship, by returning thanks for the material peace and prosperity of our commonwealth, and especially for the continuance of our free institutions and the splendid heritage of liberty.

Given under my hand and seal of the State, this twelfth day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and nine, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and thirty-fourth.

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FRANK B. WEEKS.

By His Excellency's Command:
MATTHEW H. ROGERS,
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 especially for the restoration of our
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 Given under my hand and seal of
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 FRANK B. WEEKS
 Governor.

TAFT PROCLAIMS THANKSGIVING DAY.

Thursday, November 25, Formally
 Named by President.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Thursday,
 November 25 was officially proclaimed
 today by President Taft as Thanksgiv-
 ing day. The following is the text of
 the proclamation:—

By the President of the United
 States of America.

A Proclamation.

The season of the year has returned
 when, in accordance with the reverent
 custom established by our forefathers,
 the people of the United States are

FIRST THANKSGIVING SERMON.

The first Thanksgiving sermon on
 record was preached by Cotton Mather
 in the Old North Church of Boston,
 Dec. 19, 1689. It is dedicated to Sir
 Henry Ashurst, and printed in Boston
 in 1690. Cotton Mather had some fine
 traits of character, but his bigotry and
 prejudices, connected with his narrow
 theological views have made him a
 standing mark for criticism on these
 lines. His attitude towards witchcraft
 and his persecution of Quakers have
 gone into history, showing him up as
 the great bigot of the 17th and 18th
 centuries. This first Thanksgiving ser-
 mon follows:

Praises

Bespoke for the God of Heaven in a
 Thanksgiving Sermon

BY COTTON MATHER.

It is written in Isaiah xii, 5. *Sing unto
 the Lord, for he hath done Excellent
 Things; this is known in all the earth.*

Our Blessed Savior, being about to
 preach upon a Text fetcht out of that
 very Book from whence we have now
 taken ours, began His Holy Sermon
 with saying: *This Day is this Scripture
 fulfilled in your Ears.* It is by an un-
 happy Encounter of God's Mercies and
 your Desires that upon the Reading of
 the Text now before us I may, in like
 manner, close the book and say, This
 Day is this Text fulfilled amongst us.
 Truly 'tis known abroad that our God
 has done excellent things: and for this
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 Solemn THANKSGIVINGS endeavor-
 ing to sing unto the Lord. Behold a
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 vided for you! May our fuller con-
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 the shapes of this Heavenly Mould
 upon us.

In the World to be now Handled, we
 have two Things.

First, The Doings of God are here
 mentioned. It is said, *He hath done ex-
 cellent Things: or as the Original im-
 ports, Great Things and High Things:*
 or it may likewise be rendered *Magnifi-
 cent and Illustrious Things.*

Secondly, the Duties of men are then
 specified hereupon. Since excellent
 Things are done by God, there are two
 things to be done by us.

First, We are to sing the Praises of
 God. It is here said, *Sing unto the
 Lord.* And such is the expression in the
 Holy style as to signify not only an
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 in praising of the Great God for what
 He is and He does, and in pondering
 on *What they shall do for God.* And
 I'll assure you such persons ripen for
 Heaven apace; yea, they live in Heaven
 upon Earth.

But as for *Dayes of Thanksgiving* ob-
 served in the Assemblies of good men,
 all men have seen the wonderful suc-
 cesses of them. *New England's Pros-
 perity* has more visibly followed upon
 its *Thanksgivings* than upon its *Humil-
 iations*, as in times both of *War* and of
Sickness, has been more than once per-
 ceived. We have seen the fulfilment of
 that Word in II Chronicles, 20:22.

When they began to sing and to
 praise, the Lord set ambushments
 against their Enemies. Praises, thou-
 sands of high praises to be to our God
 that we may have a Day to celebrate
 His praises. But that our praises may
 be awakened, and that no man may
 make a Jar in our Harmony.

Consider how Reasonable these
 praises are for us all.



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LYMAN J. GAGE HAS MADE HIS FIANCEE THEOSOPHIST

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GAGE WEDS AGAIN.

Tingley Ex-Secretary Is 73 and His Bride
San Diego, Cal., Nov. 25.—Lyman J. Gage, former secretary of the treasury, was married today to Miss A. Ballou. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Ballou, in Coronado, Cal. The only witnesses were the parents of the bride, Miss Helene Richards and Colonel Wesley Brainerd, U. S. A., retired, a brother-in-law of Mr. Gage.

"Is it true?" Mr. and Mrs. Gage left tonight for Denver and later will visit cities far to the east. The bride gave her age as 35 and Mr. Gage gave his age as 73.

"Yes; we are to be married on Thanksgiving Day," answered Mrs. Ballou, who is young enough to be Mr. Gage's daughter. He is 73.

"But I do not think Mr. Gage wished it to be known before the ceremony," Mrs. Ballou continued vivaciously. "Have you seen our new home at Point Loma? Isn't it splendid? No, we shall take no honeymoon trip, but shall just settle down at our new home as soon as we are married."

"Mr. Gage has made a theosophist of me. I knew nothing about it until he began to explain it to me. Now I am a firm believer in the truth of the teachings of Mrs. Tingley, and I shall become a member of the association."

Mr. Gage Very Happy.

"I am sorry that the secret of my engagement to Mrs. Ballou leaked out, but of course there is no use in crying over spilt milk. As the secret is out, it's all right," said Mr. Gage himself. "The date of the wedding has not yet been definitely settled, but will probably be within a month. After we return from our trip we will live at Point Loma, across the bay where our new home is being rapidly finished. The view of the harbor and the city from our place is lovely."

"Are you going to Europe?"

"No, indeed," replied Mr. Gage, "this country is good enough for me."

Mr. Gage is very happy and is receiving congratulations from all over the country. Mrs. Ballou is tall and stately, with pale blue eyes, white skin and a mass of glowing red hair. She sings and plays the piano well, and has the reputation of being one of the most fascinating women in the city.

The announcement of the engagement was given out to local newspapers by a strange woman whose identity cannot be discovered.

The new house cost at least \$25,000.

Mrs. Ballou is a daughter of George H. Ballou, a prominent merchant of San Diego, who admitted to-day that his daughter was to marry Mr. Gage. Mrs. Ballou's friends say that several years ago she married a Pittsburg man, who was a winter visitor here. The courtship was brief, but romantic. She told her friends that he proposed while they were on a sailboat becalmed in the bay at night. He died soon after the wedding and the widow returned here from Pittsburg, where they had gone to live. She resumed her maiden name.

Divorced Mr. Crane.

A dispatch to the World from San Diego on Saturday stated that Mrs. Ballou married a Mr. Crane of Pittsburg about six years ago. She divorced him after a short time. Three San Diego, Cal., November 26.—Ex-Secretary of the Treasury Lyman J. Gage and Mrs. Frances Ada Ballou, who is about thirty-seven years his junior, were married at 8 o'clock last night at the home of the bride's parents on Coronado Island.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Willard B. Thorpe of the First Congregational church in this city. The bride wore a traveling suit of gray, particularly attractive in combination with her gorgeous mass of hair. The knot was tied in a great bay window which was shut off from public view by a thick curtain of green, sprinkled with roses and carnations. Only a few guests attended.

Among those present were Miss Helene Richards, a well known singer, and Colonel Wesley Brainerd, Mr. Gage's brother-in-law.

After the wedding supper Mr. and Mrs. Gage left for the east with the intention of going by way of Denver and Chicago to New York and Washington. They went from the house to the midnight train in an automobile.

To Live at Point Loma.

Many splendid gifts have been received and scores of congratulatory telegrams have reached ex-Secretary Gage from all over the country. Mr. and Mrs. Gage expect to return here about January 1 and will live in the big house which is now being completed at Point Loma. Mrs. Ballou, the bride, was well known, especially as a singer.

She is an accomplished equestrienne and owns a Kentucky thoroughbred named Pastel famous all over southern California. Her father has been a coffee, tea and spice merchant in this city for years. As a girl she was on the stage a short time, leaving it to become the bride of R. L. Crane. After her divorce she returned home and took up the teaching of music. Her closest friends say they do not know how she happened to meet Mr. Gage or when the affection between them sprang up. The engagement, which was announced two weeks ago, came as a great surprise to all her acquaintances here.

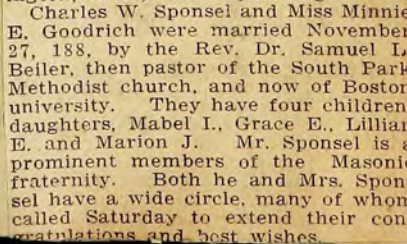
Ex-Secretary Gage, although 73 years old, is still very vigorous, and is taking an active part in the preparations for San Diego's exposition in 1915, to mark the opening of the Panama canal. He said the other day he expected to be in New York for several days, in the course of the honeymoon, but declined to say what friends would be his hosts. It is reported, however, that Mr. Gage will visit high government officials while he is in New York.

Mrs. Ballou is a daughter of George A. Ballou, a prominent merchant of San Diego. She was married to Robert Lupton Crane in 1902, but divorced two years later. She entered the "Floradora" chorus, but later returned to California, and resumed her maiden name, by which she has been known since. About three years ago a capitalist from Kansas City named Moore spent the summer in California, and soon after announced his engagement to Mrs. Ballou. He returned to his home to prepare for the wedding, and died before his bride-to-be could reach him. Mrs. Ballou contested his will, but failed to get a portion of the large estate.

Mr. Ballou, a prominent San Diego business man, returned two years last fall from the "Florida" colony, in California, in a motor car, which was the first automobile seen by the people of the town. Mr. Ballou spent the summer in the colony, and was very much interested in the colony, and was very much interested in the colony, and was very much interested in the colony.

Thanksgiving day was one of especial significance in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Haines, who within the past three weeks moved after a long residence in this city to live with their son, Daniel T. Haines, in Portland. The day marked the sixtieth anniversary of their marriage. Surrounded by their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Haines thoroughly enjoyed the day. At the dinner table, Mr. and Mrs. Haines presided, and the dinner was largely of the character of a wedding feast. The union of Mr. and Mrs. Haines has been blessed with four children, three of whom are living. The eldest, Daniel Taylor Haines, of the Middlesex Banking Company; Charles W., who graduated from Yale in 1880, and is a lawyer in Colorado Springs; Hattie A., who died in 1860, and Frank D. Haines, the youngest of the family, a leading member of the Middlesex county bar and who has served as city attorney, judge of the city court, and is at present state's attorney for Middlesex county. Although having having passed his 84th year Mr. Haines is still active and takes as keen an interest in the affairs of the day

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96 YEARS OLD TO-DAY.

Mrs. Ruth Case Williams in Good
Health at Home on Oak Street.

To the Editor of The Times: *1910*
Mrs. Ruth (Case) Williams, in whom
I take a special interest because we
are natives of the same town, Canton,
to-day celebrated her ninety-sixth
birthday at No. 48 Oak street, in this
city, where she continues to reside in
the family of her niece, Mrs. Henry
P. Smith. Three other Hartford la-
dies of about the same age are still
living, the four in the order of their



MRS. RUTH CASE WILLIAMS,

Who Observes Ninety-sixth Anniver
sary of Birth, To-Day.

ages being, Miss Emma Bunce, born
October 27, 1814; Mrs. Williams, born
November 30, 1814; Miss Abigail D
Wright residing just over the line in

Wethersfield, born November 11, 1815
and Miss Mary Ann Smith, born Jan-
uary 22, 1816. They are in quite
a good health and vigor, except that
Miss Smith is confined to her home be-
cause of lameness.

Mrs. Williams seems pleased by my
suggestion that she is likely to reach
the century mark. And it is not an
extravagant prediction to guess that
all of the first three named may at-
tain that age.

Hartford continues to be honored
by the prolonged lives of three resi-
dent gentlemen, Henry A. Stillman,
born March 2, 1815; Giles Mande-
ville, born May 12, 1815, and Charles
A. Chapin, born May 13, 1817. In

my letter to you a year ago I spoke of
Dr. Gurdon W. Russell being one of
the group of venerable persons, his
birth occurring April 10, 1815. He
has since died.

Hartford, November 30, 1910.

MRS. RUTH CASE WILLIAMS

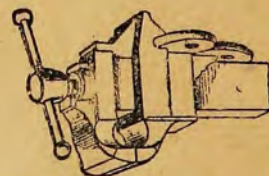
WILL BE 95 ON TUESDAY.

Nov 30 — 1909
Reminiscences Recalled by the Long

Life of One of Hartford's Old-
est Residents.

To the Editor of The Times:

Mrs. Ruth (Case) Williams will cel-
brate her 95th birthday to-morrow,
Tuesday, she having been born No-
vember 30, 1814. My special interest
her is due to the fact that we are
tives of the same town, Canton. I
d the pleasure of calling attention
her 93d birthday anniversary by
ite a minute sketch of herself and
r family that then appeared in the
lums of your paper and a little
ter in a book of reminiscences. On
at occasion she received many call-
s, among whom were our honored
low-townsmen, Henry K. Morgan,
en in his 89th year; a few clergy-
en, and other prominent and kind-
arted people. On her 94th birth-
y she was similarly honored by call-
s, among whom was the venerable
enry A. Stillman. Those visits great-
delighted her, and I am authorized
say that she will be pleased to see
sitors at any time to-morrow. She
ntinues to reside at No. 48 Oak
reet, this city, in the families of her
ieces, Mrs. Henry P. Smith and Mrs.
William R. Reid, and is in good health,
hough confined to her home. I hope
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morrow by receiving congratulations
rom many kind friends. We, who can
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Chester, November 26.—Thanksgiving day marked the sixtieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Lee Chappell of Chester. Mr. and Mrs. Chappell were married November 29, 1849, by the Rev. Mr. Cushman of Deep River, the ceremony being performed at what is known as the Joseph Augur homestead, which is one of the oldest houses now standing in Chester. Mr. Chappell was born in East Lyme, September 23, 1825, and was one of a family of nine children born to Enoch and Lucy Chappell. Of this family Mr. Chappell and a sister, Mrs. Abbie Clarke of Hartford, are the only surviving members. Mrs. Chappell was born in Essex, May 14, 1831, and is the oldest of eight children of Timothy and Nancy Sanders Pratt. Mr. and Mrs. Chappell have spent nearly all their lives in Chester. At the age of 18 Mr. Chappell entered the employ of Joshua L'Hommedieu to learn the ship auger trade, remaining with this firm for eighteen years. He was then employed for two years by Clark & Wilson of Yalesville in the manufacture of ship augers, after this serving as station agent at Chester for three years. He was employed by the Russell Jennings Manufacturing company for twenty-eight years, retiring from active business at the age of 70. Five children have been born to Mr. and Mrs. Chappell: Imogene, who died in infancy; Luella Elizabeth, wife of E. L. Pratt of Hartford; Frederick Gilbert of New York, Burton Lee of Hartford and the Rev. George Clark of Montville. During these years Mr. and Mrs. Chappell have led a quiet life, gaining the respect and esteem of the entire community. Thanksgiving day the children all gathered at the old homestead in Chester for a family reunion.

Invitations have been received in Springfield and vicinity to the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Champion of Seymour, Ind., on Monday. Mr. Champion was born in Springfield, in 1834, on Bridge street, when it was a residential street. Left an orphan, he removed to Indiana when he was a young man, and he has been a successful business man with a large family of children. His father, Elias Champion, Sr., married Esther Strong of Northampton, a relative of Gov. Stone. They are buried in the Springfield cemetery. His great-grandfather was Dr. Reuben Champion, who was a surgeon in the continental army until he was attacked by fever while on duty at Fort Ticonderoga, which caused his death. A stone is erected to his memory in the Park-street cemetery in West Springfield.

FARLEY-BEERS—At Paris, November 30th, 1909, Frank Cheney Farley to Eloise Gately Beers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Samuel Johnson.

Frank Cheney Farley of South Manchester and Miss Eloise Gately Beers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Samuel Johnson, were married at Paris, France, November 30. Mr. Farley is the son of Mrs. Catherine Farley, daughter of the late Colonel Frank W. Cheney of South Manchester.

Frank Cheney Farley, whose marriage was mentioned in the personal column of this paper yesterday, is a grandson not of Colonel Frank W. Cheney, as the paper then had it, but of the late Frank Cheney, sr., who was the father of Mrs. Farley and of Frank Cheney, jr., the present president of the Cheney Brothers.

Nov Simons-Saunders. 30, 1909
William Hiram Simons and Miss Eliza Mildred Saunders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Saunders of No. 218 Franklin avenue, were married last evening at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents by Rev. Rodney W. Roundy, pastor of the Wethersfield Avenue Congregational Church. The house was decorated in a color scheme of green and white. The ceremony was performed before a bank of palms, ferns and pink carnations. The bride, with her bridesmaid, flower girls and ring bearer, entered the room from the stairway which was decorated with smilax. At the foot of the stairs the bride was met by her father, who escorted her to the parlor, where the bridegroom



SAMUEL G. HUNTINGTON.

Worshipful Master.

were the recipients of many handsome presents, including, besides sil-

LAFAYETTE LODGE

ELECTS NEW OFFICERS.
Dec 14 1909
Samuel G. Huntington Chosen Worshipful Master.

At the annual meeting of Lafayette Lodge No. 100, A. F. and A. M., held last evening in Masonic Temple, Samuel G. Huntington was elected worshipful master to succeed Arthur O. Turner. On behalf of the lodge Frank Harrington presented to Retiring Worshipful Master Turner a jewel. The Samuel G. Huntington was raised in Lafayette Lodge, on October 11, 1904. He was appointed senior steward in the following December. In 1905 he was appointed junior deacon and in 1906 senior deacon. He was elected junior warden in 1907, and in 1908 senior warden. He has advanced in Masonry to Pythagoras Chapter, No. 17, R. A. M. Born in Norwich September 4, 1868, Mr. Huntington came to Hartford in 1883. He entered the employ of the Connecticut General Life Insurance Company in 1886 and has since been with this company, holding at the present time the position of head clerk in the investment department. He is a member of Charles L. Burdett Camp, United Spanish War Veterans, having served in Company K, First Infantry, Connecticut Volunteers, as first sergeant.

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Prior for five years in Boston. In 1903
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Heywood H. Whaples.

A son, Goodwin Newton Roberts,
was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold M.
Roberts of Memphis, Tenn., last night.
Mr. Roberts was formerly of Hartford
and was employed by the Jewell Belt-
ing Company. He is now its agent at
Memphis.

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Church yesterday at 12:30
by Rev. James Goodwin. The
room was attended by A. G.
n of this city. The bride was
nded. The wedding was small,
near relatives and a few friends
ing present. Following the cere-
ny Mr. and Mrs. Roberts left for
w York. They will return to Hart-
d for the holidays and will then go
Memphis, where Mr. Roberts is in
business with Towne & Co. Mr. Rob-
s was formerly connected with the
Jewell Belting Company of this city.

WHAPLES—ROBERTS — On Tuesday,
November 30, at the Center Church,
by Rev. Rockwell Harmon Potter,
D. D., pastor of the church, assisted
by Rev. George Roberts, jr., of Sara-
nac Lake, N. Y., Constance, daughter
of George Roberts, to Heywood
Hotchkiss Whaples.

Hartford Couple Married in the Center Church Yesterday.

The wedding of Miss Constance
Roberts and Heywood Hotchkiss
Whaples of this city took place at the
Center Church yesterday afternoon.
John Spencer Camp presided at the
organ and at 4 o'clock, on the arrival
of the bridal party, played the
"Lohengrin" wedding march.

The ceremony was performed by
Rev. Dr. Rockwell Harmon Potter,
pastor of the church, assisted by Rev.
George Roberts, jr., of Saranac Lake,
N. Y., a brother of the bride. The
ushers, who led the procession, were
Charles A. Goodwin, F. Spencer Good-
win, Richard H. Cole, Ernest W.
Smith, F. Goodwin Smith, James Les-
ter Goodwin, Walter Roberts and
Phillip Roberts, all of this city, and
Thomas Cheney of South Manchester.
They were followed by the brides-
maids, who were Miss Helen Roberts
and Miss Louise Roberts, Miss May
Whaples and Miss Elsa St. John.
These wore gowns of white chiffon
with wreaths of ivy leaves and white
rosebuds. They carried American
Beauty roses.

The maid of honor, Miss Mary Rob-
erts, wore a dress of white crepe de
chine and a wreath of ivy leaves. She
carried maidenhair ferns. The bride
entered the church leaning on the arm
of her father and was met at the
pulpit platform by the bridegroom,
who was attended by Thomas W. Rus-
sell. She wore a gown of heavy
white satin, the bodice trimmed with
Venetian rose point lace. Her bou-
quet was a shower of lilies of the val-
ley.

After the ceremony a reception for
relatives and intimate friends was
held at the home of the bride's par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts,
No. 63 Washington street.

Mr. and Mrs. Heywood Whaples of
Hartford are to occupy the house owned
by Julius Gay on Charpentier avenue
about the middle of this month.

PASTORATES IN SIMSBURY; ONE FIFTY YEARS LONG.

A Distinguished Ancestor of Former
Governor McLean Served Half
a Century.

Clergymen in the Congregational de-
nomination in this section of the state,
who have held fifty year pastorates,
include the Rev. Dr. Allan McLean of
the church in Simsbury, who was or-
dained and settled, August 16, 1809,
and died in that field of work, March
19, 1861, after twelve years of total
blindness. He was 80 years old at the
time of his death. Dr. McLean was
the grandfather of Governor George
P. McLean, Professor John B. McLean
and Sally Pratt McLean Greene, the
author of "Cape Cod Folks," and one
of the ablest divines of his day and
generation in Connecticut.

The Simsbury Church.

The church in Simsbury, of which
he was for so long a period the revered
pastor, was founded November 10,
1697. On that date Dudley Woodbridge
was ordained and settled as the first
minister of the church. He was suc-
ceeded by his cousin, the Rev. Timothy
Woodbridge, who was ordained and
settled November 13, 1712. The pres-
ent place of worship was dedicated

WHAPLES—In Farmington, Conn., on
April 25, 1912, a daughter, to Mr. and
Mrs. Heywood H. Whaples.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 29, 1913.

December, 1830, during the pastorate of Dr. McLean. The old meeting house which preceded it had stood upwards of ninety years. The church building is valued at \$20,000, and the parsonage is placed at \$8,000. The fund of the church is \$16,000. On the first of January, 1909, there were 212 members, 78 males and 134 females. In 1883 the sum of \$2,500 was spent in repairing the church edifice. In 1908 additions made to the chapel cost \$870.

Stormy Pastorates.

The Rev. Timothy Woodbridge died in August, 1732, and it was not until 1744 that a new pastor was installed. This was the Rev. Gideon Mills, who was settled in September of that year. The pastorate of Mr. Mills lasted ten years. His successor was the Rev. Benajah Root, who was installed August 10, 1757. He was 15 years in the pastorate, completing his service in 1772. These pastorates had been stormy, pew and pulpit disagreeing, working at sixes and sevens.

Liked His Toddy.

The Rev. Samuel Stebbins, who graduated at Dartmouth in 1775, was installed as pastor of the church, December 10, 1777. He was dismissed at his own request, November 3, 1806. Intemperance was one of the chief evils in the community and Mr. Stebbins fell in with the general tendencies of the time. He was addicted to the vice himself, and fully admitted the use of liquor at funerals and raisings. After his dismissal from the pastorate he acted as chaplain of the old Newgate prison in Granby. Mr. Stebbins died in Simsbury, January 20, 1821.

Intoxicants at Funerals.

A new era in the church was begun with the pastorate of Mr. McLean in 1809. The work of intemperance in the town was opposed by the new minister and the use of intoxicants at funerals was exterminated. Politics had been preached from the pulpit prior to the installation of Mr. McLean. But no charge of preaching politics could be made against him during the fifty years of his pulpit ministrations.

Sketch of Dr. McLean.

The Rev. Dr. Allan McLean was a son of Alexander and Joanna Smith-McLean. He was born in Vernon, June 20, 1781. He fitted for college under the Rev. Dr. Charles Backus of Somers and graduated from Yale in the class of 1805. He was a classmate of Thomas Hopkins Gallaudet and of Gardiner Spring. Dr. McLean studied divinity under Rev. Dr. Timothy Dwight and the Rev. Asahel Hooker of Goshen. He was licensed by the Litchfield North association, September 29, 1809, six weeks after his ordination and settlement in Simsbury. He married Sally Pratt of East Hartford January 21, 1810. She died October 27, 1831. The second wife of Dr. McLean was Nancy Morgan of Plainfield, whom he married June 28, 1833. She died September 22, 1860. There were six children by the first wife, including Dudley B. and Lloyd McLean.

Members and Families in the Church.

At the time of Dr. McLean's death in 1861 the well known members and families in the church were Peter Stockwell, Richard Bacon, Owen Pettibone, Seymour Pettibone, Moses Ensign, Deacon Amaziah Case, Mr. and Mrs. Zopher S. John, Job Case, Aurora Case, Deacon and Mrs. Jury Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Eno, Mr. and Mrs. Amos R. Eno, Mr. and

Mrs. Noah Hoskins, Mr. and Mrs. Declus Latimer, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund B. Holcomb, John J. Phelps, Deacon Thomas Case and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Drayton Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. Ebenezer Curtiss, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ensign, Mr. and Mrs. Lucius G. Goodrich, Mr. and Mrs. Watson Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin B. Goodwin and Everett Wilcox.

Dr. McLean's Successors.

The Rev. Samuel Thomas Richards was the successor of Dr. McLean in the Simsbury pastorate. He was a graduate of Yale, class of 1846. Governor Henry B. Harrison of New Haven, Congressman Stephen W. Kellogg and the Rev. Dr. Samuel G. Willard were his classmates. The Rev. Oliver Starr Taylor succeeded Mr. Richards. He was also a graduate of Yale, class of 1856. His classmates included David Josiah Brewer and Henry Billings Brown, judges of the United States supreme court, and the Rev. Dr. Edward Alfred Smith, father of Herbert Knox Smith. The pastors and stated supplies after Mr. Taylor's pastorate were the Rev. N. A. Prince, the Rev. J. L. Tomlinson, the Rev. William Dwight McFarland, Horace Winslow of Weatogue, who was chaplain of the Fifth Connecticut, and the Rev. A. S. Clark.

William Dwight McFarland was ordained in Hartford, June 17, 1878, while he was engaged in pastoral work in Simsbury. He was a member of the old Pearl street church. He was a native of Stockbridge, Mass., where he was born March 16, 1851. From Simsbury he went to Shelburne Falls, settling there September 28, 1880. He became pastor of the Granby South church in 1882.

Charles E. Stowe's Pastorate.

The Rev. Charles E. Stowe, who became pastor of the Windsor Avenues Congregational church, January 16, 1883, was installed in the church at Simsbury, February 16, 1891. He was the son of Professor Calvin E. and Harriet Beecher Stowe. He had studied for orders in the Protestant Episcopal church, but was received by the Asylum Hill Congregational church in December, 1873. During the first year of Mr. Stowe's ministry in Simsbury the Rev. John E. Merrill was adopted by the church for a missionary pastor.

Mr. Stowe was succeeded by the Rev. Oliver H. Bronson, December 1, 1899, who occupied the pastorate until July 1, 1907. On the first of October in that year the Rev. Clayton J. Potter, brother of the Rev. Dr. Rockwell Harmon Potter of the Center church, was settled as pastor. His work has been effective and his pulpit ministrations have shown a high order of merit. On different occasions he has preached at the Center church, making a satisfactory impression in the pulpit of Dr. Potter.

Church and Civil War.

The death of Dr. Allan McLean occurred less than a month before the outbreak of the Civil war. But he had long foreseen the probabilities of that conflict. The "impending crisis" had been the subject of his thought for years. The war found his church and people ready to respond to the call of the Union for men and resources.

The men in the Sixteenth Connecticut alone, who had been brought up within the sphere of Dr. McLean's preaching and work, included Lieutenant Alonzo J. Case, Color Sergeant Francis Latimer, Sergeant Gavett B. Holcomb, James McLean, jr., Lieutenant Ariel J. Case, Abraham Cope and John E. Case, Lieutenant Alonzo

geant Latimer, and Abraham Cope were captured with the Sixteenth at Plymouth, N. C., in April, 1864. While Lieutenant Case was in prison Stephen Goodrich, the brother of County Commissioner Lucius G. Goodrich of Dr. McLean's church, sent him drafts through the rebel authorities, which enabled him to procure the necessities of life during imprisonment. After returning home Lieutenant Case was anxious to reimburse Mr. Goodrich. But that noble representative of the old town of Simsbury refused to receive back a dollar of the money which he had sent to the friend and companion of his boyhood. At the time of his death a few years ago Lieutenant Case was a deacon in the church where he had taken

John—In this city, a daughter, Gray, Alton, born at the Hartford hospital, May 11, 1915, to Mr. and Mrs. C. De Lancey Alton, Jr., of 184 Sigourney street.

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1885 and was a member of the senate in 1886. He held the United States attorneyship from 1892 until 1896 and became governor of the state in 1901.

Two Hundredth Anniversary.

During the pastorate of Mr. Stowe the two hundredth anniversary of the founding of the church in Simsbury was observed, the event occurring, November 10, 1897. As a loyal son of Simsbury, Mayor Miles B. Prston made one of the speeches avowing his devotion to the old town and



C. D. ALTON, JR.
Charles DeL. Alton, Jr. 1914

Charles DeLancey Alton, Jr., candi date for first councilman, was born in this city February 26, 1881, a son of Dr. and Mrs. Charles DeLancey Alton. He has lived for twenty-five years in the Ninth Ward and is credit and office manager of the J. B. Williams Com many of Glastonbury, and secretary of the Hartford Association of Credit Men, of which he was one of the or ganizers. He has always been inter acted in local politics and is an active ating the boar worker in the ward. He is a member clerk of the of Trinity Church, of the Hartford 1891. He wa Golf Club and of the Automobile Club mission on rev of Hartford.

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ALTON-CUTLER 1909

Wedding at Center Church Followed By Reception at House.

Miss Ruth Holman Cutler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Cutler, and Charles Delancey Alton, Jr., were married at 8 o'clock last evening at the Center Church by Rev. Dr. Rockwell Harmon Potter, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev. Ernest deF. Miel, rector of Trinity Church.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Joseph Hooker Woodward of Brooklyn, N. Y., the maid of honor was Miss Marion Deering of Chicago, and the bridesmaids were Miss Carolan Alton, Miss Brainard, Miss Elinor Collins, Miss Sarah Dunham, Miss Glazier, Miss Howe and Miss Williams of this city, Miss Parke of Scranton, Pa., Miss Plummer of Elmira, N. Y., and Miss Stark of Saginaw, Mich.

Ralph D. Cutler was the best man and the ushers were Morgan G. Bulkley, Jr., Howard Goodwin, James Lester Goodwin, J. Elliott Hewes, Mitchell S. Little and Thomas W. Russell of this city, William D. Hart of Stamford and Robert O. Hayward, F. G. Sherrill, H. B. Stimson and C. S. Truitt of New York. The ceremony was followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents, No. 101 Washington street.

Company K, First Regiment, C. N. G., of which the bridegroom is a member, attended the ceremony at the church in a body and in uniform.

Jameson-Merrill. 1909

Miss Grace Adelaide Merrill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Merrill, and Harold H. Jameson of Springfield, Mass., formerly of this city, were married last evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride, No. 738 Park street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. E. Ames, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist Church, and took place beneath an arch of smilax and palms in the front parlor. The room was prettily decorated for the occasion, the color scheme being pink and white.

The bride was attended by Miss Ruth Chapman as bridesmaid, and the bridegroom by Irwin Watkins of Providence, R. I., as best man. The ribbon-bearers were the Misses Elsie and Marian Whelen, Mildred and Leontine Turner, Laura Merrill, a sister of the bride, and Marian Ames. The wedding march from "Lohengrin" was played by Miss Ruth Turner, a cousin of the bride. The bride wore a white French lawn, trimmed with lace, and carried bride roses. Following the ceremony a wedding reception was held at which guests were present from Providence, Baltimore, Adams, Mass., Fitchburg, Mass., and New York. After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Jameson will live in South

Coming Out Tea for Miss Hawley.

Mrs. Joseph R. Hawley gave yesterday afternoon from 4 to 7 o'clock a coming out tea for her daughter, Miss E. J. Roswell Hawley, at her home, No. 147 Sigourney street, and will repeat it today at the same hours. Those who assisted yesterday were Mrs. H. K. W. Welch, Mrs. Charles W. Burpee, Mrs. Charles Dudley Warner, Miss Jeanette Stone, Miss Jeanette Hamersley, Miss Dorothy Pettibone of New Rochelle, N. Y., Miss Katherine Parker, Miss Harriet Goodwin and Miss Plimpton. Those who assisted yesterday were Mrs. Arthur Bradley, Miss Bulkeley, Mrs. J. H. Buck, Miss Rankin of Wellesley Hills, Mass., Miss Helen Lyman, Miss Hilda Keller, Miss Ruth Collins, Miss Sally Dunham and Miss Marjorie Howe.

Mr. Alton became

A son, Rodney Dennis Alton, was born yesterday morning at the Charter Oak Hospital to Alderman C. DeLancey Alton and Mrs. Alton of No. 104 Niles street.

JULY 11, 1921.

Dec 2 & 8, 1909

AN ANCIENT LAND-MARK

Interest in Old Chase House Revived

By Its Partial Demolition

HAS STOOD FOR CENTURY AND HALF

Parts of It, at Least, Known to Date Back That Far—Formerly Was Known as the Blake House, Being Situated on What Was Then Called Blake's Hill—Interesting Facts Relative to Its History and Its Connections There That of a Novel.

One of the oldest cities, the Chase house, Fort Pleasant at tially torn down moving. Jonathan large tract of land and Fort Pleasant the house had stood century, about 1 Chase of Chicago Mrs. Jotham G. the property to ment company, a of the company to a lot in the apartment block. The house is in tion, having been

REV. DR. DENT'S

CLOSING

March

PASTOR'S FORT SOUTH PARK

No Criticism For During 5 Years

GOODBYS SAID

TO DR. E. A. DENT.

Purse and Quilt Given at South Park Church Reception.

The public farewell reception to Rev. Dr. Elmer A. Dent and family in the chapel of the South Park Methodist Church last night called forth a large number of parishioners as well as friends from outside of the church. The reception was in charge of the Ladies' Aid Society. Dr. Dent and Mrs. Dent were assisted in receiving by Mrs. A. C. Rose, president of the society, but the reception was a genuine Methodist sociability gathering and there was not much formality in the re-

stood where Bemis and Call's factory is now located.

Jonathan Blakes lived to be very old, and retained an active interest in business to the very last years of his life. He left several children, and one of the daughters married Charles J. Rice, one of the large land-owners at the South End. Another daughter married one of the wealthy Hopewells living near Boston.

One of the Blake girls occupied the old homestead after her father's death, and carried on the farm with great ability and enterprise.

has sometimes involved criticism, but never a word of criticism have I u. I am incapable you my gratitude; I with you. I could man who is to suc Fortunately I know us entered the New rence at the same ard worker, a good le pastor, ready and and unfailing. capable of receiving the same spirit in d me. I give myself ur religion for you e to you and I know here is no better onference than this great opportunities is the Sunday school the one at the corner avenue and White told that the ground

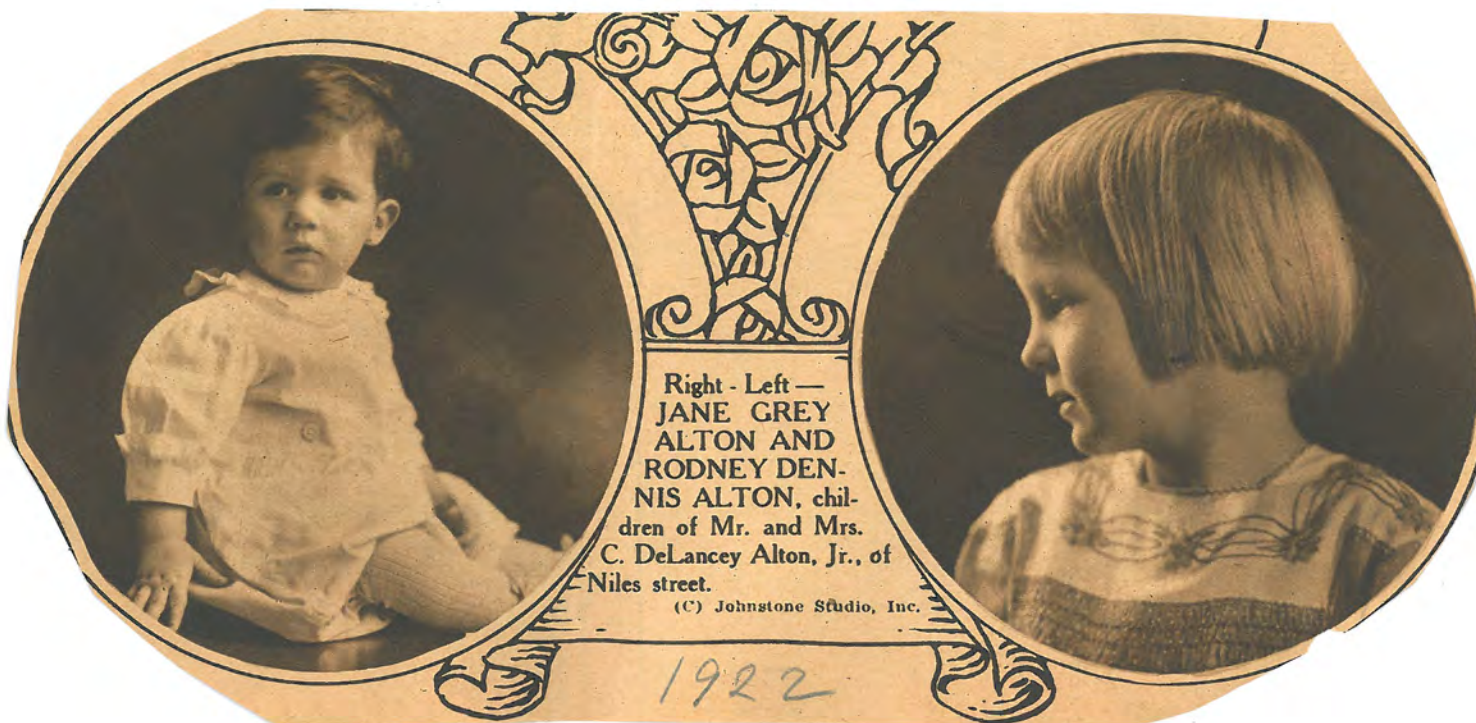
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THE OLD BLAKE HOUSE, LATER KNOWN AS THE CHASE HOUSE,

at Belmont and Fort Pleasant Avenues, Which is Being Partially Destroyed Preparatory to Its Removal to a Rear Lot.

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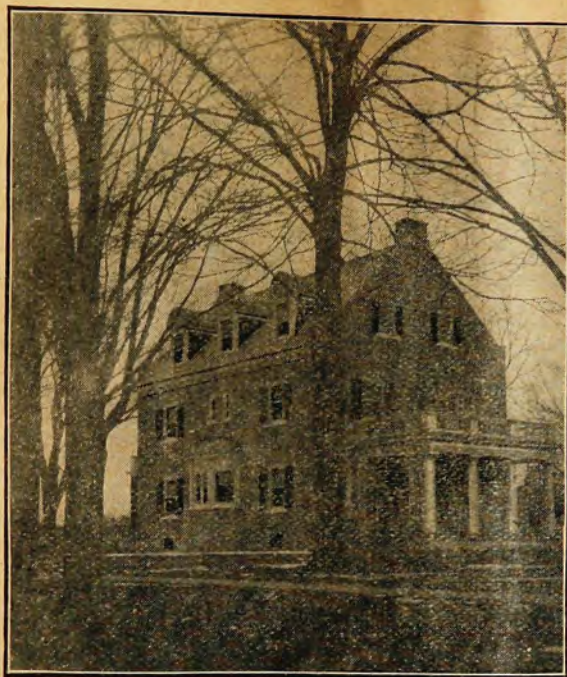


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C. DeLancey Alton, Jr., of
Niles street.

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Mayor-elect Frederick J. Rice, both of whom came to Hartford to hear Dr. Dent preach and to confer with him about going to New Haven. The membership is not so large as that of the Hartford church, and the Sunday-school is considerably smaller. The salary is \$2,500, against \$2,000 here. Dr. Dent will succeed the Rev.



NEW GEORGE R. ESTABROOK HOUSE ON LONGMEADOW STREET.

the Third Ecclesiastical Society in Hartford." It was presented to the church previous to Governor Pitkin's retirement from office. The cup is consequently at least 140 years old. Another was the gift of Colonel John Pitkin, one was given by Captain Russell Woodbridge, and another by Elisha Pitkin. These cups, like Governor Pitkin's, were presented to the Third Ecclesiastical Society in Hartford, and date from the same period. A fifth was given by Deacon Timothy Cowles. At that time East Hartford had not been set off by the Legislature as a separate town. This did not occur until 1783. The cups are of American make and are fine specimens of the silversmith's art. The remaining three cups are of a much later date. The history of the other pieces is not as well known, but they were the gifts of members of the society. The First Congregational Church celebrated its bicentennial in 1902.

Dec Memorial Gifts. 1909

Mrs. Mary D. Goodwin of Burnside has offered to contribute an individual communion service to the First Congregational Church in memory of her husband, the late Deacon George H. Goodwin. The service in use by the church, which was in the custody of James A. Whitney, was damaged in the fire which destroyed his block. It is hoped that part of this service can be restored, as it is about 125 years old and was the gift of members of the church. A gift of \$500 from the estate of the late Benjamin Wells has also been announced, which will be used in beautifying and refitting the interior of the church in accordance with the wish of the family.

FERNALD-ESTABROOK

Marriage of Prominent Springfield Man to London Woman Today in New York City.

George R. Estabrook, one of Springfield's best known business men, will be married today at noon at the church of the Transfiguration, New

York City. The wedding including immediate

Waldorf Astoria short trip will arrive next Monday and by the fine new meadow street, which built and furnished of his bride.

presents herewith the new home of the shows a dwelling of taste, and in her best traditions of its ornament.

long-time resident born in this country in literary and the English capital. on matters social the Boston Transcript to a large circle journal. She first at Jamaica, where

ill-Damon. 1909 Fothergill, assistant

uly 27 - 1915 daughter, Margery Fothergill, born yesterday morning to Mr. Mrs. J. Vincent Fothergill of No. Case street. Mrs. Fothergill, who formerly Miss Gertrude Damon, is soprano soloist at the Center

Holden was assistant secretary of the Orient Insurance Company and superintendent of the Lancashire Fire Insurance Company. He is practically blind.

Norris Edward Scoville, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Wilton Scoville of this city and Miss Sylvia Wealtha Wilson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burton L. Wilson of East Berkshire, Vt., were married in the Calvary Episcopal church of that place, December 15. The bridegroom was attended by Philip Gregory Bourne of this city. The maid of honor was Miss Celestia Gates of East Berkshire. The ring was carried by the little nephew of the groom, Curtis Scoville Noyes. The ushers were John Riley and Stephen Carpenter of East Berkshire. A reception following the ceremony was held at the Central house. There were guests present from St. Albans, Brattleboro, Canada, Newport and this city. Many beautiful gifts, including silver, cut glass and linen were received. The bride also received a large purse of money from friends. After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Scoville left for Montreal and Quebec. They will return to this city where they will make their home.

MANSFIELD WOMAN 99 YEARS OLD TODAY.

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WESSON-ATHERTON WEDDING

In Maple-Street Residence in This City—Miss Madeline B. Wesson the Bride of Henry F. Atherton of New York. Feb 8, 1913.

A wedding of exceptional interest to Springfield society was that Saturday of Miss Madeline Bicker Wesson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Herbert Wesson and granddaughter of the late Daniel B. Wesson, to Henry Francis Atherton, a lawyer of New York. The bride's family have long been prominent in the business and social affairs of the city, and the marriage was the most notable society event of the season. The ceremony took place at the beautiful home of the bride's parents on Maple street at 4 o'clock, about

80 f Springfield people will be particularly interested in the marriage of Miss Vera J. Wesson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Wesson of Maple street, to Capt Charles K. Rockwell of the United States army Tuesday at "Birchcroft," the Wessons' camp at Kineo, Me. The ceremony was performed by Rev Augustus P. Reccord, pastor of the church of the Unity of this city. It was the simplest of weddings, those present including only Mr and Mrs Wesson, their daughter, Mrs Henry Atherton, and her husband, and Mrs Reccord. Capt Rockwell, who is the son of Col James Rockwell, Jr., United States army, retired, well known here for some years as a captain at the armory, distinguished himself at West Point in various ways, winning a place in the engineer corps by scholarship, and achieving fame as a football player and later as a crack rider. Mr and Mrs Rockwell are to spend the month of October on Mrs Rockwell's farm in Hampden.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1914.

satin. The bridesmaids, who were Miss Mildred Stillman of New York, Miss Cora Prindiville of Chicago, Ill., and Miss Dorothy Bowles of this city, wore gowns of cliff over satin, each being of a different color, one pink, one green and one blue, and their hats were of brown straw with dainty flowers to match the color of their gowns. They carried arm bouquets of white lilacs with brown tulle bows, and the maid of honor carried the same flowers. The bride's gifts to her attendants were chain bracelets of gold with pearls and jewels of color to match their gowns. The groom was attended by Frederick Osborne of New York and the ushers included George Gilder, Stephen Nason, John T. Pratt and Alvin Baird, all of New York, and Roger Poor of Albany, N. Y. Several of these men were classmates of the groom at Harvard university.

The single-ring service was used for the ceremony, Rev A. P. Reccord officiating, and the bride was given away by her father. The Philharmonic orchestra played the "Lohengrin" music during the entrance of the bridal party, and later played again for the reception and for dancing above in the ballroom, where the many beautiful presents were displayed. Aitken did the decorating for the wedding, and Sheehan of Boston catered for the reception.

Mr and Mrs Atherton left on the early evening train for a wedding trip of about two weeks. They will make their

YOUNG WOMEN FARMERS 49

Misses Madeline And Vera Wesson To The Courant. 1911. e In Spring Wednesday, Dec. 20. of Mansfield, several Acres' Estate December 17, attained e Greatly An- nning of Their



ERA AND MADELINE WESSON IN HAMPDEN.

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to be astonished at some of the unique agricultural stunts that will be tried out when the trees begin to leave again.

"Rocky Dundee Farm," as their estate has a farm-house, which has recently been remodeled by the Wesson girls, and there is a commodious barn, which is capable of housing a large number of cattle and horses. When Mr. Wesson purchased the property for his daughters, there was an ancient grist-mill on "Rocky Dundee" brook. This has been torn down and thus an antique land-mark has been removed. The old mill had a history that stretched back into

MISS VERA WESSON BETROTHED.

Marriage Engagement to Edward Ayrault Robinson of Baltimore, Md., Announced.

Special Dispatch to The Republican. 1912 BALTIMORE, Md., Thursday, August 15.

The engagement has been announced of the mill was Miss Vera J. Wesson, daughter of Mr and Father Time Mrs Walter H. Wesson of Springfield, to defiling hand Edward Ayrault Robinson, son of Mrs old wheel, Robinson and the late Edward Ayrault reaked while its early Robinson. Miss Wesson is well known innd, as if to Baltimore, having frequently visited Mrs ngs over its William Keyser, Jr., at her home in the ed thick on Green Spring valley. Mr Robinson is one ance of an of the most popular young men in social d her sister circles. He belongs to one of the oldest ext summer families, and is a member of all of the d laughing- leading clubs. He is a brother of Dr T. at we really Canby Robinson, who is on the staff of the at branches Rockefeller hospital, New York, and at branches Champlin Robinson. The wedding willake up. Of take place in the fall. etables and au that sort of thing. I think it a splendid idea to stock the woods with game, but we have not yet decided to do so."

MRS. ROBERT ALLYN
GIVES TEA AND DANCE.
INTRODUCTION OF MISS AL-
LYN TO SOCIETY.

was held, from the floor to the top of the high oak wainscoting was banked with palms. Above that, making a border for the entire room, were chrysanthemums and poinsettias, the vivid red of the one making a striking contrast to the yellow and white chrysanthemums and the green smilax.



CORRIDOR LEADING TO THE BALL ROOM.

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REMEMBERED ON

THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Chidley of
Newington Surprised by Many
Friends Calling.

Newington, December 20.

About thirty friends and neighbors met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Batterson Saturday evening and then proceeded to the home of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Chidley, corner of Day street and Francis avenue, to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Chidley's marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Chidley were married in Hartford, December 19, 1859, the Rev. Ashur Moore, pastor of the Church of the Redeemer, officiating.

Mr. Chidley was born in Chicopee, Mass., and Mrs. Chidley was born in Bolton, and is a descendant of Mrs. Bailey of Revolutionary renown. Of four children born to them, two daughters are living, Miss Jennie E. Chidley, who lives at home, and Mrs. Henry S. Forbes, of Rochester, N. Y., who was unable to be present but sent a letter of regrets and congratulations and a \$25 check.

The gathering was a complete surprise. Mr. Chidley was sitting in the kitchen, holding the cat, which jumped ten feet when the bell rang. Following the presentation of a large bouquet of golden chrysanthemums, to which was attached a box containing gold coin, the Rev. Jared Starr made appropriate remarks, and the evening's program was carried out, which consisted of whist, vocal and instrumental music. Miss Lila Stoddard presided at the piano. A poem written by John G. Stoddard was read by Mr. Batterson. Many handsome gifts were received and refreshments were served. Following is the poem that was read:

THE GOLDEN DAY.

Full fifty years of travel o'er a smooth
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On a halfrey, trotting alone, without
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That's the way a bachelor ambles through
life,
Though thinking, sometimes, of home and
a wife.

But a sensible man looks out for a mate,
And a few small children to swing on the
gate,
He chuckles, and chuckles, and sings a
glad song;
And takes up some money while walking
along.

Yes, he walks, he works, and rides out
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When tired, or hot, finds a place that is
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When winter comes on, has a bin of good
And looks at the church spire to comfort
his soul.

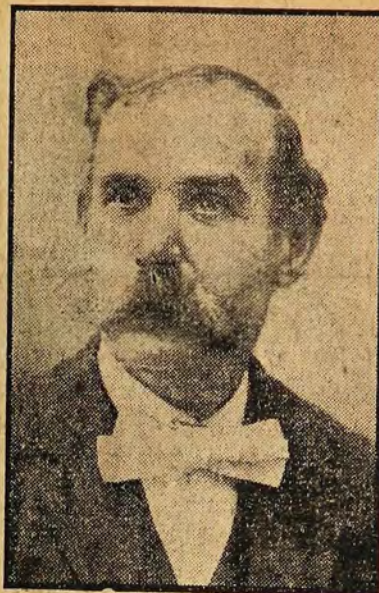
He lives thus in comfort, for full fifty
years;
E'en then, if not corpulent—so it ap-
pears—
Can start a ripple in the down-stream of
life.

All for the fact that he has a good wife.
Ah, yes; a good wife; had she been a
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This man would have died from both
hunger and cold.
Had he been a tyrant, unkind, stingy,
coarse,
She would cry, perhaps sigh, and apply
for divorce.

So we see how it comes—this golden
day—
These two travelers—both so young and
so gay—
Must have loved and had kindness, one
for the other,
To live fifty years as father and mother.

CONNECTIONS WITH FOUR PRESIDENTS

Splendid Ancestry of Dr. John P. Rus-
sell, Who Lives Very Quietly on
This City



GEORGE E. CHIDLEY.

with noted statesmen on whose di-
plomacy have swung the fate of the
country.

Although he takes a quiet enjoy-
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MRS. GEORGE E. CHIDLEY.

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To Become Wife of Next
Senator From First District

Nephew of Mrs. J. C. Seymour
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MISS DOROTHY ALLYN. —[Photo by Bachrach.

Engaged to Captain Clarence W. Seymour.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT
OF CAPTAIN SEYMOUR

Nephew of the Hon.
Senator-Elect to Marry Miss
Dorothy Allyn, Prominent
Socially.

Daniel Seymour Line

Mrs. Robert Allyn of Sycamore road has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Dorothy Allyn, to Captain Clarence W. Seymour



CAPTAIN CLARENCE W. SEYMOUR.

of this city. Miss Allyn has been prominent in Hartford society. Captain Seymour, who was recently elected to the state Senate from the First District, is a graduate of Yale University, class of 1907 and a member of Phi Beta Kappa, honorary society. He was also graduated from the Yale Law School and has had a practice in Hartford since leaving college. He served on the Mexican border with Troop B of the Connecticut National Guard in 1916, was commissioned a lieutenant at Plattsburg in 1917 and later promoted to the rank of captain. While at Camp Wheeler, he was appointed judge of the 8th Field Artillery. When he went

uncommon powers of intellect, and attainments. When Gen. Lafayette revisited the United States it was her privilege, as the governor's wife to receive and entertain him at her home. She accompanied her husband to Spain when he became envoy at the court of Madrid in the autumn of 1829. Their daughter, so much admired in Washington society the previous winter, transferred her triumphs to the most select of the court circle Madrid.

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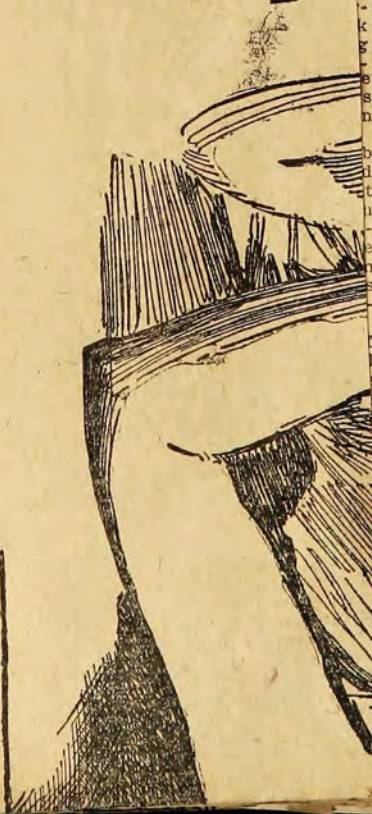
UNLUCKY DIAMOND.

Killing of Young McLean Draws Attention to Fact That Family Owns Gem With Sinister History.

The legend of evil fate following the possession of the Hope diamond has

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Richard Powers, father of Dr. Russell's mother was born July 17, 1777, in Kinderhook, Columbia county, N. Y., and for years was a prominent lawyer. He was at one time customs officer of the state of Vermont, and later was appointed American consul at St. John. Martin Van Buren and Richard Powers were playmates in their younger days, and always remained staunch friends. Richard Powers assisted in establishing the line between this country and the southern border of Canada while acting in his official capacity as American consul.

Dr. William Powers, a grandfather of Dr. Russell's mother, was United States senator from New York immediately after the Revolution. That was when the capitol was in New York city. His father, also named Dr. William Powers, was given a township by the Indians before the Revolution. Frances Powers, a cousin of Dr. Russell's mother, was the helpmate of Nelson Beardsley, the noted banker, who at one time was reputed to be the richest man in the country.

THAT HOPE DIAMOND.

March — 11, 1911

This Time It Seems To Have Got the McLeans Into Trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. McLean, latest holders of the famous Hope diamond, have not escaped the ill fortune supposed to follow the historic stone. They have had the jewel only since January 28, but already suit has been filed against them in the supreme court of the District of Columbia by the Cartier firm, from which the McLeans procured the diamond, for the recovery of the full purchase price \$180,000, and for a pendant valued at \$26,000.

This pendant was to have been given in part payment. Friends of the McLeans said that there has been no transfer of ownership of the diamonds, but that the McLeans took it simply for inspection and had several times tried to induce the Cartiers to take it back. Mrs. McLean is said not to have worn the gem since it came into her possession.

Edward B. McLean is the son of John R. McLean, the capitalist owner of the Washington Gas Light company, the Cincinnati Enquirer, the Washington Post and other properties. Mrs. McLean is the daughter of the late Thomas F. Walsh, who "struck it rich" in Western copper mines many years ago.

The Cartier firm contends that there was a final signed agreement to purchase the diamond. Mr. McLean has made no statement of his position in the controversy, but has retained A. S. Worthington, J. J. Darlington and Wilton J. Lambert, three well known lawyers of Washington, as his counsel.

On behalf of the Cartier firm Clarence W. De Knight of Washington, associated with Brandenburg & Brandenburg, a local firm, and John S. Wise, Jr., of New York, gave out a statement of the incidents connected with the sale of the famous gem. The statement follows:

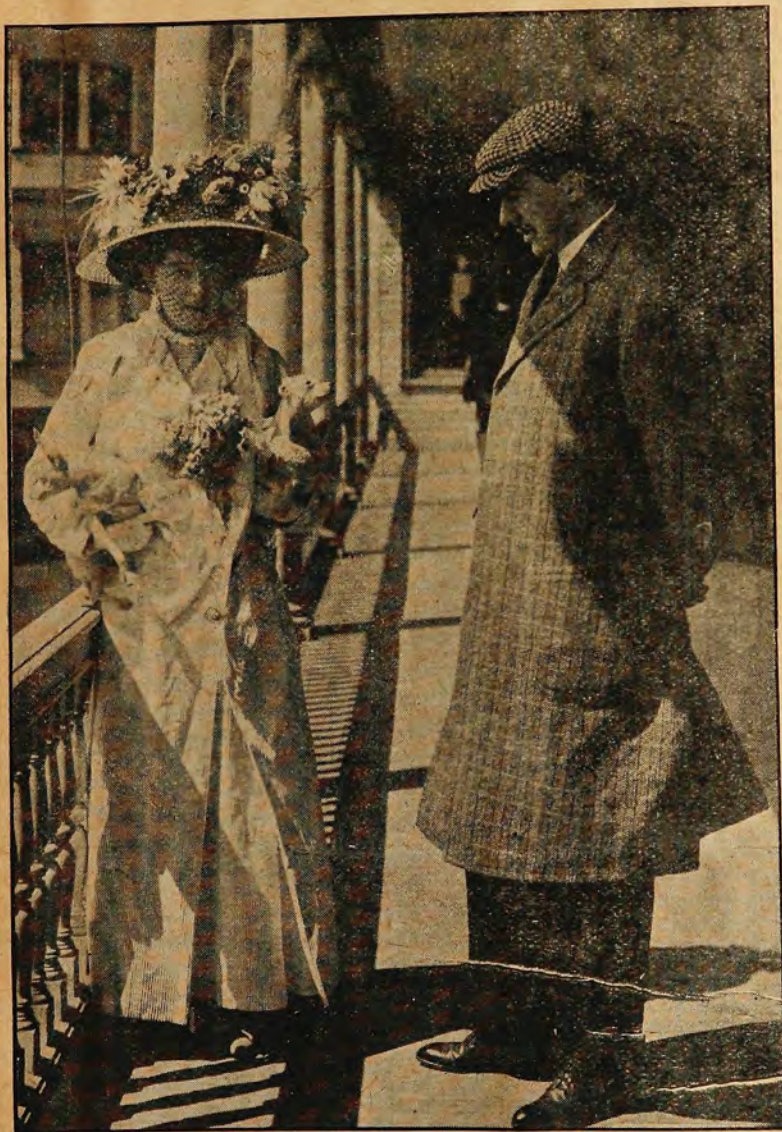
Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. McLean commenced negotiations for the purchase of the Hope diamond from Cartier some months before the sale was consummated at Washington the 28th of January last. Mr. Cartier did not go to Washington in quest of the McLeans, but was hailed there by the McLeans, who stated they wished an

representative, who first went, telephoned from Washington to New York for Mr. Cartier himself to come down and bring other pieces, as those first sent down the McLeans did not consider sufficiently important for their purpose. Mr. Cartier went down to Washington with other pieces, and still the objection was made that the pieces presented were

with and if desired by purchaser necklace in shape of bowknot and cost and delivered \$114,000 de-

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Young Mr. and Mrs. McLean and the Famous Hope Diamond



Tradition Had it That Former Owners of the Gem Have Been Pursued With Disaster

Cartier had delivered the stone on a memo and on approval and then sought to claim a sale it is fair to set forth the contract as follows:

"In consideration of the payment of \$40,000, the delivery of emerald and pearl pendant and the payment of \$114,000 in three annual installments without interest, I hereby agree to sell to Edward B. McLean what is known as the Hope diamond and necklace, delivery to be made forth-

dinner of apple sauce and lady fingers and a special Christmas vaudeville performance. The thief attempted to steal the baby. Mr. McLean, who slept in the adjoining room, heard the stealthy shuffle of the intruder's feet, came upon him just as the masked man was about to lift the sleeping child from the cradle, and frightened him away with a pistol.

