

Adirondack News.

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St. Regis Falls, the Summit of Health and Recreation.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

April 5th, Palm Sunday. Bernard Clark, of Dickinson Center, was a business caller in St. Regis Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burr Cunningham, of North Bangor, were guests of Mrs. O. L. Wilson Sunday.

Miss Gladys Smith, who has been teaching at Barnes Corners, is home for a four weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ardie Palmer, of Malone, were business callers in St. Regis Falls last Saturday.

Clayton Brown came home last Sunday from North Stratford, N. H., where he has been employed.

Conservation Commissioner A. Macdonald, of Albany, was a guest at Mrs. W. T. O'Neill's over Sunday.

Miss Anna Guernsey, of Syracuse, is a guest of her sister, Miss Ruth Guernsey, at the home of Mrs. M. A. Rowell.

Mrs. C. F. Parks was called to Syracuse this week by the serious illness of her father, who is a sufferer from blood poisoning.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Mould and little daughter, of Malone, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Mould.

Dorothy Park, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Parks, is quite seriously ill at the Alice Hyde Hospital in Malone, where she was taken for treatment.

Miss Margaret Carroll, of the Federal Hospital at Tupper Lake, was a guest at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Prepara Thursday.

John D. DeShaw, who recently returned from Falton, N. Y., is making arrangements to open a lunch room, put in a gas tank, etc., at his residence just west of this village.

Fire destroyed the sugar house of William Atwood the first of the week. Mr. Atwood had not been boiling syrup for a few days and did not know just when the fire occurred.

Several St. Regis Falls men were in Malone the first of the week, among the patrol of 300 drawn for the Barney murder trial. Wm. J. DeShaw was the only one retained on the jury from this town.

Mrs. Guy H. Dawson, of Dickinson Center, who had been seriously ill for the past two weeks with pneumonia and complications, died early Thursday morning. Her funeral will be held Saturday afternoon.

The World Crusaders had their regular monthly meeting at the home of their Sunday school teacher, Miss Gladys Smith, last Saturday afternoon. Refreshments were served and a fine time enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Tryon were called to Oswego, N. Y., in response to a telegram stating that their son Lawrence was in a hospital there. No further particulars were given. They left on the evening train Thursday.

C. B. Schwartz, principal of LaFayetteville high school, was in St. Regis Falls last Saturday for a personal interview with the board of education as a candidate for the principalship of our school. No definite arrangement was reached.

Our school closed on Friday for a week's vacation. Mrs. E. B. Powell and family will go to Syracuse. Miss Norma Dumsey to her home at Trumansburg, and Miss Hulse Gleason to her home at Fort Covington. School will be resumed Monday, April 13th.

Special meetings will be held in the Holiness Movement church for the next three weeks, beginning Sunday evening, April 5th at 7:30 o'clock. A singer from Kilmarton, Ont., will have charge of the music. Rev. A. M. Babcock, pastor of the church, will preach each evening. Everybody invited.

On Sunday evening about 7:30 the barn on the farm of Herman LaVoy, who lives in the town of Dickinson about 1 1/2 miles from this village, was destroyed by fire together with most of its contents. It seems that Mr. LaVoy's son-in-law David Niess, was doing the evening chores when he fell and the lantern which he was carrying dropped and broke, scattering oil and fire among the dry fodder, which quickly ignited and the barn and most of its contents were burned. Mr. LaVoy carried \$1,000 insurance on the barn.

The large barn on what was well known as the Orcutt farm in the town of Dickinson, was destroyed by fire Saturday forenoon, March 28th. The farm is now owned by William Trip, of this village. The fire seemed to start in the hay mow but no plausible theory as to how it started has been advanced as no one about the farm had been in the mow for a few days. The fire was so far advanced when discovered that it could not be stopped and much difficulty was experienced in rescuing the large herd of dairy cows and the horses. Eleven calves, and one large hog were burned, together with practically all the farming tools and machinery, hay and grain. The property was insured for \$2,000. This is a heavy loss to Mr. Trip as the barn was a valuable one.

Death of John S. Drew

We take the following from "The Eugene Guard," of Wednesday, Mar. 25, 1925, of Eugene, Oregon: "John S. Drew, 75, died this morning at the home of his son. Earl M. Drew, 214 Madison street. Mr. Drew came to Oregon 17 years ago, and had been engaged in the building and contracting work in Eugene until about four years ago. He served two years as a member of the water board of Eugene. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church and had been a member of I. O. O. F. Lodge, for the past 25 years.

"Mr. Drew is survived by his son, Earl M. Drew, a daughter, Mrs. A. E. Robinson, of Hardscrabble, N. Y., twin brother, Judd Drew, of Eugene, two other brothers, Henry and Charles, both of Eugene, a sister, Mrs. Juliette Royce, of Eugene.

"Arrangements for the funeral are being made at the Veach chapel and will be announced later."

Mr. Drew was a former resident of St. Regis Falls and still has many friends here who regret to learn of his death.

Miss Gertrude E. Hyde, District Superintendent of Schools, of Mohr, was a visitor at our school Monday.