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Dec 21, 1909
Wedding in Windsor Avenue Church
Last Evening.

Clayton Wolcott Welles of Wethersfield and Miss Bertha Jane Libby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Locke A. Libby of this city, were married at 6 o'clock last evening in the Windsor Avenue Congregational Church, Rev. George L. Clark of the Wethersfield Congregational Church officiating. The church was decorated with evergreens and palms and the bride was attended by twelve ladies in waiting, the Misses Charlotte and Grace Culver, Edna Strickland, Helen Lester, Florence Stronach, Millie and Tillie Washburn, Mary Brackett, Hazel Felty, Alice Gillette and Mary Weaver of this city and Myra Stewart of New London.

The best man was Robert A. Squire of Meriden, a classmate of the bridegroom in the class of 1904 at Yale University, and the ushers were John T. Welles and Dr. Edward A. Deming, cousins of the bridegroom, and George Harris and Elton Hill, all Yale men. The bride wore white crepe de metier, trimmed with lace and pearl ornaments, and carried bridal roses. The ladies in waiting wore white dresses and picture hats and carried

A daughter, Judith Beach Welles, was born Wednesday, December 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton W. Welles of Wethersfield. 1916

Wethersfield, September 19, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton W. Welles of Wethersfield are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter.

A daughter, Nancy Curtis Welles, was born Monday, November 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wolcott Welles of Wethersfield.

Dec 1909 THE FIRST WHITE CHILD BORN ON

THE SITE OF CHICAGO, then Fort Dearborn, Mrs. David D. Strock is living at Grand Junction, Col., at the age of 73 years. Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kessler, who had moved from Pennsylvania to Fort Dearborn three years before their daughter Mary came. There were only three houses there at that time. In the next year Chicago was incorporated and Kessler owned a large tract of land in the heart of the present city, that when they moved away a few years later, he could not sell and abandoned rather than pay the taxes on it. Their next home was in Kankakee, Ill., but the family gradually moved South, first to St. Louis and then to Texas, at the time that territory was making the bloody struggle for its independence. In the late 50's, at the close of the border wars, they again migrated, this time to Kansas. In 1861 the Fort Dearborn baby, then a grown woman, was married to David Strock, another hardy young pioneer, and two years later they moved to Colorado, settling first in Gilpin county on the eastern slope. Another of the Kessler family went to Pueblo. They lived there for 30 years and there three children, all girls, were born. In 1891, when Grand Junction was a village of a few hundred, the family moved there. The old people, now grandparents, are living in their cozy cottage with a little garden around it, and their children and children's children nearby, ready to enjoy many more years of peace and comfort. "We are quite content to live in the 'Grand valley for the rest of our lives," said Mrs. Strock. "Most of my recollections of 'Chicago are what I heard my mother and father tell of in after years. We have often wondered where we would be to-day if my father had kept his land instead of moving away and letting it go for taxes, land that is worth millions now."

NEPHEW SUCCEEDS

TO KING LEOPOLD.

Prince Albert, Son of Count of Flanders, a Soldierly Man, Very Popular Throughout Belgium.

Prince Albert, who becomes king of the Belgians, is a son of the late Prince Philip, Count of Flanders, brother of Leopold II., who died on November 17, 1905. He was born on April 8, 1875, and was married on October 2, 1900, to Princess Elizabeth of Bavaria. They have three children—Prince Leopold, born November 3, 1901; Prince Charles, born October 10, 1903, and Princess Marie, born August 4, 1906.

Prince Albert is a tall, soldierly looking man, more than six feet in height. He wears glasses and bears an extraordinary likeness to his uncle, King Leopold II., when he was of the same age, and also to his grandfather, King Leopold I., for they are all tall, finely built men in the Belgian royal family. Prince Baldwin, Prince Albert's elder brother, who died suddenly in 1891, was the handsomest officer in the Belgian army. Prince Albert was equally popular in the army, never allowing any difference to exist between himself and his brother officers, again showing his resemblance to King Leopold by this democratic trait.

Long before his father's death, Prince Albert was marked for the throne. Prince Philip, in fact, often intimated that he would in no circumstances accept the crown, owing to his being very deaf and in feeble health. He did not officially renounce his claims to the succession, but made way at all state functions for his son. King Leopold also lost no opportunity of referring to Prince Albert as his heir, causing him to take his place as such at all official ceremonies. On his twenty-first birthday the left wing of his father's palace in the rue de la Regence was assigned to his use, and after that King Leopold devoted much time to initiating him into the duties of the kingly office.

On his mother's side, Prince Albert was distantly related to the German Hohenzollerns. His mother was Princess Marie von Hohenzollern-Sigmaringen, who was born in 1845, being the youngest sister of Prince Leopold of Hohenzollern. Besides Prince Albert and Prince Baldwin, she had two other children, Princess Henrietta, born in 1870, and Princess Josephine, born in 1872.

Many were the European princesses whom rumor assigned as the possible bride of Prince Albert. When in Vienna, whence he had been sent in 1898 on a mission by King Leopold, Prince Albert met his future wife. One evening at a court reception he was particularly struck by the beauty and sweetness of Princess Elizabeth Valerie of Bavaria. When he returned to Brussels he expressed a desire to see her again. They met later and their acquaintance ripened into love. Princess Elizabeth was unable to conceal her pleasure when she learned that Prince Albert was really fond of her.

King Leopold and the Count and Countess of Flanders soon made up their minds that, as the match was in every way suitable, there was no reason for the slightest objection. In Paris at the house of his sister, the Duchesse de Vendome, Prince Albert frequently met his future fiancée and it was there that the final consent of the king and the prince's parents was

Another young monarch was added to the reigning sovereigns of Europe yesterday, when Albert I at Brussels ascended the throne of Belgium. The official ceremony was brilliant and the popular acclaim genuine. Wednesday all Belgium mourned. Yesterday the somber symbols of mourning had been replaced with the



He would seek, he said, to develop the system of popular education and labor unceasingly for the general well-being of the masses. He paid a high tribute to Leopold II and the latter's policy in opening the Congo to Belgian activity. He out-

CHINESE STUDENT
WEDS WHITE GIRL

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Were Married in This City

CHAPPY DOROTHY KWAN

Sad Story of Hartford Girl Who

Married a Chinaman.
Died June 28, 1913.
(Chinese Correspondent of Independent.)

There died recently in Tientsin, China, Dorothy Dorr Kwan, an American whose life was made very ~~by her marriage~~ by the

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was not so much concerned because the girl had married a Chinaman, but she wanted to make sure they were married because of her daughter's previous life.

Yours truly,

OSCAR A. PHELPS

December 26, 1913. in
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time the rule admits of but few ex-
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dress as No. 333 York street, New
Haven.

THEY WERE MARRIED HERE.

A Chinese Student and A Girl, 16 Years Old.

Jin Ling Kuan, who says that he is a Yale student one minute and a Harvard student the next, and whose nationality jumps from Japanese to Chinese with the same facility, and Miss Dorothy Dorr, whose residence is, successively, New Haven, Brooklyn, N. Y., Boston, Mass. and Meriden, and whose age changes from 18 to 21 in a single day, were married in this city on December 24, the news having just been made public. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Henry H. Kelsey, pastor of the Fourth Congregational church, who was deceived by the statements of the young couple.

On December 24, the couple appeared at the registrar's office in New Haven and applied for a marriage license. He said that he was born in Tokio, Japan, and was a student at Harvard and that Miss Dorr was at the Boston Conservatory of Music. His age was given as 21 and hers at 18, and on account of this latter fact, the license was refused.

On the same day the couple appeared in Hartford where the young man had changed from a Japanese Harvard student to a Chinese Yale student, for he said that he was born in Shanghai, China, and was a student at Yale. By this time the girl had grown to be 21. The license was granted and they were married by Mr. Kelsey.

Since then, a friend of the girl's mother has called on Mr. Kelsey and said that the girl was only 16. Her mother, it is learned, is housekeeper of the Meriden house in Meriden. Jin is registered in the Yale catalogue for 1909.

The new state law, which requires that a marriage license shall be returned to the home town of the applicant, caused the license to be returned to New Haven and discovery thus resulted.

23—BRISTOL, Monday, Dec. 27.

Miss Florence F. Mason, eldest daughter of ex-Representative and Mrs. Carlos V. Mason of South street, was married at 6 o'clock on Saturday night to Lee Rockwell, eldest son of Hon. and Mrs. Albert F. Rockwell. The wedding ceremony and reception, though a sort of private family affair were one of the society events of the season and were attended by about 100 people. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents on South street. The interior was beautifully decorated, the work of Terry & Peck. The wedding ceremony was performed in the front parlor of the house, and the couple stood in a bay window which was artistically decorated.

As the bridal couple entered the parlor the wedding march from Lohengrin was played by Mrs. Florence Penn Leigh, organist of Trinity Episcopal Church. The Episcopal wedding ceremony was used and Rev. Dr. David C. Monroe, rector of Trinity Episcopal Church officiated. The ring service was used and the bride was given away by her father.

Miss Anna Dunbar Mason, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and Hugh Rockwell, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. The bride wore a dress of white satin with pearl lace trimmings and her only ornament was a platinum necklace of diamonds and pearls, the gift of the bridegroom's father, Hon. Albert F. Rockwell.

Immediately after the ceremony a wedding reception was held at which Habenstein of Hartford catered. The couple left in an automobile on Saturday night and will take a wedding trip after which they will live in Bristol on Center street. Mr. Rockwell is connected with the New Departure Manufacturing Company of which his father is president and founder and Mrs. Rockwell attended the Bristol High School and later St. Margaret's School of Waterbury. She is a granddaughter of Winthrop W. Dunbar, head of Dunbar Brothers Spring Company.

RICHMOND E. SLADE TO LEAVE HARTFORD. GAS COMPANY MANAGER WILL GO TO NEW ORLEANS.

Richmond E. Slade, for six years treasurer and general manager of the Hartford City Gas Light Company, has resigned his offices, the resignation to take effect with the close of the present year. On January 1, 1910, he will become general manager of the gas and electric departments of the New Orleans Railway & Light Company, at New Orleans, La. The company with which Mr. Slade is to become connected has been long established and has a capital of about \$30,000,000. Its career as a gas furnishing concern dates back about seventy years, or very close to the time when gas was introduced into this country for lighting purposes. It operates the New Orleans street railway system, but Mr. Slade's duties will have nothing to do with that part of the business, except through his having charge of the department which furnishes the mot-

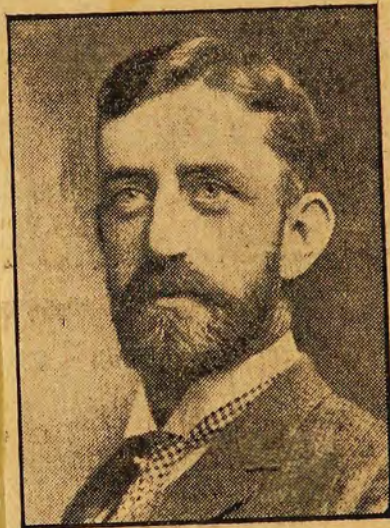
power. Its electric lighting outfit is a 40,000 horse-power plant, or about four times the capacity of the Hartford Electric Light Company station, while its gas output is twice that of

LOVING CUP AND OTHER GIFTS FOR MANAGER SLADE

Employees of the Gas Company Surprise Their Chief on Eve of Retirement.

TOBACCO JAR AND PIPE.

A pleasing surprise was tendered Richmond E. Slade, the retiring treasurer and general manager of the Hartford City Gas Light company late Monday afternoon just as the office of the company was being closed. John A. McArthur, secretary of the company, in behalf of the officers and employees, presented him with three



RICHMOND E. SLADE.

handsome gifts, a silver loving cup, a cut glass tobacco jar with a silver top and a valuable meerschaum pipe. Secretary McArthur told of the esteem which the company and employees have for Mr. Slade, and the regret occasioned by his leaving for his new field of activity.

Mr. Slade responded in fitting words of thanks for the gifts.

The loving cup is a handsome article, and is mounted on a rich ebony base. It bears the following inscription:

Presented to
RICHMOND E. SLADE
By the
Employees
of the
Hartford Gas Works,
December 27, 1909.

The cup was presented by the employees of the gas works department, and the pipe and tobacco jar from the office and appliance men, who also gave him a box of cigars and some cigarettes.

Mr. Slade leaves Wednesday morning for New Orleans, where he is to become manager of the gas and electric lighting departments of the New Orleans Railway and Lighting com-

CHAPIN GOLDEN WEDDING.
Dec 29, 1909
Veteran Boston and Albany Conductor and His Wife Receive the Congratulations and Good Wishes of Relatives and Friends.

Mr and Mrs Stephen Chapin yesterday afternoon and evening observed the golden anniversary of their marriage, and many friends and relatives called to express their congratulations and good wishes. Mr Chapin has been a few months over 50 years in continuous employment of the Boston and Albany railroad in the train service, nearly all of the time as a passenger conductor. Both Mr and Mrs Chapin are in fine health and were able to fully enjoy the visits of relatives and friends who came to see them. December 29, 1859, Stephen Chapin and Miss Lucy M. Buell, daughter of Mr and Mrs Rufus Buell of Easthampton, were married at the Payson church in Easthampton by Rev Rollin S. Stone. Mr Chapin drove in a sleigh to Easthampton and brought his bride in the same vehicle to Springfield after the ceremony. They have lived in Springfield ever since. There were present at the anniversary yesterday three who were at the wedding 50 years ago and at the silver anniversary 25 years ago. These are Mrs Emma Wolcott of this city, a sister of Mrs Chapin, Charles H. Upson of Easthampton, a brother of Mr Chapin, and Mrs O. L. Cowles of this city, another sister of Mrs Chapin.

Mr and Mrs Chapin received yesterday afternoon and evening, assisted by Mrs O. L. Cowles. The reception-room was attractively decorated with festoons of laurel leaves and with vases of cut flowers about the room. In the dining-room daffodils and white carnations were used for the decorations. Those who served were Mrs Carrie Rice, Mrs Herbert Wolcott, Mrs Alfred Cowles and Mrs Walter B. Wolcott. Mr and Mrs Chapin were remembered by many friends with gifts appropriate to the occasion, among which were many gold coins.

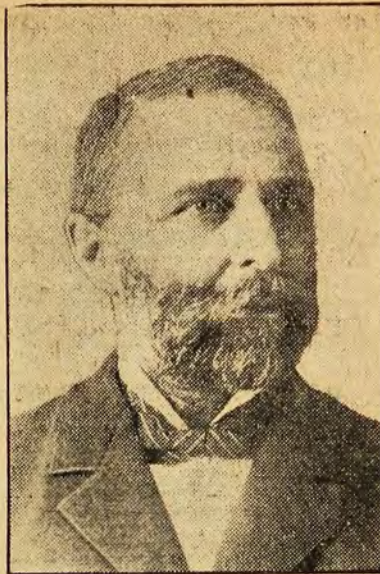
Mr Chapin is one of the few oldest conductors in length of term of service on the Boston and Albany, and perhaps even in a larger field, for he has not only served continuously for a few months over 50 years, but he served nearly five years previous to the beginning of his continuous employment. He went to work for the old Western railroad in 1854, but after a little less than five years' employment there was a few months' break in his service. In 1859 Mr Chapin again entered the employ of the road and has been in its employ ever since. Mr Chapin was first a freight conductor, running between this city and Worcester and bringing back one passenger coach on the return trip of his freight train. In 1867 the old Western railroad from Albany to Worcester and the Boston and Worcester railroad between those two cities were consolidated into the Boston and Albany railroad. At that time Mr Chapin became a passenger conductor and has been one ever since. For about 25 years, prior to 10 years ago, Mr Chapin was conductor on the first train west in the morning, succeeding J. B. Adams, who was for years the conductor on that train.

There have been many changes in railroading since those old days when trains were known by the conductor's names instead of by numbers as now. The conductor of a passenger train was then quite a personage and it was not a rarity for the conductor of a train to wear a silk hat and sometimes, too, a swallowtail coat, as he conducted with dignity and solicitude the affairs of his train. Never to Mr Chapin's knowledge has anyone been permanently injured on his trains. He says that he has never had anything that could be called an accident.

If the Boston and Albany pension plan

goes into effect January 1, as it is expected that it will, Mr Chapin will be among those who will be retired and pensioned under its provisions. But Mr Chapin is well and far from unable to work and is a familiar person to the regular or frequent passengers on the 7 o'clock train to Boston every morning and on the noon train from Boston to New York, on which Mr Chapin comes as far as this city.

NEW BRITAIN, Thursday, Dec. 30.
Sparks Golden Wedding.



STEPHEN CHAPIN.

...and served with his father in the Revolutionary War. She attended the public school of Manchester and the East Academy and taught school in Bolton and other places, and on her twentieth birthday was married to



MRS STEPHEN CHAPIN.

Church in Riverside on Wednesday, December 29. Miss Chapman resided for some years in this town and was graduated from the local high school. She is a niece of Miss Anna M. Olmsted.

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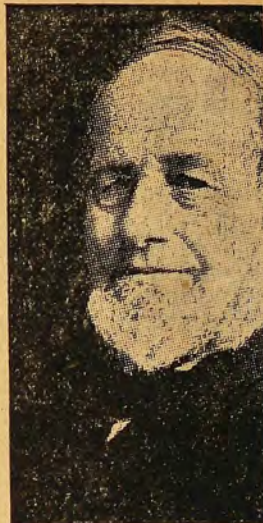
East Hartford

WORKMAN AT COLT'S SIXTY-TWO YEARS. ENVIABLE RECORD MADE BY LOREN H. ROBERTSON.

Before the Christmas shut-down the Colt Patent Fire Arms Manufacturing Company gave some of its older employees gifts of gold in recognition of long and faithful service, and among the

Loren H. Robertson, 62, of South street. Mr. Robertson has been employed at the company for twenty-two years, a record which both parties to the company is proud of. Mr. Robertson whenever the company is shut down he is a bit of a shut down himself, but he gets out a little and works in Hartford, this a pretty good thing about it, for he is eighty-one years old.

Mr. Robertson is of Coventry, Conn.



Loren H. Robertson is the youngest of a family of nine children. Among his schoolmates was an uncle of John Warren, the old prisoner at Wethersfield, and he knew Warren, though he says, "He was one of the small boys and I was one of the big ones. The family was a little peculiar in those days," continued Mr. Robertson, "but I guess they have improved since then. John's grandmother used to be a little 'off' and would wander about the fields, old woman that she was, for days at a time. I wish they would let the old fellow out."

Mr. Robertson was brought up on a farm, but he left South Coventry at 18 and came to Hartford, beginning work in the Colt shop on the first Monday in December, 1847. The works then occupied a three-story building on the north side of Pearl street, near the site now occupied by the Hartford Fire Insurance Company's building. The company soon after needed more room and removed to what was known as the Porter building on Mechanic street. Mechanic street has changed more since then than Mr. Robertson has, for at that time, he says, large trees were growing there, reminders of the days when a picnic ground and grove were nearby.

Mr. Robertson says that the first large fire he ever saw was the destruction of the old American Hall, which stood on American row and which burned one Saturday night not long after he came to Hartford. He was to see larger ones later, as appeared from the story he told a "Courant" man yesterday afternoon. After the Colt plant removed to Mechanic street, where Mr. Robertson said, Samuel Colt made money faster than he ever did later in his life, it was located not far from the Fales & Gray car shops, which were wrecked by a boiler explosion on March 2, 1854.

"I heard the explosion," said Mr. Robertson, "and, looking out of the window, saw the roof and timbers of the car shop flying up in the air. I and some of the other boys ran out and crawled through the windows of the factory and tried to rescue some of the workmen. I found Sam Parsons first. He was doubled over a bench and was held down by a hot steam pipe which lay on the back of his neck, and he seemed real uneasy. There had been a stove in the room and the hot coals had fallen on him. I could smell

MR. ROBERTSON'S BIRTHDAY

People of Unity Church Remember

His 85th Anniversary and Give Him a Party and a Cake.

March 31, 1914
An agreeable surprise was given Loren Robertson by friends and members of Unity church in the church parlors, Tuesday evening, the occasion being his 85th birthday.

Mr. Robertson was asked to come to a committee meeting at the church and upon his arrival was surrounded by over fifty of his friends, all eager to extend their good wishes and congratulations.

Whist was played and instrumental and vocal music was given. Mr. Robertson contributing his part by playing old-time melodies on the violin.

The Birthday Cake.

Refreshments were served, from a table artistically decorated with red roses and smilax, the chief feature of which was a huge birthday cake, a foot in diameter, containing a ring, money and a thimble and decorated with the years 1829-1914, and tiny red candles. Mr. Robertson cut and distributed the cake.

Although so many winters have come and gone over his head, Mr. Robertson is a wonderfully well-preserved man, going to his work at Colt's factory every morning.

Grows Flowers.

A source of much pleasure to the attendants of Unity church are the beautiful flowers which decorate the pulpit every Sunday morning. Many of these flowers are grown in Mr. Robertson's wonderful garden on White street. During the summer months, 4 o'clock every morning finds him among his flowers. Dahlias are his specialty, and many of them have won him prizes in the horticultural exhibits.

When his own garden cannot supply sufficient flowers, he is a well-known figure to the florists, whom he visits on Saturday nights, procuring the flowers which he personally arranges at the church on Sunday morning before service.

It is a pleasing sight, after the congregation has been dismissed, to see him surrounded by the children and young people with whom he is a great favorite and familiarly known as "Uncle Loren," busily distributing his flowers and at the same time his dry witticisms.

It is the wish of his many friends that he may be spared for many a day to continue his good work and brighten the many lives with whom he comes in contact.

At the time of the blizzard of March, 1888, Mr. Robertson, who then lived

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on Main street, walked home from work and what is more important, he walked back to work the next morning. There were not enough other men to start the plant but he remained through the day until his daughter, becoming alarmed, managed to walk down there to see if he was safe.

Mr. Robertson has a keen eye for the changes which have taken place in the city in his day. When he came to Hartford Isaac Toucey and Cyprian Nichols and such remote worthies were living. Where Congress street

a foreman at Colt's, but Lord remained with the firm while Mr. Yale left it. "To tell the truth," Mr. Yale said, "Colt was pretty poor in those days and I did not think his business would amount to much in Hartford." For that reason Mr. Yale left Colt's employ when the industry was removed to this city and went into a factory in Windsor, Vt. He remained there until 1853, when he came to Hartford and entered the

Sharnes rifle works, where he remained until the close of the Civil war in 1865, being for a considerable part of the time assistant superintendent. He then entered the employ of Blings & Spencer, where he remained for twelve years, and was for a time with the American Rifle Company, makers of cotton gin machinery at Pawtucket, R. I. Health has been poor for a number of years and he has not been engaged in work, but has lived his daughter, Mrs. C. O. Baldwin 8 Ashley street.

Colonel Colt, he said, came to Hartford with his business because of a quarrel with Eli Whitney, a quarrel ended with very happy results so that Hartford was concerned. He said with Mr. Robertson, however, Colonel Colt was a good business man. Mr. Yale was a member of the first American rifle team which defeated a British team at Creedmoor, N. Y., in 1874, and he has the medal given him at that time. He was also a member of the team which, the next year, defeated the English on a range near Dublin, Ireland, and thus acquired a second set of medals.

Mr. Yale was instrumental in inducing the Americans to compete with British marksmen at the Creedmoor match and it was largely through his exertions that the necessary money was raised to pay the expenses of the contest. He thinks that the

29 Lyman-Bull, 1909

John Franklin Lyman of Columbus, Ohio, and Miss Nella Bull of Morris Cove, formerly of Hartford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Bull, were married in New Haven, Wednesday. The bride was dressed in a gown of white messaline Brussels lace with veil and large blossoms, and she carried a bouquet of the valley. The maid of honor was Miss Annie L. Barnes of New Haven, and she wore light green silk and carried scarlet carnations. Dr. Kerr Tolles of Urbana, Ill., was best man. The house was at- tively decorated with Christmas trees, green and scarlet, heavy festoons, and Christmas bells. Dr. Lyman received his degree at Yale in 1909, and is now associate professor of agricultural chemistry in the State University of Ohio, at Columbus. The bride was graduated from the Hartford Public High School in the class of 1900, and from Grace Hospital Training School in New Haven.

BRAINARD-SANBORN — In Beverly, Mass., December 29, 1909, Mr. Homer W. Brainard of Hartford and Miss Faith Sanborn of Beverly, formerly of Torrington, Conn., were married.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Homer N. Brainard and Miss Faith Sanborn, which occurred at Beverly, Mass., on December 29. Mr. Brainard has been teacher of mathematics at the Hartford Public High School since 1891. He is a graduate of this institution, as well as of Harvard University. Mrs. Brainard was formerly of Torrington, Conn.



Sam Colt, A Hartford Actor, In "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm."

on which Colonel Colt's fame was based were made in this city, for this, he said, was incorrect, as they were made in Eli Whitney's shops in Whitneyville. Mr. Yale says so, and he should know for he helped make them. Colt first started in New Jersey and came from there to Whitneyville, bringing with him at least one workman, a blacksmith named Burns. "A good workman he was, too," said Mr. Yale, "when he would let liquor alone."

After coming to Whitneyville Colonel Colt's employees included among others, Mr. Yale and Horace Lord, who was in later years destined to be

ROCKWELL-GOWDY.

Prominent Young People of Thompsonville Married.

(Special to The Courant.)

Thompsonville, Dec. 28.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock in the First Presbyterian Church Miss Ruth Marguerite Gowdy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Gowdy of Pearl street, became the wife of Stanley Pickett Rockwell, son of S. Willis Rockwell of Enfield street. The ceremony was attended by nearly 200 relatives and friends of the young couple, and was a brilliant affair, many of the college friends of the young couple being present.

To the music of the "Lohengrin" and "Mendelssohn" wedding marches played by William C. Hammond, organist of the First Congregational Church of Holyoke, Mass., and of Mount Holyoke College, the bridal procession entered the church, and passed up the aisle to the pulpit, where the pastor, Rev. W. S. Voorhies, was in waiting to perform the ceremony. The bridesmaids were Miss Elizabeth Browning of Belmont, N. Y., Miss Mildred Kent of Fair Haven, Mass., Miss Sylvina Norton of West Chester, N. Y., Miss Bessie O. Fell of Ogdensburg, N. Y., Miss Natalie Clark of Springfield, Mass., and Miss Susan Finlay of Staten Island, N. Y. Each of the bridesmaids wore a gown of white net over old rose, and carried white roses. Miss Grace F. Mathewson of Enfield was maid of honor and she wore a gown of white net over white, and carried Killarney roses. Horace W. Staples of Westport was best man.

The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a handsome gown of white crepe de meteor, with duchess lace trimmings and full length veil. Previous to the ceremony, an organ recital was given by Professor Hammond and before the wedding march, Mrs. F. Leon Sample of Springfield sang DeKoven's "O Promise Me."

The church was beautifully decorated, the platform and entire front of the church being covered with a huge bank of hemlock boughs, while the pillars were festooned with laurel roping. The ushers were Stephen Lawrence of New York, Thomas Miller of Fall River, Mass., William G. Sexton and Allen Mathewson of Enfield, and Raymond Gowdy of this village.

After the ceremony a reception was held. Supper was served at the bride's home on Pearl street, Habenstein of Hartford catering. Music at the house was furnished by the Philharmonic Orchestra of Springfield. The decorations there were of smilax, southern smilax and carnations, effectively arranged by the Brainard Floral Company. About 125 persons were present at the reception.

Miss Gowdy is the only daughter of Willis Gowdy, cashier of the Thompsonville Trust Company, and is a graduate of the Enfield High School, and of Mount Holyoke College. The bridegroom is the son of the proprietor of the Hazard place and a graduate of Yale. At present he is employed in the Stanley Works in New Britain, in which city the young couple will make their home. After February 15, 1910, they will be at home to friends at No. 84 Lincoln street in that city.

TAFT'S NIECE ENGAGED.

To Wed G. H. Snowden, Yale 1907, Christmas Week.

New York, Nov. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Taft tonight announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Louise W. Taft, to George H. Snowden of Seattle, Wash. Miss Taft is a niece of the President. Mr. Snowden was graduated from Yale in 1907 and is now engaged in the lumber business in Seattle. The wedding will take place in this city during the Christmas holidays. President Taft will attend.

George H. Snowden Gets License in New York.

New York, Dec. 27.—George Hogg Snowden, 26 years old, who is in the lumber business in Seattle, obtained a license at city hall today to wed Miss Louise Witherbee Taft, the 21 year old daughter of Henry W. Taft, brother of the President. The wedding will be held at the Taft home here on December 30.

President and Mrs. Taft are expected in New York early Wednesday to attend the wedding. Only members of the two families will be present on account of the recent death of the President's sister-in-law, Mrs. Horace Taft, in Connecticut. The bride and bridegroom will take a honeymoon trip for six or eight months in Europe and will make their home in Seattle.

New York, Dec. 30.—Miss Louise Walbridge Taft, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Taft and niece of the President, was married this afternoon in the home of her parents to George W. Snowden of Seattle, Wash. Invitations to the ceremony were limited because of the recent death of Mrs. Horace D. Taft, an aunt of the bride.

President Taft came from Washington to attend the wedding, but Mrs. Taft's health did not permit her to make the journey.

The President was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Helen Taft and his sons Robert and Charles. He was officially attended by his military aide, Captain Butt.

The ceremony was performed in a room decorated with palms and hung with mistletoe and holly. The bride was attended only by Miss Margaret Lowe, her school girl chum, as maid of honor. The ushers included her brothers. Rev. Dr. J. G. H. Barry, rector of the Church of St. Mary the Virgin, performed the ceremony. Mr. Snowden, who has extensive business interests in the Northwest, was graduated from the Sheffield Scientific School in 1895. He and his bride had been acquainted since they were children.

John W. Loomis of the Aetna Life will complete thirty-nine years of continuous service in the clerical corps of that company on the first day of January, 1910. He was 72 years old, April 9, 1909. He is a member of Robert O. Tyler post, G. A. R., and of the Army and Navy club of Connecticut. Mr. Loomis was a prisoner of war at Andersonville and in Florence, S. C. The effects of the imprisonment are plainly visible as he makes his way to the Aetna Life office daily from his home on South Prospect avenue.

PITTSFIELD.

MUNN-JONES WEDDING.

Special Event of Interest at St Stephen's Church Saturday.

Mrs Everts Ewing Munn of Florence, Italy, and Capt Harrold Wellington Jones of Washington, D. C., were married at noon Saturday in St Stephen's church. The ceremony was performed by Rev Thomas W. Nickerson and was witnessed

PHELPS DODGE TO LEAVE COUNTRY.

SCION OF WEALTHY NEW YORK FAMILY TO EXPATRIATE HIMSELF.

(New York American.) 3.19.10

Walter Phelps Dodge, millionaire lawyer, clubman and anglo-maniac, who, on January 3, in London, married Helen Steck, would-be actress and daughter of E. M. Steck, a Pennsylvania coal millionaire, is to emulate William Waldorf Astor and shake the dust of America from his feet forever.

Mr. Dodge, who is connected with the Phelps and Stokes families, returned to New York secretly a little more than a week ago, and will sail Saturday for London. He came back to the United States to try to reconcile his family to his marriage and to bring about friendly relations between them and his wife's people, but he is said to have failed absolutely.

Not one of his relatives, it is understood, will consent to receive either Mrs. Dodge, her mother, Mrs. Steck, or her sister, Mrs. Edna Croxton.

Wherefore Mr. Dodge, "disgusted with and loathing," to use his own words, America and the Americans, will return to England, where he will resume his law practice and live on the estate which he recently purchased at Maidenhead for \$55,000.

Mrs. Croxton, who was one of the beauties in the "Hello People" octet in "Havana," although she will sail for England, Saturday, said last night that she "might be in a position to announce" her engagement to Richard Elkins, youngest son of United States Senator Stephen B. Elkins of West Virginia, next Monday. She denied that she was engaged now, but admitted there was an understanding and intimated that only family reasons prevented the announcement at once.

The entrance of Mr. Elkins adds still another romance to the already highly romantic affairs of the Dodge and Steck families. The announcement of his engagement would, however, be no greater surprise than was the news of the marriage of Mr. Dodge and Miss Helen Steck.

Mr. Dodge Met His Fate at Sherry's.

Mr. Dodge, who has lived in England for years and is a practicing lawyer in the divorce courts there, met Miss Steck last fall at a party given at Sherry's, by a millionaire who has apartments there. Miss Steck attended with her mother and sister. It is said that Mr. Dodge was first attracted by Mrs. Croxton, who was the wife of a passenger agent of the Southern railway, and who was divorced a few days ago, but that two rivals stood in his way.

One was Mr. Elkins and the other was a well-known journalist, who had recently returned from Japan. This man was apparently cast in the four-sided courtship for the part of Othello. He had passed through the Russian-Japanese war, being the London Daily Mail correspondent who had given that paper the first news of the famous naval battle in Teushima Straits.

Seeing that his suit for the sister was hopeless, Mr. Dodge is said to have transferred his affections to the younger girl. The fact that she was seventeen years old and he forty-one and the father of three children, by two former wives, made no difference. He wooed and won her, and when he returned to London shortly before last Christmas it was with her promise to join him and marry him there.

A few days after he left she sailed on one of the North German Lloyd steamers, accompanied only by a maid. Mr. Dodge met her in London and they were married at St. George's, in Hanover square, the next day. The attending maid was sent back to America on the next steamer.

Mr. Dodge's four-year-old daughter, Rosemary, was in London in charge of a nurse and the new Mrs. Dodge at once took a great fancy to the child. She insisted that Rosemary and her nurse accompany her husband and herself on their wedding trip and the entire party left for St. Moritz, in the Upper Engadine, in Switzerland.

Romance Followed Accident.

Tobogganing is the favorite winter sport there, and Mr. Dodge had taken

He Established Near London.

From Paris Dr. Dodge took his family to London, where he purchased the estate at Maidenhead, installing his bride, his baby daughter and their entourage there.

Ever since his marriage Mr. Dodge has been trying to effect a reconciliation with his family here, but it is apparent that his father, the Rev. D. Stuart Dodge, and his brother, Charles Stuart Dodge, refused to accede to his requests for recognition of his new family.

Finally Mr. Dodge determined to return to the United States and make a personal appeal to his relatives. To escape notoriety he booked his passage on the Canadian Pacific liner Empress, of Britain, and entered the United States by way of Canada. He had other reasons for returning. His children by his first marriage, Stuart Stokes Dodge, aged nineteen, and Ada, aged twenty, were here and he wished to make some arrangements for their future. Both are at school and making their home at their father's beautiful estate, the Grange, near Simsbury, Conn. He also had decided to leave America forever, and he wished to settle his affairs here.

The party, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Dodge, Rosemary, a nurse, two French maids and a valet, arrived in New York a week ago last Monday. Their coming was entirely unexpected and they did not announce it to anyone. They took apartments at a ~~quiet~~ but fashionable apartment hotel

in the Fifties, a short distance from Fifth avenue, instead of at the St. Regis or the Plaza, which Mr. Dodge usually frequented.

Mrs. Dodge at once sent word to her mother and sister, who had an apartment in West Forty-fourth street, that she had returned, and they have been frequent visitors since.

ROMANCE OF A YEAR AGO ENDED IN SEPARATION.

Young Bride of Walter Phelps Dodge
Returns From London to Her
Mother.

MISS STECK HIS THIRD WIFE.

The romance of Walter Phelps Dodge and Helen Louise Steck, which began with love-at-first-sight at a dinner in Sherry's, and was continued by cable and wireless until the millionaire's daughter joined and married the author-lawyer in London, ended in a separation last night at the wedding.

MAY 1, 1912.
Mrs. Helen Lovis Steck Dodge, American, whose father was a multimillionaire of Philadelphia, has obtained a divorce from Walter Phelps Dodge, millionaire, author and lawyer, on the ground the spirit of one of his former wives made her wedded life unhappy. Mrs. Dodge is 20. Her former husband is 48. The spirit of Ethel, one of Dodge's former wives, Mrs. Dodge says, would appear before her husband and demand that his newly wedded wife should take off a necklace, a veil or something that she herself had worn. The worry and grief that the presence of the spirit of the former wife caused is said to have compelled Mrs. Dodge to leave her husband in Europe and return to Philadelphia, where she started her suit for divorce.

Circus Rider Divorced Him.

His Presentation.

His arrival followed shortly the crushing of the stage ambitions of two of the prettiest young women that ever came to New York. The Misses Helen and Edna Steck, daughters of a Philadelphia coal operator, had determined to become stars of the theater, and their father, believing that the grind of rehearsals would curb their ardor, let them practice in the chorus of an opera company. But when it came time for public appearance he compelled the girls to withdraw.

Miss Edna married a man named Croxton and they were soon parted. But Miss Helen was heart-whole, save for her wasted love for the stage, when Mr. Dodge was presented to her at a dinner in a private dining-room at Sherry's. Mrs. Steck and Miss Edna were present. Mr. Dodge was so smitten that he immediately rearranged his plans and postponed his return to his beloved England.

His Wireless Wooing.

When he did depart he kept up a constant wooing by wireless and cable, and within a few days Miss Steck joined him in London, where they were quietly married.

They spent the honeymoon on Mr. Dodge's estate on the Thames, where the youthful wife was introduced to his children. They visited Paris, and, it is said, met Frank Gould and Edith Kelly here. But Mr. Dodge, according to Mrs. Steck, refused to permit his wife to continue her acquaintance with the actress.

They returned to England and lived there until about a month ago, when the bride came to America and explained her unhappiness to her mother.

Jan 4 Seymour-Risley, 1910.
William W. Seymour, son of Henry Seymour of St. Albans, Vt., and a prominent banker and timber holder of Tacoma, Wash., and Miss Emily W. Risley, daughter of Mrs. Elisha Risley of West Hartford, were married at noon Tuesday at the residence of Mrs. William D. Black, at New Milford, the Rev. Dr. Draper of the Episcopal church of New Milford officiating.

The New York members of the families left New York Tuesday morning on a private car to attend the ceremony.

Miss Marion Garland of West Hartford was maid of honor and James S. Gilbert of New York was best man. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Julius H. Seymour of New York city, Admiral and Mrs. Edmund Seymour of Pelham Manor, N. Y.; Miss Laura Seymour of Montclair, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Van Norden of New York, Mrs. F. C. Black and W. Clifford Black of Pelham, N. Y.; Mrs. William B. Pell, Mrs. Elisha Risley, and George Risley, brother of the bride, of West Hartford; Dr. and Mrs. John Prainard of Boston, Admiral and Mrs. John W. Moore of Brooklyn, Miss Jean Hunt of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Hubbell of New York.

MEGGAT-FERGUSON—In this city, Jan. 5, by Rev. I. A. Burnap, Miss Marie R. Ferguson and William C. Meggat.

William C. Meggat and Miss Marie M. A. Ferguson, both of this city, were married at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the residence of Rev. I. A. Burnap. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. James Meggat, and by Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Strong of Wethersfield. After a week's wedding trip to New York Mr. and Mrs. Meggat will live at No. 36 Hazel street.

VETERAN MARKETMAN

RETIREES FROM BUSINESS.

Jan. 5, 1910.
Hugh G. Montgomery Sells His Business on Main Street.

Hugh G. Montgomery, who for many years has kept a market on Main street near Buckingham, has sold his business to John J. McAuliffe. While Mr. Montgomery will remain in the market at No. 373 Main street for a time, he is relieved from the burden of its responsibility, feeling that at 73 years of age he has earned a rest.

Mr. Montgomery is of Scotch descent, but has lived in Hartford and vicinity for over sixty-nine years. His early education was secured in this city, where he was a schoolmate of Senator Morgan G. Bulkeley. He then worked on a farm in West Hartford and said yesterday that he made money at the work. He served in the Civil War as a member of Company D, Twenty-second Regiment, C. V., and is a member of Robert O. Tyler Post, G. A. R. He began business as a marketman in December, 1872, in the employ of his brother-in-law, William Caswell, in the store now occupied by J. C. McManus & Sons, then No. 102 Main street and now No. 344. The following February Mr. Montgomery entered into partnership with his brother-in-law and the business was carried on for twelve years at No. 102 Main street. At the end of that time it was moved to a point nearly opposite, No. 359 Main street, where he remained for ten years, then removing to the present location, No. 373 Main street. His partner, Mr. Caswell, died a number of years ago.

Mr. Montgomery has been in business for almost forty years in practically the same location and has witnessed many changes in the city during that time. Feeling that he was warranted in taking life a little more easily he determined to go out of business and the transfer was made on Monday.

sent of her parents and was married
in Jersey City by a clergyman whose
name we do not know on January 6.
She went back home and said nothing
about the marriage. On Sunday Mrs.
Leavitt, hearing reports that her
daughter was married, took her to
task and she admitted that it was true.
She left the house this morning for
Manhattan, where she was met by her
husband, and the two have gone
south."

Lamb-Foster.
(Special to The Courant.)

Providence, Jan. 5.

Miss Helen Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis T. Foster of Providence, and Dr. Albert Richard Lamb, **MALLARY-TURNER WEDDING.**

Springfield
Daughter of the International College President the Bride of a Berkshire Young Man. Jan. 5, 1910

An unusually pretty wedding took place last evening in the home of Rev Dr and Mrs R. DeWitt Mallary of State street when their daughter, Miss Theresa Scudder Mallary, was united in marriage to Frederick Harvey Turner of Great Barrington, son of Mr and Mrs Noble B. Turner of Housatonic. The single-ring service was performed by Dr Mallary, assisted by Rev Dr Philip S. Moxom, the bride being given away by her father. The ceremony was performed in the library, which was prettily decorated with evergreens and palms, the bay window, where the bridal party stood being banked with green, music being furnished by the Philharmonic orchestra. The bride was becomingly arrayed in a draped gown of white cassimere de soie, with train, daintily trimmed with lace and hand embroidery. She wore the white tulle veil which her mother had worn at her wedding 27 years ago, a wreath of orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. The maid of honor, Miss Theodora Avery Towle of Somerville, a classmate of the bride at Mount Holyoke college, was gowned in corn color messaline with pearl trimmings, and carried a bouquet of yellow marguerites. The two bridesmaids, Lucy Rockwell Mallary and Meta Schaff Mallary, sisters of the bride, wearing white messaline with hand embroidery and pearl trimmings, and carrying bouquets of yellow marguerites and white carnations. The best man was T. Ellis Ramsdell of Housatonic, and the ushers were William Turner, brother of the groom, Thomas Ramsdell, George Taylor and Dr A. Leroy Johnson of Great Barrington.

Following the ceremony a reception was held, the bride and groom being assisted in receiving their guests by their parents. A wedding supper was served by Barr in the dining-room, which was effectively trimmed in yellow and white. The wedding presents were numerous, including pictures, cut glass, china and silverware. The groom's gift to his bride was a diamond and baroque pearl pendant. During the evening Mr and Mrs Turner left for a several-weeks' wedding trip in the South and will be at home to their friends after April 15 at Taconic avenue, Great Barrington, where Mr Turner is engaged in business. A large number of out-of-town guests were present, including Dr and Mrs E. P. Hale of Lenox, Miss Mary Tanner of Lenox, Dr Clark K. Peterson, Miss Carrie Perkins, Charles Platt, Mr and Mrs George Stevens, I. R. Prindle of Great Barrington, Miss Anna Benedict of Brooklyn, Miss Hattie Perry, Miss Mildred Rowe of New York city, Mr and Mrs John N. Lyman, Mrs A. Fargo, Miss Amy Fargo of Easthampton, Mr and Mrs George Deane of Worcester, Mr and Mrs Noble B. Turner, Mrs Laura Fuller, Miss Josephine Fuller, Miss Lydia Fuller, Miss Annie Turner of Housatonic, Miss Clara Hale of Danvers, Mrs Edward Shaw of Van Deusenville, Charles Williams of Derby, Ct., and Rev and Mrs Oscar E. Maurer of New Haven, Ct.

After the reception for the guests another reception was held for the faculty and students of the American International college, of which Mr Mallary is president.

RICH MISS LEAVITT NOW A CHAUFFEUR'S BRIDE.

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New York, January 11.—Miss Margaret H. Leavitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Howland Leavitt of Bay Side, L. I., was married to Joseph F. Smollen, her chauffeur, last Thursday at a German Lutheran parsonage in Jersey City. The bride told her mother on Sunday of the marriage and now the young couple are away on their honeymoon.

G. Howland Leavitt is a railroad man and banker who has a summer place called Shore Acres at Bay Side. He has a home at 141 Bowne avenue, Flushing. His town office is 52 Broadway. Mrs. Leavitt was a Miss Willets, daughter of Robert Willets and granddaughter of Samuel Willets, who in his time was reputed to be the richest Quaker in this city.

The bride is 25 years old. She is attractive and a blonde. Last summer she became an enthusiastic automobilist and her father bought her a six cylinder car and engaged Joseph F. Smollen as chauffeur. Smollen is 21 years old. He is a good mechanic.

His mother, a widow, lives on Second street, Bay Side, and his brother, Walter, used to run a laundry in that village. The inhabitants of the village have nothing but good words for young Smollen. At one time he was chauffeur for Jim Corbett.

Smollen instructed Miss Leavitt how to run her new car and the car was much seen on the roads on Long Island, mostly in the neighborhood of Bay Side. Miss Leavitt and Smollen were together so much that they attracted attention and caused some gossip, but the gossip did not reach the ears of Mr. and Mrs. G. Howland Leavitt or other members of the family.

About six weeks ago Mr. Leavitt said that he was going to have the automobile put in storage for the winter, but Miss Leavitt objected strenuously and said that it would mean that Smollen would be out of employment. Mr. Leavitt, however, insisted, but he got

MRS. SMOLLEN'S DEATH FROM NATURAL CAUSES.

Heiress Who Eloped With Chauffeur
and Then Left Him.

New York, June 12.—A coroner's jury, who had with autopsy performed today on the body of Mrs. Margaret Smollen, who died last Friday in a private sanitarium, showed that death was due to general septicæmia, induced by natural causes.

Mrs. Smollen was the daughter of G. Howland Leavitt, a millionaire of Bayside, L. I. Last January she made a runaway match with Joe Smollen, the "Candy Kid," who was a chauffeur and valet for Jim Corbett, prizefighter, before he became chauffeur for Mrs. Smollen's father. They lived together but a short time before separating.

It was supposed that Mrs. Smollen went abroad and it was not until last night that it became known that she died in a sanitarium, whither she was taken from a hotel on recommendation of a Bellevue Hospital physician.

Charles S. Meyer, a son of Cord Meyer, who is also a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. G. Howland Leavitt, as he is married to Sara W. Leavitt, a sister of the bride, gave out a statement last night on behalf of the family. He said:

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*Dr. E. P. Parker's
Golden Jubilee
Jan 11, 1910.
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Members of the older families in the city will be interested in the announcement of the coming marriage of Dr Nathan Chandler Foot, son of James D. Foot of Rye, N. Y., and grandson of the late Homer Foot, to Miss Emma May Cobb, daughter of Mr and Mrs John Candler Cobb. The wedding will take place in the First Parish church at Milton on the afternoon of January 11. Dr Foot is a graduate of Harvard, and has spent several years in surgery work in New York hospitals, where he is highly regarded.

Jan. 12, 1910
Announcement is made that the marriage of Miss Abby Willard

Gregory of E Frederick W Chester, this Wednesday of try home of tton. The bri of the late Ju New York bu cox is the elde ington F. Wil man and rail Willcox is eng York city.

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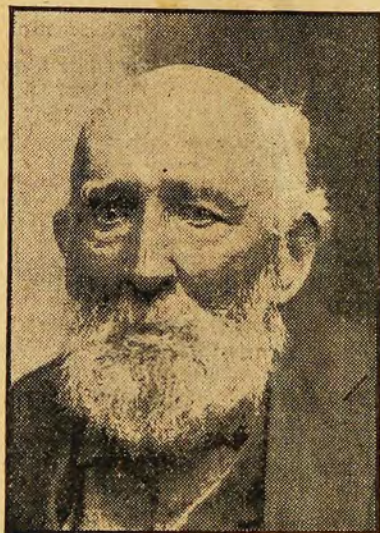
The bride wore a gown of import ed hand-embroidered mull. Her sister, Miss Leila Delliber, was the flower girl. Mr. and Mrs. Prime left last evening for a wedding trip. They will live in this city at No. 150 Capitol avenue after February 1. The bridegroom is a detail draughtsman with the Whitney Manufacturing Company.

PRIME—In this city, February 23, 1911, a daughter to George C. and Emma Delliber Prime, 150 Capitol ave.

A REMARKABLE CENTENARIAN.

Jan. 1910
John Page Brown, Who Nears the End of His 101st Year With Mind and Senses About as Clear as Ever.

Following is the portrait of a striking character in the Vermont life of many years ago who also presents one of the most remarkable cases of longevity on record—John Page Brown, who at Ludlow, Vt., celebrated the 100th anniversary of his birth last January and now approaches the end of his 101st year in continued good health and equal to his best days in vivacity of spirit and keenness of mind. His hearing is only very slightly impaired and his eyesight remains good. He continues as always a great reader and follows the course of current public events with unflagging interest—and with unchanged view that to the republican party and



JOHN PAGE BROWN.

its continued ascendancy the country owes all the wealth it has acquired and all the prosperity enjoyed since he was a little over 50 years old. Back even of that rather remote time he acquired extremely liberal opinions respecting religious belief, and still holds them, and vigorously expresses them, and if there is failure anywhere on his part to keep up with the intellectual progress of the age into which he has lived, it lies in an inadequate appreciation of the great change toward his own position which the prevalent beliefs of Protestant Christendom has undergone.

He was born in Bedford, Mass., and was taken to Plymouth, Vt., when a child, and there and at Ludlow has been his home ever since. What makes his case of longevity the more remarkable is that he was badly crippled in legs and arms when a child by what was probably a case of infantile paralysis such as has been epidemic hereabouts the past summer. He says it was due to a dose of calomel which the doctors gave him, but this may have been administered for the disease which crippled him. Practically all his life he has had to use crutches and been denied the free use of his arms, and in youth he was feeble enough to make everyone remark upon the shortness of his days. A year or two ago he fell and broke a hip bone, but this has made no difference except to increase the need of attendance. His life up to within a few years has been largely passed in the open air, and while he attributes his great years largely to abstinence from the use of tobacco and a very moderate use of liquors whenever used at all, this factor of the open-air life is probably to be placed above all others within his control. Denied participation in the ordinary activities of life, he became a horse trader and wool and cattle buyer, and spent his time in a carriage, usually behind a fast and often wild horse, driving pretty much all over the state and becoming a well-known figure throughout. He would start droves of cattle or horses to Boston and follow them to conclude their sale, and he was well known in the Boston of the days of the drovers. He made and lost several small fortunes—the last one being in a large wool transaction at the end of the civil war. He overstayd the market and fell with the slump in prices following the end of the conflict. He had four sisters, all of whom died around the 50th year. On his 100th anniversary the citizens of Ludlow called upon him in numbers and gifts, letters and telegrams poured in upon him from various parts of the state and nation.

Jan.
World's Oldest Bank Trustee
George Howard of Barre is believed to hold the world's record as a venerable active bank director. On Tuesday, when the stockholders of the Barre Savings Bank held their annual meeting, they reelected Mr. Howard, who is three months more than one hundred years old, to the bank's board of trustees. Mr. Howard is thought to be the oldest living trustee of a bank.

Mrs. Philip W. Webster, 42, gave birth at Niagara Falls, N. Y., yesterday to her twenty-sixth child. She married at the

SURE ROOSEVELTIAN FAMILY.

Choir Full of Grandchildren Make Music for Golden Wedding Mass.

Providence, January 15.—If Colonel Theodore Roosevelt could have dropped into St. Louis de Gonzague church in Woonsocket yesterday he would have seen a sight to make him shout for joy.

There in the church choir stood forty-five grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Girard chanting a high mass of thanksgiving in honor of the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of their grandparents.

*He died Dec. 1910.
nearly 101 yrs old.*

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The director, Miss Eva Girard, was another grandchild, while a nine piece orchestra composed of as many more grandchildren played selections during the mass.

The number of great grandchildren was not recorded.

Mr. and Mrs. Girard were both born in Canada. He is 75 and his wife 67. They came to the states in their youth and met each other in Nashua, N. H. They were married in that city fifty years ago yesterday. They came to Woonsocket twenty-seven years ago and took up their home at No. 235 Rathbun street.

Thirteen children were born to the couple. Twelve of them are living. Mr. and Mrs. Girard received many presents and were showered with congratulations and good wishes.

Tyler-Bradley.

(Special to The Courant.)

East Hampton, Jan. 16.

The first wedding in the new St. John Episcopal Memorial Chapel took place Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, when Miss Myrtie B. Bradley, daughter of Mrs. John W. Bradley of this place, and Melvin I. Tyler of Hartford were married by Rev. W. P. Waterbury, rector. The chapel was prettily decorated, the color effect being green and white. As the wedding party entered the chapel, the wedding march was played by Professor A. W. Sedgwick of Middletown. The bride wore a raisin colored gown of Henrietta cloth trimmed with allover lace and Persian embroidery. A black picture hat was worn with the gown in going away. A luncheon was served at the bride's home, next door to the

POND-KARLMAN.

Wedding of Prominent Young People of Terryville.

(Special to The Courant.)

Terryville, Jan. 16.

Miss Mary Wheeler Karlman, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Karlman, became the bride of Judge Edgar LeRoy Pond, son of ex-Senator and Mrs. Edgar L. Pond, Saturday afternoon. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents on South Main street and was witnessed by only the immediate families of the couple. Rev. Spencer E. Evans, pastor of the Congregational church, officiated. The ring service was used. Following the ceremony a reception was held for those present. Judge and Mrs. Pond left late in the afternoon for a short wedding trip. They are to be at home to their friends in their new home, recently bought by Mr. Pond, at No. 15 Enfield street, Hartford, after February 1. The bride was married in her traveling suit of blue broadcloth.

Judge Pond was graduated from the Bristol High School as president of his class, entered Yale and was graduated in 1904 and from the Yale Law School in 1906. He was the first lawyer to hang out his shingle in Terryville. In the autumn of 1908 he was elected judge of probate for Plymouth, which office he now holds. In the summer of 1909 he discontinued his Terryville law office and became a member of the reportorial staff of "The Courant." He intends to make journalism his occupation.

Mrs. Pond is a musician of considerable ability. She took a four years' course of piano and organ playing at the New England Conservatory of Music in Boston from which institution she was graduated as organ soloist in 1908. She then became organist of Bristol's largest church, the Prospect Methodist Church.

GOLDEN JUBILEE CONCERT OF COLT'S ARMORY BAND.

Brilliant Program by Hartford's Famous Musical Organization—

The jubilee of an organization which for over fifty years has been in intimate touch with the public life of Hartford, which has figured at all of our more important civic and military demonstrations, which has, in a manner, been considered the official band at the capital and in this part of the state, is an occasion that properly calls for the active participation of the community. In the celebration of the Colt's band jubilee we celebrated our own past and the attention which at all times has centered on this musical body, the care with which its status was watched and the eager appreciation of its value, found full expression, Monday evening, at the jubilee concert at Parsons's, where, before a large and representative audience, the band played with all its accustomed vigor and expression, and was hailed by sincerest applause after each of the well delivered numbers. It accentuated the occasion that three of its former conductors were present to act in their old capacity. They were greeted with applause and during the evening Leaders Patz, Spary and Redfield demonstrated their old time quality. The band counted always among our civic assets and the people of our city took pride in its excellent musical standing and its successes. It may be said that this feeling was fully justified in all respects. The theater had a festive appearance last evening. In the boxes were Governor Weeks and his staff; Major Wilcox and the officers of the Foot Guard, the senior senator of the state and Mrs. Bulkeley, and the mayor of the city and Mrs. Hooker. And, all over the house, the people prominent in Hartford in various circles, were in evidence, and especially those who for long years had been friends of the band. Colonel William C. Skinner, president of the Colt's Arms company, was present, of course.

The concert opened with a rating march composed by Gustave A. Patz, the original conductor of the band, who conducted it, with undiminished vigor, just as half a century ago. Then followed the familiar and always welcome overture to "William Tell." It was splendidly delivered. The tempos were somewhat slow in the first part, but the bursts and climaxes came with power and effect, the pastorate was full of feeling and color, and the finale was given with dash and brilliancy. Although a fine rendition, in which the woodwinds did especially good service.

Conductor William C. Spary followed with "Reminiscences of Ireland," an interestingly arranged bouquet of Irish melodies. It was played in fine character, with spirit, local color and sentiment. And now came a strong number. Samuel J. Leventhal, accompanied by Mr. Prutting, played a Max Bruch Adagio of sustained and sentimental quality and a rather brilliant Wienlawski Polonaise. Both were delivered with finished art. The tone was not large, but smooth, elegant and throughout of musical color.

Then appeared Mr. William M. Redfield, well remembered from twenty years ago, when he was leader of the band. It was the same attractive figure and animated expression, and he conducted with picturesque effect. The pretty numbers, from "The Chocolate Soldier," new here and used by special permission, were delivered with rare dash and brilliant color. The Bulgarian march was fine and forceful, with just a touch of the savage; the "Letter Aria" was full of variety and playful expression; the aria "Come My Hero," had sentiment and uplift. They were produced with the best finish and color of the evening, and were very heartily applauded. And now appeared the present conductor of the band, Mr. Chester W. Smith, with a cornet solo. Mr. Smith is a brilliant cornetist. He played his own "New Creation Polka" with smoothness and finish, the highly florid variety musically, and always tone and rhythms. The was delivered showing expression. The Mrs. Grace Preston N. aria from "The Hug scene, where the "Raoul." It was voice, with fine art. The brilliant colors beautifully delivered in the entire re spot, where the second delivery proved a exhibited the fl show



At Right—SAINT MARTIN DIVIDING HIS CLOAK WITH A BEGGAR—Carved in wood, Flemish or German XVII century. In the J. P. Morgan collection in the Morgan Memorial, Hartford. This unique carving has held the attention of art lovers from all parts of New England.

Peterson Studio (Curtis-Scherzee)



MRS. SEYMOUR FORT — From the portrait by Copley in the Morgan Memorial gallery. This portrait, painted while Copley was living in England, is one of the finest examples of this famous painter's art.

Courant Photos

HAVE BEEN 70 YEARS WEDDED.

Troy, N. Y., January 20.—Seventy years of married life were celebrated last night by Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Shortsleeves. The husband is 92 years old and his wife is 88. They have five children, twenty-two grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren.

Mr. Shortsleeves is feeble in body, but strong in mind. He was the puddler who made the steel plates for the sides of the Monitor during the Civil war.

GEORGE P. DAY IS THE

NEW TREASURER OF YALE.

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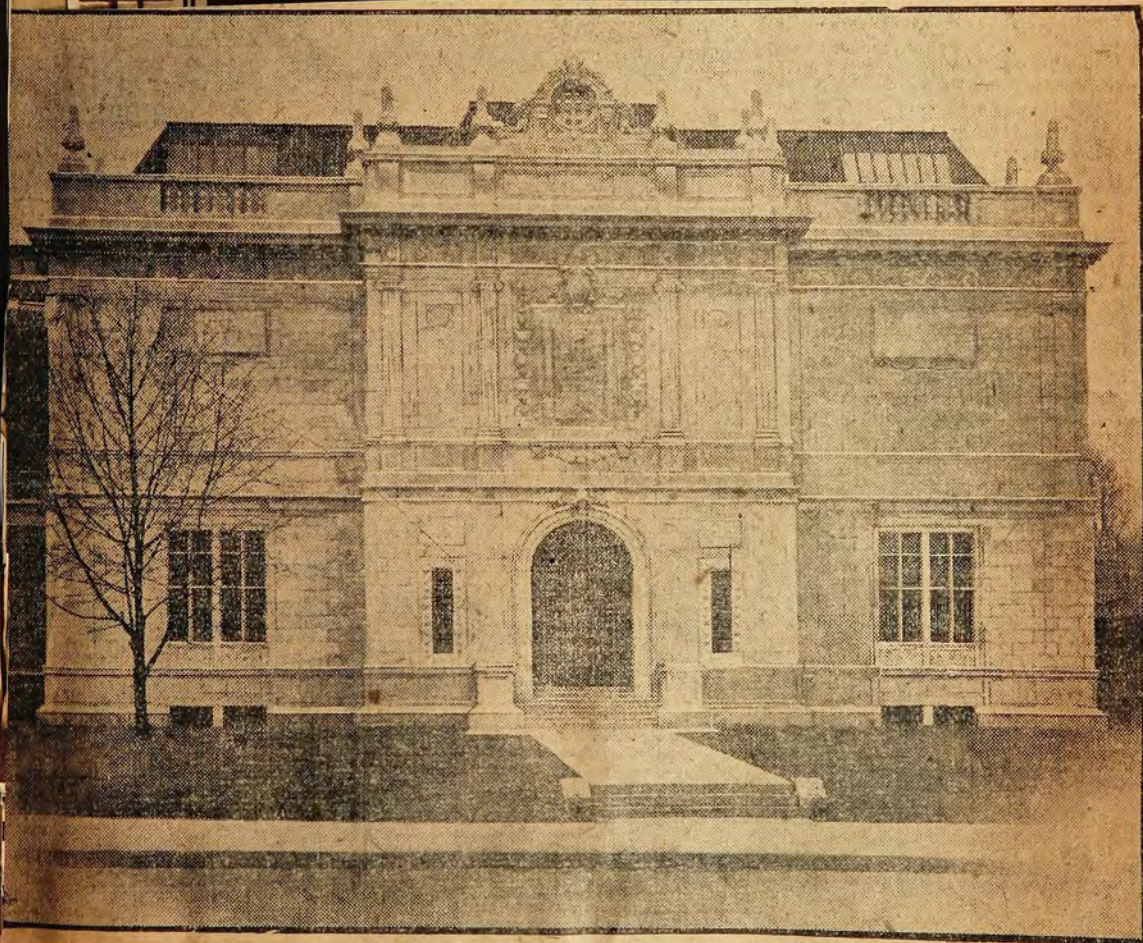
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Benediction—By Rev. Samuel Hart,
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gan and Mrs. Burns left in their spe-
cial train for New York at 4:30
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EX-SENATOR AND MRS. GATES 50 YEARS WED.

Ex-Senator and Mrs. William F. Gates, parents of Railroad Commissioner Andrew F. Gates of Hartford, will tomorrow celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage at their home in Lebanon, near this city. A

WILLIMANTIC, Tuesday, Jan. 25.

At their home on the Lebanon road, about two miles from and overlooking this city, ex-Senator William F. Gates and his wife will this afternoon celebrate their golden wedding, a reception having been arranged for the entertainment of the eighty-five relatives and friends who are to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gates have many years held in high esteem residents of the town of Lebanon. They are remarkably well pleased. They have an especially pleasant home so situated as to (Special) a wonderfully fine WILLIMANTIC. Celebrate many Willimant Mr. and Mrs. is a native of Lebanon, Windham, Ezekiel and Saled their silver and a direct descendant Thursday. first families to were married in Lebanon. She was Congregation and her maiden Rev. W. L. J. Ford. Her mother of Hartford, Gates took place was best married Gates of Bee, a sister the ceremony, bridesmaid, treasured possession C. Bingham served daguerreotypes. Gates and Dr. by Brady of Dr. Larrabee have were on their now occupy.

Mr. and Mrs. Mr. Larrabee children, one of best known March, 1861, died assessor for the city December 1861, widow and a son, many years, present time Gates, now a son, Charles Larrabee, his ninetieth year, Frank L. Windham Sil and three sons Windsor Locks, throp and Dr. Windham Cedar daughter of Gates of Lebanon, former Andrew F. G. Gates of Lebanon, prominent and fair. He was August 8, 1836, and he traces try back to Thomas Gates, Essex, England. The family prominent in the affairs of England the middle of the seventeenth century and Sir John Gates, then the family, was Chancellor Duchy of Lancaster and in the privy council which ruled during the reign of Edward. He espoused the cause of King Grey and as a result lost his estates and in July, 1653, he executed. Horatio Gates, was mandated at the battle of Saratoga, of this stock, and the first member of the family to join the English colonists in America was Stephen Gates, who came from Hingham, Eng., to Hingham, Mass., in the ship Diligent in 1638.

The father of William F. Gates was William Pitt Gates, who was born at Preston, this state, and who represented Windham in the Legislature at the session of 1866 and 1867. William F. attended the common schools of

Windham and also a select private school taught by Jabez Frink at South Windham. He enlisted for service in the Civil War in Company G, Twenty-sixth Regiment, Connecticut Volunteers, and was detailed as orderly to General Banks at headquarters of the Department of the Gulf. Six members of Company H of the Twenty-sixth, including Mr. Gates, have held seats in the Connecticut Legislature. He was honorably discharged from the army at Norwich in August, 1863. He has always been a republican and the first presidential vote cast by him was for Abraham Lincoln. In 1876 he was elected a member of the board of selectmen of Lebanon and he served several years as selectman, two as chairman of the board. In 1885 he was again elected a selectman and served



EDWARD PYNCHON

President Chicopee National Bank

death of former President West, was re-elected vice-president.

Leander W. White, former teller, and for 27 years connected with the bank, follows Mr. Pynchon in the cashiership, while Wilson R. Hodgen is promoted from the position of assistant teller to teller. He too has been long in the bank's employ, having commenced as a boy in March, 1886. Arthur E. Mathison, for 8 years with the bank, is made assistant teller.

Windsor Locks, January 27.—Beneath a semi-arch of southern smilax and palms and in the presence of a large company of relatives and other guests, Miss Ethel Louise Mather, daughter of Mrs. Frederick L. Mather, and George Gardner Crockett of New York were united in marriage Wednesday evening at the home of the bride's mother on Spring street. The ceremony, with a double ring service, was performed by the Rev. R. A. Dunlap, pastor of the Congregational church. The hallways, parlors and dining-room were decorated with smilax, palms and cut flowers. The bride's attendants were her sister, Grace Evelyn, as maid of honor, and Eloise A. Pomeroy, C. Louise Montgomery, Mae W. Seymour and Nan E. Bidwell as bridesmaids. The groom was unattended. To the strains of the "Lohengrin" wedding march by the Beeman & Hatch orchestra of Hartford, the bridal party marched from the upper hall to the front parlor, the maid of honor leading, followed by the bridesmaids, and then the bride, leaning on the arm of her mother. They were met at the arch by the groom and the officiating clergyman, who had entered by another door. The bride wore a dress of white satin, trimmed with pearls and duchess lace, and she carried a bouquet of lilies of

taken up by them.

Announcement was made last week of the retirement of Edward Pynchon from the presidency of the Chicopee national bank and the election of George A. MacDonald, treasurer of the North Adams trust company, to succeed him. Mr Pynchon becomes chairman of the board of directors. Mr Pynchon became president of the Chicopee bank on January 20, 1910, in succession to the late Arthur B. West, being promoted from the cashiership, in which position he was then succeeded by Leander W. White, who had been connected with the bank for 27 years. Mr Pynchon, who was born in this city, is one of the sons of Joseph C. Pynchon, long president of the Springfield Five Cents savings bank. He has been connected with the Chicopee bank for over 38 years, giving long and faithful service in the office of cashier. George A. MacDonald was born in North Adams 38 years ago and has lived his entire life in that city. He attended the public schools and his first employment was in the North Adams national bank, which he served in different capacities, advancing to the position of bookkeeper. He went from this institution to the accounting department of the Arnold print works, where he remained until the North Adams trust company was organized in 1904. He was elected first treasurer of that institution and has served in that capacity ever since.

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IN RECOGNITION OF LONG
AND FAITHFUL SERVICE.
Jan. 25, 1910
Past Master Isaiah Baker, Jr., Recipient of Silver Tea Service From
Lafayette Lodge.

An expression of the love and esteem of the members of Lafayette lodge, No. 100, F. and A. M. for Past Master Isaiah Baker, Jr., who retired, at his own volition, from the office of secretary, January 1, after a faithful service of fifteen years in that position, was manifested Tuesday evening, at the stated communication,

when Worshipful Brother Baker was presented a beautiful tea service, and resolutions appreciative of his services as secretary.

Past Master Baker, having been present at a previous communication when a committee was appointed to prepare resolutions appreciative of his services, was aware that such resolutions would be presented Tuesday evening, or at some future date, but the gift of the tea service came as a complete surprise.

There was a good-sized attendance. The master Mason degree was conferred, the candidate being Probate Judge L. P. Waldo Marvin. A recess was taken at a convenient part of the first section of the degree, and Worshipful Master Samuel G. Huntington called upon Secretary Past Master William J. Morrow to read the resolutions. They expressed appreciation of the interest Past Master Baker had taken in the lodge and his faithful labors as an officer during the years previous to his secretaryship and his efficient services in that office. The resolutions were prepared by Worshipful Master Huntington, Senior Warden George C. Hadlock, Junior Warden Otis J. Hart and Past Master John M. Parker Jr.

Past Master Walter S. Marvel spoke of the faithful and long continued services of Past Master Baker for the lodge, and thence speaking directly to Past Master Baker expressed to him the love and affection of his fellow members of the lodge, and in their behalf, made the presentation of the tea service, the screen which had concealed it being removed as he spoke. He also referred to a beautiful basket of flowers which were for Mrs. Baker.

Worshipful Brother Baker was much affected by the gift, but expressed his pleasure and appreciation in a pleasing manner. He said that he had tried to do his duties faithfully, and the cordial greetings and words of friendship shown him during his years as secretary had been a testimony of the satisfaction of the brothers in the way he performed the duties of his office. He did, however, appreciate this tangible proof of their affection very much.

A recess followed and a collation was served in the upper hall.

The lodge was then called to order and the work of the degree completed. Interspersed in the first section of the degree was a selection from "Faust," by Organist Robert H. Prutting.

The visitors present included Grand Secretary Frank W. Havens, Past Grand Master James McCormick, Forshipful Master William H. Nugent of St. John's lodge of Hartford; Worshipful Master Samuel H. Berry of Hartford lodge of Hartford; Past Master George M. Smith of St. John's lodge of Hartford; Past Master George Hurst of Hartford lodge of Hartford; Past Master Judge D. Ellsworth Phelps of Washington lodge of Windsor; Past Master Harold B. Waldo of Daskam lodge of Glastonbury; and Past Masters Foster E. Harvey, George A. Chandler, George O. Brott, Arthur O. Turner, Frank Harrington, Walter S. Marvel and John M. Parker, Jr., of Lafayette lodge.

The tea service consists of five pieces and tray. On the center of the tray is this inscription:

Presented
to
ISAIAH BAKER, JR.,
by
Lafayette Lodge, No. 100,
A. F. & A. M.,
Its Officers and Past Masters, January 25,
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Palms and southern smilax were used

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To the Editor of The Times:

On Monday, January 31, the Rev. John T. Huntington, rector of St. James's church for nearly forty years, celebrates his 80th birthday (he will tell you he is getting younger), and it would seem fitting from the remarks made to the writer by many of the rector's intimate friends that, by means of the press, we could, in a small way, pay homage to him for the splendid example and fruitful work he has done in St. James's parish and the city.

His kindness of heart is written indelibly in the minds of hundreds of Hartford's needy and hardworking

DR. HUNTINGTON 80 YEARS OLD.

Rector Of St. James's Church
Thirty-Two Years.

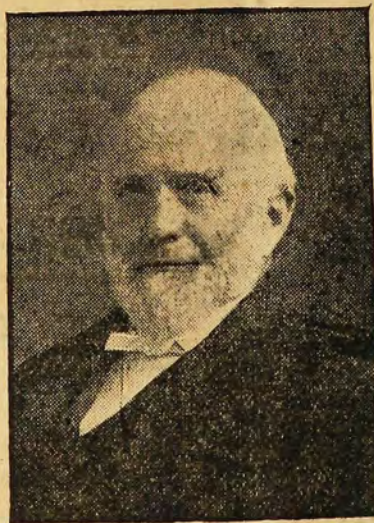
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ten there, so applicable that the words
might well have been Dr. Huntington's
as well as Schleiermacher's: "Never
shall the genial courage of life desert
me; what gladdens me now shall glad
den me ever. My imagination shall
continue lively, and my will unbroken,
and nothing shall force from my hand
the magic key which opens the mys
terious gates of the upper world, and
the fire of life within me shall never
be extinguished. . . . I shall never
think myself old until my work is
done, and that work will not be done
while I know and will what I ought."

"To the Rev. John T. Huntington,
the friend of very many, from Chaun
cey B. Brewster, with congratulations
and felicitations," added Bishop Brew
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Rev. Dr. John T. Huntington.

to Dr. Huntington. Another one was a
bouquet of carnations, eighty in all,
which Albert Lilley gave him from
the Men's Club of the church, express
ing the hope that the custom would be
continued for many years to come, and
Dr. Huntington said that with such
evidences of friendship and good will
he could not help working as hard as
he could to do all the good he could
so long as he was able.

The rooms on both the first and sec
ond floors were crowded. Dr. Hunting
ton, assisted by Mrs. Albert Entres, the
president of the Ladies' Missionary So
ciety, his daughter, Mrs. F. J. K. Alex
ander, and Mrs. George R. Goodman,
received in the front room of the par
ish house, which was decorated with
palms and roses. In the diningroom
refreshments were served, Mrs. Wil
liam T. Smith and Mrs. Theodore Her
zer pouring. On the table was another
gift to Dr. Huntington, a birthday
cake. It was a handsome frosted af
fair, but no candles burned on it. It
would have taken even a larger sur
face than it had, to support eighty. In
stead there was an inscription in red
frosting that told quite plainly that it
was Dr. Huntington's eightieth birth
day.

Music that was much enjoyed was
furnished by the Hartford Pub
lic High School Mandolin Club,
and on the second floor
during the latter part of the evening
the young people enjoyed themselves
by dancing.

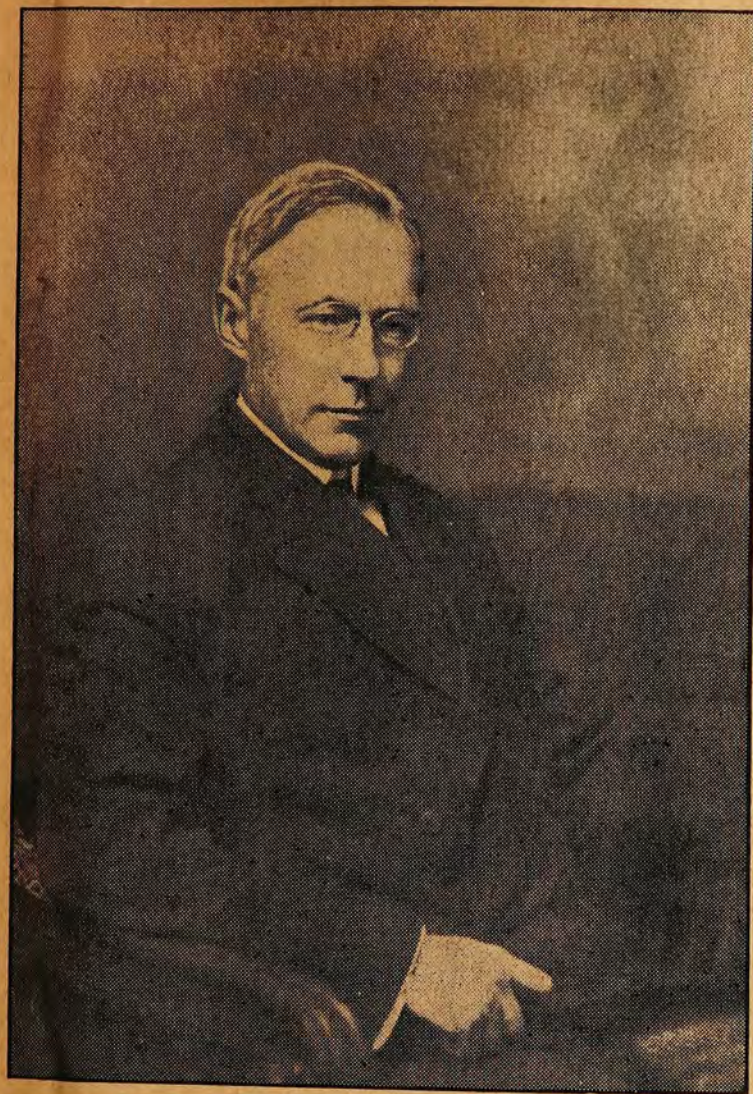
Dr. Huntington was born in New
Milford, Litchfield county, January 30,
1830. His father, Rev. Enoch Hunt
ington, was the rector of St. James's
Church in New Milford for twenty
one years and it was in that place
that Dr. Huntington received his early
education. He entered Trinity College
when he was 16 years old and was
graduated, valedictorian of his class,
in 1850. The next three years of his
life were spent at the General Theo
logical Seminary in New York, from
which he was graduated in 1853, and
that same year he was ordained in
Christ Church in this city by Bishop
Brownell. He then went to Philadel
phia, where for three years he was
curate at St. James's Church, and
leaving there he came to St. John's
Church in New Haven in 1856 as first
rector, where he remained until 1862.

In 1856 he married Miss Elizabeth
Tracy Williams, daughter of Captain
Williams of Norwich. From 1862 to
1864 he was the rector of St. John's
Church in Great Barrington, Mass.,
and in 1864 he was elected professor
of Greek at Trinity College, which po
sition he held for fourteen years. One
year after he came to the college as
a professor, with the assistance of
some students, he started the Sunday
school as a college mission which
in less than two years grew into the
present St. James's Church.

While still a professor Dr. Hunt
ington acted as rector of the church,
but later Rev. Cyrus F. Knight, after
wards Bishop Knight, was the rector.
In 1878 he resigned and Dr. Hunting
ton was called as rector, which posi
tion he has held ever since. During
his ministry the parish has grown
and prospered. The present parish
house, which was formerly the chapter
house of the Psi Upsilon fraternity at
Trinity College, was presented to the
parish by Dr. Huntington several
years ago. While at Trinity Dr.
Huntington was himself a member of
the Phi Kappa fraternity, which was
later affiliated with the national Greek
letter society, the Alpha Delta Phi
fraternity. He has two children liv
ing, Charlotte Elizabeth, the wife of
Rev. F. J. K. Alexander, rector of
Grace Chapel, and Haywood Hunting
ton of Springfield, Mass. Another

PROF. W. C. HAMMOND'S QUARTER CENTENARY ORGANIST HAMMOND.

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A City's Debt of Gratitude to a Musi-
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ORGANIST WILLIAM CHURCHILL HAMMOND OF HOLYOKE.

Who Has Just Passed the 25th Anniversary of His Incumbency at the
ond Congregational Church.



THE MUSIC BUILDING AT MOUNT HOLYOKE COLLEGE,

Built With Money Raised By Prof. Hammond for the Better Accommoda-
tion of His Department.

his breadth
of the power
has enriched
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great volunteer choir, trained to sing
scently and worshipfully has given

the benediction of noble Te Deums
and uplifting anthems in its own
church, and pointed the way that oth-
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In every woman's college in the land
a surplised choir now leads the way to
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rought out his vision of a long line
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In June, 1898, Prof. Hammond mar-
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HUNTINGTON—In this city, January 4, 1919, the Rev. John T. Huntington, D. D., aged 89 years. Funeral services at St. James's church tomorrow (Wednesday) at two p. m.

**Rector Emeritus of St.
James Church Passed
Away Saturday Evening.**

**OLDEST GRADUATE
OF TRINITY COLLEGE**

**Ordained in Hartford in
1853—Professor of Greek
14 Years.**

The Rev. Dr. John T. Huntington, the oldest living graduate of Trinity college; the senior priest in point of ordination in the Episcopal diocese of Connecticut, third oldest in point of residence in the diocese, rector emeritus of St. James church, and honorary president of the Connecticut Children's Aid society of which he was the chief officer twenty-one years, died at his home, No. 17 Clinton street, Saturday evening.

Illness incident to advance age was the cause of his death. He had been in poor health some time but was confined to his bed only a week.

Born in New Milford.

Dr. Huntington was nearly 89 years old. The date of his birth was January 30, 1830, and he was born in New Milford, a son of the Rev. Enoch Huntington, rector of St. James church, twenty-one years. His mother was Charlotte (Taylor) Huntington. He descended from the Huntingtons of Norwich who were prominent in the colonial period of the state.

His early education was received in New Milford and in 1846, at the age of 16, he entered Trinity college, where he was graduated in 1850, as valedictorian of his class. He entered the General Theological seminary from which he was graduated in 1853 and was ordained his judgment was always of value in determining matters of policy for the society. This organization and the cause of child welfare will miss his helpful presence."

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The present Mrs. Sullivan was his earliest sweetheart, but when John L. started on his career in the stock market, he followed the methods of his father, and in five years he had his net worth increased to \$1,000,000. He is now the owner of the old Sullivan estate, and is a member of the New York Stock Exchange.

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HAVEMEYER-WEBB WEDDING
 Prominent New York Families United by a Notable Marriage in St. Bartholomew's Church

Two of New York's most prominent families were united by the marriage at St. Bartholomew's Church yesterday of Miss Electra Havemeyer, younger daughter of the late Henry O. Havemeyer, and James Watson Webb, eldest son of Dr. J. Seward and Mrs. Webb, the latter formerly Lila Osgood Vanderbilt. The bridegroom is thus the grandson of the late William H. Vanderbilt. The wedding ceremony took place at four in the afternoon, with a throng of guests, and was one of the most brilliant affairs in New York society in a long time. Rev. R. Heber Newton of New York and Rev. Endicott Peabody of Groton officiated.

The bridal procession was led by the ushers, Vanderbilt Webb, a brother of the bridegroom; George Whitney, Joseph W. Burden, Robert L. Bacon, Ernest B. Tracy, Howard Roome, Gordon Abbott, James J. Higginson, Jr., Walbridge Taft, Hamilton Hadden and Whitney Kernochan. They were followed by the bridesmaids, the Misses Katherine Atterbury, Margaret Dix, Anita L. Peabody, Ethel Cowdin and Miss Louise Jackson. The matron of honor was the bride's sister, Mrs. Peter H. B. Frelinghuysen. The bride was escorted by her brother, Horace Havemeyer, who gave her in marriage.

The musical programme was a notable feature and was arranged by the organist, Arthur S. Hyde, formerly of Emmanuel Church, Boston. The music was rendered by the full vested choir. While the guests were being seated the choir and organ were heard in "O, for the Wings of a Dove," by Mendelssohn; Gounod's "Sanctus," Henschel's "Morning Hymn" and the Vorspiel and Chorale from "The Meistersingers." As the bridal party moved up the aisle Wagner's "Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin" was played. Other selections included "O, Perfect Love" and Doane's "Ancient of Days," with the Mendelssohn "Wedding March" as the bridal party left the chancel.

The church ceremony was followed by a reception for the relatives and intimate friends only at the Havemeyer residence, 1 East Sixty-sixth street. The house, which was decorated with a few tall palms and white flowers seen everywhere, is one of the most beautiful in New York, and is filled

INFANT A RICH HEIRESS
 Chicago Innocently Thought That Mrs. James Watson Webb Was Ill With Pneumonia.

Chicago has been the home of one of the richest heiresses in the United States for 11 days. It has just become known that the hurried visit to Chicago of Mrs. H. O. Havemeyer, widow of the "sugar king," and Mrs. W. Seward Webb of New York, was not to nurse their daughter and daughter-in-law, Mrs. James Watson Webb, back to health from an attack of pneumonia, as announced, but to be present at the presentation to the world of an heiress to the Webb-Vanderbilt-Havemeyer millions. At a little home at 155 East Division street the heiress made her debut in the world, while Chicago society thought Mrs. Webb was seriously ill with pneumonia. The grandmothers are still in the city, and will remain for a number of days at least.

Immediately after the marriage in New York last February, Mr and Mrs Webb sailed for Europe, where they spent their honeymoon motoring. On their return in the spring they went to Chicago to reside. Mr Webb took a position as clerk for Chicago and Northwestern railways.

Many people in Bristol received invitations yesterday morning from Hamilton, Bermuda, for the wedding on February 9, of Miss Allean Kempe, to Elias Morton Ingraham, eldest son of Walter A. Ingraham, president of the E. Ingraham Clock Company. The ceremony will be a society event in Hamilton. Miss Kempe is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kempe, prominent residents of that city. Mr.

Ingraham-Kempe Wedding.

Elias Morton Ingraham, son of Walter A. Ingraham of this place, will be married today at Hamilton, Bermuda, to Miss Emma A. Kempe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kempe of that city. The couple will remain in Bermuda for a time and return to Bristol in early spring. They will be at home to their friends here on and after April 1. Mr. Ingraham has been in Bermuda for some time and the wedding ceremony will take place in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.

WEST POINT PLACE

FOR HARTFORD LAD.

Senator Brandegee Gives Appointment to J. W. Weissheimer.

Word was yesterday that Senator Brandegee has appointed J. W. Weissheimer, son of 715 As ship in the Academy at V heimer recent examination: ternate for Henry's appo was one of fo the examinatio

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Sons of the American Revolution, will henceforth be known as the Colonel Jeremiah Wadsworth branch. This name was adopted by the members at a meeting at the home of Dr. George C. F. Williams, No. 990 Prospect avenue, Saturday evening. A constitution was adopted also, that of the New Haven branch being copied, with changes to meet local conditions.

Colonel Jeremiah Wadsworth, after whom the chapter is named, was a famous man in Connecticut during



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KINGSBURY-JENNINGS.

Feb. 12, 1910.
Hartford People Married Saturday in West Hartford.

Miss Ida Celestia Jennings and Dr. Louis Clair Kingsbury, both of this city, were married Saturday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Louis Denniston, No. 39 South Main street, West Hartford. Rev. Walter W. Winans, pastor of the First Methodist Church, performed the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Burr Jennings of Green Farms and the bridegroom is the president of the state board of osteopathic registration and examination. Owing to a recent death and present illness in the family of the bride, only immediate relatives and intimate friends witnessed the ceremony, which was followed by a wedding luncheon at the Heublein, which was given by the mother of the bride, Mrs. Edwin B. Jennings, who was unable to attend, owing to the illness of Mr. Jennings. Covers were laid for eight, those present in addition to the bride and bridegroom being Mr. and Mrs. Louis Denniston, Mrs. Herbert Beers of Southport, Miss Josephine Downes of Greens Farms and Mr. and Mrs. Ira H. Spencer. Dr. Kingsbury and Mrs. Kingsbury will live at the Normandie, No. 689 Asylum avenue, where they will be at home to their friends after May 1.

Lyman Beecher Stowe, a grandson of the author of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" and son of Rev. Charles E. Stowe, assumed yesterday his duties as secretary to William McCarroll of the New York public service commission. Mr. Stowe is a graduate of Harvard, in the class of 1904.

ON A JOURNEY AROUND THE WORLD

Feb. 12, 1910.
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Meyer, Jr., to Have an Extended Wedding Tour

Announcement is made of the marriage on Saturday afternoon, in New York city, of Agnes Elizabeth Ernst and Eugene Meyer, Jr., a banker of that city. The bride is the daughter of Frederick Henry Ernst, a New York lawyer, and Mrs. Ernst. She is a graduate of Barnard College and has given some time to literary pursuits. Miss Ernst returned recently from abroad, where she went to complete her education. She studied literature and history at the Sorbonne in Paris for a year, and then travelled for four months in Austria and Italy. She was a correspondent of one of the New York papers during this time, and intended to become a literary critic. She was a writer also for various magazines while abroad. Mr. Meyer is head of a Stock Exchange firm and is a director in several corporations. He is a graduate of Yale, class of 1897, and is a member of the Lotus Club. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs.

A "Real Daughter" Is 101 To-day.

Morgantown, W. Va., February 14. —Mrs. Susannah Guseman Cobun, a "real daughter" and member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, is 101 years old to-day, in good health, and, except for a slight deafness, retains all her faculties. The daughters have prepared an elaborate celebration of the day. Mrs. Cobun is the daughter of Abraham Guseman, who enlisted from Harper's Ferry at the age of 17 years, and served for seven years in the Revolutionary army. He was accidentally killed in 1821 while constructing a grist mill. Mrs. Cobun now lives with a granddaughter.

Birthday of Centenarian a Family Anniversary.

Baltimore, February 16.—The one-hundredth birthday anniversary of Mrs. Rachel Freedman was made the occasion last evening of a unique celebration.

Her descendants, with other members of the family from New York, Pittsburg, Washington and Norfolk, united not only in celebrating her centennial, but also the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of her granddaughter, Mrs. Louis Richter, of this city, and the fifth wedding anniversary of her great-granddaughter, Mrs. Benjamin Bodick, of Washington. They also witnessed the wedding of another great-granddaughter, Miss May Richter, to Paul Balterman, of Washington.

Mrs. Freedman is still vigorous and in the best of health. She was born in Poland and came to this country twenty-three years ago. The family, of which she is the oldest survivor, consists of five generations. She has one daughter living, two granddaughters, two grandsons, five great-grand-

THE YALE CORPORATION.

Mr. Clark of This City Succeeds Dr. Richards.

New Haven, Feb. 15.—It was announced tonight by the Yale University authorities that Charles Hopkins Clark, editor of the "Hartford Courant," had been elected a fellow of the university by the successors of the original trustees. Mr. Clark will take the place made vacant by the death of Rev. Dr. Richards, pastor of the Brick Presbyterian Church of New York. Mr. Clark was graduated from Yale in 1871. He is a director and treasurer of the public library, the Athenaeum and Watkinson Library in Hartford. He has been president of the Hartford Yale Alumni Association and is now its representative on the alumni advisory board. He is a member of the University and Century clubs of New York.

Congratulations From the President.

Mr. Clark received the following dispatch last evening from President Taft, who has been for years a member of the Yale corporation:—

The White House,
Washington, Feb. 15, 1910.
Charles H. Clark,
The Courant, Hartford, Conn.
I congratulate Yale and you on your election to the Yale corporation.
William H. Taft.

The Republican.

SPRINGFIELD, THURSDAY, FEB. 17, 1910.

The election of Charles Hopkins Clark, editor of the Hartford Courant, to be a fellow of Yale university is a fitting recognition of long and devoted service in a private capacity to the interests of the institution, and as well of a large acquaintance with educational questions and a warm sympathy with modern democratic ideas in educational development. Mr. Clark will be able to render his alma mater increasingly valuable service in his new official connection.

WETHERSFIELD. 13

Miss Emma Louise White and Harry Leslie Welles were married at the Griswoldville Chapel last evening at 6:45 o'clock. Rev. George L. Clark, pastor of the Wethersfield Congregational Church, performed the ceremony in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends. The bride was gowned in white voile over white silk and carried bridal roses and was attended by her sister, Miss Ada Mildred White, and Miss Eleanor Margaret Welles, a sister of the bridegroom, who wore white and carried rose and enchantress carnations. The ushers were Dr. Edward A. Deming, cousin of the bridegroom, and John D. Roberts of Meriden. An informal reception followed the ceremony after which Mr. and Mrs. Welles left for Washington, D. C. On their return they will reside in Griswoldville. Many choice gifts were received, among them being \$50 in gold from the associates of the bride in the office of the Pratt & Whitney Company of Hartford and a china dinner set from people on Hartford avenue, Wilcox Place and Wolcott Hill and one-half dozen silver teaspoons from people on Village street, all patrons on the mail route where Mr. Welles is the rural carrier. People on the remainder of the route gave three handsome parlor chairs.

Deacon and Mrs. Alden A. Baker Observe Their Golden Wedding.

Colchester, February 16.—On Tuesday afternoon Deacon Alden A. Baker and Mrs. Baker celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage by giving a reception to their friends and relatives at their home on Main street. About 150 were present, including Mrs. William E. Baker, Miss Gertrude Baker and George E. Baker of Hartford, and Arthur Baker and wife of Boston. Mr. Baker was born in Montville but almost all of his life has been spent in Colchester, where he married Margaret Worthington, and during all these years they have both been leaders in the life of the community. In 1864-5 he was principal of Bacon academy, and was for several years principal of the grammar school. He is the oldest living trustee of the academy and has been the treasurer since the death of Mr. Pierce. Both Mr. and Mrs. Baker have been closely identified with the interests of the Congregational church and of the Colchester library. They have two children, Arthur, who lives in Boston, and Lillias, wife of Ed-

NEW BRITAIN, Saturday, Feb. 19.

Resolutions on Miss Barnes.

Dr. J. L. Kelly presented a set of resolutions in which the board expressed its appreciation of the long service of Miss Jane Barnes in the public schools. She was recently retired on a pension as a permanent substitute teacher. The resolutions set forth that Miss Barnes was employed in the schools prior to the organization of the school district in 1873, having begun her service in 1862. She was principal of the Bartlett and later of the Northend School. Her record of forty-seven years is almost unparalleled and the board thanked her, congratulated her on her length of service and wished her many happy years. It was voted to spread the resolutions on the minutes and to send her an engrossed copy with the signatures of the officers of the board and superintendent of schools to be presented at the time the teachers give her their testimonial.

LONDON TERRACE

HAS BEEN INVADED.
FAMOUS OLD NEW YORK
BLOCK DISTURBED.

New York, Feb. 15.—London Terrace, that row of pilastered houses facing ample front yards on the north side of West Twenty-third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, has been invaded by the wrecking crew, and a hotel is to occupy the easterly corner.

When, in 1845, this section of New York was one of the fashionable residences, the row of comfortable houses was erected by William Torrey, who gave them the name of London Terrace. At that time the Hudson flowed not far from Tenth avenue, and its bank on this side was quite rugged and wild. The "Evening Post" tells the history as follows:—

The houses looked out over the old estate of Clement C. Moore, whose father, Bishop Moore, had married the daughter of Mrs. Molly Clarke. She had rebuilt the house after its partial destruction by fire, in which her father, Captain Thomas Clarke, a veteran of the French and Indian wars, had nearly lost his life. In 1750 this Captain Clarke, desiring a place in the country, bought the estate, built the house, and named it Chelsea, in honor of the Old Soldiers' Home near London, and perhaps with the hope that he would find there enough rural peace to make fitting the old saying which was applied to that home, "Dead as Chelsea."

At any rate, he had a fine estate which ran from Nineteenth to Twenty-fourth street and included the river bank. His communication with the more easterly part of Manhattan was then limited to the road called Love lane, which ran into the Bloomingdale road, now Broadway. And the atmosphere which the old soldier so much desired seems not to have been altogether lacking even to his descendants, for in the restored house in 1822, Clement Moore wrote that poem whose spirit is the very instinct of domesticity, "The Night Before Christmas."

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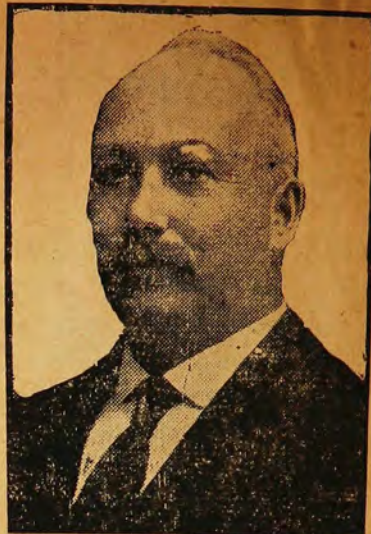
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AN ELOPING FAMILY.

Young McCook Follows Example of Mother and Sister.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 22.—Another elopement has taken place in the family from which Reed Knox, son of the secretary of state, took his bride. Sheldon McCook, son of Mrs. Lucy McCook, went to Wheeling Saturday with Alma Hayes and they were married. Sheldon is 20 and a student at Carnegie Technical schools. The bride is 17. Mrs. McCook says the news came as a shock, for it was little less than two years ago that her daughter, Bessie, eloped with Reed Knox. Mrs. McCook never saw her new daughter-in-law until her son brought her home. The parental blessing has been given, Mrs. McCook explaining that she could hardly reprimand the young folks as she herself eloped at 16.

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TWENTIETH CENTURY ROMANCE, LIMITED.

May-Aug 7, 1909.
Out Feb 1910.
**MARRIED IN AUGUST AND
KEPT THE SECRET.**

A romance is made known through announcement of the marriage of William Carlisle Pike of this city and Miss Phoebe Merryl Babbitt of Meriden. The wedding took place down at Block Island, August 7, and the wonder is that such a secret could have been kept so long. But there was a good reason for diligence—a parental aversion against a quiet wedding—and more than a little tact had to be employed to get the parental blessing. But where there's a will there's a way, it is said, in the end the stern father gave in, as he should do in any good romance, and now the families of both father and son are settled happily in the handsome residence at No. 1 Vine street.

The romance began two years ago at a house party on Bantam Lake, Litchfield. The young people had met formally before, but they both declare it was love at first sight. Mrs. Pike told the reporter last evening that she knew from the start that both loved each other, but that she would not let him see it for a long time. That was the reason both went around with, she another fellow, and he another girl, and neither was satisfied with the arrangement. It was also why she cut his every dance at the governor's ball and allowed "Ted" Lilley, the Yale football hero, to monopolize about all her time while there. Carlisle was fearfully angry at that, she said, and he stormed with his declarations of love. It was then that she told him that she would marry any man who owned a Stearns auto. He said he would buy the automobile to win the prize, although he was the owner then of a Pope-Toledo.

Last summer, down at the shore, they were in bathing one morning and it was then that it was all fixed up. They tramped up over a hot, dusty road for two miles, to get their marriage license and then back two miles to the minister's house. They stopped on the way back at the only jeweler's on the island and he had in stock but one wedding ring. It was a little too big and not just what was wanted, but it was a wedding ring, and Mrs. Pike said that they would have given \$100 for it if it had been asked of them. They were married by Rev. Dr. Horace A. Roberts, a resident clergyman on the island, and came back to Hartford the next day, which was Sunday. She went to her home in Meriden and he came to his home in Hartford, as he had to start off the next morning with his military company for the war maneuvers in Massachusetts.

A benedict for a day, he joined the "Blue Army of Invasion" and lived on hardtack and water a whole week. His father, Lafayette E. Pike, went up there to stay near him and see that he was well provided for. Coming back the real tussle with father began. He was stubbornly refused each time he spoke of getting married, although the marriage had already taken place. The father said that he

would buy him a Stearns automobile at once, if the boy would put off the marriage for six years, but the boy protested against this, although he wanted the automobile.

Things went along until Christmas time with the marriage still a secret. The young couple were invited down to New York for an engagement party at the home of Miss Babbitt's aunt, Mrs. Charles E. Bentley. Their engagement was then announced and they were showered with engagement presents.

APRIL 1, 1909.
PRIVATE PIKE WINS.

He Captures the Company K Competitive Drill After Two Hours' Work.

Private William C. Pike won the semi-annual competitive drill of Company K, First infantry, C. N. G., Wednesday evening, after a contest continuing over two hours. The drill was limited to privates, and thirty-one engaged in it. Captain Richard W. De Lamater drilled the contestants for a time and First Lieutenant Herbert S.



PRIVATE WILLIAM C. PIKE.
 [In the Uniform of a Captain of the Asylum Hill Cadets.]

King and Second Lieutenant Eben C. Hollis also drilled in succession. The final tryout was between Private Pike and Private Richard Nickse. The judges were Captain Hanford L. Curtis of Company E of New Britain, First Lieutenant George Fechtner of Company A, and Second Lieutenant Herbert A. Ross of Company F.

Private Pike is a son of Lafayette E. Pike. He attended school here and was captain of one of the companies of the Asylum Hill cadets. Later he was a lieutenant at the Peekskill Military school.

1912
 A son was born on March 8 to William Carlisle Pike and Merryle Babbitt Pike of No. 1 Vine street. The youngster has been named Bentley Chadwick Pike. He is a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Pike.

Mr and Mrs Ethan Hadley to Quietly
 Observe Their Anniversary.

Ethan and Mary L. Hadley of 137 Belcher street, Chicopee Falls, were married 60 years ago to-day in Newport, N. H. Mrs Hadley is in feeble health, and there will be no celebration of the event, except the gathering of the family at the home to-day and to-morrow. Ten years ago, when Mr and Mrs Hadley reached their "golden" anniversary, they entertained a large party at dinner at Wildes's hotel, now the Duquette. Mr Hadley's health remains as robust as it was when the previous anniversary was celebrated, and he still takes walks of two miles to Chicopee Center nearly every week. Mr Hadley was for 46½ years an employee of the Lamb knitting machine company, holding the contract during a large part of that time for the manufacture of the Dover egg-beater, which he improved by a device that was patented. Mr Hadley served in the civil war as a musician, belonging, with two of his brothers, to the band of the 2d regiment of New Hampshire volunteers. Mr Hadley was a member of the Chicopee Falls band, and for 17 years was leader of the choir of the Chicopee Falls Baptist church. He comes of Revolutionary stock and has the singular distinction of counting among his ancestors a grandfather and a great-grandfather who fought against the British at Lexington, April 19, 1775. A great-uncle and two sons of his great-grandfather were also engaged in that encounter, and the great-uncle was one of the men who fell dead after the volley from the British soldiers.

Mr and Mrs Hadley were born in the same town and in the same year. The town was Peterboro, N. H., and the year 1828. Mr Hadley's birthday is April 5 and his wife's June 17. Mrs Hadley is, so to say, a granddaughter of the Revolution, for her grandfather, Jabez Youngman, fought in the Revolution, and three of his brothers with him, one of whom was killed at Bunker Hill. Mrs Hadley, whose maiden name was Little, moved to Newport when her mother married a second time, and it was in Newport that Mr Hadley cultivated his acquaintance with the young woman who was to be his wife. They were married in Newport, February 19, 1850. In 1852 they went to Keene, N. H., where Mr Hadley worked for Foster & Felt, manufacturers of reed organs. He continued in this employment until the war broke out, when he enlisted in the first year as a musician along with two of his brothers. He stayed in the service one year, when the musicians were discharged. He did not re-enlist, but went to Chicopee and began to work as a machinist for the Massachusetts arms company. This plant was bought by the Lamb knitting machine company when that company was organized by T. C. Page, and Mr Hadley remained with the company until April 3 of last year, when he retired two days before he became 81 years old.

Mr and Mrs Hadley have two sons and a daughter, six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. The oldest of the children, Edson P. Hadley, lives at 137 Belcher street and works in Taylor's music house in Springfield. The daughter is Mrs Nellie Herrick of Boston, who

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REV. MR. KELSEY TO LEAVE FOURTH CHURCH.

JANUARY 10, 1910.

RESIGNATION READ AT SUN- DAY SERVICE.

Rev. Dr. Rockwell Harmon Potter of the Center Church, who preached in the Fourth Church yesterday morning in exchange with the pastor, Rev. H. H. Kelsey, read the latter's resignation to take effect January 31. After reading the resignation Rev. Dr. Potter added a few words expressive of the feeling of regret of the congregation and of the Christian people of the city at Mr. Kelsey's decision and then offered prayer. No action was taken by the church yesterday, but a meeting will be held next Thursday evening to act upon the resignation. Rev. Mr. Kelsey's letter of resignation is as follows:—

To the Officers and Members of the
 Fourth Congregational Church,
 Hartford.

Dear Brethren: About the middle of last October I was informed by the committee of the First Congregational Church of Marietta, O., of their unanimous and urgent desire that I should permit that church to extend to me a call to its pastorate.

The circumstances attending their action were such that I could not refuse its consideration, though it then seemed utterly improbable that I could consider it with favor; nor could I refuse their invitation to visit Marietta. The date of this visit was of necessity postponed until December 5. It was yet my conviction that my work was still in Hartford.

For more than three weeks I waited for indications of the Lord's will to be in some way made known to me, until his leading should be unmistakably clear. Contrary to my expectation and in ways strange and unexpected he has led me to the conviction that it is his will that I should accept the call to Marietta.

It has become clear to my judgment that it is best for this church, for which I have lived twenty-one and one-half years, that its leadership should now be transferred to another. It is also my restful conviction that the Lord has other work for me to do. I therefore hereby present to you my resignation of the pastorate of this church to take effect, with your approval, on the thirty-first day of January, 1910.

I ask you, in case you accept my resignation, to unite with me in calling a council of our sister churches that it may, according to Congregational usage, dissolve this pastoral relation. I wish to express to you all my deepest and most grateful appreciation of your splendid loyalty, cooperation, devotion and affection, without which these years of service would have been impossible.

Praying on your behalf that the great gift of God in Christ may be the rich possession of each one of you, my beloved people, and that the Lord may so gird you with power for service and may so guide and prosper you therein that the church shall grow in power and prosper in achievement, I am,

Your fellow servant in Christ,
 Henry H. Kelsey.

The church whose call Rev. Mr. Kelsey has accepted is the oldest ecclesiastical organization in Ohio, the body of men and women who formed it having met for public worship on July 15, 1788, perfecting their organization within a short time thereafter.

There are 35 Lithuanian families in the parish, with a large church in Norwich, as a priest, Father Ambrosius, is connected with the Lithuanian population of about 5,000 Lithuanians. One of these priests is in the parish of the Holy Trinity, Norwich, and another in the parish of the Holy Trinity, Norwich.

The council was attended by fourteen ministers, eight delegates and three individuals.

Following the meeting there was a short session of the supply committee. The following resolutions were passed by the church:—

Whereas in the course of events the First Congregational Church of Marietta, O., has been led to extend to our pastor, Rev. Henry Hopkins Kelsey, a unanimous call to its pastorate, and

Whereas, Mr. Kelsey, after prayerful consideration, has decided to accept the call and sever his connection with this church, and

Whereas, In humble submission to the divine will this church assembled on January 13, 1910, reluctantly voted to accept such resignation to take effect on February 28, 1910.

Be It Resolved, That we, the members of the Fourth Congregational Church of Hartford, in accepting his resignation wish to put ourselves strongly on record in commending the faithful ministry that has been exercised here for more than a score of years. It has been a labor of love without stint to the last measure. No sacrifice has been too great, no task too onerous for this man of zeal to assume. He has been to us all a father, he has rejoiced in our joys and shared in our sorrows.

During his ministry this organization has grown from comparatively small things to one of the great churches of this commonwealth, the number now on its muster is but a faint suggestion of the multitude that have passed under his care and shepherding. The work has been systematized and made efficient in all its departments.

To speak of the many things that have been added to the equipment of the gospel plant in such matters as a remodelled church, new organ, enlarged social and Sunday school rooms, the introduction of the vested choir, would need much space. We are much the richer because of his stay. His work has not been bounded by the limits of his parish, he has been a zealous citizen furthering at every point the interests of Hartford.

In the larger work of our denomination he has made his name a power and placed this church in the first rank of the institutional churches of the land, so that from all sides eyes are turned toward it to get help in new methods, and inspiration in solving the different problems of downtown evangelization. He has proved himself a workman that need not be ashamed in any position of God's great vineyard, and of whom any people may be proud. What he has done here is a prophecy of his achievement in his new field of labor. What is our loss in Marietta's gain. We commend him to our sister church in Ohio as an ideal type of Christian, a faithful servant of the Master.

We should be untrue to ourselves, did we not speak of genuine appreciation for the devoted and loving helpmeet who, we recognize, has made such a fair record possible. There is a power behind every throne; and the hand that has given impulse and direction to all the intricate workings of this church's activity could never have been accomplished without the heart that beat in tenderest union to the heart of the strong man. The pillar has been crowned with lily work.

We give our honored pastor and his wife the hearty assurance that our interest does not leave them as we sadly speak the parting word. With every league of the distance they remove from us they will make a lengthening chain. We shall never cease to pray for them and think of them as long as we draw our breath.

The word of their success will ever bring us joy and cause us to bless anew the common Father of us all. May that God, whose presence vouchsafed to his own, bring us together, though seas and lands divide, fill their hearts with a deep sense of His own peace, give abundant fruitage to the labors of their hand, strike through the twilight hours of their lives with the light of the evening time and finally lead them, as more than con-

FEBRUARY 22, 1910. FAREWELL TO REV. AND MRS. HENRY H. KELSEY.

Purse of Gold Presented to Them at Church Reception.

A farewell reception for Rev. Henry H. Kelsey and Mrs. Kelsey was given last evening by the members of the Fourth Congregational Church in the chapel and a large number of parishioners and other friends, including many of the clergymen in the city, called to wish them godspeed. A purse of \$150 in gold was presented to Rev. Mr. Kelsey by C. B. Andrews on behalf of the members and friends of the church. The money was concealed in a mustard pot. Mr. Kelsey responded briefly, thanking the members of the church for their gift and expressing his sorrow at the breaking of the pastoral ties. On behalf of the Sunday school, Louis F. Koehler gave Rev. Mr. Kelsey and Mrs. Kelsey a handsome clock. An engrossed copy of the resolutions of regret, passed by the church at the time of Mr. Kelsey's resignation, bound in leather, was presented to Mr. Kelsey by Rev. Otis W. Barker, and the resolution of regret, passed by the Sunday school, were presented to the pastor by George Kane.

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DR. KELSEY CALLED TO MISSION FIELD MARCH 12, 1915.

Former Pastor of Fourth
Church to Have Charge
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Laid in Los Angeles.
Rev. Dr. H. H. Kelsey, formerly pastor of the Fourth Congregational Church in this city and now pastor of the First Congregational Church at Marietta, O., has been called to the work of district secretary of the American Board of Foreign Missions, with headquarters at San Francisco, having for his territory the entire Pacific coast of the continent. It is believed that he will accept the call.

Dr. Kelsey was in Hartford recently, having taken part in the dedicatory exercises at the new Fourth Church last fall. He left the city in 1910, shortly after a farewell reception had been given him in February of that year by the members of the church. At that time he had worked in this city over twenty-one years. He is now 63 years old.

He was graduated in 1879 from the Hartford Theological Seminary and remained there as an instructor until 1882 when he became assistant pastor of the Shawmut Congregational Church in Boston. He remained there until 1888, when he came to the Fourth Church as assistant pastor of Rev. Dr. Graham Taylor and succeeded him as pastor. He was chaplain of the First Regiment, C. V. I., during the Spanish-American war and was a member of the board of trustees of the Hartford Theological Seminary, the Hartford School of Religious Pedagogy and

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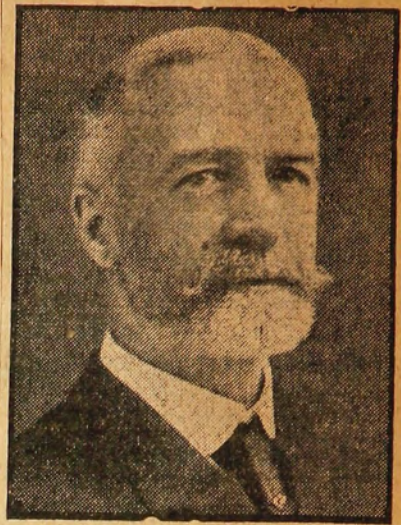
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JULIUS G. SKINNER

MARRIED FIFTY YEARS.

Feb 22, 1910
Prominent Wethersfield Couple Wedded by "Father Fisher."

Just fifty years ago today Julius G. Skinner of Wethersfield and Miss Louise Lewis, daughter of Nelson Lewis of Stafford Springs, were married in this city by "Father" Fisher, at that time a prominent Episcopal clergyman of this city. Mr. Skinner, who is 84 years of age, does not feel able to withstand the excitement of a golden wedding celebration and for that reason the anniversary will be quietly observed.

Mr. Skinner is a son of Charles Skinner, and is descended from the old family of Skinners that settled in the southern part of the city in 1636 on land now incorporated in Goodwin Park. This property remained in the Skinner family until 1897, when the city took twenty-two acres of it for the park. The old Skinner homestead was included in this and is still standing opposite the entrance to the park. For years a portion of this land was famous hereabouts as "Skinner's Grove," and numerous picnics were held and ball games without number pulled off.

The Skinner family also at one time owned all the land in the south meadows by deed from the Lords in 1685. When the city purchased the Goodwin Park property Mr. Skinner went to Wethersfield, where he bought property on Nott street.

Mr. Skinner at one time was a member of the First Company, Governor's Horse Guards. The principal part of his life has been spent in farming, although for one year he was a tailor in Lawrence, Mass. He has two children, Nellie, who is the wife of Joseph Sanderson of Wethersfield, and George Skinner, who married a daughter of Frank J. Lord and lives on Garden street. He also has nine grandchildren, the four daughters and two sons of Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson, and Arthur, Howard and Gladys, children of Mr. and Mrs. George Skinner.

HOLDEN-CORDIS WEDDING.

Feb 22, 1910
Longmeadow Man and Springfield Girl Married in Washington, D. C.

Word was received yesterday of the marriage of T. Edward Cordis of Longmeadow and Miss Annie Marguerite Holden of Springfield. The ceremony took place in Washington, D. C., Tuesday, at the home of Rev Dr Samuel H. Woodrow, 1303 R street, N. W. Mr and Mrs Cordis after a brief stay in Washington will take an extended trip through the South, returning North in a few months.

Springfield, Mass. April 18, 1911
BORN. In this city 18th, at Wesson maternity hospital, a son (Thomas Francis, 2d) to Mr and Mrs T. EDWARD CORDIS.

DEAN—In this city, July 15, 1911, a son, Nathaniel Bradford, to Arthur B. and Grace Dix Dean.

Dean-Dix Wedding, 22, 1910

Miss Grace Viola Dix, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Dix of No. 56 Buckingham-street, and Arthur Bradford Dean of Taunton, Mass., were married at the Hotel Garde yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Rev. Dr. John Coleman Adams, pastor of the Church of the Redeemer. Milton Dean of Taunton, a brother of the bridegroom, was the best man and Miss Gertrude Barnes of East Hartford was the bridesmaid. The parlors were elaborately decorated for the occasion with bride roses, white carnations, ferns and palms. The ceremony was performed in front of a bank of palms. Following the wedding the parents of the bride gave a dinner to the immediate families and a few intimate friends of the young couple. Souvenir menu cards in the shape of a white wedding bell tied with white ribbons and decorated with lilies-of-the-valley were placed at each plate. About forty were at the dinner. The dining room was handsomely decorated with bride roses, pink and white carnations, asparagus and ferns. Mr. and Mrs. Dean will reside on Arnoldale road.

PRESENTED WITH 28TH CHILD.

Feb 18, 1910
Oscar Darling, a civil engineer and inventor of Babylon, L. I., became the father yesterday of his 28th child. He is 65 years old and has been twice married. The first Mrs Darling died in 1884, the mother of 15, three of whom died in infancy. Of the 12 that lived to maturity, two have since died. Two years after the death of his first wife, Mr Darling married again, and, in the 24 years of his second marriage, has had 13 children more, all of whom have lived. There are now 23 children living and, when the family holds a reunion, the neighbors have to open their doors for the overflow.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Annie Frances Eldridge of this city to William Henry Murray of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Quietly Married at Trinity

Announcement is made of the marriage of Marion Victor McKay, son of the late Gordon McKay of Newport, R. I., to Miss Ida F. Mitchell of Lawrence. The ceremony was quietly performed at Trinity Church by Rev. Alexander Mann, D.D., rector of the parish.