The people of Brantford voted to incorporate as a village at an election held Tuesday, March 31st. The vote was 78 for and 69 against the proposition.

The joint resolution to amend the state constitution to permit the building of a scenic highway to the summit of Whiteface Mountain passed the legislature last week. The resolution will have to pass the legislature of 1927 before it can be submitted to popular vote.

As the result of constantly brooding over the accidental killing of a child, Herbert Santor, nineteen-year-old resident of Plattsburg, became violently insane and stripped his clothing off and ran naked through the streets of the business section about seven-thirty Sunday morning.

The unfortunate youth raved and fought violently when police and citizens attempted to quiet him and lead him away.

The eight mile stretch of road from Paul Smith's to the state fish hatchery, the only uncompleted part of the state road north and south through the Adirondacks in Franklin county, is to be advertised in May for completion this year. It is said it will be a federal aid road and will skirt Lake Clear, cutting out much of the present mileage between Paul Smith and Lake Clear Junction via Gabriels. The road will be of concrete 18 feet wide, with an overhead crossing over the New York Central tracks at Lake Clear Junction.

Mrs. Maynard Russell, of Norwood, 25 years of age and the mother of seven children, the youngest of which is seven months old, has been pardoned by Governor Smith and released from the woman's prison at Auburn. Mrs. Russell was sentenced to a year for perjury by Judge Padlock at a term of county court in Franklin county and has served three months. The governor gave no reason for the pardon but it is believed to have been because of the seven-month-old baby in prison with the mother.

The Barrenee Lake Institution, Inc. has been incorporated with Walter Nagendorf, Eddy Whitby and F. E. Kendall as directors, to erect a new institution for tuberculous patients on the site of the old Ampersand hotel. The capital stock will consist of 500 shares of preferred stock at \$100 a share and 1,000 shares of common stock at no par value. S. D. Matthews, president of the Ampersand Realty Co., which owns the site, which owns the site, is the prime mover in the project. Plans contemplate a large main building and outlying cottages. An effort will be made to interest state and national (national and benevolent organizations in the project, making the institutions the center of a group of correlated institutions, such as conducted for the benefit of members of a particular organization, thus eliminating duplication of management, medical service and overhead cost in caring for such members.

Within a short time two motor buses, each with a capacity of 30 passengers, and equipped with all the conveniences for the comfort of the public traveling by this kind of conveyance, will be operating out of Plattsburgh on a direct through line via Malone to Syracuse. It is also stated that plans are being made for a trunk line from Plattsburgh to Hinghamton through the acquisition of franchise and bus lines necessary for the through circuit to Hinghamton. While the detailed time schedule of the through trips from Plattsburgh to Syracuse which will start soon, has not been announced, it is stated that the run will be a fast one, entirely satisfactory to the patrons of the line. Predictions are that the through trip will be made in approximately eight or nine hours. The bus drivers will all be put through a course of training and will wear uniforms. It is the intention of the management to have only bus drivers of the highest grade of efficiency and for this reason those who are fully selected to operate the through buses will be required to pass every necessary test for competency and experience in bus driving and drivers will be required to have a thorough knowledge of highway traffic regulations. Another feature which it is said the syndicate is perfecting is the establishment of large gasoline storage tanks to be used to store gasoline for use in their business.

McBRIDE—Born to Dr. and Mrs. A. C. McBride, Esopusburg Falls, Vt., Tuesday, March 24, 1925, a son, Frederick Allen McBride.

High School Notes

Lawrence M. (in physics) "I stood the sine and copper elements in opposite corners of the tumbler."

Florence: "Wasn't it awful the way the French marriage were made by the parents?"

Miss Guernsey: "That's nothing. In India the parents married off their children before they were born."

Marion B. (declining French noun) It's feminine gender.

Elizabeth C. (absentminded) "No!"

Miss Guernsey: "What is it Elizabeth?"

Elizabeth C.: "Oh, I was just thinking of something and it wasn't feminine either!"

Miss Guernsey: "When I was in Calcutta."

Florence: "Why I didn't know you were in China!"

Teaching does not seem over profitable. Prof. Powlesland has found it necessary to refuse stunts on the side. He has started a fine farm under his barn.

Elizabeth: "How do you spell the white of an egg, 'y-o-k' or 'y-o-w'?"

Harold B.: "'Y-o-k', of course."

Arriserial Spray Used to Control Plum Pest.

Spraying with arsenate of lead with a spray sprayer and sticker proved most effective, in tests conducted by the Ohio Experiment Station, to control the plum curculio, a beetle that attacks plums, cherries, apples and other fruits, causing them to fall off or to be gnawed, wormy and worthless for market.

Two to three pounds of arsenate of lead paste is mixed with 2-50 Bordeaux and two pounds of soft soap and applied just after the plums or cherries have bloomed, then again in about two weeks, and if necessary in the latter part of July to destroy young beetles emerging from the ground at that time. The Bordeaux mixture, added to control rots, is made by dissolving two pounds of copper sulphate (blue vitriol) in hot water, adding this solution to the milk of lime obtained by slaking three pounds of quicklime, and then diluting the mixture of these materials with water to make 50 gallons. Where these sprays were applied at the time indicated curculio beetles were completely checked in a single season.