BOSTON CLUBMAN TO BE MARRIED

Romance Revealed Through Application for a License to Wed, 1910

The approaching marriage of a Boston clubman, Henry Sanford Mann, to Miss May Nash Skidmore of New York, has become known through the application by the prospective bridegroom for a marriage license. Miss Skidmore is the daughter of William L. Skidmore of New York, where the wedding is soon to take place. Mr. Mann, who has maintained a bachelor apartment in The Royal, at 297 Beacon street, is a member of the Somerset, the Country, the Eastern Yacht and other clubs. He was born in Boston and always has lived here and is well known in business life. In his application for a license, Mr. Mann stated his own age to be fifty-five years and that of Miss Skidmore as forty-seven years. They first met some years ago at Newport, where the Skidmores spend the summer seasons.

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Annul of Mr. James Eldridge
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BLISS-THOMAS ENGAGEMENT

Announcement Which Interests a Wide Circle of Friends of Two Prominent

JANUARY 31, 1910

Announcement was made today of the engagement of Miss Elizabeth Bliss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester W. Bliss of Springfield, to Arthur Malcolm Thomas, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Rand

THE BLISS-THOMAS WEDDING

SOCIETY EVENT AT BOSTON.

BRIDE A SPRINGFIELD GIRL.

Groom a Boston Young Man, a Student at Harvard.

Special Dispatch to The Republican **1910**
Boston, Thursday, February 24.

One of the pleasing events of the Lenten season in society circles was the wedding at noon to-day of Miss Elizabeth Bliss, daughter of Mr and Mrs Chester W. Bliss of Springfield, and Arthur Malcolm Thomas, eldest son of Mr and Mrs Isaac Rand Thomas of Commonwealth avenue, Boston. The ceremony was performed in the bay window of the front drawing-room of the apartments of Mr and Mrs Bliss in the Hotel Agassiz by Rev Dr Alexander Mann, rector of Trinity church, assisted by Rev William Greenough Thayer.

The bride wore white satin, with veil fastened with orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of white orchids and lilies-of-the-valley. Her only ornaments were ear-rings of diamonds and pearls, the gift of the bridegroom. She was attended by Mrs C. P. Greenough of Commonwealth avenue, Boston, who, as matron of honor, wore white satin with chiffon coat edged with pink and hat of black velvet with pink tulle, and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The bridesmaids, who were attired like the matron of honor, were Miss Elizabeth Thomas, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Helen Read of Manchester. Little Miss Dolly Bliss, sister of the bride, daintily attired in pink chiffon, was flower girl, and carried a large basket of pink roses. Holding the ribbons for the wedding party, two on each side, were Misses Eleanor and Edith Fabryan and George and Everett Fabryan, cousins of the bridegroom, and the children of Mr and Mrs Francis W. Fabryan. The Misses Fabryan were dressed in pink, with hats of black and pink trimmings. The bride's going-away gown was of blue serge, with trimmings of black silk, and she wore a small black chiffon hat of pompadour effect. Mrs Bliss, the bride's mother, wore black lace over white. The bridegroom's mother was dressed all in black.

The best man was Addison Bliss, brother of the bride, and a student at St Mark's school. The ushers were: Robert Gilpin Ewin, Harvard, 1913, of Philadelphia; Dawson Coleman of Philadelphia; Henry Curtis Dewey, Harvard, 1912, of Memphis, Tenn.; John Simpkins, Harvard, 1912, of Washington, D. C.; Carleton Burr of Milton, Harvard, 1913; Robert Potter of Philadelphia, Harvard, 1912; Harry and Shaw McKean, both of Philadelphia, Harvard, 1913, and Harold Beebe of Boston, Harvard, 1913.

The apartments were decorated in pink, roses being used unsparingly. The music was furnished by a string orchestra. The wedding party formed in the dining room at the rear of the apartments and entered the drawing-room to the strains of the "Lohengrin" march. The recessional was the Mendelssohn march. Following the ceremony there was a reception, which was attended by about 250 guests, many of whom came from Springfield, where the bride is widely known and popular, and a number from Philadelphia. Among those from Springfield were Mrs H. A. Gould, Mr and Mrs C. A. Bowles, Mr and Mrs R. K. Clark, Mr and Mrs James

JOSEPH WOOD OF VERMONT

IS NOW 110 YEARS OLD.

Industry and Frugality Traits of Aged

Man—Town Has 22 Others More Than 70 Years.

Brattleboro, Vt., Feb. 25.—Joseph Wood of Weston, a little town back in the Windham county mountains, is undoubtedly the oldest person in the state, and he may hold the record of all New England, for yesterday he celebrated his 110th birthday anniversary.

According to the best information obtainable, he was born in Canada, near the city of Montreal, February 24, 1800. Industry and frugality have been traits which have distinguished him throughout his life, and as a result he has always been able to enjoy a pleasant and comfortable little home.

As a young man he was a laborer and wood-chopper. He has found great pleasure in the woods, and fishing and boating have always been attractions to him. There with his friends and his pipe, his family and a goodly supply of home-grown tobacco he has found what has been to him the ideal recreation. In his ancestry he takes the greatest of pride. His parents were of the true Parisian French. They came from France to Canada about three months before he was born. His grandfather lived to be 112 years old. His father might have lived to an equally great age except for a peculiar accident received when he was 99 years old, when in attempting to lift four bushels of peas in a test of strength he ruptured himself and died.

Until he was 50 years of age Mr. Wood lived in Canada among his relatives and friends. He then came into Vermont, and has since made his home in the town of Weston. He early became a naturalized citizen. He still is able to speak French better than English. He has been twice married. By his first wife he was the father of four children, and by his second marriage one child has been born. His later marriage took place 63 years ago and to-day Mr. and Mrs. Wood are both strong and well. Mrs. Wood is 79 years old and was born February 5, 1831.

About ten years ago Mr. Wood's eye-sight began to fail and he is now totally blind. Mr. and Mrs. Wood have a cozy little cottage on a small farm and both are thoroughly enjoying life.

Evidently the pure air and the quiet and simple life of Weston is suited to long life, for in the town, which has about 750 inhabitants, there are twenty-two men 70 years and over.

He died May 31, 1910, aged 110 yrs.



MRS. AUGUST BELMONT.

Who Was Miss Eleanor Robson.

MISS ROBSON, AUGUST BELMONT.

Engagement of Actress and Capitalist
Formally Announced—

Formal announcement of the engagement of Miss Eleanor Robson to August Belmont was made at New York last night to a wide circle of friends. The engagement has for a long time been expected, and its official confirmation cannot be said to have created surprise. Miss Robson closed her season last night in Brooklyn, passing with the fall of the curtain from professional to private life. She will return to her home in New York city, where she will remain until the marriage.

Miss Eleanor Robson, although of English parentage, was brought to this country as a child and has always lived in New York state. She was educated in a convent school, where she remained until she was 18. It was then necessary for her to choose a calling, and she chose the stage, a profession in which her mother, Mrs. Madge Carr Cook, had already achieved success. Her successful career as a star began at the Garden theater, New York, as Mary Ann in "Merely Mary Ann" about five years ago.

August Belmont is the youngest of the three sons of the late August Belmont and of Mrs. Belmont. His

New York, Feb. 26.—It was learned to-day that the marriage license bureau in the City Hall had been kept open after hours last night for the issuance of a marriage license to August Belmont and Eleanor Elise Robson the actress, whose engagement was recently announced.

Mr. Belmont made the arrangement by telephone, but did not inform Chief Clerk Scully of his identity. Consequently the appearance of Mr. Belmont and Miss Robson, who motored

Belmont-Robson Wedding.

August Belmont stole a march on

BELMONT-ROBSON WEDDING.

Millionaire and Actress Are Married

Feb. 26, 1910
at New York.

August Belmont, Sr., the banker and millionaire race horse owner, and Miss Eleanor Robson were married at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at New York in Miss Robson's house. At the recent announcement of their engagement it was said that the marriage would not take place until some time in March. It became known yesterday that Mr. Belmont and Miss Robson had appeared late Friday night at city hall in New York and taken out a marriage license, avoiding, by the lateness of the hour, the scrutiny of the curious.

There were no bridesmaids or ushers, and the list of guests were closely restricted to the immediate family and intimate friends. The bride was given away by her cousin, Charles Robinson Smith, and Arthur Lithgow Devens of Boston, Mr. Belmont's classmate at Harvard, was best man. Immediately after the ceremony Mr and Mrs Belmont left for a trip through the South. In March they will sail for the Mediterranean.

Mr Belmont was a widower and is 57 years old. His wife died in Paris in 1898, and they had three sons—August, Jr., admitted this year into the banking firm of August Belmont & Co; Raymond, recently graduated from Harvard, and now a clerk in his father's banking-house, and Morgan, still at an eastern preparatory school. Miss Robson gave her age in taking out the marriage license as 31.

"LADY" ALICE PRIESTLY MARRIES

Daughter of Prominent English Manufacturer Becomes Bride for a Second Time *March 27, 1910*

"Lady" Alice, Constance Grace, eldest daughter of Sir William Edwards Briggs Priestly, the multi-millionaire English cravenette manufacturer and member of Parliament for Yorkshire, was married last evening to J. Franklin Pierce Moshier at the home of the latter's parents in Greenwich, Conn. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. B. Alley, a retired Baptist clergyman. This is the bride's second marriage. A divorce has just been made final between her and her former husband, John F. Degener, a wealthy man, representing the Priestly house in New York. Mr. Moshier's name figured in the divorce suit brought by Mr. Degener. Mr. Moshier's father, Frank Pierce Moshier; his sister and her husband were present at the wedding. The bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Moshier, who all along has been strongly opposed to the match, left for Ocean Grove, N. J., where she has a country place. The Degeners went to Greenwich five years ago, when Mr. Degener bought a fine country place on the Field Point road, in one of the aristocratic sections of the town.

STAFFORD SPRINGS.

KINGSBURY GOLDEN WEDDING.

March 1, 1910
Event Observed at Congregational Church—A Former Springfield Man.

The golden wedding of Mr and Mrs George R. Kingsbury of Stafford Hollow was observed at the Congregational chapel last evening. Miss Lulu Ide and Miss Ruth Dunham entertained the guests with music and readings. The members of the ladies' aid society had spent considerable time in preparation for the event, and on all sides there was evidence of the esteem in which Mr and Mrs Kingsbury are held in the community. The chapel was appropriately decorated for the occasion. After being showered with the greetings and best wishes of the party, the couple were presented \$100 in gold, \$50 of which came from the four sons and son-in-law, Wallace T. Jones.

George Rufus Kingsbury and Miss Mary J. Davis, daughter of Eber and Lucy Davis of Somers, Ct., were married in Somers, March 1, 1860, Rev George A. Ovaett performing the ceremony. George R. Kingsbury, son of Rufus and Celia Kingsbury, was born in South Hadley Falls, May 9, 1840, and when a child moved with his parents to Springfield. When he was about 12 years old the family moved to Somers, where he attended the public schools. After leaving school he learned the wool sorter's trade. He became proficient in this line, and has been employed in this capacity in and about Stafford for several years. He is now employed in the Phoenix mill in Hydeville, and is one of the company's most trusted employees. The careful and thorough manner in which he performs all of his duties makes him a valuable acquisition to any establishment. Mrs Kingsbury spent her girlhood days in Somers, where she was born in June, 1840. She attended school in her native town. Five children, four sons and one daughter, were born. The

daughters, Mrs. Lamson, widow of the Rev. Dr. C. M. Lamson, who has been the editor of Life and Light during the past seven years, has resigned, and will take up her residence on the Pacific coast. The March number of Life and Light will be the last to be issued under the direction of Mrs. Lamson. She has many friends in the Center church, who will greatly regret her removal from the east.

RETURNS TO CITY AFTER 60 YEARS.

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March 1, 1910

WILLIAM H. PRATT AGAIN IN HIS NATIVE STATE

Mr. Pratt, after a few years in this vicinity, left Hartford in 1847, going to New York. On December 22, 1848, he left New York for California, having the gold fever. He was a passenger on the California, the first steamer to go through the Golden Gate, and he landed in San Francisco February 28, 1849, sixty-one years ago Monday. The boat had about 600 passengers and it has been their custom to get together annually at San Francisco on the anniversary of the day of their landing there. Now there are only five living. It has been Mr. Pratt's rule to attend these meetings, but his presence in the East this year made it necessary for him to send a letter of regret.

Mr. Pratt is a Yankee, being a descendant of William Pratt, one of the founders of Hartford, and the Yankee shrewdness came into play after he had been in the West a while, his experience among the gold seekers telling him their needs. Accordingly he returned East and, with the proceeds of his gold digging, which had been a successful venture, he got together a stock of merchandise made up of articles which he knew would find a ready market in California. Unfortunately, much of this stock was burned in the disastrous fire in San Francisco in 1850, although some was saved, as the entire stock was not shipped by one route.

The former Connecticut man has not been without his longings for his native state all these years, and he attributes his failure to return to being "too busy," the national capital being the nearest point to Connecticut which he has reached in the sixty years. He has been in mercantile lines most of his life, although he has been in politics, sometimes as a vocation and sometimes as an avocation. At present, in spite of his four score and more years, he is port warden of the port of San Francisco. He held office in California under Lincoln and has two commissions bearing the signature of the martyred President, and he also served the government under Presidents Chester A. Arthur and Benjamin Harrison. He was in the federal army at the time of the Civil War. He was a whig in early life and a republican since the birth of the latter party, whose conventions he has often attended.

Mr. Pratt was recently in Washington, D. C., where he met General Thomas McManus of this city and they got into a reminiscent vein. While Mr. Pratt was but 13 years old at the time William Henry Harrison was a candidate for the Presidency, he remembers the "Tippecanoe and Tyler, too," campaign and the log cabin in this city. His mother is buried in the Old North Cemetery and one object of his trip to this city was to visit her grave. He will go to New Haven today and later go to New Orleans and then to mining property in Arizona, before returning to California. Mr. Pratt, before leaving "The Courant" office, added his mite to the evidence on the City Hall restoration idea, saying that he hoped the old building would be put in its former shape and preserved, as the old-time relics cannot be duplicated.

VETERAN CLERKS OF THE CONNECTICUT MUTUAL.

March 1, 1910.
Yesterday Was an Anniversary for Two of Them.

Two old and valued employees of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company passed their anniversaries of service yesterday. The cashier, his N. Emmons, po They both rece gratulations of ployees, from th though there is in point of serv Mr. Olmstead be of the employee fifth in the list. ing year three of for the company mons.

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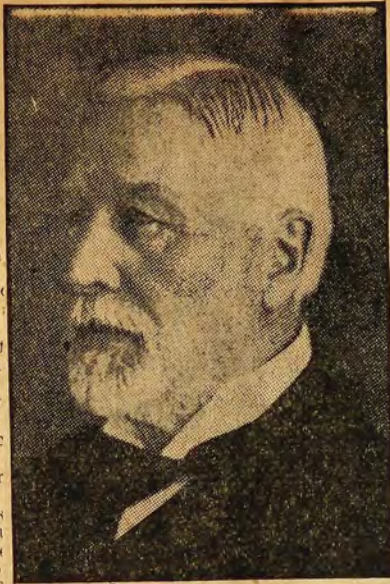
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Miss Marie Louise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marion B. Denison of Sar- geant street, was married Wednesday to James Edgar Leonard. Upon their return from a southern trip they will reside at No. 124 Garden street.

March Ward Sparks. 2. 1910
Miss Marion L. Sparks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight W. Sparks of No. 116 Park terrace, and Merritt S. Ward were married yesterday noon at Trinity Church by the rector, Rev. Ernest deF. Miel. Mrs. Louis A. Newell of this city was the matron of honor and the best man was G. D. Bowne of Boston. The ceremony was followed by a luncheon at the home of

SECRETARY TURNBULL RETIRES.

After Thirty-Four Years in the Ser-

March 1, 1910.
After a service of thirty-four years successively as special agent, general agent, assistant secretary and secretary with the Hartford Fire Insurance company, Secretary Thomas Turnbull has tendered his resignation to take effect April 1. At a recent meeting of the directors Mr. Turnbull, who has been contemplating retirement from active service some time, formally presented his request to be relieved



THOMAS TURNBULL.

IN LOVING REMEMBRANCE OF LONG ASSOCIATION.

Clerks of the Hartford Fire Present Secretary Thomas Turnbull With Watch and Letter.

WORDS OF APPRECIATION.

Secretary Thomas Turnbull of the Hartford Fire Insurance company was the recipient, Thursday, of a note-congratulatory worthy testimonial of the high esteem in which he is held by the clerical force of his company. Mr. Turnbull some weeks ago presented his resignation as secretary to take effect April 1. At the time the officers of the company and the directors adopted resolutions of regret at his severing Fire Insurance of ties of so many years, and yesterday that time day the clerks of the company, with the whole whom Mr. Turnbull had been inti- and New York mately associated so long, contributed been a prom their share to the expressions of ap- mission mere preciation.

The Watch.
A handsome gold watch, with hunt- ing case and inscribed as follows, was placed on Mr. Turnbull's desk during his temporary absence:
Mr. Thomas Turnbull
from
the Clerks of the Office
of the
Hartford Fire Insurance Company,
April 1, 1910.

The Letter.
Accompanying the watch was the following letter, which was signed by every one of the sixty-four clerical employees of the company:
"Dear Mr. Turnbull:
"In severing your official connection with the 'Old Hartford,' we wish to assure you of the unbroken and last- from the coing-esteem and affection of each of three able the undersigned who make up the many years clerical force of the office.
"To give expression in a small but the most d permanent way of our appreciation of that any cor the kindly and friendly regard you quired to m have always shown us, and as a token of our respect and esteem for you, we ask you to accept the watch which ac- companies this note. Wear it every day, if you will, and as you look at it, may it remind you of those who have enjoyed the privilege of many happy 34 Forbes st years' association under your consid- erate supervision and direction.
"We hope the watch will mark evening at many happy and contented years for parents. Re you, and that we may enjoy during tor of the Ec these years your occasional presence the ceremon and kindly greetings."
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Coming Marriage Culmination of Romance.

A special dispatch from Springfield to THE TIMES says that a marriage license was issued to-day for Colonel Charles Louis Young, a well-known lawyer of that city, and Miss Jessie Leigh of No. 32 Ward street, this city. The coming marriage is said to be the culmination of a romance, begun on a European trip, a Clark excursion, about a year ago. Colonel Young's first wife died about two years ago. He has a daughter, Miss Elva Young, who is also a member of the legal profession.

The Republican.

SPRINGFIELD, SUNDAY, MAR. 6, 1910.
LAWYER C. L. YOUNG MARRIED.

Miss Jessie Leigh, the Bride, a Host-
YOUNG-LEIGH NUPTIALS.

Hartford Bride at Wedding in Springfield—Couple Met on European Trip.

In THE TIMES of Saturday was printed the announcement that a marriage license had been taken out in Springfield by Colonel Charles Lewis Young of Springfield and Miss Jessie Leigh of No. 32 Ward street, Hartford. The couple was married in the afternoon in Colonel Young's home, No. 44 Dorchester street. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a few friends by the Rev. C. C. P. Hiller of Wesley church. The Springfield Union says:

Colonel Young has several times denied intentions of marriage, but the rumor became so widespread several days ago that it was published and the license confirmed the rumor. Some romance is attached to the courtship of Colonel Young and Miss Leigh. According to reports, they met about a year ago on a steamer in the Mediterranean during a trip which Colonel Young was taking around the world. The beautiful azure skies and the mellow moonlit nights played such havoc with their hearts it is said that when they arrived in New York city a report of their engagement was printed in the New York papers.

Colonel Young, however, branded the report as false, and nothing more was heard of the courtship until a few weeks ago when reports of an approaching wedding were again circulated. Colonel Young still denied that the wedding was to take place in the near future but all doubt was banished by the issuing of the marriage license Saturday morning.

Colonel Young is a prominent Mason and is probably better known among the lodges in this city than any other man in this city.

Announcement of the marriage has been issued by Mrs. Young's brother, Charles Frederick Daniel Leigh of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Young will be "at home" after the 1st of June, at No. 44 Dorchester street, Springfield.

Col and Mrs Charles L. Young of Dorchester street are to leave Tuesday for a two-weeks' southern trip. They will go to Jacksonville, Savannah and New Orleans, where they will attend the imperial council of the Shriners.

Mr and Mrs C. L. Young, Mrs Young's sister, Miss Emily Leigh of Hartford, Ct., and Rev C. C. P. Hiller returned yesterday from a week's motor trip through Massachusetts and Rhode Island. They visited Newport and Narragansett Pier.

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EARLY DAYS IN MANCHESTER GREEN.

MANY TO HEAR C. L. YOUNG.

DECEMBER 25, 1911.

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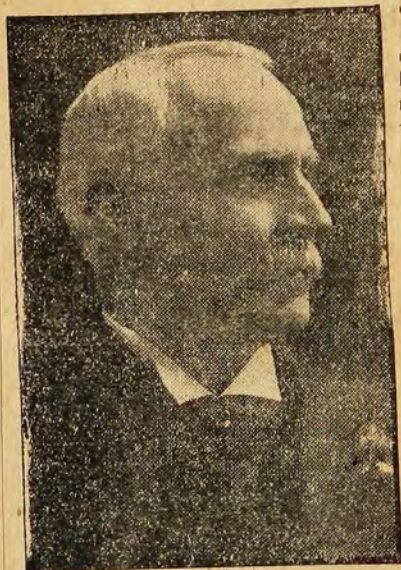
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RON COOK, JR.,
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Inventor; Old Shop
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Views of the Mediterranean.
The Hon. Charles L. Young of Springfield will present eighty fascinating views of the Mediterranean. Charles L. Young and Mrs. Young, formerly Miss Jessie Leigh, of Hartford, sailed Saturday on the Cincinnati for a three months' tour of northern Europe and Russia. On July 24 they will arrive at the North Cape and there they will see the midnight sun.

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he has visited and the pictures shown



HON. CHARLES L. YOUNG.

are for the most part reproductions of photographs made by Mr. Young. This is the third in the series of April picture meetings, which are attracting good houses every Sunday at the Y. M. C. A. The lecture is announced to begin at 3:30, and is public to all men.

CHARLES L. YOUNG.



PHILANDER C. KNOX, JR.,



MRS. PHILANDER C. KNOX, JR.,

CLAIMS TO BE KNOWN
March 6, 1910
Providence Girl Says She Was Married in Burlington, Vt., to Son of Secretary of State—Young Man Dismissed From School.

Miss May Boler, 21, until recently employed in a department store of Providence, last night coyly claimed Philander C. Knox, Jr., the 20-years-old son of the secretary of state, as her husband. "We were married in Burlington, Vt., Sunday evening at 7 o'clock by a minister," she confessed, after having maintained silence for four hours under a volley of inquiries. The first revelation yesterday of the romance proved rather disconcerting to young Knox. News of his efforts to obtain a marriage license preceded his return, early yesterday, after a three-days' absence. Refusing to tell Principal French of the Morris High school, where he was a pupil, whether or not he had been married, he was confined to his room at the school, and when he persisted in his refusal, several hours later, he was dismissed from the institution. He left without taking any of his belongings. At noon he was seen at luncheon at one of the hotels in Providence. After that he disappeared.

With James E. Gillen, a youthful friend of Knox, the young woman, who says she is Mrs. Knox, Jr., returned to Providence in company with the son of the secretary of state. Gillen and the young woman went immediately to 147 Benefit street, where, with her mother, Miss Boler has had a small suite for the last week or more. There they remained undiscovered until the middle of the afternoon. When Miss Boler, or Mrs. Knox, finally admitted having been married to young Knox, she said that she did not know the name of the clergyman who officiated or even of the street that the parsonage, where she said the ceremony took place, was on. She refused to recount any of the details of her romance or of the wedding trip. Young Knox did not appear at the house of his bride yesterday. When the young woman made her statement last night, the only person visible besides her mother was Gillen, who has been learning the woolen manufacturing business at Olneyville.

Secretary Knox is at Atlanta, Ga. On Thursday a communication from his private secretary was received at the school, in which the request was made that P. C. Knox, Jr., be allowed to go to Hartford, Ct., for a visit. The request was granted by the principal of the school. On Friday morning Miss Elizabeth Gillen, a teacher at the school, and a sister of young Knox's friend, was informed by her brother that he was going to Montreal to attend the marriage of two friends. Miss Gillen, however, did not suspect for a moment that Knox was one of the friends referred to by her brother.

Couple Leave for Washington.

The federal express for Washington last night over the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, carried Principal French and the bride and groom. Mr. French, who had had a long-distance telephone talk with Secretary Knox, thought that the young man had gone to Washington on an earlier train, and was indignant when he heard that the "woman in the case" was aboard. He said he would have the police at Westerly, the next stop, put her off. At Westerly Chief Cornelius Bransfield wanted to know the trouble, but was met by a smiling conductor, who told the officer that young Knox had boarded the train in Boston and had assured the railroad official that the secretary of state had expressed approval of the marriage. The young people were speeding to Washington to receive the parental blessing, he said; so the police chief swung off the train expressing the hope that the romancers would "live happily ever after."

That the father of the pretty young bride of Philander C. Knox, jr., son of Secretary of State Knox, was a Willimantic man and that the young woman herself has visited here and has relatives here, was one of today's interesting developments in the Thread City. Her father was Michael Bowler, who lived on Temple street and who moved to Providence twenty-one years ago, marrying there a Miss Lizzie McCusker. One child was born to the couple, she being May Bowler, now the wife of young Knox. May's father was an insurance agent in Providence and he died in this city, at his old home, about fourteen years ago. His widow married again a few years ago and her present husband is John Geary.

Mrs. Geary is reported as saying, while commenting upon Secretary Knox's lack of cordiality in receiving the young couple, that "Our family is just as good as his and elopements aren't strange happenings in either family. Reed Knox eloped, I am told, and for that matter I did myself."

May Bowler's grandfather was William Bowler, who lived here on Temple street for many years and whose body was brought here for burial, after his death in Providence, about four weeks ago. May has not visited here much, her last visit being about nine years ago. It is said that then she was a very pretty girl. Mrs. Michael Welch of No. 81 Jackson street is her cousin and the young woman has other relatives here. Her father used to work in the local thread mills. The Bowler home on Temple street was sold about six years ago to settle the estate of the late Michael Neilligan and the house is now owned by Alphonse Gelinas.

Bowlers Lived in East Granby.

(Special to The Courant.)

East Granby, March 11.

The announcement of the elopement of Philander C. Knox, jr., son of Secretary of State P. C. Knox, and Miss Mabel Bowler of Providence, R. I., recalls to the memory of many of the older residents of this place, the Bowler family who were once residents of East Granby. Mr. and Mrs. William Bowler, grandparents of young Mrs. Knox, lived here about thirty-five years ago and their home was burned. The house was situated on land now owned by Harvey Dibble, who used to drive the stage coach from East Granby to Hartford and was located on what is known as the Tariffville road.

Two of Mr. and Mrs. William Bowler's sons were employed at what is now the Dunham Hosiery Mill No. 3 in Poquonock and one of the sons, Michael Bowler, was the father of the young Mrs. Knox.

After the Bowlers' farm burned in this place the family moved to Rainbow, where they resided for a few years and then moved to Willimantic and later to Providence. In East Granby the Bowler family were known as industrious and quite successful as tobacco growers. They were also well known in Poquonock. Alfred Drieu, sr., who is now superintendent of the Dunham Hosiery Mill No. 3, became quite well acquainted with Mrs. Knox's father, when he was employed at the mill. This was previous to his marriage.

The Secretary of State Will Receive the Eloping Son — All Will Be Well.

Philander C. Knox, Secretary of State and his son, P. C. Knox, Jr., who early in March eloped with Miss May Boller, of Providence, R. I., whom he married in Burlington, Vt., on March 6 last, have become reconciled, and young Mr. Knox and his bride have gone to Washington, where they are assured of a parental blessing it is said. The young man went to New York from Detroit, Mich., and was joined by his bride at the Waldorf-Astoria.

It was a triumph of diplomacy. Reed Knox, elder son of the cabinet member and confidential clerk to his father, came from the national capital as a sort of envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary. He represented his father and mother, it is said, and had arranged to meet his younger brother here and discuss terms of peace.

Unconditional surrender of his father and mother were the only terms which young Philander Chase Knox, Jr., would consider. Speaking for his father, Reed Knox, who was accompanied by his wife, said the terms would be accepted. The two young Mrs. Knoxs then were introduced, and the party adjourned to the Empire Room in the Waldorf-Astoria for luncheon. Railroad time tables were consulted and the party left on a Pennsylvania train for Washington.

Reed Knox to a friend said:—

"That kfd brother of mine is made of the right stuff. The way he handled the governor would make the average foreign diplomat look green in the game of diplomacy."

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Knox and Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Knox, Jr., rode to the Pennsylvania ferry in a taxicab and all four boarded the train for the South.

After his marriage to Miss Boller young Mr. Knox journeyed to Washington, but his stay was of short duration. He then joined his bride in Providence and went to work in an automobile agency. He was successful and late in March left for Detroit, Mich., where, it was reported, he was to be employed in an automobile factory. To a friend, he said that he had a place with the Ford Automobile company and would establish an agency at Narragansett Pier, R. I.

At the time of his elopement he was a student at Morris Heights School at Providence, where he was preparing to enter college. He is in his nineteenth year, while his bride is twenty-one. Mr. Knox and Miss Boller tried vainly in three states to obtain a marriage license before they finally succeeded in Burlington, Vt.

March AMHERST. 9.1910.
Magill-Twining Wedding.

Mrs. Arthur Magill and Dr. Douglas Twining of New Haven, Ct., were married yesterday at the home of Miss Maud Magill on Woodside avenue. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. L. Anderson, pastor of the First Congregational church. The bride was given away by Prof. E. P. Harris. Mrs. Boyden of Northampton catered and Mrs. E. P. Harris and Miss Helen Kellogg poured. Music was furnished by Miss Clara Wood. Among the out of town guests present were Miss Twining, Mrs. Gridley and President Arthur Twining Hadley of Yale, all of New Haven, Ct. Dr. and Mrs. Twining will make their new home in Springfield.

Wife of Young P. C. Knox Leaves Husband, Saying He Won't Work; Rejects Father-in-Law's Bounty



MRS. P. C. KNOX, JR.

New York, Jan. 16.—Charity has wrecked the romance of Philander Chase Knox, jr., son of ex-Secretary of State Knox, and his auburn haired wife, according to the 22-years-old Mrs. Knox. She has fled the bounty of her distinguished father-in-law.

This is the second time the pair have dwelt apart since they were married four years ago, when she was 18 and he was 22. They eloped from Providence, R. I., where as Miss May G. Boller she is said to have worked as a shop girl. A whirlwind search for a minister through three states was finally rewarded in Burlington, Vt. There they were married.

Knox senior did not take kindly to the match. He informed Philander, jr., that it would be necessary for the young husband to support his wife. "Tip," as the bride affectionately

called Philander, jr., accepted the decree without protest, but it appears he was not a brilliant success. He was first an automobile salesman, then chicken raiser, and one after another tried his hand at various other things. Finally Father Knox relented and helped his son.

Last January the pair separated while living in Philadelphia. Knox went to Bermuda. In April a reconciliation was effected and they began all over again at Charlestown, W. Va.

"This time I have left my husband for good," declared Mrs. Knox today. "The whole trouble is just this: Ever since our marriage my husband has been declaring he would go to work to support me. He never did. We were dependent on the generosity of his parents and it was horribly humiliating to me; I could not stand it any longer."

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Young Wife Reported as Deserted



MRS. P. C. KNOX, JR.

P. C. Knox, jr., has gone away with his mother on a long journey and it is reported that he has left his wife and will not return to her. She was a shopgirl when young Knox married her and he was then a student at college. His parents at first refused to receive her but they afterward relented. They have never been satisfied with his marriage however.

OLDEST VETERAN OF CIVIL WAR

And His Record In the Service—He Lives In Missouri.

Henry Dorman of Liberal, Mo., aged 111 years, is the oldest living veteran of the civil war, writes Orrin E. Harmon. Your correspondent recently visited at his home, and much enfee not sit up, not been a even memb sole diet is is faithfully Dorman, his has been his

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Henry Dorman of Liberal, Mo., Has Lived in Three Centuries.

To the Editor of The Republican:—

Your correspondent recently visited at the home of Henry Dorman, who is still living in Liberal, Mo., at the age of 113 years. He is the oldest man in the state of Missouri, and is the oldest living veteran of the civil war. It has been more than two years since the writer saw him, but this lapse of time has made very little change in his general appearance. He is in remarkably good flesh, and his vitality is wonderful. He is nursed by his daughter-in-law, Mrs Hattie Dorman. She has cared for him for more than 43 years. He sleeps most of the time during the day, but at night is somewhat restless. He rouses enough to eat two meals a day and his sole diet is crackers and milk. He has to be fed like a little child. He recognizes no one but Mrs Dorman, and her very well. He is quite deaf and will respond only to

WHO IS THE OLDEST VETERAN?

Dr W. E. Davis Believes That Capt Dimond of San Francisco, Aged 116,

Has the Honor.

Dr W. E. Davis of State street says that he has reason to believe Orrin E. Harmon of Liberal, Mo., who had a communication in The Sunday Republican crediting Henry Dorman of that place with being the oldest veteran of the civil war, is mistaken in according this distinction to Mr Dorman. Dr Davis says that while Mr Dorman is 113 years old, Capt Dimond of San Francisco whom he knows to have been living at a very recent time, is 116 years old, having been born in 1796. Capt Dimond is a native of Massachusetts. Dr Davis had relatives living near Capt Dimond in San Francisco and in that way came to know about him.

Denison-Cheney.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Otis Cheney announce the marriage of their daughter, Elsie, on March 6, 1910, to James Denison. The marriage was not made known to the family, until a few days ago, for fear of parental opposition. Mr. and Mrs. Denison expect to live in Boston, where Mr. Denison holds a position with an automobile agency.

HEIRESS AND CHAUFFEUR ELOPE

Bridgegroom Formerly Worked in the Britton Garage Here.

It develops that Miss Elsie Cheney, **AUGUST 27, 1913.**

The "New London Day" says: Elsie James H. E. Deane Cheney Denison of South Manchester is suing James Henry Denison, of Groton for divorce. Habitual intemperance for the past year and intolerable cruelty since July 1, 1911, are alleged. The plaintiff asks to re-assume her maiden name. The marriage of Miss Cheney and Denison attracted considerable attention. They were married March 6, 1910. Denison was Mr. Cheney's chauffeur and eloped with Miss Cheney.

Details of the automobile courtship which ended in their slipping into Hartford, from the girl's home at South Manchester, and secretly marrying, on March 6, were learned to-day from the couple who are as pleased with themselves as the girl's parents are displeased. It was the old story of long rides over the Connecticut roads, of frequent shopping trips into Hartford when she sat in the front seat at Dennison's side, and, finally, an auto elopement.

The Cheneyes are immensely wealthy, owning the largest silk manufacturing plant in New England. They practically own South Manchester. Nearly everybody in the place works for them, and they supply public improvements as needed. Elsie, who is just 21, is the younger of two daughters, and was scheduled to inherit a large fortune.

Her older sister, Miss Margaret Cheney, is an ardent worker in the cause of bettering the condition of the working people. She has done much for the employees of her father's big mills, and spent some time in Boston studying slum conditions on the staff of the South End House.

Miss Elsie Cheney managed to conceal her affection for her father's handsome chauffeur for several months. The family

March 7 - 1910 Mrs. Emeline W. Harris of Wethersfield, widow of Chauncey Harris, was 90 years old Monday, and the event was celebrated by relatives and neighbors at the family home on Harris Hill. The husband of Mrs. Harris, who died February 12, 1875, was principal of the South school in this city and one of the ablest educators of his time in the state. Mrs. Harris was born in Wethersfield. Her father was George Wells of that town. She is a member of the Wethersfield Congregational church. For a number of years, while her husband was principal of the South school, she was a member of the South church under the Rev. Dr. E. P. Parker. Mrs. Harris has six children, George W. Harris, Charles C. Harris, Mrs. E. Newton Loveland, Miss Mary J. Harris and Miss Emma L. Harris, all of Wethersfield. There are five grandchildren and one great grandchild, Dorothy Harris, daughter of Karl Harris of San Jose, Cal. The fact is of interest that Mrs. Harris has not a gray hair in her head. With the exception of near sightedness her faculties are intact. The home in which she lives was erected while Mr. Harris was principal of the South school in this city.

CELEBRATES 100TH BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. Mary D. Goddard of Freeport, Me., Gets 400 Postal Cards.

Freeport, Me., March 11.—Mrs. Mary Douglas Goddard celebrated her one hundredth birthday at the home of her niece, Mrs. Jennie Douglas Cox, here yesterday. More than four hundred postal cards kept coming in from all over the country all day and relatives and neighbors called on Mrs. Goddard and viewed her large birthday cake, decorated with candles in the numerals 1810-1910.

"Aunt Mary," as Mrs. Goddard is called, is one of the few oldtime Quakers left in the state, and was at one time known for the speeches she made at the yearly meetings of the Friends in Portland, Me., or in Providence.

At the age of 20 she learned the tailor's trade, and for many years afterward the severely plain clothes she made for the Quakers were in demand all over the state. She herself, however, in fact that she cut loose from conventional garb and wore ribbons and even crinolines.

Mrs. Goddard was the first time to Mark the age of 46, and later Goddard. Since the death of her husband, in 1870 she has lived with her nephews and nieces in the parts of the New England.

FLORENCE ROGERS

IS MARRIED

March 11
One of the Prominent
Molineaux

Word comes from that Florence E. Rogers, prominently in the number trials, was married to Charles L. Morris, a draughtsman and a firm of John Brown & Co., with offices in the building, Philadelphia, now Mrs. Morris, is the Mrs. Adams, who caused by poison in which had been sent to the home of Mrs. A. Rogers. Roland Morris, whom Cornish had accused of sending to Rogers and her mother in this city, as did Harris.

MAUD ALLAN SCORES.

Famous Dancer Assisted by the Russian Symphony Orchestra at Court Square Theater.

Maud Allan, the much heralded classic dancer who appeared with the Russian Symphony orchestra conducted by Modest Altschuler at Court Square theater on Saturday afternoon, received a very warm reception at the hands of a fair sized audience—an audience prepared for a classical combination of music and dancing developed to a degree beyond anything that has been accomplished by the increasing number of young women, who are doing their share towards educating a naturally materialistic generation of theatergoers, to an appreciation of the most elusive phases of aestheticism. For many people dances of the description offered by Miss Allan must always remain a taste to be acquired. Without a firm foundation of musical culture along with finely tuned sensibilities hers must be an art, graceful even beautiful, but largely hidden behind closed doors.

Whether or not dances of the kind are a popular vogue, fated to enjoy only a temporary popularity remains to be disclosed. A fad it is, at the present time, but that does not pre-

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MAUD ALLAN AND THE RUSSIAN

SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA.

Famous Dancer Seen by Fashionable Audience at Parsons's—The Musical Numbers

At Parsons's, Monday evening, before an audience of fair numbers and markedly fashionable quality, appeared Maud Allan, famous among dancers of modern style, which, reverting to the antique, expresses sentiment, mood and dramatic action in pose, movement, gesture and steps. She

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The matter of maintenance of the patrol and ambulance was discussed for the past year it has cost the department about \$1,000 to keep the machines in repair. Commissioner Brannard moved that the committee on station house supplies be instructed to investigate the cost of maintenance. He was of the opinion that it would be to the advantage of the department to have a man appointed superintendent whose duty it would be to look after the machines. It developed that the commissioners are of the opinion that every little thing needed is done by the factory at expense to the department. Chief Gunn said, however, that the men did a great deal of work about the vehicles. Mayor Hooker remarked that it was about time to put in the order for a new patrol wagon, as provided for in the budget for the ensuing year, and the clerk was instructed to write to the Court of Common Council, asking permission to award the contract for the construction of the new car, to the manufacturing company a contract cost \$3,500. This is to be done without advertising for bids and gives a

A Longmeadow relative of John Nichols of Horseheads, N. Y., received word this week that Mr and Mrs Nichols celebrated their 63d wedding anniversary the 9th. Mr Nichols is a descendant of the Colton and Coomes families, and was born and his early life was passed in Longmeadow, and he has often visited the scenes of his boyhood with much enjoyment. He went to Wisconsin in his young manhood, where he married Miss Abbie Carpenter. However, nearly all their married life has been spent in Horseheads, a suburb of Elmira, N. Y. Mr and Mrs Nichols have been blessed with a good, old-fashioned family of 12 children, nearly all of whom are living. Another remarkable circumstance connected with the family is the grandchildren and great-grandchildren, there being five different families of great-grandchildren living. Mr Nichols, who is 85, has been influential in his town and church affairs. Mrs Nichols is two years his junior. A number of nieces, nephews and cousins of Mr Nichols live in Springfield, Holyoke, Longmeadow and Thompsonville.

REV. DR. J. W. COOPER TO RETURN TO STATE.

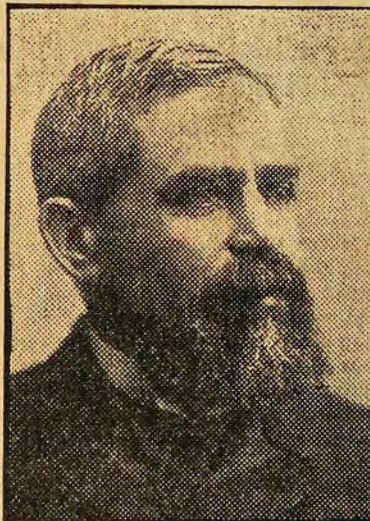
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but he took the step after mature consideration and will not reconsider. Dr. Cooper finds that the duties of secretary are onerous, and he wants to be relieved. He is 67 years old, although few would realize he was more than 60. He naturally feels that he had reached the time in life where he should cease to be occupied with the busy cares which the work of corresponding secretary of the great missionary society of the Congregational Church necessitates. He, as secretary, has directed the home missionary work of the church, the extensiveness of which may be appreciated when it is realized that Hampton Institute and similar educational institutions are under the jurisdiction of the association and Dr. Cooper has the directing of the expenditure of \$500,000 a year. When he resigned from the pastorate of the South Church, it was his intention to remain secretary of the missionary asso-



(Photo by Murray.)
Rev. Dr. J. W. Cooper.

clation for five years, but he has remained two more than he expected. His headquarters have been in New York.

Dr. Cooper is one of the leading Congregational clergymen of his denomination. He was first pastor of the church at Rockport, Mass., for a year or two. He then went to Rockport, Mass., for a year or two.

Dr. Cooper's Resignation.

"The American Missionary" for April has an article highly complimentary to Rev. Dr. J. W. Cooper, former pastor of the South Church, who retires as senior corresponding secretary of the American Missionary Association. Dr. Cooper was elected at the annual meeting of the association at Cleveland, O., in 1903. The paper states:—

"Dr. Cooper had been for many years a valued member of the executive committee of the association and at the time of his election was one of its vice-presidents. For nearly seven years now in his laborious and constant service he has amply justified the judgment and high expectations which led to his selection and call to his responsible position. Few realize or can know what it asks of those who hold it. To his administrative ability, his sagacious, wise and careful judgment, his unflinching fidelity to the principles of the association and to very form of its missionary work, with his deep personal sympathy towards all co-work-

REAL SON OF REVOLUTION CELEBRATES 100TH BIRTHDAY

Father of Hugh H. Woodworth, of Gloversville, Was Present at Burgoyne's Surrender.

Gloversville, N. Y., March 16.—Hugh Hiram Woodworth, said to be the only real Son of the Revolution now living in this state, was one hundred years old Monday. He carries his advanced age well, and yesterday expressed great pleasure on receiving the congratulations of his friends.

Mr. Woodworth's father, William Woodworth, was a sergeant in Captain Wells's company of the Sixteenth New York regiment, which was engaged in several battles, notably Bennington. He was present at Burgoyne's surrender at Saratoga, in 1777.

Mr. Hugh Woodworth was formerly a woollen manufacturer at Seneca Falls, N. Y. He was born at the old family homestead in the town of Mayfield, Fulton county, and has resided there for some years past. Mr. Woodworth is a member of the Empire State society, Sons of the American Revolution.

A Centenarian Registers.

Bakersfield, Cal., March 16.—William Carroll Reed registered to vote yesterday on his one hundredth birthday. He was born in Vicksburg, Miss., March 15, 1810.

He voted first for Andrew Jackson and he has supported every democratic nominee since then. He was a veteran in the Mexican army, came here in 1855 and was under sheriff for years.

He signed his name yesterday without the aid of glasses and walks like a young man. He comes of a family of long livers, his mother having reached the age of 105.

When asked to what he attributed his great age he said: "To the fact that I drink nothing but the best whisky and smoke only the best tobacco."

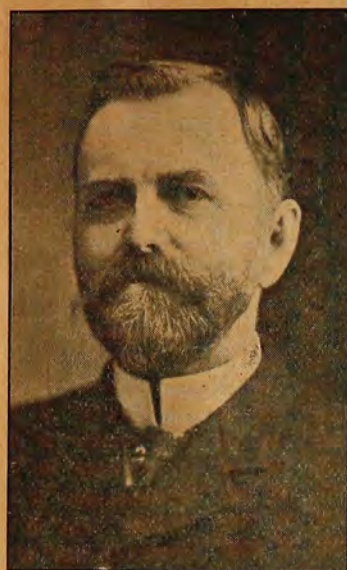
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GOLDEN WEDDING

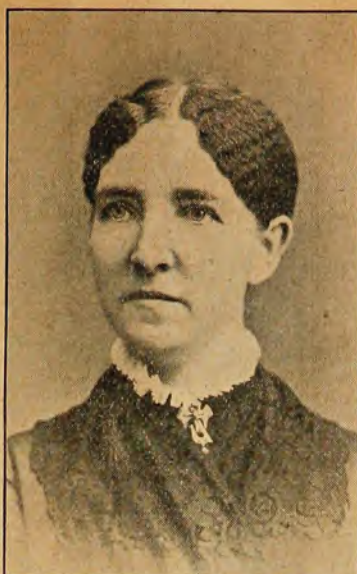
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DR. GREEN NOW AN OCTOGENARIAN

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AUSTIN E. CHANDLER.



MRS. AUSTIN E. CHANDLER.

Mr. Chandler was born in Granby, September 7, 1839, living there until he was 10 years of age. At that time his parents, John Henry and Pamela C. Chandler, moved to Chicopee, where he attended school until he was 14 years old. He then left school and went to work as an apprentice at the machinist's trade, following that line of work for about three years, and then going to Feeding Hills to learn blacksmithing. It was there he met the young woman who later became his wife. He remained in Feeding Hills for three years, and at the end of that time married Miss Hedges, a daughter of Henry and Pheobe Hedges. On the wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Chandler went to New Haven, Hartford and Bridgeport, Ct., where they visited friends.

On returning the bride and groom went to South Hadley Falls to live. Mr. Chandler conducted a blacksmith and carriage-shop there for three years, at the end of which time he moved to East Longmeadow, where he went into business. They remained in East Longmeadow for only one year, and then Mr. Chandler accepted an opportunity to go into business with his brother in Windsor Locks. The brothers remained together for five years, and then the war broke out and the brother, Lowell M. Chandler, joined the Connecticut Volunteer infantry. Mr. Chandler then came to Springfield and started a shop on Liberty street, which he finally sold to L. W. Fitch. The latter is still in business here.

Twenty years ago Mr. Chandler started in the real estate business, and remained in that line until he was obliged to retire two years ago, because of ill health.

The couple have two children, a son and a daughter. The former is a jeweller and lives in Gardner, and the latter married W. E. Hosmer and resides at 161 King street, this city. Mr. Hosmer is foreman in the experimental room of the United States armory.

Dr. Green's Former Mayor and Eminent
orian Today Reaches the Age of
ty Years

Samuel Abbott Green, former mayor
ton and famed as an historian, is
years of age today, and his anniver-
sary finds him in excellent health and still
as in former years, in his work in
of the Massachusetts Historical So-
of which he is librarian. Dr. Green
es to live at his old home in lower
avenue, the last representative of
Boston families who once made this
of residence. Dr. Green is a fa-
figure in the downtown streets and
makes a daily visit about noon-

Newspaper row. On these trips he
ed on all sides by numerous friends,
ck for the good of the city and its
his services as physician, as soldier,
rian and as mayor have won high
for Dr. Green, and his democratic
unswerving courtesy and friendli-
ze won the esteem of thousands. On
the commemoration of his fiftieth
ary as a member of the Massachu-
historical Society was celebrated by
sanization.

Green's own reminiscences of his
nnection with this ancient society

ll of interest. He was nominated
bership in November, 1859, when
not yet 30, and was elected in Jan-
360, while the elder Josiah Quincy

was yet a member in active attendance,
being then 88 years old, and surviving
until 1864. He had been chosen a mem-
ber in 1796, while yet a young lawyer
practicing in Boston. In 1804, at the age
of 32, he was elected to Congress, and
he afterward held most of the important
offices in Massachusetts, except that of
governor, and including the presidency of
Harvard university. Dr. Green related
how, in 1845, he and Theodore Chase of
Boston, being roguish boys, not yet in
college, joined the Cambridge procession
at President Quincy's last reception, and
passed three times in front of the old
gentleman and shook hands with him each
time, without being recognized. Not so
difficult a feat after all, for years before
that old Quincy would go to the post-office
for his letters and have to ask a bystander
what his name was, in order to get his
mail,—at least that was the tale told by
one of the students who entered in 1834.
At the first regular meeting of the society,
which Dr. G. attended, Edward Everett
spoke on the occasion of Lord Macaulay's
death, and not long afterward the doctor
was present when the present king of
England visited the rooms of the society
in Tremont street, and examined with in-
terest Washington's epaulets, there exhib-
ited, and the manuscript of Gov Win-
throp's Journal. Eight years after Dr. G.
was again present when Gen Grant was
received at the society, and in signing the
register, in a cold day, apologized for his
signature, saying that he "should have
made his mark,"—to which R. C. Win-
throp, still president of the society, as he
had been in 1860, replied, "Gen Grant,
you have already made your mark, and
do not need to repeat it." He spoke also
of James Savage, then the oldest mem-
ber, who called Dr. G. in 1860 "the baby
of the society," and of his son, Maj
James Savage, slain in the civil war.

President Adams at the close of Dr
Green's remarks said it was worth notic-
ing that the two members mentioned,
Mr Quincy and the doctor, overlapping
each other in membership, connect the
present society with the 18th century; and
no present member, with this exception,
goes back further than the early 19th
century.

Mrs. Hannah Hadaway Celebrates 101st Anniversary of Birth. 15-

Mrs. Hannah Hadaway, who lives with her daughter, Mrs. M. D. Flower, in the village of West Rupert, Vt., observed her 101st birthday anniversary with an informal reception Tuesday afternoon. A large number of townspeople gathered to pay respects, and were personally greeted by the aged woman.

Mrs. Hadaway retains her usual vigor to a remarkable degree. She has been out of doors all day the past winter.

Mrs. Hadaway is a native of New York, the oldest of the children of David Amidon, who was a native of Hartford, and who served in the Connecticut regiment in the War of 1812. Two of her sisters, Mary Bennett, aged 93, and Mary Layman, aged 92, are now in Granville.

She married Benjamin Hadaway in 1828, and has passed the rest of her life in that town and in New York. Five of her nine children are still living, as are also thirteen grandchildren, twenty-two great-grandchildren and four great-great-grandchildren.

Two of her sons, Edward and George, served in the Civil war in the Vermont Cavalry. They both died within the past four years.

Orson Hayward Of Waterbury Centenarian. 19.

Mar 100 Years Old Yesterday. 18.

Orson Hayward, father of Frank G. Hayward, president of the Bristol Manufacturing Company of this town, celebrated yesterday in Waterbury the one hundredth anniversary of his birth. He has resided in Waterbury since 1850.

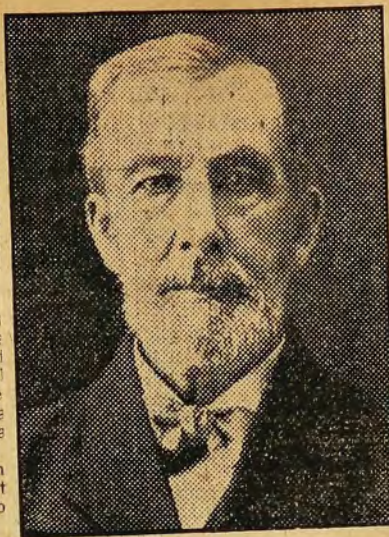
Mr. and Mrs. George C. Arms of Center street were married sixty-four years ago yesterday and they celebrated the event in a quiet manner. Fourteen years ago they had a formal celebration and entertained many friends at their home in North Main street. They received a few friends yesterday who congratulated the hale and hearty old couple on having lived so many years together.

They were married on March 20, 1850, at Waterbury, Vt., and Mrs. Arms's maiden name was Abigail Mrs. Emily Mitchell. She is now 84 years old and well preserved. Her husband is 87. Orson W. Hayward, a prominent citizen of Bristol for many years, and is now in South Carolina spending the winter with his wife and daughter.

Orson W. Hayward of Waterbury completed 101 years of life on Saturday, and very properly his picture appears in the newspapers of that town, especially as his faculties are in very fair condition and he is able to extract some enjoyment from living. He has, like all the centenarians, a good appetite for "heartly, old-fashioned victuals of all kinds," drinks coffee, and both chews and smokes tobacco.

Bristol, March 20.

Sixty years ago today Mr. and Mrs. George C. Arms were married and they celebrated the event in a quiet manner at their home on West street yesterday. As both Mr. and Mrs. Arms are well along in life and do not care for the usual excitement at-



George C. Arms.



Mrs. George C. Arms.

Some one had informed the speaker of the event that the aged couple were celebrating, and he referred to it in a touching manner. Then, on behalf of the congregation, he presented to the couple, after calling them forward in front of the congregation, a bunch of sixty carnation pinks in honor of the occasion. He congratulated the couple on having reached the sixtieth milestone in their married life, and asked the audience to sing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds." As the couple stood in front of the pulpit while the audience sang the old hymn it was a memorable scene. Then Rev. Mr. Stone asked the audience to come forward and each person shook the hand of Mr. and Mrs. Arms and extended their congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Arms were married at Moretown, Vt., at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyde Atherton. There were thirty guests present and when the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding took place ten years ago three of the attendants at the wedding were then living. Two of the party who were present at the ceremony sixty years ago are still alive. They are Mary L. Wells of Waterbury, Vt., and Mrs. Mary Dewey of Cambridge, Mass.

Four children have been born to the couple, as follows: Howard G. Arms, Mr. Arms was born in Duxbury, Vt., March 2, 1827, and was the son of Deacon Ira Arms of the Congregational Church of that town. Mr. Arms lived in Duxbury and carried on the marble business for nearly forty years. He was successful. In the spring of 1880 Mr. and Mrs. Arms removed to Bristol.

Mrs. Arms was born in September, 1829, and is the daughter of Howard Mitchell of Westport, N. Y. She was born in that town and lived there during her childhood. At the meeting of the Ministers' Association at the Y. M. C. A. in Hartford will read a paper at the annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. team Saturday afternoon, 33 to 20.

THE GAYS AND THEIR KINDRED. March, 1910 THEIR MANSION AND MANSE.

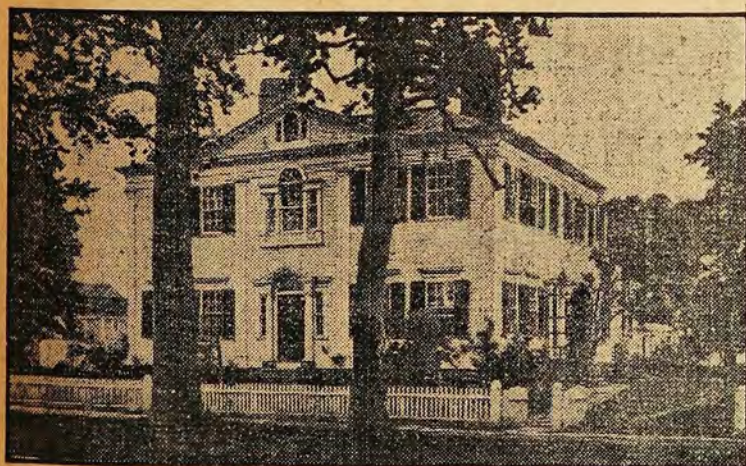
Two Fine Old Houses of Suffield, Ct.,
and the People Who Lived in Them.
[Written for The Sunday Republican by
MARY GAY ROBINSON.]

The Gay manse in Suffield was built



GAY MANSE AT SUFFIELD, CT., BUILT IN 1742.

town, opposite the Kent library in a deep yard, with a frontage of 200 feet. The front door with its wickets' cross admits to an entry from which ascends a winding stairway. There are four rooms below and five above in the main part, and a two-story ell. The immense chimney with its brick oven affords open fireplaces in three rooms below and above. One side of the rooms is paneled in wood. In



THE GAY MANSION AT SUFFIELD, CT.

tached a miniature in ivory of her husband that is fastened in the belt.

Rev Dr Gay married first Hannah Angier, second Mary Cotton Cushing, the mother of his children—Mary, Ebenezer, William and Lucy. Mary married Timothy Swan, Ebenezer married Bathshua Lynchon of Springfield, William married Elizabeth Richmond of Providence, R. I., and Lucy married first David Bronson of Suffield, and second Benjamin Swan of Woodstock, treasurer of the state of Vermont. Ebenezer Gay, Jr., was settled col-

league with his father, and succeeded him in the pastorate of the Suffield Congregational church.

William Gay (Yale college, 1789) was a lawyer and postmaster in Suffield, and his son, William Cushing Gay (Yale college, 1817) was a lawyer whose home was the mansion. The Gay mansion is in colonial style, was built in 1795 by Ebenezer Kinz and bought by William Gay in 1811. Is in a frontage of 400 feet. A hall with no intruding stairs exom front to rear. There are four below with lofty ceilings, five above, with a 2-story ell. The s full of curious, well-preserved ioned furniture; even the kitchen

thousand-legged table in use. A the shape of a pagoda is in the ront room and a wide fireplace in 'lor. The doormats are from the of the sheep raised on the farm. rden and farm have an acreage of s.

other of Dr Ebenezer Gay's de- gs are Benjamin Swan Marsh uth college, 1852) of Wood- Vt., Charles Lasselle Swan (Yale 1874) of Redlands, Cal., Rev Mclellan Southgate (Yale college, f Boston and his two sons, Hugh thgate (Worcester polytechnic in- 1892), now with the British West- electric and manufacturing com- Manchester, Eng., Stuart Leicester ite (Yale college, 1912), Frederick Southgate (Dartmouth college,

rother to Charles M., a lawyer in ock, Vt., Robert Southgate Dana d college, 1894, partial course), l Swan Dana (Dartmouth college, partial course), both of Brook- Mass., Mrs John D. Town-

send of New York, Dr Charles Loomis Dana (Dartmouth college, 1872) of New York city, professor in Bellevue hospital medical college, his brother John Cotton Dana (Dartmouth college, 1878), librarian of the public library of Newark, N. J., David Bronson, collector of the port at Bath, Me., (Dartmouth in same class with Rufus Choate), his son, Rev Benjamin Swan Bronson (Yale college, 1849), a clergyman in Macon, N. C.; Dea Tim- cky Swann Shedd of Wethersfield, Ct., in his brother, Charles F. P. Shedd of nton, Rev Stephen Howard Alling nity college, 1892) of Pittsford, y.

hen Dr Ebenezer Gay came to Suffield Dedham, Mass., the home of the Gays John Gay, Pilgrim, settled there in having come to this country from and in 1630, a brother, Richard Gay, d in the adjoining town of East y, Ct., from whom are descended Newton Skinner (Yale college, 1804), es H. Levermore (Yale college, 1879) ent of Adelphi college, Brooklyn, N. is brother, Russell Wolcott Livermore law school, 1875), of Pates, N. C.; B. Gay, librarian of Watkinson li- Hartford, Ct.; Alfred Lyman Dar- architect, of Boston, Mass.

ister of Dr Gay, Mary Gay, married John Ballantine (Harvard college, of Westfield, Mass.; their grandson, Henry Ballantine (university of Ohio, s. 1829), was for 30 years missionary lia; returning home for his health, he nd was buried at sea off the coast of gal. Three of his daughters married naries at the same mission. One mar- lev S. B. Fairbanks and died at the

3. Their daughter is the wife of Dr Hume of India. Another married Rev Mr Harding and their children are missionaries in India. His three sons are Henry Ballantine (Amherst college, 1808), William Osborne Ballantine (Amherst college, 1869), a physician in India, and Rev John Winthrop Ballantine (Amherst college, 1874) settled in West Stafford, Ct. Other descendants of Mary Gay Ballantine are Rev Henry Watkins Ballantine (Indiana university, 1856), of East Orange, N. J., and William Gay Ballantine (Marietta col- lege, 1865), professor of the Internati-

Young Men's Christian association training school, Springfield, Mass.

Another brother of Dr. Gay, Jabez Gay, settled at Attleboro, Mass., and married Hannah Bradford of Plymouth, Mass., from whom are descended Dr. William Hayes Ward (Amherst college, 1856), editor of the Independent, his son, Herbert Dickinson Ward (Amherst college, 1887), Susan Hayes Ward and Hetta Lord Ward of Newark, N. J.

Dr. Gay's youngest brother, Rev Bunker Gay (Harvard college, 1760), settled in Hinsdale, N. H. The name Bunker came into the family from an ancestor, George Bunker, who owned Bunker Hill. Rev Bunker Gay was the ancestor of John Mills Stebbins (Dartmouth college, 1848), of Springfield, and his sons, Frederick Haile Stebbins (Yale college, 1881), Dr. Walter Gay Stebbins (Yale college, 1886, Harvard medical college, 1892), who died in 1893.

From Lusher Gay of Thompson, Ct., before mentioned, are descended Joseph Gay Eaton Larned (Yale college, 1839), Frederick Lewis Gay of Brookline, Mass., who compiled the Gay genealogy, and his

brother, Dr. Warren Fisher Gay (Harvard college, 1890), of Boston; also the Moseleys of Moseley homestead, Westfield, Mass., David, Edward and Thomas B. Moseley, their nephew, John Cooley Robinson (Williams college, 1886), of Longmeadow, and Harold Phelps Moseley (Williams college, 1895), of Westfield. Dr. Theodore Gay (Middlebury college, 1835), of Malone, N. Y., the father of William Wheeler Gay of New York.

Winckworth Allan Gay, the artist, recently deceased, and his nephew, Walter Gay, the artist, are descendants of an uncle of Dr. Gay of Suffield. Richard Lewis Gay and his son, Arthur Parks Gay (Harvard college, 1888), of Boston, are descendants of Hezekiah Gay, a cousin of Dr. Gay, who settled in Killingly, the

Is Nearing the Century Mark
Mrs. Sarah A. Eastman, widow of Charles L. Eastman of 320 Pleasant street, Malden, reached her ninety-fifth birthday today. Mrs. Eastman is a granddaughter of Josiah Bartlett, the first governor of New Hampshire, and one of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence. She was born in Kingston, N. H., and is the last of a family of eight, the children of Josiah and Sarah Currier Greeley. She has resided in Malden for the past twenty-eight years. Her husband died at the beginning of the Civil War, leaving her with a large farm and four children to bring up. She was equal to the task before her, and in addition joined with the townspeople in preparing supplies for the Northern troops. Her children now living are Charles B. of Boston, Everett B. of Malden, and Miss Alcega Eastman, who is her mother's constant companion. Mrs. Eastman enjoys good health, yet seldom leaves her home. There was no formal observance of her anniversary today, though Mrs. Eastman received many of her friends and neighbors, who brought their congratulations and many remembrances.

Is 103 and Likes Candy

Waltham has a woman resident who claims to be 103 years old, in Mrs. Julia Budreau, a native of Arichat, Cape Breton. She is in excellent health, and as active as when a much younger woman. She reads well without the aid of glasses. She is an attendant at the French Catholic Church in Waltham, and in good weather usually walks to and from church, a distance of fully half a mile from her home. She has lived in Waltham about six years. A sister of Mrs. Budreau lived to the age of 104 years and Mrs. Budreau seems likely to surpass that age. Even at her advanced age, she is still exceedingly fond of candy.

MOTHER OF 16 SOLDIERS

IS 109 YEARS OLD TO-DAY.

Fourteen of Mrs. Brandon's Boys Fought in the Blue and Two in the Gray.

Moundsville, West Va., March 22.—Mrs. Sarah Brandon of this city, who is celebrating her 109th birthday today, holds the record as the mother of the largest number of civil war soldiers. No less than sixteen of her

CELEBRATES HIS 90TH BIRTHDAY.

*March 22, 1910 -
Died May 21, 1918*

TIMOTHY DRAKE OF ASYLUM AVE. HOLDS RECEPTION.

Yesterday was the 90th birthday anniversary of Timothy Drake of No. 758 Asylum avenue, and Mr. Drake celebrated it in a quiet manner at his home. From 4 u

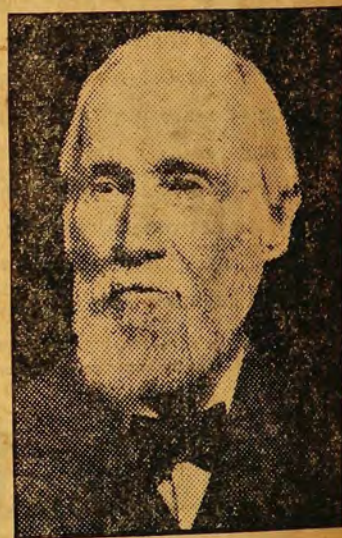
mal reception was during which Mr. calls from his fr

Mr. Drake, a age, is still hale pleasant, sunshin of his time out of to stay indoors l although of late failing somewhat obliged to give ing. In spite of managed to keep and is an inter ist, talking enter experiences as a present day affa

He is descende family, who ha Parish of Musbt England. The d was at Ash and John Drake, wi three daughters, in 1636 settled land was set asid and the family l that place. For vious to the co heads of the family were all named John. Two of Mr. Drake's uncles, Sergeant Lemuel Drake and Lory Drake, took an active part in the American Revolution.

Mr. Drake was born on March 22, 1820, in Windsor, the son of David Drake and Olive (Griswold) Drake. He was one of six children, the others being Henry, William and Sydney Drake and Miss Mary Drake and Mrs. Warren Rowley, all of whom are now dead. When a boy he worked on the farm and attended the district schools. When but 17 years of age he came to Hartford and entered the employ of Eggleston & Rowley, who then ran a grocery store on North Main street. Later he was associated with his brother William in the same business.

When he was 24 years old Mr. Drake



TIMOTHY DRAKE.

90 Years Old Yesterday.



DR PAGE TO LEAVE DANVERS ASYLUM.

WELL KNOWN HERE.

Retiring Superintendent of the Danvers Insane Hospital.

March 1910
News of the resignation of Superintendent Charles W. Page of the Danvers Insane hospital in Danvers, Mass., is received with interest by physicians and a number of others in Hartford. Dr. Page is well known here, as he married a daughter of the late Erastus Collins, Miss Caroline Collins, and was for a time assistant superintendent of the Hartford Retreat for the Insane.

After serving at the retreat Dr. Page accepted a position in the Danvers institution. Then he went to the State Hospital for the Insane at Middletown, whence he went again to the Danvers hospital. He is about 55 or 60 years old.

It is stated in Boston papers that for a time there have been rumors of trouble in the management of the Danvers hospital. Colonel George R. Jewett of Salem has resigned as a trustee and the resignation was accepted by Governor Draper Monday. Colonel Jewett was chairman of the board, and the resignation indicates a complete change in the management of the Danvers institution. To fill the place of Colonel Jewett the governor will make his fourth appointment to the board within a year. When asked about the resignation Governor Draper said he had nothing to say.

Samuel W. Hopkinson of Haverhill, who had been chairman of the Danvers trustees for nearly forty years, was not reappointed when his term expired, but ex-Councillor Seward W. Jones of Newton was appointed in his place. The vacancy caused by the death of Ada T. Brewster of Danvers, another of the trustees, was filled by the appointment of Annie M. Kilham of Beverly. The place of Solon Bancroft will be filled by S. Herbert Wilkins of Salem, and H. H. Atherton of Saugus, who has been elected a member of the general court, will by that fact and by law be forced to resign.

It is stated that for some months Governor Draper has been convinced that the Danvers Insane hospital has been suffering from dry rot, and that

FAST DAY PROCLAMATION.

STATE OF CONNECTICUT.

By His Excellency, Frank B. Weeks,
Governor.

In accordance with the custom of generations, I hereby appoint Friday, the twenty-fifth day of March next, as a day of fasting and prayer and I recommend that the people of this state on that day, lay aside the common employment, and in the homes and places of public worship confess their sins, there entreating Almighty God His forgiveness, that His favor may be continued and faith in His merciful guidance may be preserved.

Given under my hand and the seal of the state, this fourteenth day of March, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and ten, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and thirty-fourth.

Frank B. Weeks.

By His Excellency's Command:
Matthew H. Rogers, Secretary.

MERCURY CLIMBS TO RECORD POINT IN BOSTON.

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Official Temperature at 1 o'clock Was

77—Residents of the Hub

Sweltering.

Good Friday 1910
Boston, March 25.—Winter-clad Bostonians sweltered to-day in summer temperature. For several days the meteorological engines have been getting up steam, but when the full force was turned on to-day it caught many people garbed in heavy clothing.

At 10 a. m. the mercury stood at 72, a record breaker for that hour on a March day in Boston.

The official thermometer on top of the federal building touched 77 at 1 p. m., breaking all local records for March. On the street the temperature was several degrees higher.

COOLER WEATHER TO-DAY.

Heat Wave Was Due to Stagnation of
March the Atmosphere. 26. 1910

The general heat wave which was central over the eastern part of the United States yesterday will be succeeded by cooler weather to-day. It has been due, according to the weather bureau, to the general stagnation of the atmosphere, the ground and air being unusually dry for the season. By to-day, it is predicted the temperature will be back to the average of the present season which has been slightly above the usual average. The hot wave by to-day will have passed eastward beyond the Atlantic coast.

Record March Day in Boston.

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New York Cannot Explain It.

Yesterday was the hottest March day that New York has had for at least 40 years; the weather bureau records go back no farther. The mercury rose to 77 degrees at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and that is the highest official temperature recorded for March. Forecaster Scarr could give no good reason for the sudden hot wave. The official report last night said that the temperature was dropping, and that it will be cooler to-day.

Hottest in Philadelphia's History.

Yesterday was the warmest March 25 in the history of the Philadelphia weather bureau. The mercury rose rapidly from 57 degrees at 8 a. m. to 82 degrees at 3 p. m. There it remained until sundown.

March 29 1910

Miss Margaret Josephine Stafford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stafford of New Britain avenue, was united in marriage to Thomas Joseph Dower of Newington, this morning at St. Augustine's church at 9 o'clock, by the Rev. M. P. Barry. The bride was attended by Miss Mayme Birmingham. Nicholas Eggleton of New Britain was groomsman. The wedding was private, owing to the recent death of the groom's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Dower will reside in Newington.

100 MARRIED TO SENATOR'S SON
 March 28. 1910
 Miss Dorothea Davenport Becomes Wife of
 William Truman Aldrich at Trinity
 Church This Noon

Trinity Church was resplendent in its Easter decorations for the wedding this noon of Miss Dorothea Davenport and William Truman Aldrich. On the communion table was a large cross of lilies and within the sanctuary was a thick bower of white lilacs, tall palms and bay trees. The choir rail was wreathed in southern smilax, and large clusters of lilies at the ends of the pews marked the pathway of the bride down the centre aisle.

The bride, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Davenport of Beacon street, was given in marriage by her father. Her gown was of white satin, made severely plain. Her veil of tulle was fastened with orange blossoms, and with her prayerbook she carried a few sprays of lilies of the valley.

She was attended by Miss Elsie Aldrich, sister of the bridegroom, as maid of honor; and Miss Elizabeth Gray and Miss Eleanor Cotton as bridesmaids. They were all gowned in yellow chiffon and wore yellow shoes.

JAMES P. PLATT

James Perry Platt was born in Towanda, Pa., March 31, 1851, and his father was the late Orville H. Platt, Connecticut's widely known United States senator. It was by a trend of circumstances of historical interest that the birthplace of Judge Platt was in Pennsylvania rather than in Connecticut which was his father's home and the home of his family.

Senator Platt, then a young man, and Frederick W. Gunn, the famous head of the Gunnery, the school for boys at Washington, Conn., were strong abolitionists, Mr. Gunn being especially strong in his position, so strong that he was forced to leave his Washington home and go to Towanda, Pa., which was in a section of country favorable to John Brown and his sympathizers. As Mr. Platt was a teacher at the time in the Gunnery he went with Mr. Gunn to Towanda and there met and married the daughter of James P. Bull. Judge Platt was born there, but after he was 6 months old the family settled again in Connecticut, where Senator Platt engaged in his practice of law at Meriden. Judge Platt has been a resident of Connecticut ever since. Judge Platt's schoolhood days were

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THE HARTFORD DAILY COURANT, MONDAY

School Pupils and Others From Hartford Have



Students From South School And Others From Hartford in Washington. They visited the Capitol, Congressional Library, Treasury, War Department, White House, Corcoran Art Gallery and Mt. Vernon. met with the New York firm of Carrière & Hastings.

daughter, Miss Margery Platt. His home is the home in which Senator Platt lived, No. 130 Lincoln street, Meriden.

Engagement of Vincent Club Member
An engagement of interest is that of Miss Pauline Webster, of the Vincent Club, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Web-

WHO HARRY WHITNEY IS.

The Mysterious Man Who May Have Cook's Records and His Adventurous Career.

It is no exaggeration to assert that just now the American people are waiting just as breathlessly to hear what Harry Whitney of New Haven has to say about the discovery of the North Pole as to the stories of either Cook or Peary. Whitney was, according to Cook's statement, the first white person to hear from the explorer's own lips the story of the discovery of the pole. He made the trip to the Arctic regions with Peary and left Peary somewhat mysteriously. According to a Copenhagen professor Whitney was "treated like a day" by Peary's burly sailor who had taken possession of the house Cook left as a base of supplies.

of a whale boat model and sent them to Peary for the commodore's equipment. A picture of him published in New York newspapers the past week is a snapshot taken when he was standing in one of these boats.

Harry Whitney is a perfect specimen of the clubman sportsman. His father, the late Stephen Whitney, was such another and was famed in New York and New Haven clubs as a thoroughbred. He was a splendid type of the sport-loving gentleman and Harry has inherited to the full his father's qualities.

The family are not related to Eli Whitney, the inventor of the cotton gin, although it has been repeatedly published that Stephen Whitney and Eli Whitney of this city, grandson of the inventor of the cotton gin, were brothers.

Harry Whitney is the older of the two sons of Stephen Whitney. His two sisters are older than he. They are Mrs. Charles Dickey of New York city and Mrs. William Blodgett of Fishkill-on-the-Hudson. His half-brother Stephen Whitney, is younger. Harry's mother and Stephen's mother were sisters and were the daughters of the late Bradish Johnson of New York city, and of Long Island. Mr. Johnson was a clubman and country gentleman of prominence and wealth and much of his property has been left

DAILY COURANT, MARCH 28, 1910.

Morgan Taylor Taylor

Students From Hartford Their Pictures Taken While in Washington.



Students From the District and High Schools, Hartford, at Washington. They Visited the Capitol, Congressional Library, Treasury, War Department, White House, Corcoran Art Gallery and Mt. Vernon. Arrived On March 19th and Returned on the 24th.

Roosevelt from New Bedford July 3, 1908. He went to New Bedford some time before the party left. He had a couple of neat power boats built there

president pose with us. We wanted to take him." at vein of humor. But in any story of the north pole conflict in an illuminating and entertaining manner.

HARRY WHITNEY GOES A-SEALING

New Haven Arctic Hunter and Sportsman Sails From Newfoundland With Capt. Bartlett.

WINTER TRIP INTO ICY SEAS AROUND LABRADOR.

Has Taken Moving Picture Machine Along—Something About Taking of Fur Seals.

Special to The Times.

Channel, Newfoundland, March 9. 1912

Harry Whitney, of New Haven, the sportsman who wintered with the most northern Esquimaux tribes that he might go hunting into the musk-ox country and then returned on board the steamer Roosevelt when Commodore Peary came back from his successful trip in quest of the pole, sailed from here to-day on a sealing trip with Captain Robert A. Bartlett. One of the novel features of the trip is that Mr. Whitney carried with him a moving picture apparatus, with which he expects to get photographs of scenes connected with seal fishing. As far as known no one has ever undertaken this feat and the pictures if successful will be uniquely interesting. Captain Bartlett, who was in charge of the Roosevelt, has managed many



HARRY WHITNEY.

successful sealing trips to the north. The party sailed on the sealer Neptune with a crew of 304 men, and, as usual on these trips, do not expect to leave the ship until its return.

His Third Arctic Trip.

This is the third trip north Mr. Whitney has made with Captain Bartlett. His first voyage was made with Commodore Peary aboard, and two years ago Mr. Whitney and Paul Rainey spent the summer on a hunting trip, which included a stop at Etah. On their return late in August they brought back with them many live specimens of Arctic animals that were added to the Zoo at the Bronx park, New York.

Youngest Daughter of Late Marcus Daly to be Bride of Anton Sigray.
The engagement is announced of Miss Harriet Daly, the youngest daughter of the late Marcus Daly, of Montana and New York, and Mrs. Daly, to Count Anton Sigray, the present head of an old Hungarian family of that name.

Count Sigray will arrive at New York on February 24, accompanied by the Marquis of Pallavicino, who will be his best man. The wedding will take place on March 29. As the Count is a Catholic and as Miss Daly is a Protestant and will make no change in her religion, the ceremony will be performed at the residence of the bride's mother, 725 Fifth avenue.

Count Sigray is a magnate of Hungary and a hereditary member of the upper house. Both of his parents are dead, his father having died years ago. He has two older brothers, one being the Marquis San Marco who married an Italian and the other, the Prince Schell, who lives in Hungary.

The Sigray family is one of the oldest and wealthiest families in Hungary, and holds many important positions. The Count himself is a landowner, and his fortune is equal to that of Miss Daly, one of the richest heiresses in the country. He is the possessor of a beautiful country estate on the Raab.

At the wedding of Count Sigray and Miss Gladys Vanderbilt years ago Count Sigray acted as best man, and it was there that he met Miss Daly.

Miss Harriet Daly made her debut two or three years ago. She is the youngest of three daughters of the late Marcus Daly and Mrs. Daly, to whom she lives. Her two elder sisters are Mrs. H. Carroll Brown of Baltimore and Mrs. James Ward, wife of Judge Gerard of New York city.

Miss Daly is a handsome brunette and a musician. Since her debut she has appeared with success in various tableaux arranged for the city, and has been much admired.

NORTHAMPTON.

Bradford-Gabb Wedding.

Miss Ethel May Bradford, daughter of Mr and Mrs Herbert L. Bradford, of Thomas Arthur Gabb of Hartford, Conn. were married last evening at 7 o'clock at the home of the bride on Grant avenue by Rev Dr H. T. Rose, pastor of the First church. The ceremony was performed in a bower of purple wistaria and decoration of the dining-room was made with smilax and carnations. The bride and groom were unattended, but Mr and Mrs E. C. Harriman were ushers. The wedding march from "Lohengrin" was played for the procession by Miss Carolyn Carlisle, accompanied on the violin by Miss Helen Bradford. The "Melody of Love" was played during the ceremony and the Mendelssohn wedding march for the recessional. The single-ring service was used. The bride wore a white satin gown, trimmed with pearl and lace, with train and veil, caught with forget-me-not. She carried a bouquet of bride roses. The ceremony was followed by a reception, for which Boyden catered. Guests were present from Bloomfield, Ct., Hartford, Ct., West Springfield, Springfield, Chicopee Falls and Holyoke. There were many beautiful wedding gifts, including a Morris chair from the employees in McCallum's store, and silverware from the bride's class in the First church Sunday-school. After the wedding trip Mr and Mrs Gabb will live at 60 Evergreen avenue, Hartford, and will be at home after March 15.

QUINN AND LANMAN BUILDINGS SOLD

John Porter and Charles R. Blanchard Buy the Property. *March* erty. 1910

An important sale of real estate on Main street has just been made through the agency of Robert C. Price when the buildings, Nos. 697 to 713 both inclusive, have been sold by the Quinn and Lanman estates to John Porter and Charles R. Blanchard.



Quinn And Lanman Buildings.

by the town of Hartford to the First School District in March of that year, and by the school district to David Watkinson, who then owned the property on the south.

David Watkinson, after getting releases of certain rights of way and gangway rights from adjoining property, conveyed the land, in 1839, to David F. Robinson, the consideration being expressed as \$6,000. Robinson held the land until 1858, when he conveyed it to William C. Pettibone, the consideration expressed being \$25,000. In 1865 Pettibone conveyed it to Charles H. Northam for an expressed consideration of \$75,500. Northam only held the property a few months and on January 1, 1866, conveyed it to Alfred E. Ely and Samuel Woodruff. Woodruff mortgaged his interest to the Putnam Fire Insurance Company, one of the earlier insurance companies of Hartford, whose principal office and place of business was on the corner of Main and Grove streets, where the Travelers Insurance Company's new building now stands. The Putnam Fire Insurance Company foreclosed its mortgage and obtained title to the undivided half interest formerly owned by Samuel Woodruff, on April 2, 1872. On April 11 of the

same year the Putnam Fire Insurance Company conveyed its interest to the Weed Sewing Machine Company and on April 16, 1872, the Weed Sewing Machine Company acquired the other half interest by warrantee deed from Alfred E. Ely. This property stood in the name of the Weed Sewing Machine Company until December 2, 1886, when it was conveyed to Patrick H. Quinn, whose heirs are now selling the property.

The property has an interesting history as being the center of the earliest Hartford and the site of one of its early school houses. The old deeds are exceedingly interesting as showing the manner in which the early inhabitants used the property. The school house was located on the land by virtue of a license, and the town was zealous in the maintenance of its own title to all this land until in the early part of the last century. From 1680, date of the Indian deed, for a period of 135 years, the land was held by the town and the early records are full of licenses for the pasturing of cattle and similar primitive uses.

In 1793 the town of Hartford conveyed to Charles Hopkins "a tract of land beginning at the corner of said Hopkins's brick store and running back into the cemetery fifty feet." This is the rear part of the Lanman property. Years later, when a controversy arose as to the division line between the Lanman property and the cemetery, the location of this old brick store became a matter of vital importance and diligent inquiry was made among the older residents to establish this location. A suit was started between the city and the Lanman heirs. It was tried before Judge Gager in the superior court and the hearing developed into a session of historical research and was largely attended by those interested in the early history of Hartford.

PHILADELPHIA COUPLE MARRIED IN ST. LUKE'S.

Middletown, April 1.—A wedding that might properly be termed an orderly elopement, occurred in this city, Thursday noon, when Attorney William Moreland Lansdale and Miss Elizabeth Cox Binney, both of Philadelphia, were united in matrimony.

COOKS MOTHER'S DINNER.

Mrs. Rebecca Gilmore, Camden's Oldest Resident, Observes Centennial of Her Birth.

Philadelphia, April 6.—Mrs. Rebecca Gilmore, Camden's oldest resident, yesterday celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of her birth. The celebration dinner, partaken of by only the immediate members of the family, was prepared by Mrs. Gilmore's 80-year-old daughter, Mrs. Cornelius Warner, who was assisted by the youngest daughter, Mrs. Mary Anderson, who says she is only 65 years old.

Although Mrs. Gilmore has been bedfast for eighteen years, she is in possession of her faculties to a marked degree, and conversed with the Rev. John W. Lyell, who conveyed greetings from the First Baptist church, of which she has been a member since 1859, thirteen years after she was baptized in the Delaware river.

REV. B. F. GILMAN ACCEPTS SOUTH PARK INVITATION.

Methodist Preacher of Torrington Will
Succeed the Rev. Dr. Elmer



REV. BENJAMIN F. GILMAN,

Rev. B. A. Gilman, who died four years ago. He was educated at Huntington academy, L. I., and Drew Theological seminary, from which he graduated in 1892. He joined the New York East conference the same year, and has received appointments as follows: Bellport, L. I., three years; Bayport, L. I., two years; Mount Vernon, New York, two years; North Canton, this state, two years; Hamden Plains, three years; Ansonia, three years, and Torrington, three years.

The following from the Torrington Register tells of Mr. Gilman's work in that town:

At the meeting of the official board of the Torrington Methodist Episcopal church to-night, following the prayer service, the Rev. B. F. Gilman, pastor since April, 1907, will formally announce his purpose to accept the invitation which he received last week from the official board of the South Park church in Hartford to become their pastor with the opening of the new conference year. The board, while loth to part with their pastor, whom they would gladly retain, feel that it would be selfish to ask him to give up the larger prospects which are open to him.

The three years in Torrington have been marked by growth in membership, a unifying of the many departments, and a deepening of the spiritual life; and in the event of his leaving Torrington, he will have the satisfaction of knowing that many of the financial problems resulting from the business depression, and which were also a natural sequence of the heroic effort of the church to free itself from debt, are nearing their solution.

Mr. Gilman is a natural preacher; his sermons are clear and forceful, well thought out, and he preaches entirely without notes. He has taken a personal interest in all departments of the church, teaching in the Sunday-school, entering into all the plans and efforts of the young people of the Epworth and Junior league, and co-operating and advising with the Ladies' Social union in their important work. He is especially faithful and helpful in pastoral work, sympathetic and responsive to every call, and the selection of a successor who will take up the work where he may leave it and carry it on as successfully as he has done is a real problem to the committee of the board.

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he official board of the Methodist church after from the Gilman, pastor of the church at Torrington. The invitation of the board to become the pastor of the church next year, beginning the Rev. Dr. Dent is a membership of the church. Following is his letter.

January 26, 1910.
To the Official Board of the South Park Methodist Church, Hartford.

After the most careful consideration, I have given your kind invitation for next year, submitted to me by the board, and the large opportunity and the large responsibility of the church's blessing may be for the furtherance of the work.

Sincerely,
B. F. GILMAN.

He was born in Woodbury, Conn., in 1869, son of the Rev. B. A. Gilman, who died four years ago.

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EDWARD L. SMITH.

Career of Democratic Candidate for

HARTFORD, CONN., FRIDAY, APRIL 1, 1910—TWENTY-FOUR



EDWARD L. SMITH
Democratic Candidate for Mayor

Times,

Read his "Announcement of Principles" on Page Five

Mayor Smith of Hartford has made William Waldo Hyde of that city corporation counsel. The use of a fine tooth comb would not have disclosed a finer representative of the bar of Connecticut. Hartford is safe. A Yale mayor and a Yale

W. W. HYDE, CITY'S LEGAL ADVISER. MAYOR SMITH APPOINTS HIM CORPORATION COUNSEL.

APRIL 15, 1910.

Mayor Edward L. Smith yesterday appointed William Waldo Hyde corporation counsel to succeed Francis H. Parker, for two years from May 1, and the appointment will be submitted to the board of aldermen for confirmation on Monday evening. Mr. Hyde will accept the place. He has long been one of the leading lawyers of his state and has had much experience in municipal affairs, having been mayor of Hartford and having been also connected with a number of city departments.

William Waldo Hyde was born March 25, 1854, in Tolland, the son of Alvan P. and Frances (Waldo) Hyde. His father, a prominent democrat and an eminent lawyer, moved to this city nearly fifty years ago, and was a member of the law firm of Waldo, Hubbard & Hyde, his associates being Judge Loren P. Waldo and Richard D. Hubbard, afterwards governor of Connecticut. The son was graduated from the Hartford Public High School in 1872 and from Yale University in 1876. He then attended the law school of Boston University, from which he received the degree of LL. B. He also studied in the office of Waldo, Hubbard & Hyde and was admitted to the bar in 1878. He afterwards became a member of the firm of Hubbard, Hyde & Gross, which was succeeded by Hyde, Gross & Hyde, the present firm being known as Gross, Hyde & Shipman.

Mr. Hyde was a member of the school board from 1885 to 1891, and was acting school visitor. He was twice a candidate for mayor, and held the office from 1892 to 1894. He was a member of the board of street

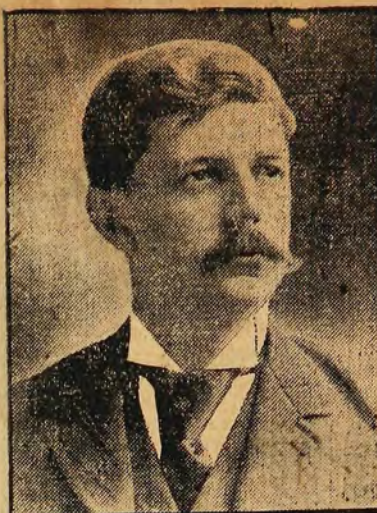
The Hartford Courant

FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 15, 1910.
THE CORPORATION COUNSEL.

Mayor Smith makes a mighty good start. His first appointment, and in many ways his most important one, is of William Waldo Hyde for corporation counsel. If there is a better man for the job in Hartford, we certainly do not know his name. Mr. Hyde has been mayor of the city and knows its affairs thoroughly, is a lawyer of the highest standing, and is one of the most universally and deservedly popular citizens of Hartford. It is a waste of space to tell a Hartford audience of his career and standing in the community or in the state. He stands for as good as there is and his appointment assures that this important office will be well filled during the Smith administration. The new mayor deserves the thanks of the city.

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HARTFORD, CONN.
CORPORATION COUNSEL.



WILLIAM WALDO HYDE,
Corporation Counsel.

Mayor Smith to be corporation Francis H. ill command

Hyde is a ability and fairs, and his l standing is was the com- it to find, and not only in out in finding the duties of care and an- h Mr. Hyde's o encounter.

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Stock Com- 32 Years

Full! store of C. C. turned over by a stock com-

pany which will operate the business hereafter under the name of the C. C. Fuller company. The new management took charge of the business this morning, and announces that it will conduct this large enterprise along the conservative and stable lines followed by Mr. Fuller, expanding the business as seems necessary at the present time, and maintaining the same high-class policy that has been in vogue in the past.

The disposition of his business by Mr. Fuller brings to a close an active career of thirty-two years in this city, the past twenty-five years as head of the business which bears his name. Formerly, from 1885 to 1906, Ex-Sheriff A. W. Spalding was a partner of Mr. Fuller, but when Mr. Spalding died in 1906, Mr. Fuller bought out his interest and for four years has conducted the business alone.

Mr. Fuller was born in Hampton in 1850, but was reared in Willimantic, where he entered the employ of J. E. Cushman at the age of 16 years. In 1878 when Mr. Cushman came to Hartford to begin business at Nos. 105-107 Asylum street, Mr. Fuller came with him, and after seven years he began his own business in Ford street, where it has remained ever since, growing each year to new size and strength. Mr. Fuller said this morning his business had come to a point where it should expand markedly, and at his age he did not feel like assuming this task, so he decided to turn it over to younger and more active men. The past year was the largest in the history of the business, and the first three months of this year broke all previous records, said Mr. Fuller.

The C. C. Fuller company comprises A. L. Lougee and Sherman Lougee of Salem, Mass., and Henry Beston of Danvers, Mass. Mr. Beston will be the active manager of the business in Hartford, and Messrs. Lougee will conduct a similar store in Salem.

Mr. Fuller, who will not take an active part in the business henceforth, will continue to reside at No. 61 Burton street, and will make Hartford his home.

OLD BOOK HOUSE CHANGES HANDS.

LEVERETT BELKNAP RE- TIRES AFTER 46 YEARS.

George F. Warfield To Continue The Business.

A STORE WITH A HISTORY—ITS OWNERS AND PATRONS.

APRIL 1, 1910.

Once more Hartford's oldest bookstore changes ownership, passing from that of Belknap & Warfield to that of George F. Warfield, Leverett Belknap retiring from the business after a career approaching the half-century mark, as "boy," clerk, bookkeeper, junior partner and senior partner. The change goes into effect today, Mr. Belknap's connection with the house ceasing yesterday. The store has been closed for inventory open tomorrow. Mr. Belknap of his forty-six years in the store is still on the sunny side of the chloroform age and, while that after all these years of labor is entitled to a rest and a life free from business cares, he will not lead an inactive life, as he has planned to occupy his attention for some time.

Mr. Belknap was born in September 29, 1851, the son of Leverett Belknap. He attended the old Stone School, the predecessor of the Brown School, then under the principalship of F. F. Barron on March 4, 1864, before he was ten years old, he entered the employ of Brown & Gross, then doing business at the corner of Main and Elm streets, and he recalls that the time came to move to the new location, the moving was done in a horseless vehicle, most of the contents of the firm being carried down Elm street in wheelbarrows. Mr. Belknap entered the firm after the death of Mr. Brown in 1880 and after the death of Mr. Gross in 1891 he became the senior partner and the firm name was changed to Belknap & Warfield.

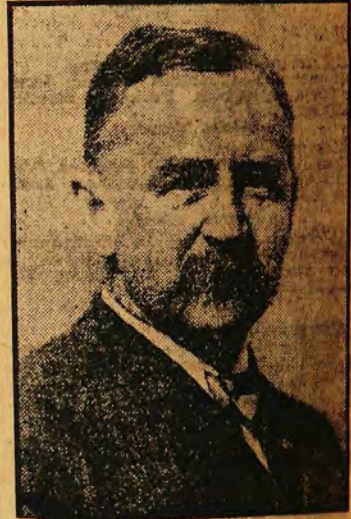
Mr. Belknap was clerk of the Pearl Street Church for twenty-one years from 1877 to 1898, retiring at his own request about the time of the removal to the west part of the city, where its successor, the Farmington Avenue Congregational Church, now is. He is now again clerk of the church, succeeding the late F. N. Allen, thus being clerk at the time of the resignation of Rev. Dr. William DeLoss Love, and also of his predecessor, Rev. Dr. William L. Gage. Mr. Belknap, who is a deacon of the church, joined the Pearl Street Church in 1872. He has been assistant superintendent of the Sunday school and was its secretary and treasurer four years, making a service of more than a quarter of a century as clerk of the church and Sunday school. He has been a member of the Connecticut Society, Sons of the American Revolution, since its formation in 1899 and has been on the board of managers for a number of years. His great-grandfather, Francis Belknap of Ellington, answered

in the siege of Boston. The records show that he enlisted seven times. Mr. Belknap is a member of the Connecticut Historical Society and is on its committee of publication. He has long been a collector of autographs and his list contains the handwriting of many of the makers of American history of the later days. One of the prized parts of the collection is a complete list of autographs of President, cabinet and governors of states and territories in the centennial year, 1876. He married, August 10, 1875, Miss Margaret Swan, daughter of Henry Swan of this city. They have two sons.

George F. Warfield, who has been connected with the house nearly a quarter of a century as bookkeeper, clerk, junior partner and now the head of the new house, was born in Palmer, Mass., but the family moved to Great Barrington during his childhood. He came to Hartford in 1884 and became bookkeeper for Brown & Gross. Three years later he entered the office of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company, remaining there about a year and



George F. Warfield.



Leverett Belknap.

took up his place as bookkeeper for the Society for Savings and, with Mr. Brown, bought the business, which was continued three years by this firm of Packard & Brown. Then Mr. Packard retired and E. W. Parsons became a member of the firm, which was known as Brown & Parsons. The State street location of the store was retained several years and in 1844 Brown & Parsons bought the business of John Paine, the successor of Daniel Burgess and Spaulding & Storrs, who had kept a bookstore on Main street at a location now covered by the Hills block. Brown & Parsons moved into the store they had bought, remaining there until April 1, 1846, when they crossed the street and began business at the corner of Main and Asylum streets where the City Bank now is.

Mr. Parsons retired in January, 1852, and Mr. Brown conducted the business six years, when William H. Gross became his partner, under the firm name of Brown & Gross. They moved in 1869 to the present store at Nos. 77 and 79 Asylum street. Mr. Brown died February 13, 1880, and on April 1 of the same year Leverett Belknap was admitted to the firm, Jewett E. Hutchinson, brother of Councilman Clair S. Hutchinson, becoming a member exactly eight years later. Mr. Hutchinson died the following August

and in April, 1890, George F. Warfield became a partner in the house. Mr. Gross died March 17, 1891, and in May of that year Belknap & Warfield succeeded to the business of the house. Mr. Belknap and Mr. Warfield buying the interest of Mr. Gross's estate.

The store, once a corner bookstore, has been a resort for the literary people of Hartford as was the Old Corner Bookstore for literary Boston. Here, in days gone by, the best types of the intellectual life of this city gathered to exchange ideas and to browse among the books. The "big three" among Hartford's clergymen—Rev. Nathaniel J. Burton, Rev. Dr. Edwin P. Parker and Rev. Joseph H. Twichell—frequently met at this store. Harriet Beecher Stowe was a patron and Lydia Huntley Sigourney's verse was published by the house. Charles Dudley Warner and Samuel L. Clemens were among the store's customers and frequenters and one who recalls the visits of the latter remembers well his regulation instructions to a clerk, when he had picked out a book—instructions given in his

to follow, and the... served as secretary of the board of school visitors, and graduates of the Hartford Public High School of thirty years ago have his penmanship on their diplomas. Early in life the teaching of penmanship was his specialty and he taught writing in the district which afterwards gave his name to its school. Mr. Brown was a democrat in politics, but he was as popular in his day as his successors, Charles C. Strong and Charles H. Slocum in theirs, and his popularity was shown in the same way, his name appearing on both the democratic and republican tickets. The present city treasurer began his apprenticeship under Mr. Brown, for whom he was a clerk for a few months—from June, 1879, to his chief's death in February, 1880. Mr. Slocum found him a most considerate employer, and he recalls him as one who wanted always to see the good side of people. "If you hear a bad thing about a man," he said to his clerk one day, "never repeat it, but if you hear a good thing, repeat it as often as you like." Upon Mr. Brown's

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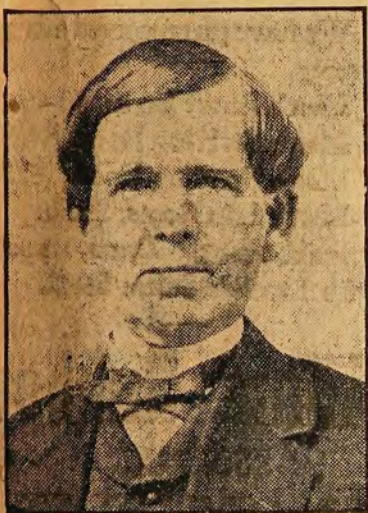
Gross, who was a member i about thirty-three years, as junior partner and senior partner. Mr. Gross n of Mason Gross and an er of Charles E. Gross, and uate of the high school in ng his classmates being Dunham and William Very

His connection with the ess began when he was a elknap & Hamersley. He ards with A. S. Barnes in ne in New York, and was t for a time before entering rtnership with Mr. Brown, he worked for a brief per- becoming his partner. Mr. a large acquaintance in nd did much to give the prestige which it has en- e was one of the original f the Hartford City Guard.

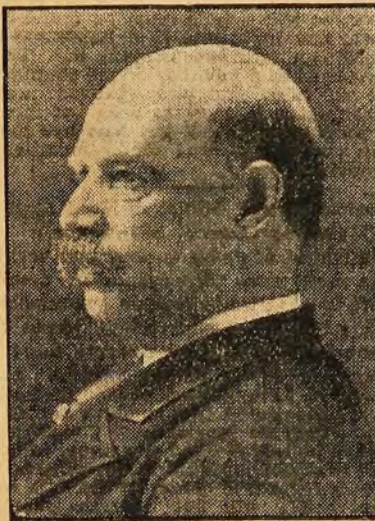
E. W. Parsons, who was a mem- ber of the firm of Brown & Parsons from 1838 to 1852, was prominently known in this city and held public office a number of years. A bright particular star who was once connected with the store as bookkeeper, is Dwight W. Tryon, a native of this city and an artist of note. While employed at the bookstore he drew and painted and until recently, when the man behind the whitewash brush removed the evidence, some of his embryo work could be seen in the base- ment of the present store.

Mr. Belknap recalls that when he went to work for Brown & Gross in 1864 the other employees were Joseph Chapin, who died in the West, and Fred S. Clark, now in the employ of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company in New Haven. Richard O. Phelps, the Hartford organist, was Mr. Belknap's predecessor as errand boy for the firm. E. E. Clark, the marketman, once worked there, as did Fred W. Arnold, now in the ice business. C. T. Millard, who

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Flavius A. Brown.



William H. Gross.

to read the Eliot Indian Bible; Horace Bushnell, the eminent divine; Charles J. Hoadly, state librarian; Julie P. Smith, the authoress, and Rose Terry Cooke of Winsted, whose poetry found many friends. Will Gillette, when a student in the high school, was at the bookstore "by the hour," as his visits are described.

Actors whose tastes were literary learned to know the old bookstore and to find their way to it when playing in Hartford. Richard Mansfield, Nordica, Francis Wilson and Ellen Terry are among those who are remembered as having visited the store. Richard Mansfield, who had a reputation for irascibility, did not show his temper when buying books. He knew what he wanted and when he got it he paid for it and ordered it sent to his car, wasting no words in the transaction.

Flavius A. Brown, who was sole owner or part owner of the business nearly half a century, was a native of Hebron. He became one of the best known men of his time in Hartford, where he was city and town treasurer for more than a score of years, holding both places from the fifties until his death in 1880. He was also an officer of a number of institutions and associations, including the Hartford Hospital, and was long chairman of the First School District. He also

Miss Katherine Dillon Becomes Bride
April Bertram H. Ward of this city, formerly of Boston, and Miss Katherine Dillon, daughter of Policeman Edward F. Dillon and Mrs. Dillon of No. 39 Babcock street, were married yesterday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Joseph's Cathedral by Rev. Edward M. Hayes. The bridesmaid was Miss Alice Tanner, daughter of Dr. J. F. Tanner, and the best man was Richard Dillon, a brother of the bride. The bride wore a gown of dotted messaline, with Irish crocheted lace trimmings, and a large white picture hat, and carried a shower bouquet of roses. The bridesmaid wore blue messaline, with gold trimmings, and a black picture hat. She carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. The bride's gift to her attendant was a ring, and the bridegroom's to his best man a scarf pin.

Clarke-Alvord.

Winsted, April 6.—Norman Russell Clarke and Miss Florence Ezit Alvord were married yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Second Congregational Church. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Watson Alvord of 75 Walnut street and the bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Clarke of Hartford and is connected with the Pope Manufacturing Company of that city.

A large number of friends and relatives gathered at the church, which was handsomely decorated in green and white. Organist W. H. Way played wedding music. The ushers were Fletcher Alvord of Winsted, a cousin of the bride; Stanley Hunt of New York, Harold Rood and Harold Tuller of Hartford. The flower girl was little Marion Alvord, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Alvord of New Rochelle, N. Y., a niece of the bride. The maid of honor was Miss Helen Beecher of New Haven. The best man was Robert W. Whiting of Boston. The ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. Everard W. Snow, the bride being given away by her father.

A reception to relatives and immediate friends of the bride's and bridegroom's families followed at the home of the bride's parents on Walnut street, a wedding breakfast being served. Mr. and Mrs. Clarke left for a wedding trip. Upon their return they will reside at 70 Washington street, Hartford, where they will be "at home" to their friends after June 1.

April 6 Greening-Bruce. 1910

Miss Edith S. Bruce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Edgar Bruce of No. 349 Sigourney street, and Richard Greening were married last evening at 7 o'clock at the bride's home by Rev. John H. Jackson of St. Andrew's Church. The best man was Bernard Culver and the matron of honor was Mrs. John Carleton Loomis. The ceremony was performed in front of a bank of palms, ferns, spirea, Easter lilies and asparagus. The bride wore a gown of white chiffon over ottoman silk and lace and veil. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and gardenias. The matron of honor wore her wedding dress of white satin and carried American Beauty roses. Following the ceremony a wedding reception was held, at which about 200 guests were present. After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Greening will live at No. 57 Evergreen avenue. They will be at home after August 1.

Middletown, April 5.—Miss Edith D. Calef, only daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. Francis Calef, practically left a bed of illness to-day to become the bride of Attorney Henry E. Ackerson of Keyport, N. J. Miss Calef had been ill with grip for nearly a week, but as the invitations for the wedding had been issued it was thought better not to try to change the arrangements and the preparations went on much the same as they would have had Miss Calef been able to be about the house to superintend them. The wedding ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Hazen, pastor of the First church, at 3 o'clock. The bridal party stood under a bower of flowers, flanked with palms. The house decorations were elaborate. The bride was attired in a gown of white silk and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley.

A reception followed the ceremony, at which there were many wedding guests present. The presents were numerous and included many costly articles. The bride is a graduate of Smith college and the groom is a practicing lawyer in Keyport.

Windsor, April 6.—A quiet wedding took place Tuesday evening at 6:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Greene, when their daughter, Mabel Ruth, became the bride of Ralph Richard Seymour, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Seymour of Hartford. The bride and groom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Mason Cushman Green. Mendelssohn's wedding march was played by Mrs. E. B. Greene, accompanied by Miss Camille Estelle Greene with the violin. "O Promise Me" was rendered during the ceremony. The Rev. George B. Dusingber, former pastor of the Windsor Methodist church, which the bride attends, performed the Episcopal double ring ceremony. The bride's dress was white messaline, and she carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. Mrs. Greene wore a dress of batiste trimmed with duchess lace, and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. Only the very immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present. The rooms were prettily decorated with carnations and laurel. After a short wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Seymour will reside on Windsor Heights, and will be "at home" to their many friends after June 15.

BORN May 1911

At Windsor Hights, Ct., 20th, a son (Ralph Green Seymour) to Mr. and Mrs. RALPH R. SEYMOUR, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Green, formerly of Ware, and Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Seymour of Hartford, Ct.

April Mather Golden Wedding 18-

There is interest in Connecticut in the golden wedding last Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Milton Mather, which was celebrated at their home, 16 West One Hundred and Twenty-second street, New York city. Mrs. Mather is the daughter of the late Andrew Mills, who founded the Dry Dock savings institution, New York city. He was president of the bank until his death, when he was succeeded by his son, Andrew Mills, who is still at the head of the institution. Mr. Mather is the oldest son of the late Dea George Mather of Darien, Ct., who celebrated his golden wedding in 1876, his mother being present, then in her 95th year. Mr. Mather is the grandson of the fourth generation of Rev. Moses Mather, first pastor of the Darien church from 1744 until his death in 1806, a period of 62 years. On the exterior wall of the Darien church is a tablet bearing the following inscription:

On Sunday, July 22, 1781, while engaged in Protestant New York Independence the Christian faith, whether Catholic or Protestant, who wished to bring back the people to church, and it is a free field for any one church, and the people are divorced from the church. Everybody knows that in Italy as in France the people are divorced from the church. Everybody knows that in Italy as in France the people are divorced from the church.

HARTFORD BANK BUYS FARMERS'.

STOCKHOLDERS OF LATTER
VOTE TO SELL OUT.

Offer Of \$125 A Share Accepted
And Transfer Of Assets Made.

FARMERS & MECHANICS' CLERKS
ARE CARED FOR.

PASSING OF THE LIVERY STABLE.

Boardman's Old-Time Institution to
Be Sold—Four Decades Ago/910

The automobile is crowding out the livery turnouts. This is especially shown in the passing of the Boardman livery stable. This livery is a well-known institution, dating back to the Hartford of an older day, an institution which the inhabitants of a quarter and a third of a century ago regarded as leading in its line and which preserved its reputation down to the present. For year after year the stable provided hacks and carriages for families of all kinds in the city. At most of the fashionable marriages for a long period the livery was represented. "Boardman's" was a household word throughout all Hartford. The livery also made a specialty of providing carriages for private and public use. When General Grant came to this city it was Boardman's stable which furnished the vehicles in use on that gala occasion.

It was in January, 1859, that the founder, the late Major Chauncey B. Boardman, started in the feed and livery business. The genesis of the business was on State street, where the founder had purchased a one-half interest in the establishment of George Goyt. In a short time Mr. Boardman bought out the remaining half and conducted the business with the vigor of a young man who had joined to a natural fondness for his line a strong determination to win and achieve success in the battle of life.

In 1873 Mr. Boardman sold out and located on Main street north of Charter Oak avenue, where his business was the largest and best of its line in the city. In the livery business he continued till within a few months of his death, which occurred April 21, 1905, or nearly forty-six years, longer than any other liveryman in the city. He had earned a reputation for ability to supply handsome equipment and reliable teams. The stable has been for many years a headquarters for the hire of fashionable carriages for governors and city officials, for parades, weddings, drives and all kinds of social functions.

For many years the livery provided the line of carriages used at the governor's inaugural procession, and the carriages in use at the annual encampment at Niantic. At the time of General Grant's visit referred to it provided the four handsome blacks which drew the carriage, and a beautiful carriage it was.

The corporation which carries on the business was formed January 1, 1904, and Major Boardman was president of it. W. P. Landon was secured as manager and has been in charge since that time.

Mr. Boardman was elected major of the First Company Governor's Horse Guard in 1859 and continued at the head of that organization till 1873. He remained on the staff till 1891. H. J. Thompson, who is interested in the Boardman Livery Stable, Incorporated, which is the company operating the plant, says that the decision to sell was arrived at largely in consequence of the increasing use of the automobile. The real estate will be for rent after May 1.

The famous livery stable at Nos 356 and 358 Main street will be sold at auction with all its furnishings and the contents of all kinds, the sale opening on the morning of next Thursday at 10 o'clock and continuing at 10 o'clock on the following morning till all the articles offered are disposed of. William Crane will act as auctioneer.

APRIL 9, 1910.

ROMANCE IS RECALLED.

Baby Adopted by Frank Conger, Now Woman Grown, Wants an Accounting.

A romance and tragedy of 20 years' standing is now culminating in the application of Oressa Stewart in surrogate's court at Rochester, N. Y., to compel the

st evening to Mr. of No. 28 At- 1914.

Hartford Man Married in Plainfield, J.—Other Nuptials.

Francis Watkinson Cole of this city and Miss Grace Kaufman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Talmadge Kaufman of Plainfield, N. J., were united in marriage Saturday afternoon by the Rev. J. S. Zelle of the cent Avenue Presbyterian church Plainfield, the ceremony taking place in the residence of the bride's father, Richard Cole, a brother of the bride's mother.

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YOUNG LAWYER HAS FINE REPUTATION.

Has Served in Council Board and on Special Committees.

Francis W. Cole was named as cor-



She died May 11, 1912 102 yrs MRS LAURA GRIGGS MOORE.

[Who is 100 years old to-day.]

about the case. My brother's ward J. J. now arrived at the age of 21, and right fully asks that she be given possession of her estate. The action is brought for the settlement of the estate, which will be done as soon as I am able to transact the business. The \$14,000 which Mrs Wilcox obtained from the railroad company has been invested, and will now bring her considerably more than the principal." Mr Conger has been ill, and was not able to go to Rochester yesterday.

Goodrich-Ehbets.

Milo Goodrich and Miss Claudia Elizabeth Ehbets, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Ehbets, all of this city, were married at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, No. 14 Vernon street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George T. Linsley, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd. Mr. and Mrs. Goodrich will live in this city.

GOODRICH-EHBETS — In this city, April 11, by Rev. George Thomas Linsley, Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Ehbets, and Milo Goodrich, both of this city.

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BRIMFIELD.

MRS MOORE'S 100TH BIRTHDAY

Was Full of Many Delightful Surprises, 1910.

Mrs Laura Griggs Moore, who passed her 100th birthday Wednesday, enjoyed visits from relatives and friends throughout the day, and received many tokens of remembrance. She greeted her visitors with her customary hearty cordiality, and seemed to think that they had done her great honor in coming. Mrs Moore rose as usual about 5 o'clock Wednesday morning after a good night's rest and was well and happy throughout the day, retiring between 6 and 7. She was delighted with the choice flowers which came from various places, and they included beautiful hot-house roses from Boston arbutus from her home state, cut, besides violets, carnations, peonies. Greetings were received from California, New Mexico, New York, New Hampshire and Rhode Island, as well as sets, many of the messages, and cards, of which there were 100. One of these was from Elder Amasa Moore of Springfield, who is 96 years old, remarked that her school little younger than herself, a scholar and always went to the class. She was especially pleased to receive a letter from Lieut Olin Moore of Mexico and wondered how her birthday. Among other things were a beautiful knit shawl, including "Stage Coach field," which covers a perfect photograph of Stafford village was in 1810, a plant and a large birthday cake, the figures 1810-1910, and 100 bright Lincoln pennies.

With her customary cheerfulness, she welcomed her visitors instead of for her age, which could not understand what she so remembered, remarked that she deserved. The celebration also over the time, a remarkable development in communication among the people, that her long life has brought her many benefits she has been spared. The electric road brought her to within a mile of her door on the free delivery of mail down with mail for her. The greatest surprise of the day was her picture in The Republic found difficult to understand the warmest of her friends, Mr. Herbert Thresh of Springfield, who took Mrs Moore's 100th birthday as her various occasions, and also family group with her as usual. All who visited Mr Moore's birthday felt the uplifted life not only long, but well lived. Longevity is characteristic of the Griggs and Booth families. Mrs Moore, the evidence of spiritual strength, of equilibrium and self-possession, of a freedom from all uncharitable feelings, the favorable conditions, longed and beneficent in her relatives who visited Wednesday were Mr and Mrs Moore and Charles and Mary of Stafford Springs, Emma of Sidney, N. Y., Mrs M. Maica Plain, Mr and Mrs N. F. of Wales, Mr and Mrs Milton Palmer, Mr and Mrs Melvin E. and Mr and Mrs Milo S. Booth of Brimfield, Mr and Mrs Roscius H. Newell of Three Rivers and Mr and Mrs Davis of Brimfield.

MARJORIE GOULD TO
WED A. J. DREXEL, JR.

Engagement of George Jay Gould's Eldest Daughter Is Announced at a Dance.

AT HER PARENTS' NEW HOME.

New York, January 19.—The engagement of the season, one most interesting abroad as well as in New York and Philadelphia, is that announced last night by George Jay Gould of his eldest daughter, Miss Marjorie Gould, to Anthony J. Drexel, Jr.

Dance Preceded by Dinners.
The dance was held at the

Marjorie Gould and Anthony J. Drexel, Jr.



Daughter of George Gould and Son of Anthony Drexel

Married Yesterday

tables, singing as they went, and this was also a feature of the second supper served in the later hours.

MARJORIE GOULD GETS LICENSE TO WED.

New York, April 14.—Both wreathed in smiles, Miss Marjorie Gould, daughter of George J. Gould, and Anthony Drexel, jr., to whom she is to be married on April 19, obtained a marriage license at the City Hall today.

In the application Mr. Drexel's age was set down as 21 and Miss Gould's as 19.

FIFTH AVENUE HOUSE FOR MARJORIE GOULD.

Father to Spend \$500,000 on Wedding Gift.

New York, April 8.—According to friends of the family, a house in upper Fifth avenue will be the gift of George J. Gould to his daughter, Marjorie, when she is married to Anthony J. Drexel, jr., on April 19. The property, which is on the avenue between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets, was bought by Mr. Gould today at a price said to have been between \$350,000 and \$400,000. With the furnishings, which it is said Mr. Gould intends to install, the gift will represent an outlay of \$500,000.

GOULD-DREXEL WEDDING

Elaborate Arrangements for Notable Ceremony in St. Bartholomew's Church, New York, Uniting Two Distinguished Families.

Miss Marjorie Gwynne Gould, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Jay Gould, became the wife of Anthony J. Drexel, Jr., yesterday. The ceremony which united these distinguished families took place in St. Bartholomew's Church, New York city, at 4 P. M., in the midst of a pouring rain which, however, did not prevent a surging mass of curious sightseers from almost blocking the progress of the wedding party.

Nothing was wanting to make the church decorations the most beautiful ever seen in the city where elaborate weddings are frequent. The choicest blossoms were employed in the most effective fashion. Pink, the bride's favorite color, was seen in the thousands of azaleas, roses and branches of apple blossoms brought from the South for this happy event. White lilacs and calla lilies were also used in profusion.