This insect, which is generally distributed throughout eastern United States, smashes from winter quarters and begins feeding on young fruit and leaves in April and May, much depending upon weather conditions. Eggs are laid in a hole cut in the young fruit. These punctures alone lead to deformed, unsalable fruit, and the larva feeding within causes further injury. Often the largest part of the crop of fruit falls because of such attacks, and the insect affects leaves the fruit and complete its life cycle in the ground.

Gathering and destroying fallen fruit and cultivating the orchard frequently in July and early August have also proved helpful methods of keeping the pest in check.

Anthraxosis Serious on Some Bush Fruits.

Sanitization measures and spraying with Bordeaux mixture and ammoniacal copper carbonate are recommended by the Ohio Experiment Station for the control of anthraxosis, one of the most destructive fungous diseases of raspberries, blackberries, dewberries and loganberries. Grayish, circular spots of various size, with purplish margins, characterize the disease on the canes. On the leaves small, pale spots with purple borders appear.

Planting disease-free stock on land that has not grown blackberries or raspberries for at least four years, and that is not near diseased plantations, is the surest method of obtaining healthy plants, the Experiment Station believes. Cutting out old canes and diseased new ones just as soon as the crop is harvested and burning all rubbish about the patch also aids in controlling the fungus.

Spraying with 4-50 Bordeaux mixture, made by adding the milk of lime obtained from slaking four pounds of quicklime to a solution obtained by dissolving four pounds of copper sulphate (blue vitriol) in two gallons of hot water, and then diluting this mixture of the two compounds with water to make 50 gallons, is also recommended to check the anthraxosis. The mixture is applied just before the leaves come out, again when the canes are about six inches high and later just previous to blossoming. To make this spray stick better, and spread farther, about a pound of dissolved soap should be added. When the berries are attacked, they should be sprayed with a mixture of six ounces of copper carbonate dissolved in three pints of ammonia and added to 50 gallons of water, according to the experts.

N. R. Church Notes.

Rev. Joseph Lohb, Pastor. Preaching service Sunday morning at 10:30.

Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

Junior League Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Epworth League meeting at 6:30.

Preaching service Sunday evening at 7:30.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Rev. Albert M. Babcock, Pastor. Sabbath School each Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Preaching service at 7:30 each Sunday evening.

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Objected to Cuts.

Bill—I see a correspondence school is sending out a book showing how to shave oneself.

Bill—Yes, I saw it, but the books wouldn't suit me.

"Why not?"

"Too many cuts in it."

His Choice.

A traveling salesman arrived at home about three in the morning to discover that his wife had given birth to triplets. He was delighted almost beyond control of himself.

"My," he said, "I must go right in and wait for Dooley." Dooley was his next door neighbor and a dog-fancier. He pulled Dooley out of bed, got him to hurry on his clothes, brought him in about half awake, and stood him before the triplets.

"Aren't they dandies?" he asked. Dooley gazed at them in a semi-awakened state and, still rubbing the sleep from his eyes, replied: "Yes; they're all right. I think if I were you I would keep that one in the middle."—Punch.

His Indignant Professor.

The college freshman, who had doubled himself up on a seat in the smoking car, was sound asleep when the train ran off the track.

He was thrown across the back of the seat ahead, and half a dozen men were piled on top of him.

"Oh, I say, fellows," he mumbled angrily, "let up! When you've had a sleep, good and proper, that's enough! Cut it out!"—Chicago Tribune.

Ready to Start.

Clerk—The man who drives the plumbing hosepipe has no idea.

Millionaire—Any one else?

Clerk—Yes, the floor decorations beautiful man, the door fanciful man, the tiling lovely man, the waist-scotching wonderful man and the house beautiful man are all here.

Millionaire—Then notify my wife that the matter requires can be taken up.—Brooklyn Life.

It Has Been Done.

"Now, in order to subtract," explained a teacher to a class of arithmetic. "Things have always been of the same denomination. For instance, we couldn't take three apples from four pears, nor six horses from nine dogs."

A hand went up in the back part of the room. "Teacher," shouted a small boy, "can't you take four quarters of 'em' from three cows?"—Punch.

Forget the Judge.

Two lawyers before a probate judge recently got into a wrangle. At last one of the disputants, losing control over his emotions, exclaimed to his opponent:

"You see, I think, the biggest mistake I ever had the misfortune to set eyes upon."

"Order, Order!" said the judge gravely. "You seem to forget that I am in the room."

He Knew the Kind.

A small boy in Boston, who had unfortunately learned to swear, was rebuked by his father. "Who told you that I swore?" asked the big little boy. "Oh, my big brother," said the father. The boy stood and looked out of the window scowling at some sparrows which were scolding and chattering. Then he had a happy thought. "I know who told you," he said. "It was one of those—sparrows."

Baptist Church Notes.

Rev. Philbert Contole, Pastor. Sunday school at 2:00 o'clock.

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