With the first notes of "The Voice that Breathed O'er Eden," twenty-four choir boys came from the left of the chancel. Just behind them were Bishop Scarborough of New Jersey accompanied by Rev. Leighton S. Parks, D. D., and Rev. Ernest Matthews of Lakewood, N. J. Mr. Drexel was attended by his brother, Armstrong Drexel. The procession up the main aisle was led by the ushers, Noel Griffith of London, William Rhinelander Stewart, a cousin of the bridegroom; Kingdon Gould, brother of the bride; Dr. Guy Montague, George Finch-Hatton, Viscount Maldstone, Jay Gould, another brother of the bride, and Julius W. Noyes. They were followed by the bridesmaids, Miss Marjorie Curtis, Miss Margaretta Drexel, Miss Hope Hamilton, Miss Beatrice Claffin, Miss Dorothy Randolph and Miss Elsie Nicoll. They were dressed in blue satin, with picture hats. Their only ornaments were tiny diamond studded watches of blue enamel, the bride's gifts. They carried round bouquets of orange blossoms and pink moss rosebuds.

Behind the bridesmaids were the little flower girls, Miss Ellen Mackay and Miss Edith Gould, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gould. They wore white embroidered

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dresses, with blue sashes, large straw hats trimmed with blue ribbon and pink camellias. Miss Vivien Gould, the next sister to Marjorie, who makes her debut next season, followed as maid of honor. Her costume was similar to that of the bridesmaids.

Next came the bride, escorted by her father. Her costume of ivory-white satin had long sleeves, square neck and court train heavily embroidered with orange blossom design. The veil of Brussels net was edged with duchesse lace and fastened by wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of orange blossoms and bride roses. She wore a stole chain of pearls, with a diamond-studded watch, the gift of her mother, a pearl and diamond brooch, given her by her aunt, Miss Heleu M. Gould; a solitaire sapphire ring, the gift of the bridegroom, and a diamond bracelet, Frank Gould's gift.

Every detail was on a magnificent scale for the reception in the Gould mansion in Fifth avenue. Plants and flowers from all over the world added beauty to the rooms. The wedding gifts, displayed on the third floor, had been guarded for days by detectives. Even the wedding cake, the most costly one ever made, so it is said, had to be similarly protected.

The honeymoon plans of Mr. and Mrs. Drexel were kept secret, but they will be in London in June to attend the wedding of Miss Margaretta Drexel and Viscount Maldstone.

Mrs. Gould made the day memorable for the family in the Actors' Home on Staten Island by providing a bountiful dinner. She has never forgotten her old friends in the theatrical profession and this was only one in a series of kindly acts that make her name dear to them all.

Hundreds of magnificent wedding gifts received by the bride were seen by a privileged few of the relatives and closest friends of the bride-to-be just before the bridal party started from the Gould mansion at No. 857 Fifth avenue for the church.

The presents fill a large room, which glittered with gold and silver, while the sparkle of diamonds added to a scene of remarkable splendor. The gifts kept arriving all day, and the beauty of the jewels and gold and silver pieces was enhanced by magnificent floral displays, one of the most

Young Drexel Gets Job As Messenger For Stock Firm.

New York, Feb. 6.—Anthony J. Drexel, who married Miss Marjorie Gould, went to work today. He got a job as messenger with a stock exchange firm and began his duties at the stroke of 9 this morning. With an idea to learning the business from A to Z, he determined to start at the lowest rung of the ladder.

Young Drexel worked hard on this, his first day, and tramped through the financial district in the slush and cold until 4:30 o'clock this afternoon. He had twenty minutes for lunch. Tomorrow his sister-in-law, Vivien, will be married but he will work half a day nevertheless, quitting just in time to dress for the ceremony. He journeyed home tonight, not in an automobile but on the crowded "L."

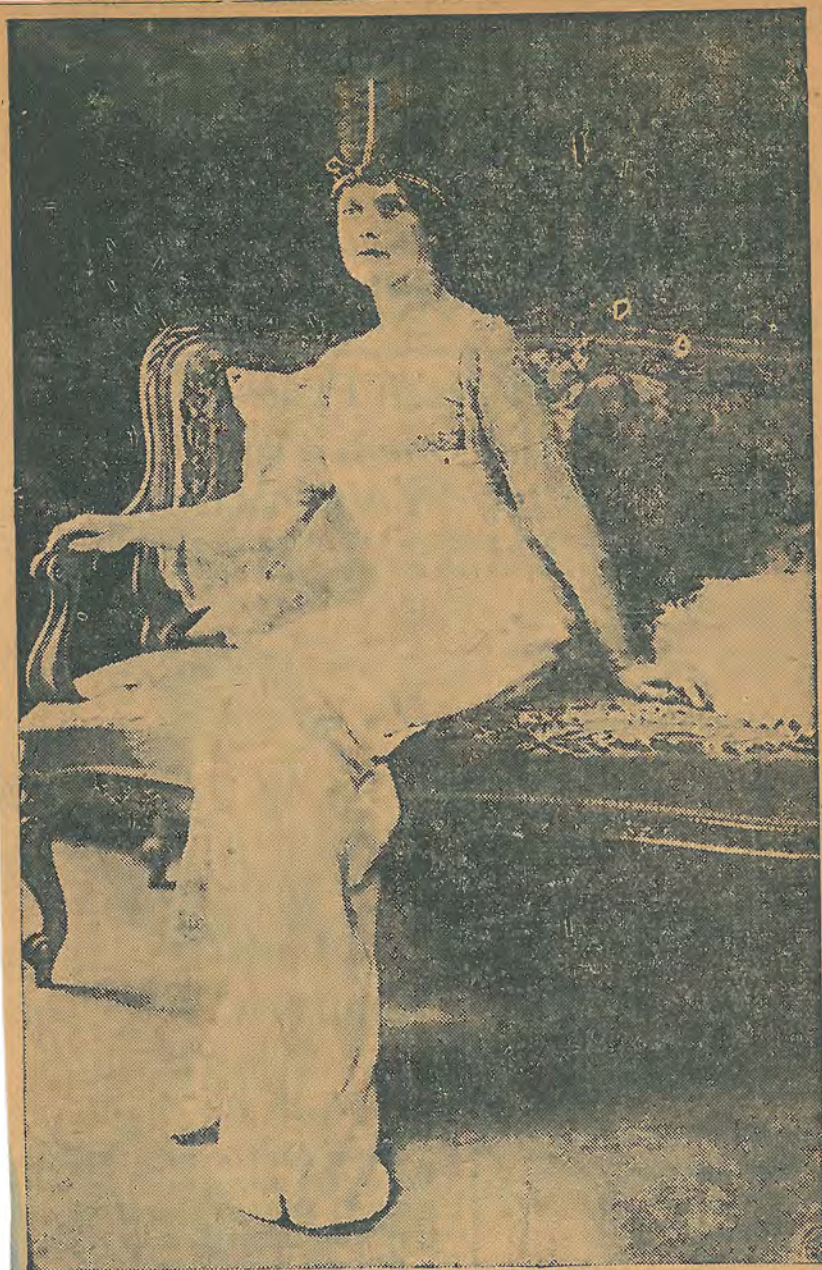
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MRS. ANTHONY J. DREXEL, JR.

Mrs. Anthony J. Drexel, jr., was, previous to her marriage in April, 1910, Miss Marjorie Gould, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Gould. The Drexels have two children, Edith Kingdon Drexel and Anthony J. Drexel, the latter being the fourth of that name. This picture of Mrs. Drexel was taken a few days ago at her home in New York. 1915

stantly to and fro, keeping close watch upon the treasures as they came in and were placed in the room set apart for them. The detectives worked under direction of "Bill" Sheridan, and one was always stationed at or near the door of the room containing the gifts. The other detectives moved through the great halls of the mansion, unobtrusively keeping watch upon all who came and went from the house.

A partial list of the wedding gift was given out at the house yesterday afternoon. It was far from complete, but contained the most costly of the hundreds of presents which poured in upon the bride-to-be during several days. The list is as follows:

Besides George J. Gould's gift of the residence at No. 1015 Fifth avenue, transferred to his daughter several days ago, he gave today a beautiful diamond collar and pendant. Mrs. George J. Gould gave her daughter a handsome corsage ornament of great value. Her other presents include a watch set with diamonds and sapphires, together with a pearl stole chain and also a ring set with emeralds and diamonds.

The brothers and sisters of the bride-to-be gave her a beautiful gold tea set and tray. Miss Helen Gould sent an elegant pearl and diamond brooch. The gift of Edwin Gould was a pearl collar. Frank Gould besides sending an order by cable from Europe for the delivery of the large trunk floral piece, also sent a handsome bracelet.

A large black pearl ring came to the mansion as the wedding gift of the Duchess de Talleyrand. Mrs. Kingdon's gift was a pearl and diamond bracelet. Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Drexel, parents of the bridegroom, sent two large chests of silver and also a tea set.

John Drexel sent eight fine silver pieces and Mr. and Mrs. George Drexel gave four silver pieces. Mr. and Mrs. Van Rensselaer sent several antique silver pieces.

The gift sent by John D. Rockefeller was a set of beautiful china.

A. J. DREXEL, JR., AND BRIDE AT FURLOUGH LODGE.

Great Effort Made to Keep the Itinerary of Their Honeymoon Closely Guarded.

Kingston, N. Y., April 20.—A special train bearing Anthony J. Drexel, jr., and his bride, passed through Kingston late last night en route to Arkville, from where Mr. and Mrs. Drexel were conveyed to Furlough Lodge, the summer home of George J. Gould, in the Catskill Mountains.

Itinerary Guarded.

New York, April 20.—Seldom has the locale of a society honeymoon been more closely guarded than that of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Drexel, jr.

It is learned that no sooner had the young Philadelphian made Marjorie Gould his bride and finished with the formalities of the wedding reception than the couple slipped away in a motor car and took the West Shore railroad for Kingston. There they were transferred to a train that took them to Ulster but kept on from that place. The trainmen had sealed orders where to drop the couple, so that their exact destination might remain unknown.

While perhaps not so refined as the celebrated monkey dinner at Newport, the prize fight between gentlemen,—one of England and the other of America—before the house party at Mrs. George Gould's Lakewood residence, was an exquisite example of a fastidious form of entertainment just coming into vogue. Mrs. Gould graciously presented the victor with a silver cup.

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YOUNG DREXEL DEFEATED.

Bobby Beresford Proves Too Much for Young American.

"BOBBY" BERESFORD DOWNS YOUNG DREXEL.

Englishman Won Boxing Bout in Beresford Will Not Fight Again.

New York, February 20.—Unlike the late Mr. Alexander, the Hon. Bobby Beresford, brother of Lord Decies, is not seeking new worlds to conquer. Contented with the honor he won in defeating Anthony J. Drexel in the de luxe boxing bout at the country home of George J. Gould, the Hon. Bobby has announced his refusal of challenges from Warren Barbour and A. J. Drexel Biddle, well known society sports. Barbour is the heavyweight amateur champion of America, which didn't mak his challenge look good to Hon. Bobby, and as for Biddle the Hon. Bobby said he had already whipped one member of the Drexel family.

seconds threw up the sponge in the third round. The bout was scheduled



A. J. Drexel, jr.

to go six rounds.

Beresford weighed 166 pounds, Drexel 161. They were clad in regulation fighting togs and Mrs. George Gould gave a silver cup to the winner.

The bout was witnessed by the family of George Gould and a score of guests, including Lord Decies's mother and sister. Lord Carmoys and Lord Alastair Graham acted as the young Englishman's seconds, while Jay Gould and Mr. Moffatt appeared in a similar

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In 1911, Mrs. Drexel left her hus-
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has lived abroad for several years.
It was announced that she intended
to institute divorce proceedings, but
instead a separation agreement was
entered into by which Mrs. Drexel
was to receive \$50,000 yearly. In 1915
Mr. Drexel filed a suit for divorce
in Paris and stopped the allowance
to his wife, resulting in a number of
actions in French and British courts.

**HE THOUGHT \$1 A NIGHT FOR
A ROOM TOO HIGH.**

**MRS. DREXEL WINS SUIT
AGAINST HUSBAND**

**Not Please Court Decides Banker Had English
Domicile.**

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**Divorced Wife Sues for Allowance
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Philadelphia, Oct. 13.—A writ of
foreign attachment was filed here
today by counsel for Mrs. Margarita
Armstrong Drexel, wife of Colonel
Anthony J. Drexel, formerly of this
city and now residing abroad to com-
pel him to pay her an annual allow-
ance of \$50,000 awarded her on June
21 last by the chancery court in Lon-
don. Under an agreement Mrs. Drexel
was to hold five policies aggregating
\$300,000 on her husband's life in
addition to the \$50,000 a year income.
Mr. Drexel filed suit for divorce in
Paris in July, 1915, and stopped his
wife's allowance. It is asserted that
the verdict of the British court has
been ignored.

DREXEL'S DEAR BREAKFAST.

**Philadelphia Banker Complains of
High Prices at New York Hotels.**

New York, April 20.—Anthony J.
Drexel, the Philadelphia banker, sailed
for London to-day on the Lusitania,
with his family, after having attended
the wedding of his son, Anthony J.
Drexel, jr., to Miss Marjorie Gould
yesterday. He was eating breakfast
in his stateroom, clad in a bathrobe,
when a reporter went to see him this
morning.

"What are you people going to do
about this high cost of living?" Mr.
Drexel asked. Why it's terrible!
Here's something I was in against my-
MISS DREXEL TO MARRY

SON OF ENGLISH EARL.

**To Wed the Viscount Maidstone, Who
Can Trace His Ancestry Back to
the First of 10th Century.**

Baltimore, Feb. 7.—Announcement
that Miss Margaretta Armstrong
Drexel, only daughter of Anthony J.
Drexel, of Philadelphia, is engaged to
Guy Montagu George Finch-Hatton,
Viscount Maidstone and heir to the
earldoms of Winchelsea and Notting-
ham, is contained in a cable message
received here by relatives of Mrs.
Drexel.

The news came from London, where
the Drexels maintain a magnificent
residence and where for several sea-
sons Miss Drexel has been prominent
in the inner circles of English so-
ciety.

Since her presentation to court by
the Duchess of Connaught in 1907 Miss
Drexel has been one of the most pop-
ular and sought after beauties.

Recently it was reported that her
hand had been sought by Prince
Francis Joseph, second son of the
Duke and Duchess of Braganza, whose
eldest son, Prince Miguel, last Sep-
tember married Miss Anita Stewart,
but the report was promptly denied.
Miss Drexel was one of the witnesses
at the marriage of Miss Stewart, who
is her first cousin.

A year and a half ago gossip had
it that Prince Christopher, sixth son
of King George of Greece, was a
suitor, and before that it had been
freely whispered in court circles that
Prince Francis of Teck had been
anxious to wed the beautiful Philadel-
phian.

The family into which Miss Drexel
is to marry dates back to the reign
of King Henry I. It is descended from
the same ancestor as the Herberts,
Earls of Pembroke. The first of the
family to obtain a title was Sir Wil-
liam Finch, who was knighted by King
Henry VIII. for distinguished ser-
vices in the French wars. The Earl-
dom of Winchelsea was created in
1628, and its first holder was lord high
chancellor of England. Viscount
Maidstone, Miss Drexel's fiancé, was
born May 28, 1885, and was educated
at Eton and Oxford. He is a Lieuten-
ant in the Royal East Kent Yeomanry.
His father, the thirteenth Earl of
Winchelsea, succeeded his brother, the
twelfth earl, in 1898. He has an
elder sister, but his only brother is
dead. The residence of the family is
Harlech, Merionethshire.

Miss Drexel's brother, Anthony J.
Drexel, jr., recently became engaged
to Miss Marjorie Gould, daughter of
George J. Gould.

THE DREXELS IN LONDON.

Their Standing in the King's Set and Their

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VISCOUNT MAIDSTONE OF ENGLAND.

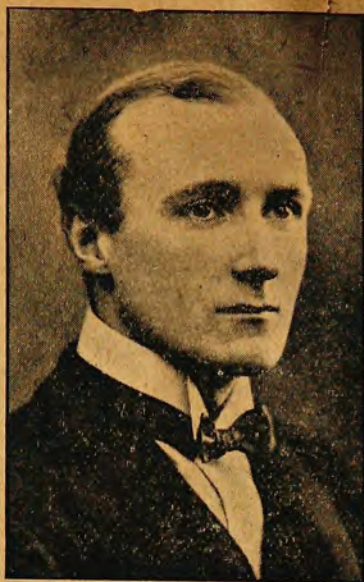
Who Is To Marry Miss Margaretta Drexel of Philadelphia Today.

MISS MARGARETTA DREXEL

BECOMES LADY MAIDSTONE.

Daughter of Philadelphia Financier

Figures in an International Wedding.



MISS DREXEL BRIDE OF LORD MAIDSTONE.

Philadelphia Heiress Weds British Officer.

London, June 8.—Miss Margaretta Drexel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Drexel of Philadelphia, was married here today to Lieutenant the Hon. Guy Montague George Fitz-Hatton, Viscount Maidstone, son of the Earl of Winchelsea, in St. Margaret's Church, Westminster. Rt. Rev. Arthur Foley Winnington Ingram, bishop of London, performed the ceremony at 10 o'clock.

The bride's trousseau was made in Paris. She wore a dress of soft white THE MAIDSTONE.

DREXEL WEDDING.

London Society Out for the Ceremony at Westminster Today.

London society is taking keen interest in the Anglo-American wedding fixed for today when Miss Margaretta A. Drexel will become Viscountess Maidstone, with the prospect of being the Countess of Winchelsea and Nottingham in due course.

The ceremony will take place in St. Margaret's, Westminster—a favorite church with American brides—and the hour is fixed at 2.15 p. m. Special floral decorations are being devised for the beautiful old church and the Bishop of London has promised to officiate.

There was some talk of keeping the wedding very quiet, but it is known that King George desires that the arrangements should not be interfered with by the Court mourning more than can be helped.

The pretty bride is to have a Court

Kirby Hall, Viscount Maidstone's Ancestral Seat



Margaretta Drexel of Philadelphia After Her Marriage Will Rebuild and Live In This English Mansion

was the best man.

The two received many presents. The bride's father gave her a diamond tiara, as well as an automobile in which Lord and Lady Maidstone are to tour the continent on their honeymoon. Mrs. Drexel's gift to

away his daughter.

Mrs. Drexel will hold a big reception in her corner house in Grosvenor square. Two thousand invitations have been issued this week for the wedding, but many old friends will be unable to cross from America, so this

SPRINGFIELD, TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1910.

Romance, Which Had Its Beginning at the York-Street Jail, Culminates in Wedding of Hampden County's

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service was used. The ceremony was
followed by a luncheon, the general and
his wife leaving soon after for Washing-
ton. It is learned from Portsmouth that
the marriage of Miss Zeigler was quite
a surprise to her friends. She arrived at
her home about 10 days ago for what
was thought to be merely a vacation

does not represent the actual number, likely to be present.

There will be a great show of flow-ers at the house, which, with its white walls and historic tapestries and furniture, lends itself to such a display. The ballroom will be given up to the presents of which hundreds have already been received, and they are still pouring in. The bride-groom is keeping his gift a close se-cret from the bride, but I may say that it is something quite extraor-dinary in the way of a dressing bag. Her father gives her a motor car, which will take the couple for their honeymoon on the Continent, the Italian lakes being their ultimate destination.

Anthony J. Drexel is said to have dowered his daughter in princely fashion. He gives her also some fine plague-set diamonds on a long pearl rope and a high pearl dog collar with diamond clasps. Mrs. Drexel gives her, among other things, a single string of exquisite pearls, and Lord

Mr. Winchelsea have sent their

GEN CLARK RETIRES THIS WEEK

WITH RANK OF MAJOR-GENERAL.

Last Active Militia Officer Who Saw Service in Civil War—His Military Record.

Brig-Gen Embury P. Clark of this city, who is now commanding the blue army which must during this week search out and crush the red army of invaders who are supposed to have invested Bos-ton several weeks ago, will go on the re-tired list of the militia on Wednesday with the rank of major-general. This event, however, will in no way effect Gen Clark's activity in the present maneuvers, but will give him a higher title during the latter part of them. The statutes provide that the bridagier generals of the militia shall serve but seven years and that they shall then be retired from the position with the rank of major-gen-eral. Gen Clark's present commission was dated July 26, 1904.

Gen Clark is the last officer on the active list of the militia who saw service in the civil war. He is a veteran of two wars. He joined the 46th Massachusetts volunteer regiment in 1862 and served with that regiment during the next year in the campaigns of the civil war. In 1868 he enlisted in Co K, 2d regiment Massachusetts volunteer militia, as a sergeant. In June, 1869, he was elected captain and in August, 1871, he became a major. He was commissioned lieutenant-colonel, August 31, 1875, and was dis-charged the next year. In 1878 he re-joined the militia as a captain, the next year he was elected lieutenant-colonel and 10 years later, in 1889, he became colonel of the 2d regiment.

Gen Clark was colonel of the 2d regi-ment at the outbreak of the Spanish war in 1898 and commanded it in the service of the United States in the battle of El Caney and in the engagements before Santiago. During a portion of this cam-paign he was in command of a brigade. No other officer in the service of the state has had such varied and valuable military experience and there will be gen-eral regret in militia circles that the time for Gen Clark's retirement has arrived. Little has been heard on the outside re-garding his probable successor, but it is believed that Col Frederick E. Pierce of Greenfield, the present commander of the 2d regiment, will probably be chosen. Col Pierce saw service in Cuba as captain of Co L.



BRIG-GEN EMBURY P. CLARK.

AND THE FULL EQUIPMENT OF TWO BIG FARMS IN EAST LONGMEADOW
On the farm of F. F. Newman, 1 1/2 miles from Center, on the Shaker Road,
FRIDAY, APRIL 29
COMENCING AT 10 A. M. SHARP.
4 heavy 2-horse wagons, 2 heavy 1-horse wagons (trucks), 2 dump-carts, 2 sleighs, 3 rubber tires, 2 express wagons, 6 plows, 1 sulky plow, 1 range-plow, 2 sulky cultivators, 2 front horse-hoes, 2 Osborn mowing machines (6-foot cut), 1 new iron-age potato digger, 1 fertilizer spreader, 2 corn planters, 1 seed drill, 1 corn harvester, 1 reaper, 1 tedder, horse rakes, potato planter, 3 walking cultivators, and a big lot of small tools.
Sale positive, rain or shine, NO RESERVE NO LIMIT. We are going to Virginia, and everything must be sold.
F. F. AND A. D. NEWMAN, Owners.
GEO. W. FAIRFIELD, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF FURNITURE
THURSDAY, April 28, at 2 P. M.,
68 CONGRESS STREET.
3 rooms of up-to-date furniture in an up-to-date flat. Pier glass, sideboard, table and chairs, iron beds, bedding, child's crib, re-tractor, fancy stands and rockers, child's re-tractor, Household range with water front, and a lot of other things. This furniture has been used less than a year.
GEO. A. BENOIT, Auctioneer.

Two Springfield Men Engaged in Tree- Planting 1910

Robert W. Day and Robert
Morris Start Pineries On
Their Near-By Farms

Two Springfield gentlemen, R. W. Day, president of the Springfield National bank, and Clerk of Court Robert O. Morris, are conducting interesting experiments in foresting their farms, which adjoin and together 200 acres, in the town of Wilbraham, Hampden and Eastfield meadow. Mr. Day's farm, to which he is constantly adding, is all in the town of Wilbraham, and embraces 100 acres, extending nearly to the New York line.

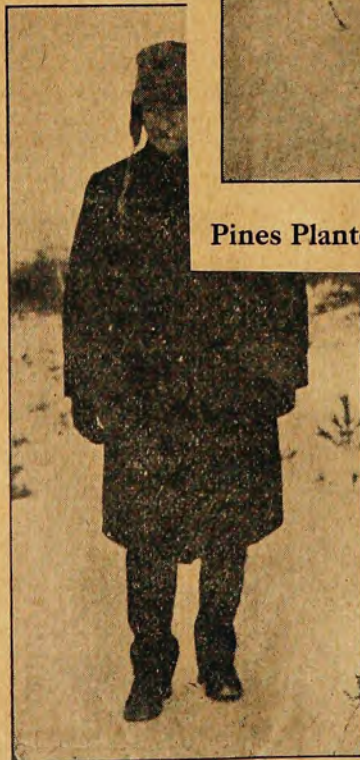
New York, April 23.—The first of Lady Sarah Wilson, who returned through some extraordinary adventures in the Boer war and was expected to pay a brief visit to New York on her way from the coast to London, were surprised yesterday to learn that she had returned through last Tuesday without acknowledging it and was now at home bound for home.

If Lady Sarah's baggage had been delayed after her arrival late on Tuesday afternoon her husband would have seen her at the Drexel wedding, which she fulfilled to attend. But as none of her twenty-one pieces of baggage were delivered at the hotel where she stayed hours after she was forced to standing she said Lusitania.

When in the St. Regis Hotel, Lady Sarah pressed at 11 hours after quirkers heard anxiety which through overage while wedding ceremony moment was herself that anything besieged in.

She arrived her husband on the same but she succeeded interviewed. She is ranked in the Middle Ages and endured the beginning of with her husband in the town of Wilbraham, northwestern garrison, at command of Lady Sarah first in being and acting as a certain to it, and was Boer officer besieged town.

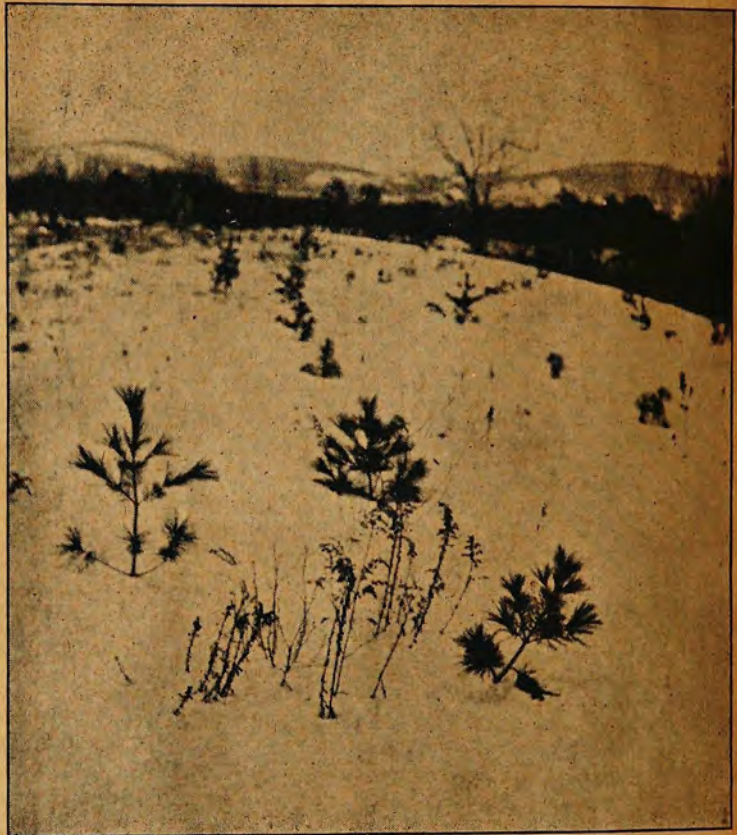
She is the Duke of Marlborough's Clerk of Courts, inspecting his Pine Plantation in winter.



ROBERT O. MORRIS.

Clerk of Courts, inspecting his Pine Plantation in winter.

Interesting Experiment In Forestry



Pines Planted Recently by Robert O. Morris on His Farm

DESERTED CHURCH AT SOUTH LEE.

A Fine Brick Structure Which Has Been Closed Nearly Eight Years and Has No Apparent Future. From Our Special Reporter.

LEE, Saturday, April 30.

In the very center of the hustling little

wick. The house was used alternately by Methodists and Congregationalists, arrangements for services being made each year to suit the convenience of the ministers. Following Rev Ira Hall came Rev Mr Phippen and Rev Ferris Moore, the last two being Baptist ministers who lived in South Lee. The former went to

Major H. Springfield, his brother, the fifteenth, marriage, Mrs. their sister, MAYOR MENT

Some of the Japanese factory girl is said to be the hardest known to woman since her toll is physically exhausting, her pitance of pay keeps her underfed, and she is without either protection or sympathy. Meanwhile, vice, yielding a revenue to the state, thrives. The only relief to the picture is afforded by efforts of a growing band of Japanese reformers to improve social conditions, and 10,873 of the 21,811 factories in Japan will now come under a new factory law which will some-

Every street Mr. created present street, to a m... m... called to and even... with... by member... were... George M... well. The... and many... Mr. Phil... by Falls... and Abig... machinist... was employ... company... 1870, he... Mr. and M... in 1871 and... They have... the... many chan... place. Mi... by E. S. S... just nine... state man... commander... Mary A... Dublin, Ire... of Patrick... this country... and settled... Mrs. Phil... of whom are... M. Arthur... Mrs. C. L... daughter, M... number 27... east 13, 18... dress and lo... were present... book are le... health, altho... has been slig... year.

Robert W. Dwyer

NILAN BISHOP OF HARTFORD DIOCESE Father Nilan Permanent Rector Parish in Amesbury, Mass. SKETCH OF THE SUCCESSOR BISHOP TIERNEY.

An Associated Press dispatch from Rome yesterday announced that the Pope has approved the appointment of Rev. John J. Nilan, rector of St. Joseph's parish in Amesbury, to be bishop of the Diocese of Hartford, to succeed Bishop Michael Tierney, who died in October, 1909. The appointment of a bishop for the diocese has been awaited for a long time and while the priests of the diocese had no intimation as to the action at Rome, they were surprised that a priest outside the diocese had been chosen.

The newly-appointed bishop was born in Newburyport, Mass., August 1855, the son of Mrs. M. J. Nilan, the late Patrick Nilan. He was educated in the graded and technical schools in Newburyport. After leaving the latter he determined to study for the priesthood, entered St. Joseph's College in Canada, and after completing the course there entered Notre Dame Seminary at Troy, N. Y. Upon graduation he was ordained to the priesthood in December, 1880. His first pastoral work was in South Amherst, Mass., from which he was transferred to Abington. His second transfer took him to St. James's parish in Boston, where he remained there, seventeen years ago, when he was sent to Amesbury as permanent rector. He was also a member of the board of examiners of the clergy of the Archdiocese of Boston.

Hartford will not be a stranger to him, as Bishop Tierney was a close friend and Mrs. Coffey, Jeremiah H. Coffey of No. 10 North Main street, is his sister. Mr. Nilan, who was formerly a member of the Washington School District committee, celebrated his silver wedding anniversary four years ago and at that time a mass of thanksgiving was celebrated by Father Nilan in St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church. Father Nilan has also another sister, Miss Nellie Nilan, who is his housekeeper in Amesbury, and his mother, now 85 years old, lives in the rectory also. Father Nilan has a third sister, Mrs. James Martin, who lives in Newburyport, Mass., and a brother, Thomas, who also lives in that town. He has a niece, Sister Stephen, who is a teacher in Mt. St. Joseph's Seminary on Farmington avenue, Amesbury, where so much of Father Nilan's life has been spent, in forty-two miles from Boston and has a population of 8,800 in round numbers.

Father Nilan will be the seventh bishop of this diocese. Bishop Tyler, the first, was vicar-general of the Boston diocese, Bishop O'Reilly was vicar-general at Buffalo, Bishop McFarland was a priest at Utica, N. Y., Bishop Galberry was superior of the

States and Bishop McMahon was a priest in New Bedford, Mass. Bishop Tierney, who was a priest in New Britain, was the only one raised to the episcopal office from a parish within the diocese, so that the appointment



THE REV. JOHN J. NILAN,
Appointed Bishop.

panied, he started on the journey that will lead him to his new charge, going first to Boston. Bishop Nilan's associates in the parish work of St. Joseph Church, remain there, his first assistant, Rev. William Reardon, being in charge until a permanent rector is appointed. The parish is one of the few in which the pastor receives a permanent appointment and is thus privileged to remain so long as he wills or until a higher appointment comes to him. The appointment to a permanent rectorship first comes as a result of distinguished services to the church, and once a parish has its rector so honored it remains in that class. One of the first requisites of such an appointment is that the church shall be free of debt.

While Bishop Nilan has no official family he will be accompanied by his sister and his aged mother, who will make their home with him in this city, as they did in Amesbury.



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THE RIGHT REV. BISHOP JOHN J. NILAN.

Father Friday afternoon by having his foot caught in a revolving pulley. The ankle bones were broken.

Parish The adjourned annual meeting of John's parish will be held in the church basement Monday evening, May 2.

The experimental plant of the American Ramie company at the An Greenwoods mills has recently received several large orders for ramie yarn and several new hands have been employed.

of Rev. Greenwoods camp, M. W. A., is Joseph's making arrangements to place a baseball team in the field the present season and is negotiating for a lease of the ball grounds in Pine Meadow. A new, which talent show, to be followed by an appointment, will be given in town hall next month to raise funds for the ball team.

and when Principal M. H. Hunt has removed had no room at the home of C. F. Loomis and action has taken rooms with Mrs. M. J. surprise. Mrs. Hunt returned to her home in Sturbridge, Mass., last week after a few days' visit in town.

The appeal from the superior court regarding the license matters in town will be argued before the supreme court, which opens next Tuesday.

located There are rumors afloat that the Greenwoods inn, which has been leased for a number of years, has been sold by the Collinsville Savings society to local parties and will be located up for dwellings.

collected Mrs. Guy Bates Post of New York course as the guest of Mrs. Charlotte Whittemore at "Overbrook" a few days last week.

priest Mrs. C. F. Maxfield returned, this week, from a two weeks' visit with relatives in New York city. Thomas Hines has accepted a position in Terryville and will remove here with his family.

THOMPSONVILLE.

Fahey-Dixon Wedding—Enfield Woman's Club Elects Officers.

to his Thompsonville, April 28.—Miss close Anna Beatrice Dixon and Patrick Lawrence Fahey were married at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Washlertory of St. Patrick's church. The ceremony was attended by Miss Margaret four Fahey, sister of the groom, and Mr. mass John Fahey performed the honors of by Fast man. The bride wore a hand-O'Toolme gown of white silk batiste, also adorned with Valenciennes lace. She who carried a bouquet of bridal roses, The and bridesmaid's gown was of white batiste in trimmed with lace and ribbons. She a thirteenth a bouquet of sweet peas. The lives ceremony was performed by the Rev. brother Thomas J. Preston. Following the that ceremony a reception was held and a Stepheadding dinner served at the home of Joseph's bride's aunt, Mrs. Alexander Barneue, in South Main street. Mr. and Fathers. Fahey left on the evening train for a trip to New York and vicinity. a popular their return they will reside in bers, South Main street, where they have a new home newly furnished awaiting them. bisho any beautiful and valuable gifts the fire received, including cut glass and ton dervware, furniture, rugs, a dining vicar-am set from the fire company of Farland was a present.

ishop Galberry was superior of the Valerian Order in the United

RECEPTION TENDERED THE REV. DR. COOTE AND FAMILY

The Circus May Take Place in East Hartford—Royal Arcanum Has Big Time.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERRED.

East Hartford, April 28.—The Rev. Dr. James Coote, the new minister of the Burnside Methodist church, and his family were tendered a reception at the parsonage Wednesday evening by the parishioners of the church. The attendance was over 100. The Rev. Mr. Coote and wife were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence S. Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. James S. Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Burnham, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Jarman and Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Gould. During the evening lunch was served, Mrs. J. V. Freeman and Mrs. Francis Forbes pouring. The address of welcome in behalf of the parishioners, citizens and the community at large was given by James S. Forbes. Remarks were also made by William S. Jarman and the Rev. William C. Prentiss. Mr. King of Thompsonville, a former parishioner of the Rev. Mr. Coote, was present and made remarks. Solos were rendered by Mrs. J. V. Freeman, Mrs. Winnie Davis and Mrs. Burt.

Circus Men Looking for Lot.

It is reported on what is considered authentic authority that the Ringling circus may take place in this town this year. Representatives of Ringling Brothers have been in town recently looking over available sites. Property west of Connecticut Boulevard and east of the residence of Officer Alex Smith is favored. This site is considered as central as any place that could be secured in the city, and the trolley service is good.

Real Estate Transferred.

Burton Andross is about to purchase the so-called Frank Comstock property on North Main street. The box shop which stands on the site is now being moved. Mr. Andross has contracted for a new cottage on the site, which he will erect this summer. The cottage will have all the modern improvements equal to any city dwelling.

Water Notes.

Superintendent Walsh will be at the commissioners' office in Wells hall, Saturday, April 30th, from 1 to 5 p. m., to receive water bills that are yet unpaid.

The superintendent reports that the collections will probably be a little larger this year than last, with a considerable loss of revenue from two large consumers that will not be received this year. Nevertheless the water works will make a good showing when the returns are all in, and will also show economical management of the works.

There will be a few extensions to be made during the summer to accommodate new consumers outside the

her father, was attired in a long gown, with hat and carried a bouquet of sweet peas. A wedding followed at the home of the bride's parents, after which Mr. and Mrs. Coote departed for a month's

GLASTONBURY.

Glastonbury, April 28.—The social at the residence of Mrs. Robert P. Grant, Wednesday evening was a very successful and enjoyable event. About 100 guests were present. Many of the ladies were more than 100 years old. Robert P. Grant, Jr., was decorated with old-time furniture and flowers in various varieties. A quartet consisting of Mrs. Robert P. Grant and Robert P. Grant sang "The Old Oaken Tree" and other popular songs. Mr. and Mrs. John H. Burnham, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Jarman and Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Gould. During the evening lunch was served, Mrs. J. V. Freeman and Mrs. Francis Forbes pouring. The address of welcome in behalf of the parishioners, citizens and the community at large was given by James S. Forbes. Remarks were also made by William S. Jarman and the Rev. William C. Prentiss. Mr. King of Thompsonville, a former parishioner of the Rev. Mr. Coote, was present and made remarks. Solos were rendered by Mrs. J. V. Freeman, Mrs. Winnie Davis and Mrs. Burt.

Charles Pickford was Tuesday at St. Francis hospital for removal of a malformed left nostril. He is due to return home Friday.

Good Intent chapter of South Main Wednesday evening. The chapter will be present. A large number accept.

Charles P. Carter has been elected to the position of street to Nelson S. Ball.

The Glastonburys will spend the afternoon at the Naubury day afternoon at 2:30.

Henry D. Whitney has been elected to the position of street to John A. Toohy.

The Glastonbury Fire corps will give its sixth annual picnic at Olcott's hall Friday.

The high school will give a play in the Memorial day evening at 8 o'clock.

Williams street is in a large hole in it and it is extremely one evening some one across the walk on

Father Nilan in his
home town.
Bishop Nilan his
Consecration April 28, 1910
His 3rd anniversary.

THE FOURTEENTH YEAR

(Catholic Transcript.) 1924

Hundreds of the clergy of the diocese assembled in the cathedral on Monday to celebrate with Bishop Nilan the fourteenth anniversary of his consecration. The year just completed was his second Sabbatical year. It, however, afforded him no surcease from labor. If the Israelites could suffer their land, to remain fallow one year out of seven, the bishop of Hartford has not found it in his heart to turn aside, even at periods so widely separated, from the cultivation of the great fields over which he has been placed.

It may be doubted whether the diocese of Hartford has ever witnessed and enjoyed a more busy or more productive year than Bishop Nilan's second sabbatical year. New churches are in process of construction, new asylums have been erected, and the poor in the remotest parts of the diocese have the gospel preached to them. The clergy labor together as one man, inspired and called to ceaseless action by their bishop.

Holding sanely aloof and refraining from unnecessary interference the chief pastor of the prospering fold has had an eye to the judicious advancement of every zealous undertaking. Those who look to him for direction find him uniformly conservative and encouraging. Abhorring headless endeavor, Bishop Nilan has had words of benediction for every enterprise taken up seriously and in the name of religion. His example has likewise remained an inspiration to well-advised and well-directed zeal. The episcopal qualities enumerated by St. Paul have been always conspicuous and seem to be more emphatic as the sabbatical years come round. Under his leadership the diocese of Hartford easily maintains the good name which was won for it by generations of hard-laboring priests and eager and generous people.

Bishop Murray divided honors with his right reverend ordinary on Monday. Both prelates addressed inspiring words to the clergy, and the clergy as they listened could not but be grateful that they and the faithful committed to them were so wisely and so abundantly shepherded. Under the leadership of Bishop Nilan and his efficient auxiliary the diocese of Hartford will be wisely ruled, and every enterprise undertaken in the spirit of charity and of religion may count upon their wise and fatherly support.

APRIL 29, 1910.

THE SEVENTH BISHOP OF HARTFORD.

Nearly eighteen years have come and gone since Bishop McMahon consecrated the cathedral that—stately without, beautiful within—is one of Hartford's choicest possessions. It has seen memorable things in the eighteen years—the funeral of its consecrator, the consecration of his successor, the midnight mass that ushered in the new century, and the sad day that assembled Roman Catholics and Protestants in a common mourning around the coffin of the well-beloved Michael Tierney.

Yesterday, thronged from altar door, it saw the consecration of Michael Tierney's successor, the seventh bishop of Hartford. The concourse of clergy and laity was a very notable one. Notable, too—astonishing as well as delighting those who heard it for the first time—was the singing of the great choir of priests. In front pews sat some of the city's Protestant pastors—the acting president of Hartford Theological Seminary among them. That wouldn't have happened in the East Windsor Hill days, but these are different days.

Bishop Nilan comes to his new duties and cares well-credentialed by his past. He may be sure that everybody in his new home wishes him on the threshold a long, happy and very fruitful episcopate.

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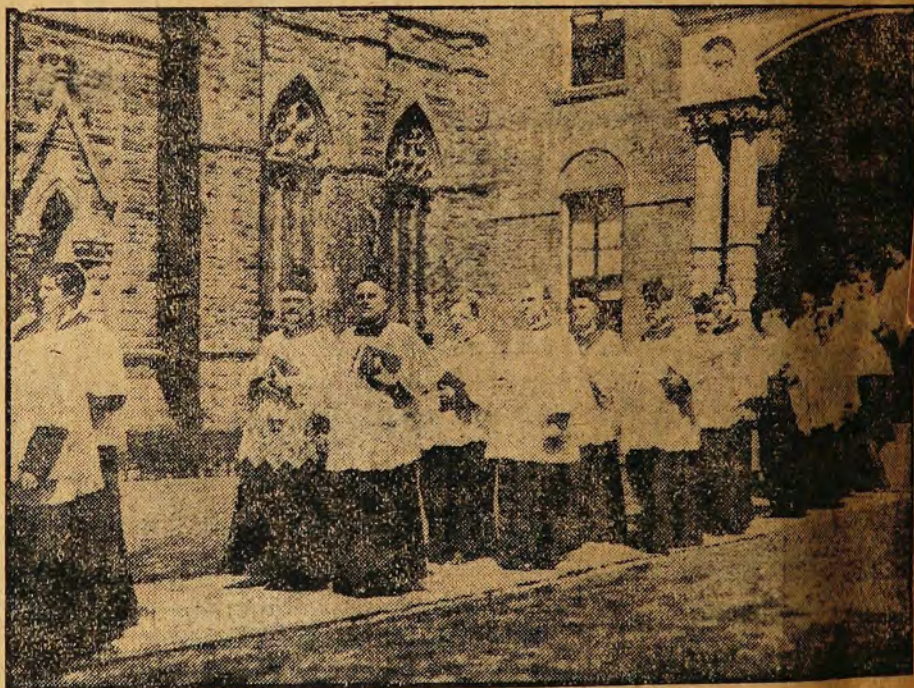
He comes to a populous and prosperous diocese—to labors and cares that will make plain to him the significance of those words in the Ordinal about the burden of the episcopate. He succeeds in this see of Hartford a holy and humble man of heart, who added to the choicest personal virtues extraordinary diligence and prudence, sagacity in planning and success in achievement. The best wish we can wish Father Nilan is that as bishop he may remind Hartford and Connecticut more and more, from year to year, of Michael Tierney.

The Right Rev. John Joseph Nilan,
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On February 7, 1882, he was married to Cora Eveline, daughter of Edward E. and Emily M. (Merritt) Towne of Springfield, and they have two children, born in Newtonville. The son, Edgar M. Richards, graduated from Harvard in the class of 1906

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the elusive dollar at the cigar stand that formerly stood near the entrance of the old post-office, then situated on the spot now occupied by the rotunda of the Haynes house. He worked late into the night and his brother carried his suppers to him.

In common with all men who have earned money by their own efforts, and have made their own way unaided, "the president of the Consolidated Gas company is disposed to undervalue his success, and," as his father says, "he's just the same as you and I."

The salary that Mr. J. L. Richards receives as general manager of the New England Gas and Coke company has been reported to be \$50,000 a year—but his father declares that he is not informed as to that. As he is the principal stock-holder and director in many other gas and traction companies, the natural supposition is that

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RESIDENCE TO ST. JOSEPH'S CATHEDRAL.

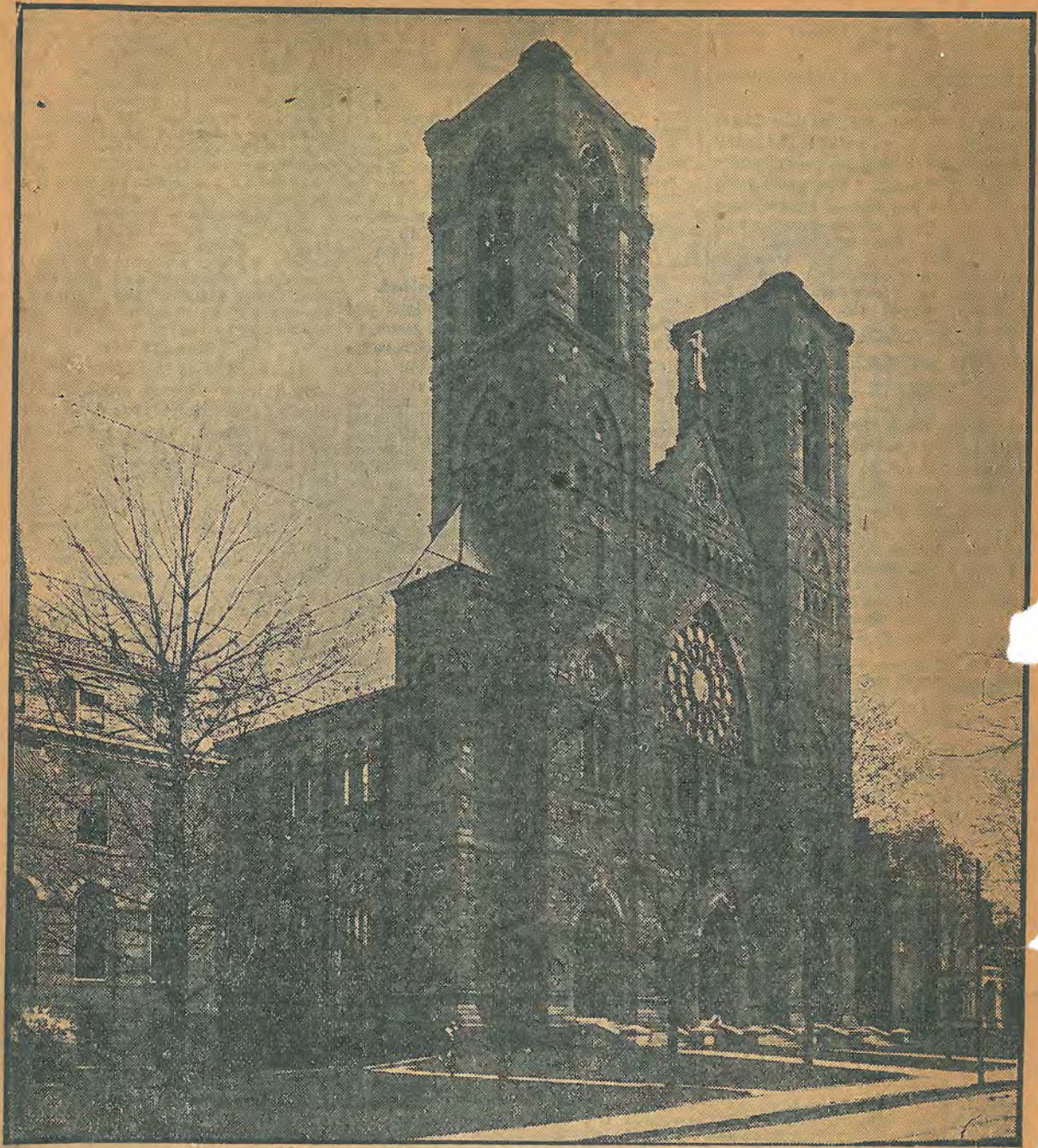


ARCHBISHOP O'CONNELL AND TRAIN BEARERS.

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At the time of the boom in traction companies the Boston gas situation presented features of vital interest to a man of the business acumen of Mr. Richards, and he took an active part in its affairs. He became the president of the Boston Gas light company, the Roxbury Gas Light company, the South Boston company and other companies interested in the gas lighting business. These concerns, under the direction of Mr. Richards, afterwards were merged into one large company under the name of the Consolidated Gas company of Boston.

Naturally, at this stage of Mr. Richards' career his abilities as a consummate business man were widely recognized, and he was made a director and trustee of many other gas and traction companies, winning not only the sincere respect, of his business associates, but also the regard of the public, by his frank and square meth-

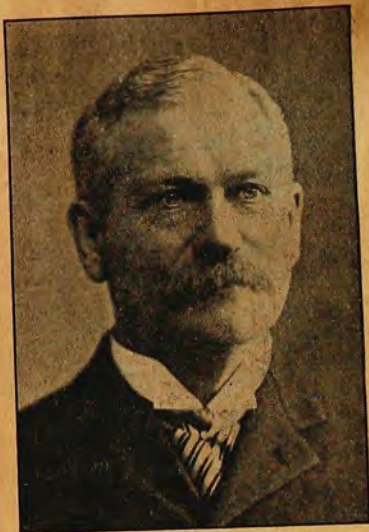


ST. JOSEPH'S CATHEDRAL.

MAY 2, 1910 *Springfield*

DEA. JACOBUS TO LEAVE

Deacon Charles Jacobus yesterday celebrated the 51st anniversary of his uniting with the Park Congregational



DEACON CHARLES JACOBUS.

Former High School Principal Who is About to Leave the City.

Deacon Charles Jacobus, who was called to become principal of the high school. For four years he was the popular head of that institution, resigning after his re-election to take the position of manager of the Boston agency of "Larned's History for Ready Reference." He was located in Boston or two years, and then returned to Springfield as manager of the main office of the C. A. Nichols company.

He has held many positions of honor in the educational field. As principal of the local high school he was president of the Western Massachusetts Academic and high school associations, and also, of the Hampden County Teachers' association. He has been a prolific contributor to educational journals, and has written several books that are widely read, notably one on "The Uses of the Relative, Who, Which and What."

He has always been deeply interested in out-of-door sports, and for

MR. AND MRS. CARRIGAN

OBSERVE GOLDEN WEDDING.

May 2, 1910,
Mass of Thanksgiving Celebrated in St. Joseph's Cathedral.

Mr. and Mrs. William Carrigan of Sherman street observed the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding to-day. There was a mass of thanksgiving in St. Joseph's cathedral at 10 o'clock, celebrated by the Rev. Francis A. Jordan. A grandson of the venerable couple, William H. Carrigan, served the mass. There were a number of relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Carrigan present. William Connors sang "O Salutaris" at the offertory.

William Carrigan and Mary Lyons were married in St. Peter's church, this city, May 1, 1860, by the Rev. Peter Kelly, the pastor. Thomas Duffy, who died a few years ago at his home on Washington street, was

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groomsman and Miss Bridget Gramham, who is also dead, was bridesmaid. Mr. and Mrs. Carrigan have had ten children, six of whom are living. The latter are Mrs. Mary Berry, wife of John F. Berry; Mrs. Christina Wilkinson, wife of William Wilkinson; Charles Carrigan, Miss Annie Carrigan, Mrs. Ellen Franey, wife of James Franey, and Edward Carrigan. There are twelve grandchildren. **MAY 3, 1910.**

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REV. JAMES GOODWIN ON PARK BOARD.

SUCCEEDS HIS FATHER, WHOSE TERM HAS EXPIRED.

Rev. James Goodwin, rector of Christ Church, was chosen a member of the board of park commissioners for a term of ten years, at the monthly meeting of the board held last evening at its office in the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance building and his appointment was approved by the board of aldermen about half an hour later, the whole matter being put through in record time. Mr. Goodwin succeeds his father, Rev. Dr. Francis Goodwin, whose term of office has just expired. When notified by telephone of his election to the board, Mr. Goodwin accepted the honor and was able to arrive at the meeting in time to participate in its deliberations. Before

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HARTFORD, CONN.

The retirement of the Rev. Dr. Francis Goodwin as a member of the park board was made the occasion last evening by his associates on the board of a complimentary dinner at the Hartford club. The full board, the superintendent, secretary, and a number of former commissioners were present. A most delightful evening was enjoyed by all. The unremitting and valuable services of Dr. Goodwin in connection with the development of the present park system, his interest in and devotion to the well-being of his native city, prompted expressions of the warmest regard by the speakers at the gathering. It is a source of satisfaction that with his retirement from the park board after a membership of thirty years his services and advice will not be lost to the city and the board. As a trustee under the will of the late Henry Keney, in charge of Keney park, Dr. Goodwin is still a park official, and we feel assured that he will always be in touch with the board and will take part in any or all of the problems which may develop in connection with park management. At least we all—park officials and private citizens—so desire

About May 2nd 1901
 Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Hamilton of No. 139 Sigourney street have returned from New York, where they attended the wedding of DeLancy Kane Jay and Miss Elizabeth Morgan, the bride's father being a cousin of Mrs. Hamilton. Miss Morgan is a granddaughter of Governor E. D. Morgan of New York, who was a native of this city, and her grandmother was the daughter of the late Thomas Archer of Suffolk.

CENSUS MAN FINDS

PAIR MARRIED 90 YEARS.

Florence, Col., May 3.—Census returns of this place include a pair of remarkable schedules in the case of Francisco Espor and his wife, who claim to be 110 and 107 years old respectively and to have been married ninety years. One son, the survivor of ten children, still lives in New Mexico. He is 85 years old.

MRS. LEAVITT'S ROMANCE.

Met Her Fiance in Colorado Soon After Her Divorce from Leavitt.

Denver, April 29.—When Ruth Bryan Leavitt got her divorce last year she went to the Glenwood Hot Springs to recuperate.

The day she arrived at Glenwood she was introduced to a young man whom she afterward laughingly described as "nice and clean looking, but with, oh, such a drawl." This chap was Reginald Altham Owen, whose father, William Owen, owns one of the largest tea plantations in Ceylon besides being a heavy property holder in England and interested in many enterprises in America.

Young Owen's attentions to Mrs. Leavitt immediately became marked. Owen urged a speedy marriage, but Mrs. Leavitt's parents objected so strongly that she took up voice culture in Germany. She arrived in New York last Saturday and remained two or three days, reaching Lincoln last Tuesday.

Abandons Studies to Become a Bride.

Mrs. Leavitt had taken up voice culture at Hanover, in the kaiser's domain, with the view of continuing, for a while at least, her short but successful career as a lyceum lecturer under the auspices of the University of Nebraska in its university extension work. But her English suitor pressed his suit so hard, both upon her and her parents, that with their consent she abandoned her studies in Germany and came back home to be married. She arrived in New York last Saturday, on the Cambria, from Europe. She remained here two or three days to do some shopping. Then she continued her journey to Lincoln to await her wedding day. She told her secret to only a very few friends whom she met while stopping at the Hoffman house, and how well they have kept it is shown by the fact that the American is the first newspaper to publish the news.

Mrs. Leavitt met her fiance first in Colorado late last summer. He was visiting relatives there. It was a case of "love at first sight." With great ardor he pressed his suit. She refused to give him an answer until he had met her father and mother and obtained their consent. He visited them at Fairview before returning to his post at Jamaica, in the West Indies, where he still is stationed and engaged in important engineering work for the British government in connection with the insular defenses.

Bryan Objected to Foreigner.

When Mr. and Mrs. Bryan, accompanied by their daughter and her two children, were en route to South America last winter, they stopped at Jamaica and visited their future son-in-law. It was not until then that Mr. Bryan gave his consent to the marriage. His only objection to the young man was that he was a foreigner, but when he discovered that he was of American temperament and inclination, he yielded to the young Englishman's earnest pleadings for the hand of the brilliant young woman. Mrs. Bryan favored the match as soon as she discovered it was a real love case.

Reginald Owen belongs to a family of Welsh descent, that for several generations has been prominent in the affairs of the church of England. His paternal grandfather and great-grandfather, both of whom were named John Owen, were dignitaries of the church and were conspicuously identified with its history in Ceylon.

In that colony Reginald Owen, now twenty-six years old, was born and lived until he was sent to England by his father, also named John Owen, to be educated. He won distinction a few years ago while he had charge of important telegraph work for his government in Ireland. He is a strapping fellow, over six feet tall, of athletic figure and soldierly bearing.

The bulk of his family estate is in Ceylon. His father, a widower, now resides in London, where he is on a dozen or more boards of English companies chartered to do business in Great Britain's eastern possessions.

After a brief stay in Europe, Mr. and Mrs. Owen will return to the husband's station in the West Indies.

Bryan's Daughter Weds.

Lincoln, Neb., May 3.—Lieutenant Reginald Owen and Mrs. Ruth Bryan Leavitt was married at Fairview shortly after 9 a. m. to-day. The strictest secrecy was maintained. All information concerning the wedding was withheld. Mr. and Mrs. Owen left later for Jamaica.

"CLOSE YOUR EYES, THINK OF THE PAST, DEARIE."

Message Sent to Ruth Bryan Leavitt From Her ex-Husband Just Before Her Wedding.

Toledo, Ohio, May 5.—"Close your eyes and think of the past, dearie."

This was the message sent to Ruth Bryan Leavitt just before her marriage at her father's home, Lincoln, Neb., to Reginald A. Owen, lieutenant in the British Royal Engineer corps. The message was sent by her former husband, William Homer Leavitt, artist, who auspiciously started an art class here yesterday.

"I have been misquoted in regard to my going to Lincoln," said Leavitt. "My plans in regard to that trip did not contemplate seeing my former wife. The only interest I had was in my two children. I understood that they were to be there with her, but when I learned they were in Hanover, Germany, I dismissed the idea of going. I will now take steps to get possession of my children."

She died Feb 9th aged 108 yrs

Willimantic, May 6.

Many friends of Major and Mrs. Amos T. Fowler are planning to call on them tomorrow to congratulate them and extend best wishes, the occasion for congratulations being the completion by the major and his wife of sixty years together of happy married life. Ten years ago a reception was held in celebration of the golden wedding and it is anticipated that of the relatives and friends present at that time many will call at the house, No. 18 Bellevue street, tomorrow.

Of the older residents of Willimantic few are better or more favorably known than are Major and Mrs. Fowler. They were married May 7, 1850, in Babylon, L. I., of which city Mrs. Fowler, whose maiden name was Ann Eliza Seaman, is a native. She was born October 27, 1827, and her parents were Colonel Lawrence and Eliza (Ruland) Seaman. After their marriage Major Fowler and his wife went to Lebanon to live, locating on the farm of the major's father, and in 1866 they moved to Willimantic and have lived here ever since. Two children have been born to them, Frank S., now of Amesbury, Mass., and Ella A., born March 14, 1861, who died May 6, 1869, in Willimantic.

Major Fowler, who was born May 12, 1826, in Goshen Society, Lebanon, is a son of Major General Amos Fowler and a grandson of Captain Amos Fowler, the latter having been a corporal in the Continental army and a member of Washington's Life Guards. Major General Amos Fowler served for twenty-seven years in the old state militia, during which time he filled all the offices, from fourth corporal up to and including major general, and Major Amos T. Fowler was at the age of 19 appointed aide-de-camp on his father's staff, the rank being that of major, and he held this commission six years. In Lebanon he was an assessor and a member of the board of relief and since coming to Willimantic he has been selectman three years, and in 1883 he was a member of the General Assembly, having been elected as a republican to represent the town of Windham, serving on the committee on humane institutions. He voted for Abraham Lincoln for President when Lincoln was a candidate the first term and he has remained a staunch republican ever since. In the Congregational Church, of which he and his wife are members, he has filled many offices, including that of deacon, and he is at present a member of the church committee and has been such for many years.

For two years, beginning with 1866, Major Fowler was engaged in farming and dairying in Willimantic and in 1868 he formed a partnership with John Porter and they opened a meat market at the corner of Main and

Railroad streets. This partnership terminated after a short time and in 1869, with the late Arthur B. Carpenter, Mr. Fowler engaged in the

Yesterday was the fiftieth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan B. Bunce of Edwards street, and a number of their relatives and near friends called to congratulate them, but no formal celebration of the occasion took place. Among the callers was Miss Emma Bunce, aunt of Mr. Bunce and one of the oldest citizens of Hartford.

Sept 4 COLLINSVILLE, 1909

Mrs. William W. Huntley of Maple avenue entertained about seventy-five relatives and friends at a tea Saturday afternoon to announce the engagement of her daughter, Louise Sara, to Lieutenant E. Halstead Brainerd of the United States Marine Corps. The pourers were Mrs. G. A. Latimer of Hartford and Mrs. H. B. Perkins of Collinsville. The house was prettily decorated with carnations and ferns. The guests from out of town included Lieutenant Brainerd's mother, Mrs. J. A. Brainerd of Branford.

Collinsville, May 11.—One of the prettiest home weddings ever held in Collinsville was solemnized to-day at 12 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Washington Huntley on Maple avenue, when their only daughter, Louise Sara, became the bride of Lieutenant E. Halstead Brainerd, of the United States Marine corps, and junior commanding officer of the marines on the United States battleship Minnesota. The ceremony was performed by the bride's uncle, the Rev. George E. Huntley of Canton, N. Y., a professor in St. Lawrence university, assisted by the Rev. C. E. Cooledge, pastor of the Collinsville Congregational church. The matron of honor was Mrs. Henry B. Perkins of this place and the best man was Lieutenant L. Alston Clapp, U. S. M. C., of the battleship Nebraska. Lieutenant Clapp was a former shipmate of the bridegroom when both were in the auxiliary service and later became roommates at the marine officers' school at Port Royal, S. C.

The bride wore a handsome gown of white satin, trimmed with hand-embroidered lace and pearl ornaments. She wore a veil caught up with lilies-of-the-valley and carried a bouquet of white bridal roses and lilies-of-the-valley. The matron of honor was attired in a dress of white Persian lawn over green, and trimmed with Irish lace. She carried dark red roses. Both the bridegroom and the best man were dressed in their uniforms. The rooms were tastefully decorated with apple blossoms, garlands of evergreen and seasonal flowers.

The bridal party entered the rooms to the strains of "Lohengrin's" Wedding March, played by Mrs. Leon Smith of Brooklyn, N. Y. The bride was given away by her father. The bridegroom's gift to the bride was a beautiful Spanish mantilla, while the bride presented the bridegroom with a pearl stud. The bride's gift to the matron of honor was a silver bon-bon spoon and the bridegroom presented the best man with a monogram silver card case.

Miss Huntley is a graduate of the Collinsville High school, class of 1902, and later was an efficient instructor in Huntsinger's Business college, Hartford, where she taught for three years. She also was an instructor for four years in Mr. Huntsinger's evening school.

Lieutenant Brainard's home is in Branford. He graduated from the Meriden High school in 1901 and from the New York nautical training ship St. Mary in 1903. He then went on a sixteen months' cruise to Japan and China in the merchant service and on his return took a post-graduate cruise on the St. Mary. After this he took out his second mate's license in the New York and Cuban mail service. He resigned later, and entered the United States naval auxiliary service as second officer, serving on several ships. He resigned from this also, to take the marine service examinations in Washington, D. C., in October, 1908. He passed with high honors and entered the Marine Officers' school at Port Royal, S. C., graduating in December, 1909, after which he was assigned to duty on his present ship, the battleship Minnesota.

Following the wedding ceremony a reception was held, Habenstein of Hartford, catering, after which Lieutenant and Mrs. Brainard left on a short wedding trip. They will live in Norfolk, Va., until the middle of July.

There were many beautiful presents, including substantial gifts from their parents, a loving pitcher of solid silver from the captain and officers of the battleship Minnesota, which is inscribed: "To Louise Sara Huntley, with the best wishes of the captain and officers of the United States Battleship Minnesota. May 11 1910 a carving set from III V 17 1

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FEBRUARY 24, 1911.

Stork and Wireless.

A daughter was born in this city Tuesday, to Lieutenant E. H. Brainard and H. S. M. C. and Mrs. Brainard Collinsville, May 13.—Charles S. Farnham of New Haven, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Farnham of this place, has been appointed assistant professor of civil engineering in Yale university. This week's issue of the Yale Alumni Weekly contains the following notice of his appointment:

Action Taken in Town of Windham—
Bids for Heating New High
School Opened.

BARROWS—MATHER—In this city, May 12, 1910, Anna May Barrows and Harry Danford Mather at the home of the bride, 12 Sumner street, Rev. J. H. Twichell performing ceremony.

The Rev. Joseph H. Twichell united in marriage Thursday afternoon, Harry D. Mather and Miss Anna May Barrows, daughter of the late Samuel Ward Barrows and Mrs. Barrows. The ceremony took place at the residence of the bride at No. 12 Sumner street. Only near relatives of the principals were present. Among the gifts was a purse of gold from Mr. Mather's associates in the liability department of the Aetna Life Insurance company. After a trip to Washington Mr. and Mrs. Mather will live at No. 12 Sumner street. They will be at home after September 1.

MATHER—In this city, March 13, 1911, a daughter, Gatria Barrows, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Mather of No. 12 Sumner st.

NEW BRITAIN NEWS.

May Holmes-Noble. *12/19/16*
The home of Vice-President Howard C. Noble of the North & Judd Company and Mrs. Noble at No. 10 Lexington street was the scene of one of the most charming house weddings New Britain has known, last evening when their daughter, Miss Gertrude Judd Noble, became the bride of Frederick Morgan Holmes. The house was decorated throughout in green and white, the pretty color scheme of the "peace colors" being carried out with palms and maidenhair ferns, lilies of the valley, carnations and sweet peas. The ceremony took place in front of a bower of palms in the parlor at 6:30 o'clock. Rector Harry I. Bodlev, pastor of St. Mark's Church, of which the bride's father is senior warden, performed the ceremony. The bride was given away by her father and the Episcopal ring service was used. Councilman Colton D. Noble, a brother of the bride, was best man and Miss Louise Howard Noble, a sister, was maid of honor. The ushers were Edward H. Prior, a cousin, and Julian Williams of Norwich. The musical program was a feature of the ceremony, Professor E. F. Laubin playing the wedding march, accompanied by W. H. Millar, 'celloist, and Mrs. Emma Spieske Millar, violinist. The bride's gown was of meteor crepe with old lace trimmings and she carried a white prayer book, the gift of her sister. The honor maid was dressed in a gown of blue and white marquisette and she carried a bouquet of enchantress carnations. A reception immediately followed the ceremony, and a luncheon was served, Habenstein of Hartford catering. The wedding gifts were numerous and val-

Markolf-Trumbull Nuptials. 14

Miss Geneva Trumbull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Trumbull of No. 722 Asylum avenue, and Dr. Harry Foster Markoff of West Rutland, Vt., were married, this noon, at the home of the bride, by the Rev. Dwight C. Stone of Stonington. About twenty-five persons were present at the ceremony, consisting of the members of the immediate families of the couple and a few intimate friends. The house was decorated with dogwood blossoms and lilies of the valley, carrying out the color scheme of green and white. Following the ceremony there was a reception for the small company present. Dr. and Mrs. Markoff started on a week's bridal trip, after which they will return to the home of the bride before they start for Los Angeles, Cal. where they are to reside.

MAY 13, 1910.
**MRS. CUSHMAN IS
 NINETY YEARS OLD.**
Died Sept 10/1914

**INCIDENTS IN HER LONG LIFE IN
 THIS CITY.**

Ninety years ago today Mrs. Martha Holmes Cushman was born in West Stafford and today she will celebrate the anniversary of that event at her home, No. 29 Church street, by receiving a few callers and renewing old friendships. Mrs. Cushman, who is a remarkable person for her years, talked interestingly with a "Courant" reporter yesterday, attributing her length of years to heredity and her own careful life.

In spite of age Mrs. Cushman manages to get about a good deal. Though partially crippled by a fall several years ago, she occasionally walks through the center of the city and every year attends the annual reunion of the Holmes family at Crystal Lake in Ellington. Asked whether she expected to go this year, she replied that she hardly thought so, but that if she felt as good in August at the time of the reunion as at present she would certainly do so.

Yesterday Mrs. Cushman received a big surprise in the visit of a cousin, Mrs. J. I. Dilworth of No. 27 Seymour street, whom she had completely forgotten. Long years ago, Mrs. Dilworth, who was a Holmes and was born in West Stafford, married and went West, returning only recently. She found but few traces of the Holmes family and was agreeably surprised to read an article concerning Mrs. Cushman in one of the local papers, and at once resolved to call.

Mrs. Cushman was born in West Stafford, May 13, 1820, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Holmes, and comes from a race whose members are noted for longevity. She is a lineal descendant of John and Captain William Holmes, who with Samuel Holmes, came over from England in the early 1630's and settled in the Plymouth colony. Captain William Holmes is the man who sailed up the Connecticut River in 1637 by the Dutch settlement and made a landing at Windsor, from which point the family migrated to Stafford. Her father lived to be 79 years old and her mother, Nellie Case, to be 90. Of her grandmother's family on her mother's side four girls lived to be over 90 and five other girls and two brothers to be over 80.

Mrs. Cushman was the oldest of eleven children, of whom Samuel, Sanford, Augustus, William and Erastus Holmes, Mrs. Augusta Eaton and Mrs. Marcia Ann Anderson are dead. Three sisters are now living. Mrs. Mary Hayes of Rockville, Mrs. Almira Patton of Stafford Springs and Mrs. Elinor Richmond of Cromwell, their ages averaging about 71 years. She also has a niece, Miss Josephine Eaton of West Stafford. Two of her brothers, William and Erastus, died in Andersonville prison during the Civil War. Samuel died at the age of 30, and the others lived to be over 70.

In 1844 Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Cushman were married in West Stafford, where they lived until coming to Hart-

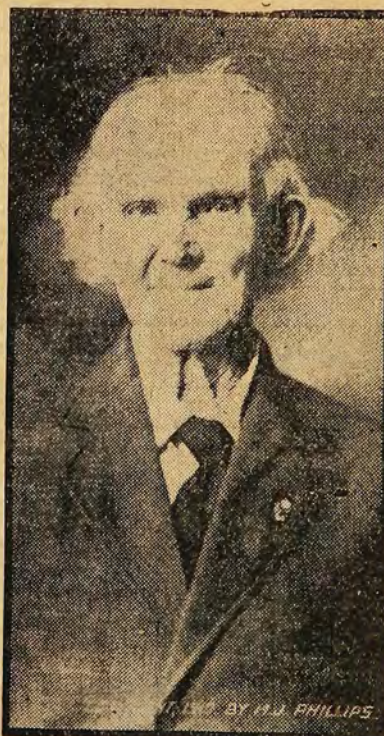
ford in 1860. For seven years they lived on Windsor street and then moved to the present home on Church street, where Mr. Cushman died four years ago. Since that time Mrs. Cushman has lived with Mrs. F. A. Rudolph. At the time of her husband's death Mrs. Cushman went to his burial in West Stafford and speaking of this said that she ex-

ber of the Farm-egational Church ars, but owing to er home to the en able to attend in the past few been the cause row to her and make up for this attended services egational Church ist Church. She llent health and is obliged to use ling and sewing, she passes the time. Her hear-en and her mind e possesses vivid ts in her early ks in an interest-



MRS. MARTHA H. CUSHMAN.
 90 Years Old.

that recently enjoyed in the Elks' temple in Owosso, Michigan. Daniel O'Connell, 105 years of age, played the principal part on that occasion and was made a member of lodge No. 753.



DANIEL O'CONNELL,
 Oldest Elk in the World—Aged 105.

ated with pains and pink and white roses. After a bridal supper Mr. and Mrs. Maynard left for a southern trip. They will live at No. 128 Sargeant street and will be at home after July 1.

WORLD IS 105.

**Be Prominent
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ENGAGEMENT OF DEEP INTEREST

Miss Lorraine Roosevelt of New York to Marry Langdon Warner of Boston

Many Boston friends are interested in the announcement by Mrs. J. West Roosevelt (Laura d'Orémleux) of New York and Oyster Bay L. I., of the engagement of her only daughter, Miss Lorraine Roosevelt, to Langdon Warner of Boston, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bangs Warner (Margaret W. Storer) of Beacon street. The late father of Miss Roosevelt was a cousin of President Theodore Roosevelt, and her mother is from a well-known old French family, long resident in New York. Mr. Warner, who is an assistant director at the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, has travelled extensively in the Far East and the Orient and is considered an authority on Oriental art, especially that of Japan. He is a graduate of Harvard, class of '03. Mrs. Roosevelt and her daughter are now at their summer place, "Waldeck," at Oyster Bay.

WARNER—ROOSEVELT—At Waldeck, Oyster Bay, New York, on May 14, by the Rev. Theodore C. William, Lorraine d'Orémleux, daughter of the late J. West Roosevelt, to Langdon Warner of Boston.

THE MAKING OF COLORED MAPS SIXTY YEARS AGO.

Charles Herzer, an Expert Artist in the Sixties, Now Active in His 86th Year.

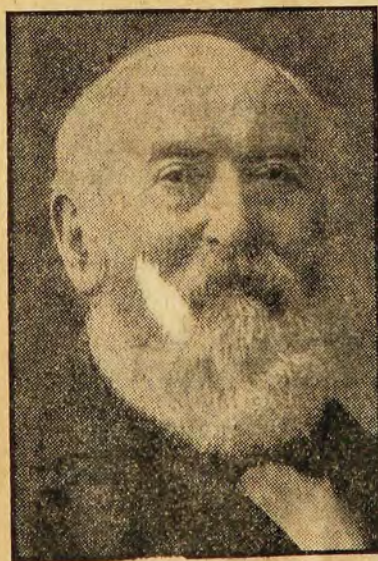
The coloring of maps for geographies and school books in general by hand, using water colors, reached its foremost period in the neighborhood of 1860. It was a noted industry here during the Civil war. The map publishers, O. D. Case & Co., began the publication of hand-painted maps in 1850, and kept it up until the method was supplanted by press printing in colors. The millions of maps that are now printed are press work.

The artist who was in charge of the map coloring for O. D. Case & Co. years before the war is still living in Hartford. He is one of the most

stately and pious of the streets, prominent that is passersby. Of this artist, it is said that he is a native of Germany, had been German army and land, German arm depots for engines and the regular trained their men in Switzerland who has a strong training in the maneuvers. Many, December in his 86th year, New York in 1852 soon afterwar Mr. Case, who as an artist is permanently publishing work skill entirely appreciation.

voted himself publishing house.

Mr. Herzer, 1000 North Main street, who was educated in the schools of the city, Mrs. Augustus H. Schmidt and Mrs. Jacob Fox, who live at No. 54 Oak street, became his assistants in time, sketching the boundary lines between the states in freehand. During



CHARLES HERZER.

the war Mr. Herzer was a member of the Union league. He belongs to St. James's church, of which the Rev. Dr. John T. Huntington is rector. His affability and sincerity of character have made him one of the most attractive of the old-time residents of Hartford. The wife of Mr. Herzer, Mrs. Katharina Herzer, died November 13, 1908. One son, Jacob Herzer, died twenty years ago. Besides the two daughters, Mrs. Schmidt and Mrs. Fox, whose husbands are engaged in the jewelry trade on Pearl street, there are two sons, Theodore Herzer and George Herzer. The latter is engaged in the drug business in Oakland, Cal. Theodore Herzer is superintendent of the printing department at the Aetna Insurance company.

O. D. Case, who was instrumental in Mr. Herzer's coming to Hartford upwards of sixty years ago, gave up the map publishing business when the art of coloring by hand was supplanted by press coloring and engaged in the manufacture of school furniture. After his death some years ago, this line of business was disposed of in Branford. The widow of Mr. Case and son, Charles G. Case, reside at No. 741 Asylum avenue.

LYFORD-HIGGINS.

Prominent Thompsonville Young People Married in New York.

(Special to The Courant.)

Thompsonville, May 17.

A wedding of much interest in The Great-Great-Grandparent A Hale and Hearty Woman of But Eighty-Four Years

"WHAT is so rare as a day in June?" as the poet has it. Well, one doesn't see five generations of one family every day in the week. Even one hundred years ago, when girls thought that they were doomed to be "old maids," unless they were married and had started a family before they were 18, families that could boast of five generations were few and far between, but such a family was not the "rara avis" that it is today. With the high price of living, and the exaggerated ideas of the present time, a young man hesitates before he takes the "fatal" step, and accordingly the chance that he has of being a great-great-grandfather is reduced to an absurdity.

Mrs. Julia Parson Clark, the woman at the right of the bottom row in the accompanying picture is the great-great grandmother of the little girl shown at the left. She was born in Pittsfield 84 years ago. Her family moved to Springfield when she was four or five years old, and she spent her girlhood here and married Captain Clark of the 10th Massachusetts regiment. Captain Clark served with distinction in the war between the states. Her daughter, who was Miss Susie Clark before she was married, is 69 years old, although both she and her mother are so well preserved that they look more like sisters than mother and daughter. Miss Susie Clark married Captain Justin of the 46th Massachusetts. Mr. Justin is still living and is one of the best known Grand Army men of this vicinity. They have six children, three daughters, all of whom are married and living in or near this city. They are Mrs. Ralph Pillsbury of Agawam, Mrs. Edward Sanderson of this city and Mrs. Robert Macaulay of Middletown. The boys of the family are William

W. H. WEEKS TELLS OF PRE- VIOUS VISIT SAW HALLEY'S

COMET IN 1835.
people badly frightened and suicides frequent.

Although 81 years of age and deaf and dumb since he was 5 years old, William H. Weeks, an instructor at the American School for the Deaf, has been one of the most interested in the present visit of Halley's comet. His interest is especially aroused from the fact that this is the second visit that the comet has paid to the earth during his life.

Born in Yorktown, N. Y., in 1829,



THE SPRINGFIELD HOMESTEAD

A Local Family of Five Generations



The Great-Great-Grandmother Only 84 Years of Age

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Halley's Comet 1835
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Justin of Granby, Edward Justin of Mittineague and Frederick Justin of this city, who is the man shown in the half-tone.

Frederick Justin is an engineer on the Boston and Albany, and has served the road for a number of years. He is well liked by his employers and the trainmen, and has the rather unique distinction of never having had an accident.

The young woman in the cut standing at the right in the upper row, is a daughter of Mr. Justin, and the mother of the child in the photograph. She was married six years ago to Clarence Jarvis, the foreman at the American Brush company's factory in the Wilkinson building.

There were six children in the Justin family, besides the present Mrs. Jarvis, three of whom are living, Mrs. Frank Messer of Springfield and, Fred and May Justin, both of whom are employed in the city.

The last of the five generations is Miss Minerva Rose Jarvis, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Jarvis. She is five years old and is attending the Williams street school.

The great-great-grandmother is as hale and hearty as many a woman of 20 years less her age, and lives with her granddaughter, Mrs. Robert Macaluy, in Mittineague. She is very proud of the fact that she has a great-great granddaughter in school, and is keenly interested in the welfare of all the other members of her numerous family.

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daughter of President Joseph Butts of the street Young, formboard returned to his home on Aller married this place Saturday evening after a visit to Milton Smith, his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and of New York, Mrs. A. N. Penny of Ray, Ariz. Short summer home ly after his arrival here he received Orchard. telegram announcing the birth of

Hundreds of daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Penny. New York, B... and various points in Connecticut went to Pine Orchard to participate in the wedding festivities. The Anchorage, which stands on the bluff overlooking the sound and the Thimble islands, was decorated gorgeously for the affair. The gardens and the woods about furnished most of the flowers and greens used in the decorations and the effect was certainly very effective.

It was a little after 4 o'clock, the hour set for the ceremony, when the guests began to assemble in the library and living room and the Rev. F. K. Buckley, rector of Trinity church in Waterbury, took his place at the improvised altar. The strains of the "Lohengrin" wedding march announced the coming of the wedding party.

The bridesmaids included Miss Helen Frisbie and Miss Betty Lamb of Waterbury while two little flower girls also followed.

They were the nieces of the bride, Miss Birch Warner and Miss Elizabeth Goss of Waterbury. Then came the matron of honor, Mrs. Herbert Galaudet of Boston, a sister of the bride, followed by the bride with her father. Dr. Smith was accompanied by his best man, J. Andre Smith of New York. There were no ushers.

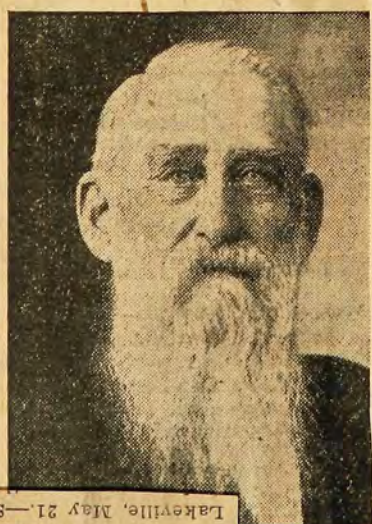
The bride looked most attractive in a white princess gown of satin. It was made with a long train and was magnificently trimmed with point lace. A long lace veil reached to the end of her train and this was fastened with a bunch of orange blossoms.

She carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and white carnations.

The bridesmaids and matron of honor were gowned alike, and they made a very effective setting for the bride during the

riage ceremony. The blue marquiset and handsome! They wore most straw trimmed black Chantilly; pink Killarney hat. They carried roses. The hardly less att of white org wore broad pal mushroom hats of pink and blue swung flower flowers carrying ing of their l marguerites, f sweet peas.

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Father and Son Rescued From Blazing
Lakeville, May 21.—Smoking a pipe

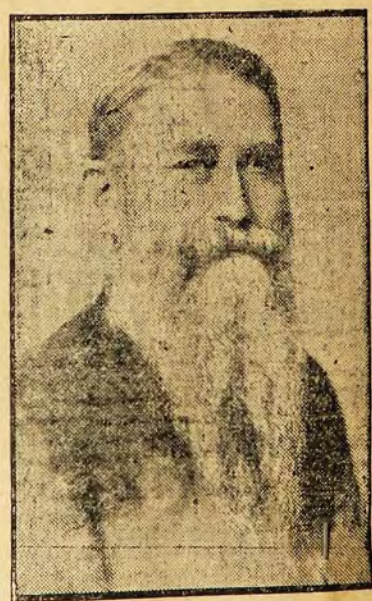
SAYS HE'S "HAPPY AS BIG SUNFLOWER"

Wm. O. Buckley, of Wind-DA. sor, Receives Friends and Good Wishes.

CELEBRATES HIS 36th BIRTHDAY

Prominent in St. John's Lodge of Masons and in Temple of Honor.

Windsor, May 24.—All day yesterday and in the evening William O. Buckley, of Maple avenue, had callers who dropped in to extend to him their best wishes, the occasion being his eighty-sixth birthday. He sat in the comfortable bay window last evening surrounded by cut flowers and potted flowers, which his many friends had brought, and right beside his chair were three boxes of cigars which also had been left with expressions of good wishes. Mr. Buckley said he was as "happy as



WILLIAM O. BUCKLEY.

a big sunflower." Yesterday his children, William O. Buckley, jr., of Manchester, Mrs. John T. Cox, with whom he lives here, and Mrs. Ellen R. Dickinson of Manchester, were all with him. He is in good made his home for the past fifteen years with his daughter.

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TONIGHT.
MAY 24, 1910.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar B. Hockanum, who will celebrate their sixty-first anniversary during this evening, are among the known residents of that city. East Hartford. They were married May 24, 1849, in the First Congregational Church, Hartford. Mrs. Hockanum is the daughter of the late Rev. Dr. Townsend.



Mr. Edgar B. Hockanum.

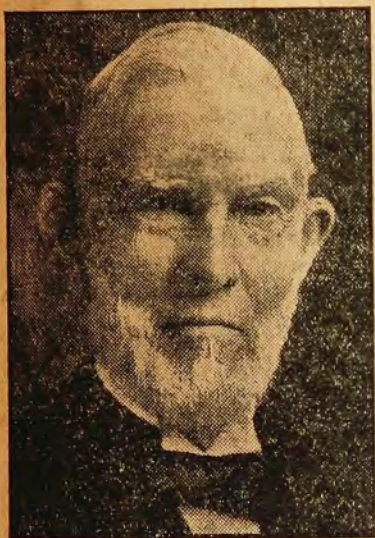
Willow in the afternoon stood in thought she might from the more arduous of this respect. In the of a boo society this season continue for visits or dinner some filtrations are garlands ven at tiquet of orange blossoms charge (ing placed conspicu shoe fac great deal of this He writing the drapery of growing place, though in reality cut Vall together underneath to first ran The artistes in dress an expe this costume are was a pound (Miss Townsend's per years nance, and they have as 55 the charming effect was has beguiled by a graceful He boasting with its virgin politics dignity the soft and lect made delicate needlework elected flower rising above w -It The gown was m at the latest moment. (Miss Townsend, who is about the same time -A simple dress lining worn by the prospective -As a guide for the future Only forty-eight hours in the actual making which is now on its way Atlantic to the home of

ENSIGNS WEDDED SIXTY-ONE YEARS. EAST HARTFORD COUPLE WILL GREET FRIENDS TONIGHT.

MAY 24, 1910.

Mr. and Mrs. Elizur R. Ensign of Hockanum, who will celebrate the sixty-first anniversary of their wedding this evening, are among the best known residents of that section of East Hartford. They were married May 24, 1849, by Rev. Samuel Spring, then pastor of the First Congregational Church. Their married life has

TOWNSEND WEDDING



Elizur R. Ensign.



Mrs. Elizur R. Ensign.

The hour fixed for the wedding being 4 in the afternoon, Miss Townsend thought she might properly depart from the more ordinary precedent in this respect. In the second place, the skirt is like all in ultra-fashionable of a boot society this season that are intended continued for visits or dinners. But the decorations are garlands and a large bouquet of orange blossoms, the latter being placed conspicuously and with a great deal of chic, apparently holding the drapery of the corsage in place, though in reality it is caught together underneath it on the left. The artistes in dress who designed this costume are well acquainted with Miss Townsend's personal appearance, and they have kept well in view the charming effect which will be produced by a graceful blonde head dominating with its virginal freshness and dignity the soft and snowy mass of delicate needlework, like a golden flower rising above spotless lilies. The gown was ordered by cable at the latest moment, and a friend of Miss Townsend, who left New York about the same time, brought over a simple dress lining which had been worn by the prospective bride to serve as a guide for the Paris dressmakers. Only forty-eight hours were consumed in the actual making of the dress, which is now on its way across the Atlantic to the home of the bride.

A distinguished company witnessed the marriage at Washington yesterday of Miss Mathilde Townsend, only child of Mrs. Richard H. Townsend, to Peter Goellet Gerry, second son of Commodore and Mrs. Eldridge T. Gerry of New York. President Taft, Mrs. Taft, Vice-President and Mrs. Sherman were among the guests.

Billie Bissell, aged 7, and Anne Carolyn Bissell, aged 5, the children of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bissell of this city, were the only attendants of the bride at the wedding of Miss Jessie M. Steele and Edmund S. Brown of Youngstown, O., at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Truesdale at Greenwich, Thursday afternoon.

Celebrated Her 100th Birthday.

Mrs. Hunt, widow of Jonathan Hunt and the oldest child of the late Rev. Samuel former pastor of the First Congregational church of this city, celebrated her birthday at Oakland, Cal., on May 27. She was in good health, and rejoiced without much fatigue.

Jonathan Hunt of Oakland, Cal., celebrated her 100th birthday on May 27. She was formerly Abigail Osgood, the oldest daughter of Dr. Samuel Osgood. She was born in this city, but after marrying Mr. Hunt moved to New York. They went to New York in 1856. Her son William, her husband and his grandson, were present at the centennial celebration.

Jonathan Hunt, a native of this city, the oldest daughter of Dr. Samuel Osgood for over 50 years was pastor of the First Congregational church, celebrated her 99th birthday in Oakland, Cal., on May 27. Although advancing age has impaired her faculties, she was able to receive guests on her birthday the morning until 10 o'clock. Among those who attended was Frank L. Goodspeed, formerly of this city. Mrs. Hunt is the oldest of 10 children, of whom but two besides her husband, Mrs. Sarah Osgood, live in this city. Her brother in Chicago.

WELCH PRESIDENT OF

ACTUARIAL SOCIETY.
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and a Member



ARCHIBALD A. WELCH.

President of the Actuarial Society of America.

of the Actuarial Society, held at the city of Hartford, Thursday, May 27, 1910. Archibald A. Welch, president and Mutual Life Insurance Company of this city, was president of the organization. Welch is the president of the company, having been elected at the annual meeting of the company, held at the city of Hartford, May 27, 1910. Welch is a member of the company, having been elected at the annual meeting of the company, held at the city of Hartford, May 27, 1910. Welch is a member of the company, having been elected at the annual meeting of the company, held at the city of Hartford, May 27, 1910.

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MRS HARRIMAN WON'T TALK.

It is Reported That Her Daughter Mary is Engaged to Charles Cary Rumsey of Buffalo.

Mrs Mary Averell Harriman, widow of the late E. H. Harriman, declined last night at New York to discuss a report that her daughter, Mary, will marry Charles Cary Rumsey of Buffalo. When Mrs Harriman was informed yesterday afternoon that news of such an engagement was current, she sent back word, "I will neither confirm nor deny the report." She would add nothing to this laconic statement.

The entire bulk of the Harriman millions was left without condition to Mrs Harriman, so that the natural inference is that the children will in the course of time share the estate among themselves. There are five children living—Cornelia, the eldest daughter, who married Robert Livingstone Gerry; Mary, now reported engaged to Mr Rumsey; Carol, who was presented to society a year ago; William Averell, now in Yale, and Roland, a lad of 13.

Miss Mary Harriman was said to be her father's favorite daughter. She shared his love of horses and cattle, his plainspoken ways and capacity for affairs. During his life he took the greatest pride in her executive ability, and at his death she succeeded him as manager of Arden farms, with their 46,000 acres and hundreds of head of cattle. Rumsey is also a horseman and polo player, as well as sculptor. It was his model that was accepted by a committee chosen to build a memorial to Harriman at Goshen, the county seat of Orange county, in which Arden farms are situated, in recognition of Harriman's services as a breeder of blooded horses and a builder of good roads. Mrs Harriman and her daughter spent the winter at their town house in Fifth avenue, at Seventy-ninth street. Mr Rumsey also was in New York much of the time this winter. He is a son of Lawrence D. Rumsey.

HARRIMAN-RUMSEY WEDDING.

Service is Simple Because of Recent Death of Bride's Father.

Miss Mary Harriman, daughter of the late E. H. Harriman, and one of the wealthiest young women in the country, was married at Arden, N. Y., at noon yesterday to Charles Cary Rumsey of Buffalo. The ceremony was performed in the little Episcopal church in the presence of the relatives of both families and a few friends. It was the same church, St John's, from which Mr Harriman was buried last fall, and Rev J. Holmes McGunness, who pronounced them man and wife, was the same clergyman who officiated at the railroad ruler's funeral. On account of Mr Harriman's comparatively recent death, the ceremony was the simplest.

Miss Carol Harriman, sister of the bride, was maid of honor; Lawrence D. Rumsey, the groom's brother, was best man. The bride was given away by Robert L. Gerry, who married Miss Harriman's sister, Cornelia Harriman. Every precaution had been taken to preserve privacy, and not more than 40 persons saw the daughter of the late railroad king, and the young sculptor, married. Most of these came in the Harriman private car, "Arden," which was attached to an early morning train from Jersey City.

A wedding breakfast at the Harriman home followed the ceremony. The honeymoon, it is understood, will begin with a short stay at Aiken, but the greater part of it will be spent at Arden on the Harriman estate, which will be given up to the young couple for the time being by the other members of the family.

THE RUMSEYS AT "THE NEST."

Honeymoon Being Spent on Whitney Estate on October Mountain.

In the most sequestered spot in Massachusetts, in a little cottage in the heart of October mountain wilderness, seven miles from railroads and with but the slender copper wire of a telephone line to keep them in touch with the outside world, Mr and Mrs Charles Cary Rumsey are spending their honeymoon. This is the Whitney property, created in 1894 by ex-State Senator Thomas Post of Lenox for William C. Whitney of New York. Ten days ago Superintendent Parsons, who is in charge of the property, received an order from Mr Post to have "The Nest" put in order for immediate occupancy. "The Nest" was the cottage built in two weeks back in 1896 for the honeymoon of Mr and Mrs Harry Payne Whitney, who spent their honeymoon there. Later William C. Whitney built "The Antlers," where he went for several autumns.

Superintendent Parsons set to work with carpenter, painter and paperhanger to put the little cottage in order. It had run down because it had not been occupied in years. All the handsome furniture and appointments which were sent to the mountain for Mr and Mrs Harry Payne Whitney's coming had to be taken out-of-doors and brushed and renovated. Chambers were aired out, barrels of china and glass were unpacked and from Pittsfield and Lenox supplies were sent to the cottage up on the mountain. No one knew who was to arrive there until yesterday. Then it became known that "Mr and Mrs Cary," just married, were to open the cottage. Mr Post was seen last night. He said he did not know who was at "The Nest." He had heard that "Mr Cary" was to occupy the cottage; further he knew nothing about it. There is a telephone in "The Nest," but no one answered the calls last night, except from farther down the mountain at the keeper's lodge. The keeper said that "Mr and Mrs Cary" had arrived. They were at "The Nest" on the hill and there was

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C. C. RUMSEY, POLO PLAYER AND SCULPTOR KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

New York, Sept. 21.—Charles C. Rumsey, internationally known polo player and sculptor, was killed last night when an automobile in which he was riding crashed into a stone wall near Floral Park, L. I. Mr. Rumsey, who was a son-in-law of the late E. H. Harriman, was 42 years old. He was in the motor car of Irving Hare, who was at the wheel, and with them was Mr. Hare's fiancée, Miss Jeanette Ramson of Forest Hills. Mr. Hare said he started to pass a sedan occupied by ex-Congressman Lathrop Brown and Mrs. Brown when he heard the sound of a blowout and the rear end of his car seemed to sag as it swung around. It hit the rear mudguard of the Brown sedan and whirled into one of the abutments of the railroad.

Mr. Rumsey and Miss Ramson, who were in the rear seat, were both thrown out. Mr. Rumsey struck headfirst, against the stone. Miss Ramson was hurled past the pillar into the roadway. Although unconscious when picked up, she was not fatally hurt, it was said.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman A. Morse receive Their Friends and
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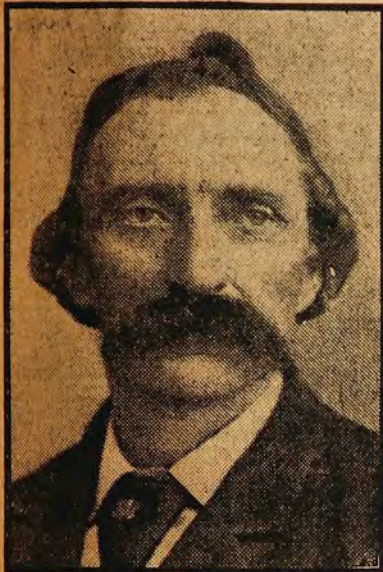
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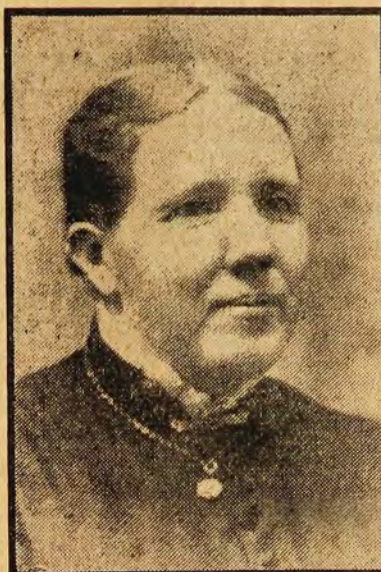
Handsome Gifts.

Glastonbury, May 30.

On Saturday evening, at their home on Griswold street, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman A. Morse received the congratulations of many friends on the occasion of the golden anniversary of their wedding. Their five living children, with their families well represented, were present and also other relatives and friends from Northampton, Mass., Conway, Mass., Hartford and this place. Among those present was Cyrus Stetson of Northampton, Mass., brother-in-law of Mrs. Morse, who



LYMAN A. MORSE.



MRS. LYMAN A. MORSE.

hostess might be expected to receive their diamond wedding.

Mr. Morse was born in Dalton, Mass., December 3, 1840, a son of Alonzo and Betsy (Thayer) Morse. Mrs. Morse's maiden name was Martha E. Brown. She was born in Windsor, Mass., July 16, 1845, a daughter of Robert and Anoline (Miner) Brown.

Mr. Morse and Miss Brown were married at East Windsor, Mass., where Mr. Morse's father was proprietor of the village inn, May 27, 1860, by the Rev. Ralph D. Brown of North Adams, Mass.. They have lived in Glastonbury the past twenty years, residing for a while in Addison before removing to Griswold street. Mr. Morse has been employed at the National Machine company in Hartford the past six years.

They have five living children: Edward N. of Hartford, Seldon S. of Thompsonville, Minnie I. (Mrs. Gilbert T. Hodge) of Addison, Margie E. (Mrs. Harry S. Cady) of Northampton, Mass., and Georgianna, who teaches school in Plainville. There are four children deceased: Rosella (Mrs. Samuel Smith) of Hartford, Etta M. (Mrs. Ellsworth Wright) of Northborough, Mass., Louie B. (Mrs. George Howe) of Northborough and Freda Agnes.

There are ten grandchildren: Earl and Rosella, children of Edward N.; Bertha, Fred and Herbert, children of Seldon S.; Harry, Leon and Etta, children of Minnie I.; Evalyn, daughter of Margie E.; Pearl, daughter of Rosella.

**BENJAMIN W. PERKINS NEW
MANAGER OF GAS COMPANY** 135

Comes From Altoona, Penn., to Succeed R. E. Slade, Who Is Now in New Orleans.

IN GAS BUSINESS ALL HIS LIFE.

May 1910
An event of interest in the public service corporations of Hartford lies in the fact that a new manager, Benjamin W. Perkins, formerly of Altoona, Penn., has come to this city to become manager of the Hartford Gas Light company. Mr. Perkins has already taken charge of the local system and is laying his plans for the reduct of the lighting system in the city. He succeeds, in coming to New Orleans to assume control of the lighting plant in that city. Perkins has been the head of the Altoona system three years, and is so to that, of the plant in South Louisiana, and has, moreover, been

The Oldest Woman.

(London Standard.) 1910
The claim of Frau Dutkewitz of Berlin as the oldest woman in the world, is contested by Mrs. Baba Vasilika, who is born in May, 1784, in the Bulgarian village of Bavelko. She has lived ever since. The date of her birth is preserved in an old monastery of the Orthodox faith. Baba Vasilika is the daughter of a peasant and worked as a peasant up till a comparatively recent date. For more than half a century she regularly worked the fields, according to the custom of her country, where women are employed in all sorts of manual labor. When she was born Bulgaria was merely a province of the Turkish Empire, and the entire population groaned under the tyranny of their Turkish rulers.

She has seen innumerable wars and rebellions, massacres and atrocities, political crimes and political tragedies. She recollects with perfect distinctness events that happened at the end of the eighteenth century and the beginning of the nineteenth century; in fact the events of her earlier life up to the time when she attained the age of eighty are far more distinctly impressed on her mind than the happenings of the last forty-six years. Baba Vasilika lived through all the crises of her nation, and now rejoices to know that Bulgaria is an independent kingdom.

Her son Todor, following the family tradition, has also worked in the fields as a peasant nearly all his life, but he has also taken part in various wars and rebellions in the Balkan Peninsula. He is not quite so fresh and vigorous as his mother, although he is still capable of doing a good day's work. The "oldest woman in the world" is said to enjoy fairly good eyesight and good hearing and she is able to walk without support.

She lives on a pension paid her by many of her numerous descendants, who number more than 100. She is naturally quite a celebrity in her own land, and people come great distances to get a glimpse of this wonderful woman who has defied the ravages of time for a century and a quarter.

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Example of Work of Sir Moses Ezekiel



Figure of Justice on Pedestal of Jefferson Monument

FROSTS CELEBRATE
May 20, 1910
Anniversary Observed at
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FROSTS CELEBRATE

May 30. SILVER WEDDING.
1910

Anniversary Observed at their South Norwalk Home.

General Russell Frost and Mrs. Frost celebrated their silver wedding Friday evening at their home in South Norwalk, many guests being present from their home city and elsewhere. General Frost is prominent in the business and social life of his section and has been actively identified with the Connecticut National Guard. He has served in the Connecticut Legislature and has the title of judge, having presided at the trial of the late President McKinley.

MAY 26, 1910.

DEAN OF AMERICAN PHYSICIANS.

Dr William H. Welch, the New President of the American Medical Association.

Dr William H. Welch, professor of pathology in Johns Hopkins university, will begin next month his duties as president of the American medical association, by virtue of which position he may be considered the dean of American physicians. Prof Welch was born in Norfolk, Ct., April 8, 1850, and was graduated from Yale in 1870 and from the college of physicians and surgeons, New York, in 1875. He afterward studied at Strasburg, Leipzig, Breslau and Berlin. He has been professor of pathology at Johns Hopkins since 1884.

A complimentary dinner was given to Dr Welch recently at Baltimore by some 450 men of prominence in science, business and politics. As a permanent memorial of the occasion a medallion, with a portrait of Dr Welch in bas relief worked in gold, was presented to Dr Welch, and copies in bronze will be presented to Johns Hopkins university and to the medical and chiralurgical faculty. Among the speakers were Dr Henry Barton Jacobs, Dr S. Weir Mitchell, Dr Abraham Jacobi, Gen Leonard Wood, and Prof W. G. Counselman.

Dr W. S. Thayer acted as toastmaster at the dinner and in beginning the speaking said of Dr Welch, in part: "When the American medical association elected him to the presidency of that association, it elevated its foremost member to that office. . . . What inspiration has not gone forth from the Hopkins laboratory where he worked! For the last 20 years he has been such a source of inspiration to the students of American colleges. We recall such names as Counselman, Sewall, Nuttall, Abbott, Howard, Reid and others who labored by his side. . . . With you, Dr Welch, we recall your co-worker Sternberg, to whose combined efforts is attributed the discovery of the transmission of yellow fever, the most important of discoveries in American medicine. It is to your wisdom that the discoveries in laryngitis are to be attributed, which have saved so many thousands of lives. There is no new laboratory opened, no new chair filled, without your advice."

"The American medical association owes more to you than it can ever repay. Not only in affairs medical has your influence been felt, but also in the affairs of the state. You have looked out for the 'bacillus municipalis.' In other ways you have set us an example as master physician. Your greatest work has been your example to students under your care. Your religious self-restraint, and above all, your enthusiasm without which all would be in vain, has been the secret of your great success. We respect you for your work and we love you for yourself."

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CHAPLIN CHURCH CENTENNIAL DAY.

KAISER HONORS PROF. WELCH.

Johns Hopkins Pathologist Gets Crown Order of Second Class.

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NJAMIN CHAPLIN, ITS
FOUNDER.

Berlin, April 8.—The kaiser has conferred the crown order of the second class on William Henry Welch, professor of pathology at Johns Hopkins university, in Baltimore, and known as the "Nestor of modern American medicine."

Prof. Welch has been honored for propagating German medical science in the United States and for spreading the use of the German language in the medical schools there.

The German ambassador at Washington will personally deliver the kaiser's order into Professor Welch's hands.

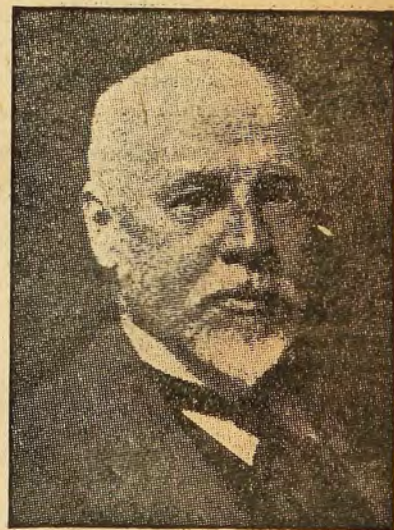
Native of Connecticut.

Baltimore, Md., April 8.—Dr. William H. Welch, known as a physician, writer, and humanitarian, has for a quarter of a century been connected with Johns Hopkins university, and since 1889 he has been pathological to Hopkins hospital. For five years he was dean of the medical faculty. His work in original research has been closely woven with the progress of pathology.

It was Dr. Welch who suggested the members of the government commission appointed by President Roosevelt which discovered the cause of yellow fever. Dr. Welch was born in Norfolk, Conn., in 1850, and is a graduate of Yale. He studied medicine in many leading universities of Germany, and Dr. Koch was deeply interested in him.

Dr. Welch has been president of the American Medical association.

*David Gray
the minister.*



DR WILLIAM H. WELCH.

Mrs. C. M. Schwab's Niece Slips Away
From Bryn Mawr to Join Titus
de Bobula Here.

New York, June 2.—The honor of being the first June bride of 1910 was won a few minutes after midnight yesterday by Miss Eurana Dinkey Mock, the twenty-one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mock of Philadelphia, and a niece of Mrs. Charles M. Schwab, who, after coming here secretly from Bryn Mawr, where she has just completed her studies, met her fiance, Titus de Bobula, an architect and general manager of a large coal concern, at a friend's house in this city and was married by the Rev. Robert Paulovita, a Jesuit priest, in Brooklyn.

The romantic story of the runaway match came from the Hotel Knickerbocker.

The couple are staying at the Hotel Knickerbocker and their departure on a rope.

Mr. and Mrs. Mock refused to see a general superintendent of Coal and Coke of which de Bobula is a partner.

According to the Budapest, Hungary, which many of the members of the church had had to meet their new pastor, for social and the attendance was large.

Rev. and Mrs. Carter were assisted in receiving by the following ladies of the church: Mrs. C. C. Kimball, Mrs. Frank Howard, Mrs. William Tucker, Mrs. John Spencer Camp, Mrs. C. S. Thayer, Mrs. E. F. Street, Mrs. A. L. Hunt, Miss Lydia Brooks, Miss Fannie Hotchkiss, the Misses Henry, Miss Ellen Phillips, Mrs. Clarence Wiley, and the Misses Hart. At the refreshment tables were Mrs. J. H. White, Mrs. Joseph H. King, Mrs. A. E. Abrams, and Mrs. W. J. Dixon.

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The room was handsomely decorated with quantities of pink mountain roses, and with bouquets of peonies.

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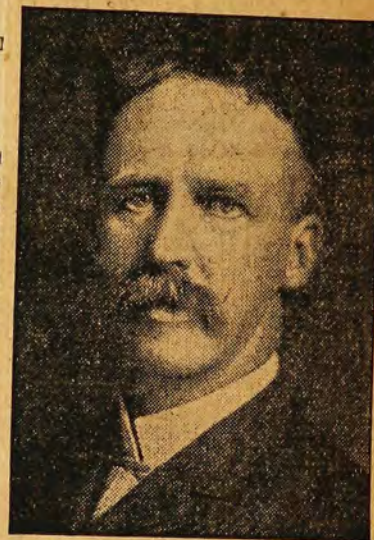
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Pastor From Lexington, Mass.,
Will Assume Charge On
June 1.

GRADUATE OF YALE AND ANDOVER SEMINARY.

Rev. Dr. Austin B. Bassett, acting pastor of the Park Congregational Church, read to the congregation yesterday morning a letter from Rev. Charles F. Carter of Lexington, Mass.,



Rev. C. F. Carter.

Accepting the call to the pastorate which the Park Church extended to him, pursuant to a vote passed by the church on April 14.

The Hancock Congregational Church of Lexington, of which Rev. Mr. Carter is pastor, voted to accept his resignation last Friday evening, subject to the action of a council which will be called for his dismissal. He is expected to assume his duties at the Park Church on June 1, taking the place made vacant by the resignation of Rev. W. W. Ranney, who went to Colorado Springs several months ago.

Rev. Charles Francis Carter was born in Chicopee Falls, Mass., June 14, 1856. He was graduated from Yale University in 1878 and spent the following year at home studying philosophy and history. He spent the next three years in Andover Theological Seminary, from which he was graduated in 1882, though he spent another year in study at the seminary.

He was ordained September 13, 1883, and his first pastorate was in Manchester, N. H., from which place he went to the College Street Church in Burlington, Vt., where he served from 1886 to 1893. Three years later he went to the Hancock Congregational Church in Lexington, where he had since remained. His family consists of his wife and four sons, one of whom is now a student in Yale University.

BISHOP BREWSTER
WEDDING

W. B. Church married Mr. and Mrs. George Meriden, June 1.—R.

Meriden, June 1.—R. C. B. Brewster, Connecticut, assisted.

A. T. Randall, officiated in St. Andrew's Church.

of William Bowen Church, Agnes Mansfield Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. George M.

About 1,500 invitations out for the church service followed at the

for intimate friends and the bridesmaids were Helen Converse, Dorothy

rion Taft, Margaret Robinson Platt and Dorothy Doolittle

city and Miss Lucia W. Waterbury, Ann Franch

N. Y., Arline Baylies of and Ruth Danenhouer of

Y. Robert G. Church, a

Angus-Hollis, Edna McLean Hollis

Mr. and Mrs. William and John I. Angus, son

William Angus, were married yesterday afternoon at 4:30

No. 48 Denfield avenue, are to live, Rev. Dr. Rock

mon Potter performing the The bridegroom is employ

First National Bank. The dressed in white embroidered

and carried bride roses. The crescent of pearls and sapp

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Mrs. Arthur E. Taylor of N who was dressed in embro

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Taylor of New York. The decorated with palms and co

The bride's gift to the matron or was a pearl pendant and

groom gave a pearl stick present. There were ab

present, including guests fr York, Boston and New Ha

and Mrs. Angus received ma ding presents. They left on

Atlantic City and other place

ANGUS—in this city, New daughter, Jan. 1, 1891, John I. Angus, son

June 1 **Trafford-Pye, 1910**
 Mrs. Thomas Fawcett Pye has made announcement of the marriage of her daughter, Agnes Margaret Pye, to Edward William Trafford of Richmond, Va. The ceremony was performed at the bride's home, No. 101 Wethersfield avenue, yesterday noon. Rev. Dr. Rockwell Harmon Potter, pastor of the Center Congregational Church, officiated. Only members of the family were present. Mr. and Mrs. Trafford will be at home at No. 2611 Grove avenue, Richmond, Va.

June 1 **Barrett-Gaffey, 1910**
 Miss Helena Elizabeth Gaffey, daughter of Mrs. Rose Gaffey of Pliny street, and Robert William Barrett, son of the late Thomas Barrett of Harrison street, were married yesterday by Rev. J. J. Downey of St. Michael's Church. Mrs. Clarence Hammond Smith, cousin of the bride, was matron of honor and Edward J. Meskill, cousin of the bridegroom, was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Barrett left last evening for a brief wedding trip.

BISHOP BREWSTER AT WEDDING IN MERIDEN.

W. B. Church Marries Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Curtis.

Meriden, June 1.—Rt. Rev. Chauncey B. Brewster, bishop of Connecticut, assisted by Rev. A. T. Randall, officiated at the wedding in St. Andrew's Church this evening of William Bowen Church and Miss Agnes Mansfield Curtis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Curtis.

About 1,500 invitations were sent out for the church service and a reception followed at the bride's home for intimate friends and relatives. The bridesmaids were the Misses Helen Converse, Dorothy Beach, Marion Taft, Margaret Robinson, Margery Platt and Dorothy Doolittle, all of this city and Miss Lucia Woodward of Waterbury, Ann Franchot of Olean, N. Y., Arline Bayliss of New York, and Ruth Danenhauer of Oswego, N. Y. Robert G. Church, a brother of

June 1 **Angus-Hollis, 1910**
 Edna McLean Hollis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William N. Langan, and John I. Angus, son of Mr. and William Angus, were married yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at No. 48 Deerfield avenue, where they are to live. Rev. Dr. Rockwell Harmon Potter performing the ceremony. The bridegroom is employed at the First National Bank. The bride was dressed in white embroidered batiste and carried bride roses. She wore a crescent of pearls and sapphires, the gift of the bridegroom. The matron of honor was a cousin of the bride, Mrs. Arthur E. Taylor of New York, who was dressed in embroidered batiste over pink taffeta and carried sweet peas. The best man was A. E. Taylor of New York. The house was decorated with palms and cut flowers. The bride's gift to the matron of honor was a pearl pendant and the bridegroom gave a pearl stickpin to his best man. There were about fifty present, including guests from New York, Boston and New Haven. Mr. and Mrs. Angus received many wedding presents. They left on a trip to Atlantic City and other places.

ANGUS—In this city, November 25, 1912, a daughter, Jean Isabella, to Mr. and Mrs. John I. Angus, of 194 Edgewood st.

CLASSY WEDDING PRESENT.

Friends of Miss Elinor Wickham of St. Louis are authority for the statement that

HARRIS-RICHARDS.

Many Attend a Home Wedding in Bristol.

(Special to The Courant.)

Bristol, June 1.

One of the local June weddings took place at 7:30 this evening when Christine Antoinette Richards, youngest daughter of Mrs. William C. Richards, a member of one of Bristol's oldest families, and Reese Harvey Harris, son of President Harris of Bucknell University, were married. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Charles Terry Treadway, of Bellevue avenue.

About 150 guests were in attendance and they were received by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Terry Treadway. The ceremony was performed in the large living room of the Treadway home, which was handsomely decorated with red carnations, ferns and palms.

Mrs. Algernon H. Wilcox played the wedding march as the party entered from the reception hall, preceded by the two ushers, S. Taylor Baldwin of Terryville and Townsend G. Treadway of Bristol. Then came Master Charles Terry Treadway, jr., nephew of the bride, and little Flora Richards, dressed in white and carrying pink baskets filled with pink and white

June 1 **1910**
 Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Marguerite Barstow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Eames Barstow of Los Sabinos, Texas, to James Henry Brewster, jr., son of James H. Brewster, manager of the Scottish Union and National Insurance company of this city, the ceremony to take place on the evening of Wednesday, June 1, at the residence of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Brewster will be "at home" at No. 128 West Seventy-second street, New York city, after July 1.

the maid of honor, dressed in white, following her brother, Na-Manchester, the bride wore a white tulle and carried a bouquet of the valley. In place by the living bay window with his best friend F. Harris, and the

two clergymen. The ring service was used, the bridegroom's father, Rev. Dr. John Howard Harris, president of Bucknell University, performing the ceremony, assisted by Rev. Ernest Lionel Wismer, pastor of the First Congregational Church of Bristol. Immediately after the ceremony, a reception was held, Besse of Hartford catering for the occasion. The dining room was decorated with pink roses and ferns. The wedding loaf was cut by the bride after which Miss Faith Ingraham served it to the guests. During the reception Beeman & Hatch's Orchestra of Hartford furnished a delightful program. Mr. and Mrs. Harris left town late in the evening on a wedding trip and will live in Scranton, Pa., where Mr. Harris is a practicing lawyer.

Mrs. Harris is the youngest daughter of the late Dr. William C. Richards who was for many years one of the best known men in Bristol. She graduated from the Bristol High School in the class of 1904 and afterwards studied music at the Mansfield Conservatory. Later she was supervisor of music in the schools of Salisbury, Md., and was very successful in her work.

Mr. Harris was graduated from Bucknell University and later from the law school of Harvard University. He is associated with the law firm of Warren, Knapp & O'Malley, a prominent legal firm of Scranton, Pa.

NEWINGTON, June 1, 1910

The marriage on Wednesday of Miss Gertrude L. Stoddard and Charles W. Belden, son of Joshua Belden, united two of the oldest families of the town. The ceremony took place in the Congregational Church at 5 o'clock in the afternoon and was attended by about 300 invited guests. The church was decorated with palms, yellow lilies and maidenhair ferns. Mrs. Ellen Deming, organist of the church, presided at the organ and played the "Lohengrin" wedding march as the bridal party entered the church. The ushers, Kent Stoddard, a brother of the bride, Merton Webster, John Blair and Jesse Stebbins, led the way up the center aisle, followed by the maid of honor, Miss Ora Stoddard, a sister of the bride, who preceded her sister to the altar, where they were met by the bridegroom, who was attended by his brother, Herbert Belden. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Herbert Macy, who used the Episcopal service. The bride was attired in an empire gown of white messalin, with bridal veil and carried a bouquet of white roses. The maid of honor wore a light yellow dress of crepe de chine, large picture hat of yellow and carried red roses. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride at the Junction to which a large number of relatives and intimate friends were invited. Mr. and Mrs. Belden were the recipients of many gifts among them being two checks for \$100 each and \$50 in gold from Corbin Cabinet Lock Company, where Mr. Belden is employed.

SHEPARD-TAFT WEDDING.

Local Lawyer Married at the Home of His Bride in Pennsylvania.
Special Dispatch to The Republican.

OIL CITY, Pa., Thursday, June 2.

The marriage of Miss Alma Shepard, daughter of Mr and Mrs E. R. Shepard of Oil City, and Stephen Swift Taft, Jr., of Springfield, Mass., was solemnized tonight at 8 o'clock in Christ Episcopal church. Rev Dr J. E. Reilly, the rector, officiated. The best man was Ralph W. Hooker of Springfield, and the maid of honor was Miss Helen Splaine of Oil City. The bridesmaids were Katherine Weaver of Lockport, N. Y., Ethel Merriam of Springfield, Margaret Fleming and Mary Chickering of Oil City, and the ushers were Eliot B. Ware of Boston, Paul S. Gill of Cleveland, O., Charles B. Williams of Buffalo, N. Y., and J. D. Chickering of Oil City. The bride was given away by her father. The ceremony was followed by a reception at the Venango club. The church and club-house were beautifully decorated. Among the guests were District Attorney and Mrs Stephen S. Taft and Mrs Mabel Carter of Springfield, Mr and Mrs Eliot B. Ware and Mrs George W. May of Boston. The bride's gown was white satin duchesse lace with pearl trimming. She wore a tulle veil, caught with orange blossoms, and carried lilies of the valley. The maid of honor wore white silk lace over soft messaline and the bridesmaids were in green satin, carrying white roses. Mr and Mrs Taft left on a night train, and their destination was unknown. There were many beautiful gifts.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Seymour was celebrated at their home, Friday evening. They were assisted in receiving by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Oakes, parents of Mrs. Seymour. The gifts to the couple were many, mostly of silver.

PLUNKETT-ROCKWELL WEDDING.

Two Old Pittsfield Families United by Ceremony in First Congregational Church. June 2, 1910.

Miss Marion Campbell Plunkett of Pittsfield and Samuel Forbes Rockwell of North Andover were married in the presence of 600 people in the First Congregational church yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev W. V. W. Davis, pastor of the church, assisted by Rev William W. Rockwell of New York, a brother of the groom. The church was decorated with peonies, palms and candelabra. While the guests were assembling, Prof Alfred T. Mason, organist at the church, gave a recital. The bride was attended by a maid of honor, Miss Rosamond Hull, a cousin, and four bridesmaids, Miss Sarah Schaff of Jamaica Plain, Miss Helen E. Hull, a cousin, Miss Elizabeth Rockwell, a sister of the groom, and Miss Ethel Hawkins. Julius Rockwell of Taunton, a brother of the groom, was best man and the ushers were Charles H. Wilson, Z. Marshall Crane, Francis W. Rockwell, Jr., and Philip Carlton of North Andover.

The bridal party entered the church, led by the ushers, bridesmaids and maid of honor. The bride entered with her brother, Thomas F. Plunkett. The groom and his best man entered from a side door. A semicircle was formed, after which the ceremony was performed. The single-ring service was used. As the bridal party entered the church Prof Mason played "The Bridal Song" from "Lohengrin." As they left the church Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" was played. The bride was dressed in white crepe meteor cut princess style, with tunic of white silk net embroidered. Her tulle veil, which fell the full length of the train, was arranged with a coronet of orange blossoms. Her shower bouquet was white roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Rosamond Hull wore blue satin with overdress of blue chiffon, trimmed with pink roses. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and forget-me-nots. The gowns of Miss Schaff and Miss Rockwell were similar.

Robert P. Butler, for the past few years a member of the city staff of the "Hartford Times," is to succeed Mr. Coffin as agency supervisor under General Agent A. T. Richards, whose territory is the northern part of the state. Mr. Butler, who will enter upon his new duties July 18, is chairman of the democratic town committee. He is a graduate of Cornell University and afterwards took a supplementary course at Trinity College, where he was the center. Numerous instructors and where he received the degree of master of arts.

The ceremony there was a reception at the home of the bride for which Habenstein of Hartford, Ct., catered. During the evening Mr and Mrs Rockwell left on a wedding trip, which will include a number of places of interest in the eastern states. They will live at 650 Osgood street, North Andover. Mrs Rockwell is the second daughter of the late Mr and Mrs William R. Plunkett. She was graduated at Miss Salisbury's school and later Miss Baldwin's school at Bryn Mawr. Since then she has lived at home, in the house known as the Longfellow house at 155 East street. Her sister is Mrs Brace W. Paddock, formerly Miss Elizabeth K. Plunkett. Mrs Rockwell is a member of the country club of Pittsfield, interested in the work of the First Congregational church, the Pittsfield day nursery and various other activities.

Mr Rockwell was graduated from the high school and Harvard university.

THREE NEW STY SPECIAL

ROBERT P. BUTLER
TO CONN. MUT.

Associated With Allied
Agency Supervisor
Connections

Robert P. Butler, who government reporter for the past three and one-half years, accepted the position of advisor with the Connecticut Life Insurance company. July 13 will be associated with T. Richards, general agent of the company, in the business of insurance and supervising in the northern part of the state. Mr. Butler's headquarters are in Hartford. Mr. Richards, Room 111 Mutual building.

Mr. Butler came to Hartford years ago in September, 1906, being graduated from Cornell University at Ithaca, N. Y., in 1904. He spent a year in Trinity college, and in the English department. He was a student in public speaking at the same time he pursued studies in philosophy, studying for a degree of master of arts, which he received upon him by the University of Hartford, June, 1906. Four years ago he came to the Connecticut Life Insurance company, and has been with this company since.

Mr. Butler is chairman of the democratic town committee, and the recent successful campaign resulted in the election of Ward L. Smith. He is a member of the University club of Hartford, the Hartford Golf club, and the club of Hartford, and of the church. Mr. Butler has a number of friends in the city and wishes him well in his new position.

Butler-Joslyn Nuptials. Miss Emily Joslyn, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Charles Joslyn, and Robert P. Butler were married this noon, at the bride's home, 245 Farmington avenue, by Joseph Hooker, Twickenham, pastor of the South Church. Only a few persons were present. Mr. and Mrs. Butler will reside in Hartford, Mr. Butler being a member of the city staff of The Times.

Dr. Henry McManus, chairman of the democratic town committee, is resigning the chairmanship of his committee back through distances beyond his control.

There was a unique introduction to him, in the form of a silver cup to the young couple, by the organization, Joslyn Butler expressed his pride in the gift.

A son, Joslyn Butler, was born last evening to Mr. and Mrs. Butler of No. 145 Whitney.

A son, Robert P. Butler, was born last evening to Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Butler of No. 41 Grove.

NOVEMBER 24, 1916
**BUTLER RESIGNS,
CALNEN NAMED.**

**Change in Common Pleas
Court Clerkship to Take
Effect December 15.**

**MR. BUTLER TO
PRACTICE LAW**

**Successor Graduate of Yale
and Lawyer—Salary Is
\$3,500.**

Robert P. Butler has resigned as clerk of the court of common pleas to take effect December 15 and will enter actively into the practice of law January 1. Judge Edward L. Smith has accepted Clerk Butler's resignation and has selected Henry J. Calnen as his successor to the clerkship. The position pays a salary of \$3,500 a year.

Mr. Butler's former home was in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and he was graduated from Cornell university at



HENRY J. CALNEN.

Ithaca, N. Y., in June, 1905, and came to Hartford in September of that year, being an instructor in English at Trinity college where he received a master's degree in philosophy and economics. After a year at Trinity Mr. Butler spent five years in newspaper work, being on the staff of the Courant and THE TIMES respectively. He then went into the insurance business for two years and took up the study of law at that time. He was appointed clerk of the court of common pleas by Judge Smith, May 1, 1913, succeeding Mahlon H. Moyer. Mr. Butler kept up his law studies and was admitted to the bar in June, 1915. He married in June, 1910, a daughter of Colonel Charles M. Joslyn of this city. They have two children.

Until appointed clerk Mr. Butler was active in democratic politics and was the manager of the campaign in which Edward L. Smith was elected mayor. Mr. Butler was himself a candidate for the mayoralty nomination in 1912.

Henry J. Calnen was born in Hartford and received his preliminary education here. He was graduated from Yale law school in June, 1909, and admitted to the bar shortly afterward. He served as a democrat in the common council in 1912 and was special prosecutor of the police court in 1914 and 1915, during the regime of Judge Frederick G. Eberle. He has engaged actively in the practice of law and taken considerable interest in politics, being one of the local campaign speakers frequently called upon. In March, 1912, Mr. Calnen married Ida L. Mayo of this city. They have one child.

**ROBERT P. BUTLER GOES
TO CONN. MUTUAL COMPANY.**

Associated With Alfred T. Richards as
Agency Supervisor for Northern
Connecticut.

Robert P. Butler, who has been city government reporter for THE TIMES the past three and one-half years, has accepted the position of agency supervisor with the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance company, and after July 18 will be associated with Alfred T. Richards, general agent for that company, in the business of writing insurance and supervising agency work in the northern part of Connecticut. Mr. Butler's headquarters will be with Mr. Richards, Room 516, Connecticut Mutual building.

Mr. Butler came to Hartford five years ago in September, soon after being graduated from Cornell university at Ithaca, N. Y. He spent one year in Trinity college, as an assistant in the English department and an instructor in public speaking. At the same time he pursued advanced courses in philosophy, studying for the degree of master of arts, which was conferred upon him by the college in June, 1906. Four years ago he began work with the Courant as a reporter, but came to THE TIMES early in 1907, and has been with this paper ever since.

Mr. Butler is chairman of the democratic town committee and managed the recent successful campaign which resulted in the election of Mayor Edward L. Smith. He is a member of the University club of Hartford, the Hartford Golf club, the Democratic club of Hartford, and of the Center church. Mr. Butler has a wide circle of friends in the city and state, who wish him well in his new work.

June **Butler-Joslyn Nuptials 4/1910**
Miss Emily Joslyn, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Charles M. Joslyn, and Robert P. Butler were married, this noon, at the bride's home, No. 245 Farmington avenue, by the Rev. Joseph Hooker Twitchell, assistant pastor of the South Congregational church. Only a few persons immediately connected with the families were present. Mr. and Mrs. Butler will reside in Hartford, Mr. Butler being a member of the city staff of THE TIMES.

Dr. Henry McManus, chairman of the democratic town committee, told of his resigning the chairmanship and of his coming back through circumstances beyond his control.

There was a unique introduction for Robert P. Butler, the toastmaster presenting to him, in behalf of the Escort, a silver cup to the youngest member of the organization, Joslyn Butler, the son of the man introduced. Mr. Butler expressed his pride and pleasure in the gift.

A son, Joslyn Butler, was born this afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Butler of No. 165 Whitney street.

A son, Robert P. Butler, jr., was born last evening to Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Butler of No. 41 Girard avenue.

Miss Leila M. Sanford, daughter of Mrs. Sarah A. Sanford, and Frederick W. Tuttle were united in marriage, Saturday, by the Rev. John T. Huntington. Mr. and Mrs. Tuttle are on a wedding tour, and will be "at home" after July 15, at No. 189 Retreat avenue.

Fiftieth Anniversary of Marriage.

Judge and Mrs. J. H. White quietly celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage at their home, No. 69 Gillett street, Monday. The event was noted by a small dinner party, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Cooke of Brooklyn, N. Y., guests beside the hostess, Mr. Cooke, Mr. White, having been married in 1869. They received many tributes of affection and evening friends through-



ROBERT P. BUTLER.

issued by Mrs. No. 30 Hopkins of her daughter and Albert Mr. and Mrs. No. 49 Girard ny will take church Tuesday rformed by the rector of the honor will be ss Ethel Doten ss Cora L. Dill e groomsman town of Hart- ter G. Shutter illiam Carlisle r. and Mrs. heir wedding through Penn- are water gap, live at No. 49 bride is a sis- anager of the any.

June **Welch-McManus 7/1910**
Miss Elizabeth McManus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. McManus, and Dr. Thomas F. Welch of this city, were married in the Church of the Immaculate Conception at 10 o'clock this morning, at a nuptial mass, at which the Rev. Stephen Kenney officiated. Miss Gertrude F. Mealia of New Haven was bridesmaid and Dr. Thomas E. Cavanaugh of Holyoke was best man. The bride wore a white embroidered marquisette and a gold colored picture hat trimmed with white willow plumes. The bridesmaid wore a coral pink crepe meteor and a leghorn hat with roses to match.

Miss Jennie Louise Schaefer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Schaefer, and Andrew Roger Diehm were married Monday evening at the home of the bride, No. 43 Marlborough street, Rev. Ernest deF. Miel, rector of Trinity Church, performing the ceremony. The bride wore a dress of white embroidered point d'esprit and carried a bouquet of bride roses and lilies of the valley. Her sister, Mrs. Corinna Hart, was the matron of honor and was dressed in white point d'esprit and carried pink carnations. William H. Diehm of Rockfall was the best man. The bride was given away by her father. The parlor, in which the ceremony was performed, was decorated in green and white. Miss Hattie Rossie played the wedding march. There were many handsome wedding gifts, including one from the associates of the bridegroom. The ceremony was held at the residence of the bridegroom, which was demolished during the fire. The cost of the wedding was over \$100,000,000. The cost of the wedding was over \$100,000,000. The cost of the wedding was over \$100,000,000.

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Former Connecticut Man, Aged 102,
Cast Ballot for Taft.

(Special to The Courant.) 1908
Portland, Nov. 1.

Dr. C. A. Sears of this place has received a copy of the "Dakota Farmers' Leader," printed in Canton, South Dakota, on the first page of which is a picture of Elijah Clark Sears. Mr. Sears is 102 years old and an uncle of Dr. Sears. Elijah Sears was born in Chatham, Conn., just north of Lake Pocotopaug, East Hampton, and lived in this vicinity until a young man, when he went West.

The article states that Mr. Sears voted for Judge Taft and has voted at twenty Presidential elections, beginning in 1828, when Andrew Jackson was first elected. Although his eyesight is somewhat impaired, his general health is good. Even in 1907 he experimented in raising a new breed of potato. Mr. Sears is now living with his daughter, Mrs. Shields, in Canton. Undoubtedly Mr. Sears is the oldest man who cast a vote for Judge Taft.

D. W. Robertson of the Robertson Projectoscope Company, a son-in-law of Dr. Sears, visited the old gentleman recently and found him well and happy and in comfortable quarters. Mr. Robertson also visited him in the fall of 1907, on which occasion Mr. Sears produced an old flute of his, on which he rendered a couple of old familiar tunes.

N. E. Sears of Elmwood has received an invitation to the birthday party of his uncle, Elijah Sears, who will be 105 years old this month. Mr. Sears is a native of East Hampton, but went West way back in the old ox-cart days, going first as far as New York state. He is now a resident of Canton, S. D. He preserves his faculties remarkably and at the age of

WORK—WILLIAMS—In this city, June 8, 1910, Benjamin H. Work and Florence A. Williams.

A wedding was day evening at Good Shepherd

Linsley, rector. Florence Amelia, bride of Benjamin, formerly of Providence, was given away handsomely at lace and satin. She wore a veil with orange hair and white hair fern tied white satin ribbon by two brides. Work of Providence, the groom, and sister of the bride, carried white

KAMP KILL KARE BURNS.



FRANCIS P. GARVAN, '97
now Alien Property Custodian

A daughter was born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Francis P. Garvan of New York and Wheatley Hills, Long Island. Mr. Garvan is president of the Chemical Foundation company, incorporated. Mrs. Garvan was Miss Mabel Brady, a daughter of the late Anthony N. Brady, of New York, and the child is a niece of John S. Garvan, of Woodland street, and of Thomas F. Garvan of Farmington avenue.

ATURDAY, SEPT. 15, 1923

young couple was married by the Rev. Father Emery Colt, Mr. and Mrs. many beautiful William G. McDoo, the Hon. Eugene friends and associates A. Philbin, Thomas A. Edison, and Mr. and Mrs. former United States Senator Edward on a short wedding trip, of Troy, and Mrs. Murphy, jr., of Troy, and Mrs. Murphy, "at home" after party.

WOMAN GOVERNMENT CLERK CELEBRATES 90TH BIRTHDAY.

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Mrs. Helen L. McLean Kimball Receives Congratulations of Her Many Friends.

Washington, June 9.—Mrs. Helen L. McLean Kimball, a clerk in the office of the comptroller of the currency, said to be the oldest clerk of the United States government, celebrated her 90th birthday to-day. She was at her desk and was occupied much of the time in receiving the congratulations of her friends.

Mrs. Kimball is the widow of Lieutenant-Colonel E. A. Kimball of the famous New York Zouave regiment, who was killed at Suffolk, Va., in 1862.

BRILLIANT WEDDING AT THE ALBANY CATHEDRAL.

Miss Mabel Brady Becomes the Bride of Francis P. Garvan, Formerly of Hartford.

AMID A WEALTH OF FLOWERS.

Special to The Times.

Albany, N. Y., June 9.

At the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, at noon to-day, Miss Mabel Brady, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony N. Brady, was married to Francis Patrick Garvan of New York, son of the Hon. Patrick Garvan of Hartford, Conn.

The wedding party walked through an aisle of white flowers. The attendants were Mrs. Nicholas N. Brady, a sister of the groom, Miss Mary Hamilton, Miss Mary Tucker, Miss Bess Sloane and Miss Margaret Delehanty.

The bride's gown was of cream satin with court train, with net overdress caught with

Garvan—At her home, No. 903 Park avenue, New York, on January 21, 1918, Patricia, daughter of Francis Patrick and Mabel Brady Garvan, in her 7th year. Funeral mass at St. Agnes's church, 43d street, between Lexington and Third avenues, at half-past ten a. m., Wednesday, January 23, 1918. Interment private.

Patricia Garvan,

The best of Patricia Garvan, daughter of Francis P. and Mabel Brady Garvan, died at the family home, No. 903 Park avenue, New York, Monday, in her seventh year. Funeral mass will be held at St. Agnes's church, 43d street, between Lexington and Third avenues, Wednesday, at 10:30 a. m. Interment private.

There was a wedding at the cathedral. Patricia was the oldest of three children. She was the granddaughter of the late Senator Patrick Garvan of this city and of the late Anthony Brady of Albany, traction magnate. Her illness was brief. She won a blue ribbon at the last New York horse show for her pony cart exhibit. News of the death of their niece was received in this city, Monday evening, by her uncles, Fire Commissioner Thomas F. Garvan and John S. Garvan.

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laced for the bridesmaids.

Francis P. Garvan, accompanied by Mrs. Garvan and their six children, sailed from New York, Tuesday, on the Cunarder Berengaria for an extended vacation abroad.

THURSDAY, JUNE 5, 1924.

SANDERSON-FIELD WEDDING.

June 9, 1910.
Daughter of the ex-Mayor married at
Her Home in Brightwood.

A pretty home wedding was celebrated yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock when Miss Blanche Shaw Sanderson, daughter of ex-Mayor and Mrs William E. Sanderson of 80 Hyde avenue, was married to Charles Edgar Field. Clusters of daisies and daisies in chains and wreaths of peonies among them made the bright and prettily decorated room ceremony. It was a simple ceremony, the couple being unattended. Rev E. Ham of St James Methodist church performed the ceremony, using the service. The bride wore a train of champagne color and a hat of shade.

The couple received many among which were handsome and valuable articles of silver, cut glass, bric-a-brac and furniture. The popular among the young of Brightwood. She is a member of church, where she has been prominent of the social activities of people and has many friends. She graduated from the technical school with the class of 1909. The groom is Mr and Mrs Robert Field of Las street and is in the employ of Baush machine tool company, Westfield. He formerly lived in N. Y.

A reception was held by the

Westfield is on Wednesday in memory of Gen William Shepard, revolutionary soldier and friend of the town, who later commanded the defending the local arsenal during rebellion, by placing a table under the Shepard elm on Franklin street in town. It has long been the desire of the people of the town to have some memorial to this brave soldiering citizen of the colonial period. The erection of a statue, as has been decided, is for the present at least, a side an undertaking, though hopeful for the future. Through the interest of the Daughters of the American Revolution a tablet has been prepared bearing the name of Gen Shepard's birth and the record of his military service. This is placed at a point close to

WESTFIELD.

TO UNVEIL TABLE TO

Exercises in Connection With
Shepard Memorial to Be Held
Afternoon.

The unveiling of the tablet on the Gen Shepard elm on Franklin street will take place at 3 p. m. to-day with appropriate exercises. If stormy the exercises will be held in the Franklin-street school-house. M. B. Whitney, president of the western Hampden historical society, is to preside. The program will include singing by pupils of the normal training school; a prayer by Rev John H. Lockwood; singing by the children; biographical sketch of Gen Shepard by Mrs Clara S. Palmer of Chicopee; unveiling of tablet by Miss Addie E. Shepard, great-granddaughter of Gen Shepard; presentation of tablet by Mrs William W. McClench, regent of Mercy Warren chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution; acceptance of tablet by M. B. Whitney; poem by Mrs L. N. Clark; singing, "America."

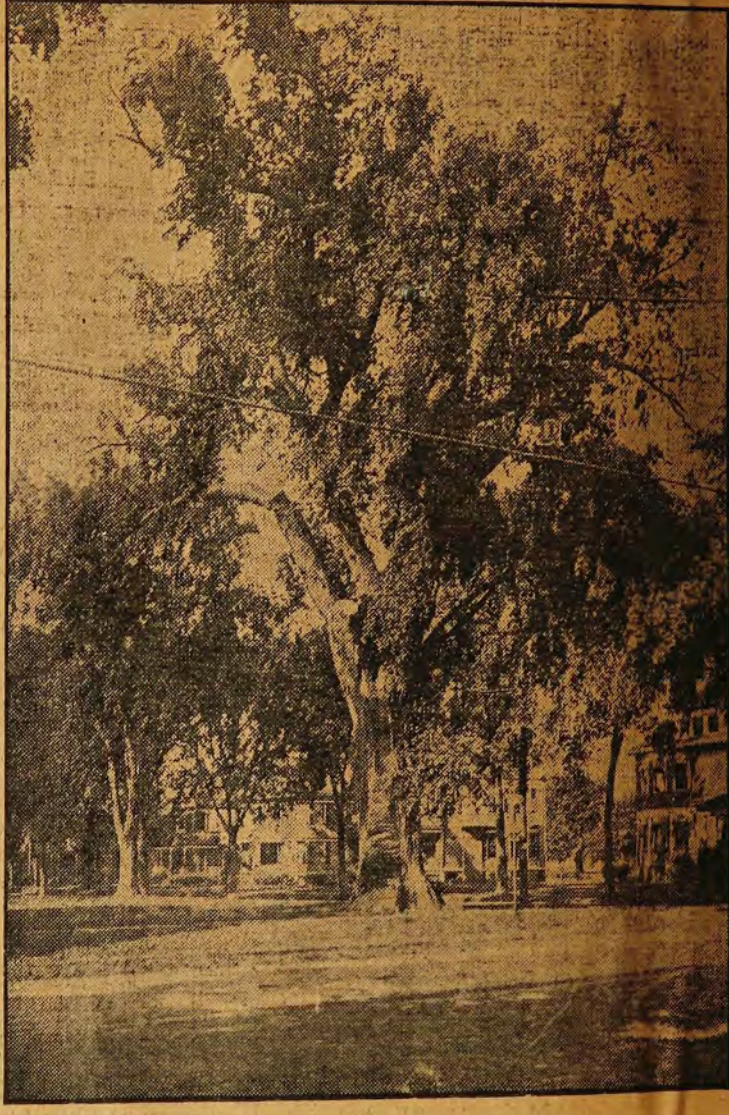
WESTFIELD.

SHEPARD MEMORIAL UNVEILED

GIFT OF MERCY WARREN CHAPTER

Tablet on Ancient Elm in Honor of
Revolutionary Hero—His Career.

Several hundred people gathered at the



THE GEN SHEPARD. ELM, WESTFIELD.

tial elector and twice appointed to treat with Indians. Once he represented Massachusetts in treating with the Penobscot Indians, and the next year represented the government in negotiating with "The Six Nations." Gen Shepard died in the year 1817 at the age of 80.

The elm tree upon which the tablet was placed yesterday is probably more than 200 years old, although no authentic record of the time it was set but has been found. It stands near the site on Franklin street of the Shepard home. Franklin street was formerly known as Shepard's lane. The tree is not in a healthy condition, but is carefully looked after by the western Hampden historical society.

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abouts. The ballad follows:

The Confession of Capt S...
In former days my name wa...
In Pelham I did dwell, sir;
But now I'm forced to lea...
place,

Because I did rebel, sir,

But in this state I lived till
By Satan's foul invention;
In Pluto's cause against the...
I raised an insurrection.

In Hell 'twas planned by an...
hand,
All laws should fall before
Though in disgrace the popu...
Like Persia did adore me,

On mountain's steed we did p...
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But there we met with a bol...
From Shepard's warlike th...

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For I dare no longer tarry

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And straightly gave him o...
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For I have orders sent to m...
That's very strict indeed...
To bring no more such reb...
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Then Damon ordered Shays...
To gather up his daisies...
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GOLDEN WEDDING OF GEORGE E. WARD

father was Eneas Munson, the first head of the Yale Medical School. Eneas Munson loaned the United States government \$600 in gold and silver in Revolutionary times, but the bond which was given for it was destroyed the home of William El-

Sale of Paul Revere Silver Bowl

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Revere and present
William Shepard by

The affair, like other sensational events, produced a ballad, which, although not as well known as the traditional "Ballad of Springfield Mountain," was nevertheless sung with great delight before the kitchen fire, on the tavern stoop and by the stove of the old village stores hereabouts. The ballad follows:—

The Confession of Capt Shays
In former days my name was Shays,
In Pelham I did dwell, sir;
But now I'm forced to leave that place,
Because I did rebel, sir,

But in this state I lived till late;
By Satan's foul invention;
In Pluto's cause against the laws
I raised an insurrection.

In Hell 'twas planned by an obscure hand,
All laws should fall before me,
Though in disgrace the populace,
Like Persia did adore me.

On mountain's steed we did proceed,
Our federal stores to plunder;
But there we met with a bold set
From Shepard's warlike thunder.

They killed four; they wounded more;
The rest, they run like witches;
Roswell Merrick lost his drum,
And Curtis split his breeches,

Which proved too hard, for my front guard,
For they still growing stronger, I
I'm resolved to go to the shades below
And stay on earth no longer.

When I arrived at the water's side,
Where Caron kept the ferry,
I called for quick passage o'er
For I dare no longer tarry.

Then Damon came to Caron's boat
And straightly gave him orders
To bring no more such rebels o'er
If they had no further orders.

For I have orders sent to me
That's very strict indeed, sir,
To bring no more such rebels o'er
For they are Caron's breed, sir.

Then Damon ordered Shays away
To gather up his daisies
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Munson, was a well known physician in New Haven and her great-grand-

Springfield people will be interested in the sale in New York Monday at the American Art galleries of a silver bowl wrought by Paul Revere, Revolutionary patriot, and closely associated with the early history of Springfield. The bowl brought \$4200, a record price for a piece of early American craftsmanship. It is stated that the bowl is beautifully formed and bears the inscription: "To General William Shepard, Presented by the Militia of memorial of his ability in quelling Shays' rebellion Springfield arsenal Janu

and noble citizen glad to cherish their home, it is distinction to be considered, is William statesman and

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RY 14, 1924 of the United States had not been framed and the state constitution adopted in 1780, viewed with disfavor by many, was not regarded as firmly established. There was no law for an equitable distribution of a debtor's goods among his creditors. Litigation was general and the courts, lawyers and sheriffs were denounced in wildest terms, in the general ex-

MAJ-GEN WILLIAM SHEPARD



Westfield Revolutionary Officer Who Commanded Defense of Arsenal Against Rebels at Shays's Rebellion

citement, as responsible for the suffering that men inflicted upon each other in the endeavor to get prior attachments on debtor's estates or those of men whose credit was suspected of not being sound. The cry arose that the courts ought to be abolished.

Silver Piece Presented tion Valued High—Re Arsenal First and Only of Paper-Money War

The summer of 1786 witnessed wild demonstrations. At Northampton on the last Tuesday of August some 1500 men took possession of the court house and prevented the sitting of the court. The term was not held and the belligerent men who did not intend to pay their debts celebrated a great victory. The insurrection was under full headway. Gov Bowdoin issued a proclamation calling upon civil officers and good citizens to sustain the law, but the officers were powerless and the citizens awed by aggressive violence of the insurgents. Even the militia was in some places largely composed of insurgents. Judges whose duty it was to hold the September term of the court of common pleas at Worcester found the door of the court house bristling with bayonets. Similar outrages were committed in Berkshire, Middlesex and Bristol counties. With the exception of Boston, the rebels practically had control of the state.

The supreme judicial court was scheduled to sit in Springfield the fourth Tuesday of September. Insurgents declared the court should 'not sit; friends of law and order declared it should. Maj-Gen William Shepard of Westfield, a trusted officer of Gen Washington, who served with distinction in the Revolution and had been a member of the Continental Congress, was appointed to command such forces as he could muster to meet the insurgents headed by Daniel Shays.

Daniel Shays's headquarters were located at the old Conkey tavern in Prescott, formerly Pelham Hollow, built in 1757. Stirring days were those when the paper-money war was at its height and the center of gossip and interest in the fortunes of the rebels focussed at Amherst

and from the late forestry school in 1907.

MARIETTA COLLEGE TO
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other curios. After an automobile ride
through the city the President, according
to present plans, will leave for Washington
at five o'clock.

The Marietta College authorities an-
nounced that the President would be
awarded the honorary degree of doctor of
civil law.

TAFT SPEAKS AT
MARIETTA JUBILEE.

Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Heath
request the pleasure of
your company at the marriage of
Miss Jessie Heath
to
Mr. Edward Arthur Bredt
on Saturday, the eleventh of June
at noon

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at Dover Plains, New York

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'97 S.—The marriage of Miss Jessie Heath
and Edward Arthur Bredt occurred on Sat-
urday, June 11, at the home of the bride's
mother, Mrs. Kate Adams Heath, in Dover
Plains, N. Y. Edward B. Morris, '97 S.,
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Robert S. Kilbourne, Thaddeus B. Ryman,
and Clifford H. Buckingham, members of the
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Mr and Mrs George Dwight Pratt have issued invitations to the marriage of their cousin, Miss Clara Richardson Orne, to Dr Jesse Hall Allen, in the First Unitarian church at Philadelphia on the evening of June 13. The ceremony will be followed by a reception at the Bellevue-Straford hotel. The young people will have their new home at 1435 Poplar street, Philadelphia. Miss Orne will be remembered by many Springfield people as a daughter of the late Capt Dwight Orne, who served with honor through the civil war as an officer of the 18th Massachusetts regiment. Miss Orne received part of her education at one of the local private schools.

ADELINE GENEÉ MARRIED.

Famous Danish Dancer Becomes Mrs. Isitt in London.

London, June 11.—Adeline Geneé, the Danish dancer, who has visited America and Frank S. N. Isitt of London, were married at All Saints' church, Margaret street, Duke of Newcastle gave away. The nuptials were many persons, including known in society and promoters of the theatrical profession. The Queen Mother was the bride and

FAREWELL TO GENEÉ.

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With yet her farewell to take of Manchester and of Bristol, Mlle Adeline Geneé has danced adieu to London. Leaving out of the question such happy inevitability as her reappearance in the cause of charity, the beautiful Danish dancer has made her final bow to us, says the Daily Chronicle, and such a sadly drooping bow it was, with the artist's tears mingling

and theirs. Rev. Dr. Seymour's parents, celebrated theirs in 1880. And, in due time, doubtless, Judge Woodruff's sons, George C. and James P., will gather their families together for golden weddings.

The hours of the reception by Judge and Mrs. Woodruff were from 4:30 to 7:30 o'clock and those who assisted them in receiving were their only daughter, Mrs. Alexander McNeill, who with her husband, stood in the same place to receive at their wedding on June 13, 1894. Also in the line was Rev. Dr. Storrs O. Seymour who was one of the four groomsmen at the wedding fifty years ago, and Mrs. Woodruff's only living sister, Mrs. Henry A. Boller of Denver, Col., who was a bridesmaid at the wedding in 1860. Others who assisted were Mrs. George C. and Mrs. James P. Woodruff, Mrs. Edward W. Seymour, who attended the original wedding; Mrs. Storrs O. Seymour, Robert W. Parsons of New York, a brother of

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Hon. George M. Woodruff.



Mrs. George M. Woodruff.

Woodruff's fall of 1880. Woodruff's golden wedding at Flushing, I. Mrs. James ought to have had that habit that fifth anniversary 1885.

Now come of Judge and nothing had Storrs O. Seymour's golden wedding where

remembrance of the stages upon which I have performed them—the Empire stage, which was my dancing ground for 10 happiest of happy years, and the Coliseum stage, which I have now so regretfully left—regretfully, but comforted by the feeling that I have done the right thing. In defense—if it needs defending—of my retirement at 36, let me repeat the words I offered on the eve of my farewell season at the Coliseum: "It is so much better, when one is able to retire from the stage gracefully. It is one of the earliest things we learn on the stage; it should be one of our latest accomplishments!"



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ADELINE GENEÉ.

tired from the stage at the age of 36. She believes stage dancer to abandon the footlights while she is adieu.]

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WOODRUFF—At her home in Litchfield, Conn., May 14, 1911, Elizabeth Parsons, wife of Hon. George M. Woodruff.

Funeral services at the Litchfield National Bank, Wednesday, May 17, at 1 o'clock.

Elizabeth Parsons Woodruff, the Hon. George M. Woodruff, Sunday night at her home in Litchfield. On June 13 last year Mrs. Woodruff celebrated the anniversary of their wedding. Woodruff was a daughter of James B. Parsons and Elizabeth Parsons of New York city. Her life was spent in that city until Flushing, L. I., where she lived with Mr. Woodruff in 1860. She has three children: George C. Woodruff of New York, Alexander McNeill of New York, and James P. Woodruff of Litchfield. Two brothers, W. Parsons of Santa Clara county, Cal., and W. Parsons of New York, one sister, Mrs. Henry A. Denver, Col., also survive. Mrs. Woodruff was a member of the Congregational Church in Litchfield. Before the war she belonged to the Society of Friends, with which she has been connected for years.

GEORGE M. WOODRUFF IS 80 YEARS OLD

Townpeople Unite to Do
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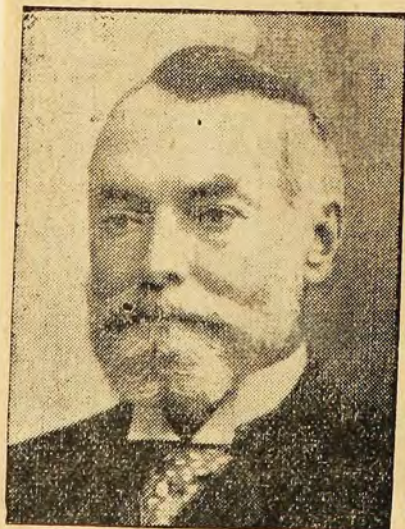
LITCHFIELD'S FAMED
LEADING CITIZEN.

Lawyer and Graduate of Yale
College in 1857.

(Special to The Courant.) 1916

Litchfield, March 3.

Hon. George M. Woodruff celebrated his 80th birthday anniversary today. In the evening from 8 to 10, an informal reception was held at Mr. Woodruff's home on South street. The reception was a surprise to him. The public was invited to be present. Mrs. A. E. Godfrey and Mrs. W. H. Sanford received the guests and were assisted by Mrs. George C. Woodruff, Mrs. Alexander McNeill, Mrs. J. P. Woodruff, Mrs. F. J. Goodwin and



Hon. George M. Woodruff.

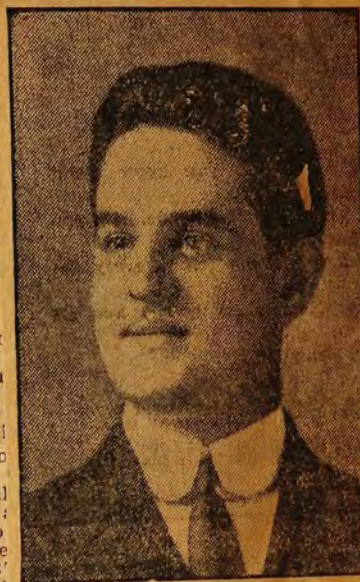
Miss C. B. Smith, Mrs. Floyd Vanderpoel, Misses Mildred and Elizabeth

Rocky Hill, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Goff of Waterbury, H. Wales Lines of Meriden, Charles Hopkins Clark and Rev. Sherrod Soule of Hartford, L. W. Ullman of New Haven, ex-Governor George P. McLean of Simsbury, H. H. Bridgman of Norfolk, Edward Parsons of Los Gatos, Cal., a brother of Mrs. Woodruff, and a cable message sent from Paris by Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Towne of New York. Both Judge and Mrs. Woodruff received letters from the directors of the Litchfield National Bank enclosing to and an eagle been president years.

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SAMUEL KRAMER.

WON YALE LATIN PRIZE.

Samuel Kramer, Hartford High School
Boy, Honored. 1910

Once more a graduate of the Hartford high school has distinguished himself by winning a prize at Yale university. Samuel Kramer, the son of Mrs. Sarah Kramer, No. 118 New Park avenue, has this year taken the first prize in Latin for the sophomore year.

Mr. Kramer was born in Hartford, March 4, 1892, and was a pupil of the New Park avenue school until the ninth grade, when he led his class at the Wadsworth street school. He was graduated from the Hartford high school at the age of 16, being the eighth on the honor roll. He was president of the Hopkins Debating club for two terms, and was a debater for the Batterson prize.

Lucius H. Holt, son of Fred P. Holt of this city, has been nominated by President Taft as professor of English in the United States Academy at West Point. Mr. Holt was graduated at Yale in 1902 and for some time has been employed on the editorial staff of Webster's Dictionary at Springfield, and is entered as a Massachusetts man.

Lucius H. Holt, who has been connected with the editorial department of the G. & C. Merriam company, left the city yesterday for West Point, N. Y., where he has already begun his duties as instructor in the military academy. Mrs. Holt and their children are at present at Southfield in the Berkshire hills, and will join Mr. Holt at West Point early in the fall.

U. S. A., of West Point, is making an Easter visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred P. Holt of this city.

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Tuesday evening was "calcium light night" on the Yale campus, when members of the sophomore class were elected to the junior fraternities of the university. Richard Phillips of Hartford was elected to Alpha Delta Phi and Henry Panet Hastings, also of Hartford, was elected to Zeta Psi.

Richard H. Phillips of this city, a member of the freshman class at Yale university, was chosen Monday to serve on the editorial staff of the Yale Daily News. He was a member of the Hartford High school, class of 1908, was class day orator and winner of the Batterson prize for best debater.

Richard H. Phillips of this city, a member of the sophomore class at Yale university, was elected on Monday assignment editor of the Yale Daily News. He was graduated at the Hartford Public High school, class of 1908, was class day orator, and won the Batterson prize for best debater. In athletics he was captain of the track team and winner of the best athlete's cup.

MCGURK-LONG—In this city, June 14, 1910, by the Rev. William J. McGurk, Bernard L. McGurk and Miss Mary A. Long.

Bernard L. McGurk and Miss Mary A. Long were married at St. Joseph's Cathedral yesterday morning. Rev. William J. McGurk of Manchester, brother of the bridegroom, officiating. Miss Margaret C. McMahon of New Britain was bridesmaid. Timothy J. Long, brother of the bride, acting as best man. Only members of the families were present. The bride, who is a Normal School graduate and was for some years a teacher in the Arsenal School, is sister to John C. and Timothy J. Long, who comprise the firm of Long Brothers. After a wedding breakfast Mr. and Mrs. McGurk left for a short honeymoon. They will live at No. 19 Sherman street.

CLEMENTS — AMERMAN—In Meriden, Conn., June 14, 1910, by the Rev. J. Cooney, and in Hartford, Conn., June 15, 1910, by the Rev. Rodney Roundy, Arthur J. Clements and Miss Martha Amerman, both of this city.

Arthur J. Clements and Miss Martha Amerman were united in marriage Tuesday by the Rev. J. Cooney of St.

Miss Lucy M. Henning, daughter of Otto Henning, and Dr. Joseph W. Borchardt of Waterbury, were married Tuesday evening at the home of the bride's father, No. 9 Lincoln street, by the Rev. Dr. Rockwell Harmon Potter. The bridal party stood in front of a bank of palms in the parlor. The bride was attired in white chiffon over white satin, with princess lace, and carried a bouquet of orchids and lilies of the valley. She was attended by Miss Nettie M. Henk of this city, as maid of honor, who wore pink chiffon over satin, and carried a bouquet of sweet peas. Carl Moeller of Waterbury was groomsmen. The wedding march was rendered by John Borchardt of Waterbury, a brother of the groom. The wedding was attended only by relatives and close friends of the couple. Following the ceremony dinner was served, and later in the evening Dr. and Mrs. Borchardt left for a wedding trip, which will include Niagara Falls and Washington, D. C. On their return they will reside in Waterbury.

TIFFT-BLUNT—At Springfield Armory, Massachusetts, June 14, 1910, by the Rev. Nassau S. Stephens, of Upper Montclair, N. J., assisted by the Rev. Donald N. Alexander, Frances Smythe, youngest daughter of Colonel Stanhope E. Blunt, Ordnance Department, U. S. A., and Mrs. Blunt, to Mr. Lewis E. Tift, of Springfield, Massachusetts.

Lewis Eliphalet Tift, 23, 176 Florida street, bond broker, and Francis Smyth Blunt, 23, Springfield Armory square, at home.

THE BLUNT - TIFFT WEDDING.

PRETTY SERVICE AT THE ARMORY

Daughter of the Commandant, Col. S.

Richard H. Phillips of this city, elected to Wolf Head, has won many honors at Yale, among them is assignment editor of the Yale Daily News and manager of the University Debating association.

Wolf Head society was organized in 1883, and one of its charter members was the late Hon. E. J. Phelps, minister plenipotentiary to Great Britain under President Cleveland. Judge Howland of New York, a famous Yale alumnus, was also a member of this society. Wolf Head is now rated with "Skull and Bones" and "Scroll and Key," although the youngest of the three senior societies.

Palms and pink peonies were in profusion through the home and on the broad verandas. A large tent, to which a covered canopy led from the main hall, extended over the refreshment tables. A canvas flooring was stretched over the lawn beneath it. The tent poles were hidden by masses of maple leaves, and overhead there was a bower of this foliage, among which electric globes were hung. Open on all sides, the marquee allowed the guests a beautiful view across the lawns, which were also lighted by electric globes.

The living-room, where the ceremony was performed, was banked high with palms and peonies, which formed a background for the corner where the vows were

COL BLUNT GOING ABROAD.

Will sail July 14 for Two Months in England and France—Capt Allen J., performed to leave.

Col Stanhope E. Blunt is making plans for a two-months' European trip this summer. He has been granted his leave, having been of absence by the war department and will sail from New York July 14. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Blunt and their eldest daughter, Miss Katherine Blunt, who is an instructor at Vassar college; also their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ficke, of Davenport, Ia. The party will spend most of the time in an automobile tour of France and England.

Capt Charles M. Allen, detailed to the ordnance department and stationed in this city for the last two years, has completed his four years in the department and will be relieved July 1. He has been assigned to the 1st regiment of field artillery at Fort Sill, Okl. He has been granted a two-months' leave of absence, beginning June 20, and is planning a European trip. Lieut McCaughey, now in the infantry in the Philippines, has been detailed to the ordnance department and ordered to report to Springfield for duty. He will arrive some time in July. Lieut Charles A. Meals, who has completed two years at the Springfield armory, has been ordered to remain another year by the war department.

He will sail with the Shikshin...

was born Sunday evening to Mr. and Mrs. B. L. McGurk of No. 19 Sherman street. He is a bouncing twelve-pound lad and both he and his mother are doing well.

TUESDAY, APRIL 1, 1913.

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Lathrop—Bouwer—Anchor. 14
 The Rev. Dr. Rockwell Harmon Potter united in marriage, at noon Tuesday, at the Center church house, Benjamin Lee Lathrop and Miss M. Louise Brouwer-Anchor, daughter of Francis E. Brouwer-Anchor of this city.

June 14
A Teacher Fifty Years. 14.
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The house laurel blossom out a color scheme of pink and white. Lawyer Harry W. Reynolds of this city will be groomsman and the bride will be attended by her sister, Miss Doris Butler Twiss. The Episcopal ceremony will be used. Immediately following the ceremony a reception will be held and a wedding dinner served, those who are to assist in serving being Miss Bessie Yeamans, and Miss Elsie Yeamans of

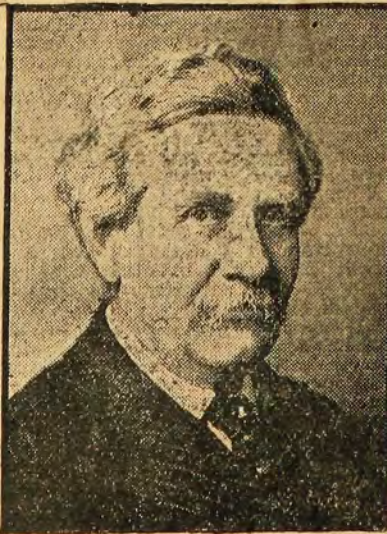
The Ziglitzki-Cone Nuptials in West Hartford—Other Events. 15.

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Mrs. Thomas S. Weaver.



Thomas S. Weaver.

THEIR RUBY WEDDING.

June 15—1910
 Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Weaver Will Receive Their Friends Tonight.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Snell Weaver will celebrate their ruby wedding (fortieth anniversary) at their home, No. 115 Wooster street, this afternoon and evening by an informal reception to their friends. They were married in Willimantic, June 15, 1870, by Rev. Horace Winslow, then pastor of the Congregational Church there. Mrs.

Weaver was Miss Della A. Chipman, a teacher in the local schools before she was married. Their home was first made in Worcester, Mass., where four of their five children were born. Afterwards they lived in New Haven, where Mr. Weaver was connected with the "New Haven Register" as assistant editorial writer and paragrapher. They came to Hartford in 1883 and have since made the Mrs. Frances B. Weaver was mar the age of 13 ried at Easthampton, L. I., August 5, connected with to Phillip Verrill Mighels, a well paper work, be and moving alo known magazine writer and novelist as a writer. They are now making an automobile been superinter tour of New England, after which they public schools. I will go to Europe for a year. Mrs. born to the of Mighels was the widow of Dr. William Elbert L. Wea M. Weaver, late of this city. and Miss Mary L. Weaver. Mrs. Frances B. Weaver, a daughter-in-law, lives in New York city.

The celebration this afternoon and evening will be informal, and aside from heartfelt greetings to friends will be devoid of ceremony.

Elbert L. Weaver and John N. Weaver, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Weaver, **SUPERINTENDENT WEAVER.**

Yesterday "The Courant" was, largely, a story of what our men of affairs have been doing to make Hartford not alone a prosperous city but a city beautiful. All honor to them! Favored and fortunate the community in which business enterprise and civic spirit thus go hand in hand.

Today we want to call attention to the proof this week has furnished that intelligent, diligent, loyal service of another sort does not find Hartford unkind or ungrateful. The vote by which Thomas S. Weaver has been, for the seventh time, entrusted with the superintendency of Hartford's schools was as universally expected and desired outside the board room as it was cordial and unanimous there. Anything else would have been a surprise and shock to the town.

For this quiet, modest, practical, sensible Superintendent Weaver won —years ago—the town's confidence by deserving it. He "made good" from the start. He has much the same feeling about the high school, the district schools, the evening schools, the children's gardens, the children's playgrounds, that the late Judge Sherman Adams had about Bushnell Park. They are the apple of his eye; they are continually in his thoughts and heart. Tuesday's vote is an attestation that Hartford recognizes (if she cannot fully reckon up) her indebtedness to Superintendent "Tom" Weaver.

June 15
 A son was born this morning to ZWYEGARTT—At West Hartford, November 2, 1918, a daughter, Mary Candee, to Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Zweggart of Pleasant street.

June 13, 1914.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Zweggart of No. 125 South Beacon street.

June 13, 1914.
 ZWYEGARTT—In this city, Monday, May 17, 1916, a daughter, Jane, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Zweggart of Pleasant street, West Hartford.

June 13, 1914.
 ZWYEGARTT—In West Hartford, July 29, 1917, a son, Robert Locke, to Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Zweggart of 30 Pleasant street.

SIXTY YEARS WEDDED.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooley Celebrate Rare Anniversary.

(Special to The Courant.)

Windsor, June 16.

The sixtieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Horace E. Cooley of Wilson avenue was celebrated today at their home. Mr. Cooley is 81 years old and Mrs. Cooley is 83. They were the pioneer suburbanites of Wilson Station and built the first house on Wilson avenue in which house they now reside. They were married sixty years ago today by Rev. Jabez Swan, a Baptist clergyman in New London. Prior to 1872 they lived in Hartford. Until about eleven years ago, when the Pope Manufacturing Company transferred its bicycle plant to Westfield, Mass., Mr. Cooley was employed by that company. He commuted back and forth to his work. Messrs. George Pope, Albert C. Pope, Charles E. Walker, Wilbur Walker and Ned Lawrence of the Pope Company called on him today to congratulate him on his anniversary.

Mr. Cooley was a member of Company B, Sixteenth Regiment, C. V., and is now a member of Nathaniel Lyon Post, No. 2, G. A. R., of Hartford and a former chaplain of that post. The post turned out in a body this evening and called on him and his wife at their home and gave them a large bouquet of flowers. Mr. Cooley is a member of St. John's Lodge, No. 4, A. F. and A. M., of Hartford, having been raised to Masonry in that lodge, forty-three years ago.

Mrs. Cooley, previous to her marriage, was Miss Frances Burdick, daughter of Rollin and Elza Jones Burdick of Preston. Before coming to Wilson to live they were for many years members of the South Baptist Church of Hartford and Mr. Cooley was a layman there for twenty-two years. After removing to Wilson, as a local preacher he conducted services in the First District schoolhouse until the society of the Church of Christ built its church. Two children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Cooley, of whom Mrs. C. H. Lynch, wife of C. H. Lynch, engineer of the Case, Lockwood & Brainard Company of Hartford, is now living. There are two grandchildren, Miss Fannie L. Lynch and C. Birsie Lynch.

SIXTY HAPPY YEARS.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles King Receive Their Friends. *June 17, 1910*

A pleasant reception was held last evening by Mr. and Mrs. Charles King of No. 371 Windsor avenue in the observance of the sixtieth anniversary of their wedding. Many friends and relatives were present to congratulate them. Mr. King was connected with Smith, Bourn & Co. as a clerk and junior partner for thirty years, after which he was in the stove business on Main street for twenty years. In 1892 he retired from business, owing to ill health. Mr. and Mrs. King, who was Miss Maria C. Olmstead of Windsor, were married in Windsor, June 17, 1850. They have lived in Hartford ever since that time. They are charter members of the Windsor Avenue Congregational Church, of which Mr. King has been a deacon for thirty-five years. They have five children, eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

REV. WALTER LEWIS FERRIS

WEDS MISS ALICE CHENEY.

New Haven, June 16.

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Before a very fashionable assembly that filled the historic Trinity church on the New Haven Green this afternoon, Miss Alice Cheney, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Cheney,

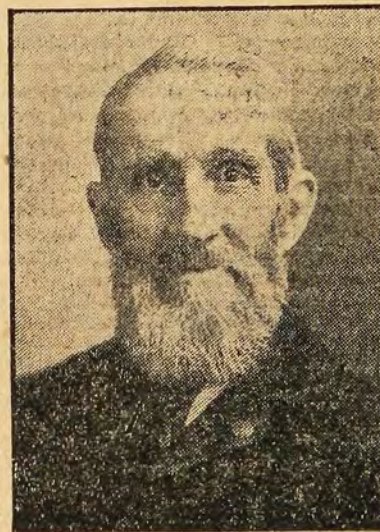
the United States, who was killed in the war, was married by Rev. Walter Lewis Ferris, pastor of the Congregational church, to a ceremony which took place at 3 o'clock before the church. The bride's father, Mr. Benjamin H. Cheney, rendered a musical while the ceremony was being performed.

The church was decorated with the color of green and white. The bride was dressed in white and the bridegroom in white. The bride's dress was of the latest fashion, and the wedding was an extremely simple one. There were no attendants. The wedding was the arrival of the bride, accompanied by her brother, Mr. Benjamin H. Cheney, of Hartford, Ind., who took the bride to the church. The bride's father, Mr. Benjamin H. Cheney, was the rector of the church.



Mrs. Horace E. Cooley.

The bride was escorted down the aisle by six ushers who included: Mr. Harold C. Cheney, brother of the bride, French of Name, H. H. Sheldon, Clark, New Haven. She was accompanied by Mr. Scoville.



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The bride was in a gown of train and elaborate lace. A soft satin and lace and was caught in. She wore a necklace of pearls and this was a necklace of orange carried a long of the val-

The ceremony at the bride's home at 10 o'clock, for the close friends. The decorations were very attractive and being used after the wedding. The decorations were returned from the parsonage. Ferris wore a white, natural

color, trimmed with touches of black. Her hat was of natural colored straw with facing of black and trimmed with roses of shaded American Beauty colorings.

Guests were present from Hartford, New York and Boston and from points west. Miss Sarah and Miss Anne Ferris, sisters of the bridegroom, were also among the guests, coming from Elkhart, Ind. The bride has for several seasons been prominent among the younger people here in town, being an accomplished musician and a leader among the musical set here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferris were the recipients of a handsome collection of wedding gifts.

Notable Occasion at the Home of Mr and Mrs James A. Crane.

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Thompson Crane, daughter of Mr and Mrs James Arthur Crane, and William Ives Washburn, Jr., of New York city, was solemnized at 4 p. m. yesterday at Broad-lawn, the home of the bride on Mill street. There were about 100 relatives and intimate friends at the wedding, including relatives of the bride from Berkshire county, who came in a special car, and relatives of the groom from New York, who chartered a parlor car from Springfield to Westfield on the electric road. The reception at 4.30 was attended by many of the local friends of the bride, about 250 being present. The beautiful residence and grounds were made attractive with wild and cultivated flowers, palms and potted plants. The general color scheme inside the rooms was pink and white. The marriage ceremony took place in the library, which had been converted into a miniature chapel. Candlesticks were placed on each side of the bay window and mountain laurel was used with fine effect over the altar in festoons and ropings.

Rev Henry M. Dyckman, pastor of the First Congregational church, used the Episcopal service. He was assisted by Rev John H. Lockwood of Springfield. The bride and her attendants came down the stairway in the hall and met the groom and the best man at the altar. The bride was given away by her father. She was attended by three bridesmaids, Miss Caroline Mills and Miss Katherine Winterbotham of Chicago and Miss Grace Ives Washburn of New York. The best man was Charles W. Niles, Jr., of Boston, and the ushers were William H. Burg of St Louis, Mo., Paul Welles of Paris, France, Edward Fisher, Henry Pelzer, Holbrook Bonney and Frank R. Goodell of New York. The bride's gown was of white satin, with applique lace trimmings, made en train. Her veil was caught up with orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of white rosebuds and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaids wore white lingerie gowns with Charlotte Corday hats. French blue bows were used as trimmings, with sashes to match. They carried pink rosebuds and lilies of the valley.

A trio from the Boston symphony orchestra, the instruments being a harp, violin and 'cello, furnished music for the occasion. The "Lohengrin" wedding march was played for the processional and the Mendelssohn march for the recession. After the ceremony the bride and groom went into the reception-room, where the reception followed. The young people were assisted in receiving by members of the bridal party, Mr and Mrs J. A. Crane and Mr and Mrs William Ives Washburn. On account of the rain the refreshment tent on the lawn was not used, and Cook of Boston, the caterer, served the guests in the house. Mr Washburn presented his bride with a heart-shaped diamond brooch, and the groom received from his bride a pearl scarfpin. To her attendants she gave French fans, and the groom presented his best man and ushers with pearl scarfpins. The groom is a son of Maj and Mrs William Ives Washburn of New York city, and graduated from Amherst college in the class of 1908. He is a member of the Alpha Delta Phi fraternity and is at present connected with the New York Times. Mr and Mrs Washburn are to live in New York, and will be at home Fridays in November and December at 24 Grammercy park, New York.

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Another celestial union was effected in Hartford, this morning, when Gong Wing, a Chinese grocer and restaurant keeper of Providence, R. I., and Annie M. McEmmons of that same city were united in marriage by the Rev. Henry Medd, pastor of the North Methodist church. This is the second Providence pair that has sought out Hartford as a nuptial mecca, and they were not turned away disappointed. The other pair was united some months ago by Justice of the Peace James J. Quinn, but when Mr. Wing and his bride-to-be asked at the health bureau for some one to marry them this morning they specified that the officiating person should be a clergyman and no mere civil official.

Gong Wing said he was 33 years old, and the bride confessed to 21, although she hardly looked it. She was tall and comely and dressed most attractively, with a pearl gray straw bonnet, with a waist somewhat lighter, black silk skirt and over all a handsome yellow broadcloth cape that fell from her shoulders almost to the hem of her skirt. A large bouquet of American Beauty roses was pinned to her corsage, and Gong Wing was manifestly proud of her as he gazed upon her with langourous almond eyes, while the deputy registrar asked the necessary questions in preparation of the license. Gong was clad in stylish American clothes, and had the air of a prosperous business man.

First the couple went to the home of the Rev. Hugh Elmer Brown, pastor of the Windsor Avenue Congregational church.

NEWINGTON, June 18.

Newington, June 20.—The Rev. Herbert and Mrs. Macy celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage, Saturday evening. Their five children and about 150 of their friends and relatives were present and tendered congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Macy received in the parlor, which was decorated with red roses. The sitting room color scheme was green and white, of daisies and ferns. The dining room was adorned with pink roses and the library was pink and green, of mountain laurel and ferns. Miss Clara Whittlesey and Miss Orabelle Stoddard served at the frappe table in this room. During the evening Deacon Joshua Belden, in behalf of Mr. Macy's friends and congregation presented the bridal couple with a silver tea service, after which he spoke of clouds and sunshine and especially of the cloud he held in his hand, which he said he should not leave with them, only the contents, and when the cloud burst seventy-five silver dollars rolled out. After much applause Mr. Macy responded with thanks for the gifts, and a brief review of his boyhood days and his married life. Many other beautiful presents were received.

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