

LYON MOUNTAIN

Oct. 7.—Miss Thelma Woodward was home over the week end before going to New York hospital to finish her training.

Raymond Lamare, his sister Cecile and Miss Frances Marvin motored to North Creek, N. Y., bringing home Wm. J. Manay to spend the week end with his wife Mrs. Manay.

The Misses Dorothy Riley and Ethel Lamare stopped over Friday night leaving Saturday evening for Potsdam to visit Miss Catherine Riley who is taking a course in music and Miss Lillian Langley at the Normal.

James Dowd was hit and knocked down and rendered unconscious by an automobile Wednesday about 6.00 P. M. and lay there till a Marlow boy found him. The doctor took six stitches in back of head. They have not yet found the auto or the driver.

Who would ever have thought the ore sand would serve as an airport? Saturday about 11 o'clock we were greatly surprised to see an airplane circling around and finally make a perfect landing in the sand.

CHAZY

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Darby, Mrs. Grace McBride and Mr. Winfield Darby were called to Billerica, Mass., last week by the sudden death of their brother, Oscar Darby. Mr. Darby was formerly a Chazy boy, leaving here some thirty years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Childs and Mrs. Heaten spent Sunday at Wilmington. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Folmer, who have been spending the summer with Mrs. Folmer's mother, Mrs. Fairbank, have returned to their home in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Sargent and family and Mrs. Mills of Littleton, N. H., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Niles. We were saddened to hear of the death of Ralph Lapierre, which occurred at the Champlain Valley hospital Sunday. Much sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown and family left last week for their home in Syracuse. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards of Boston, Mass., were recent callers at their uncle's, F. J. Lengfield at Ingraham. Mrs. Edwards is the daughter of Frank Mihill, formerly of Beekmantown.

Mr. W. B. Hall of Syracuse spent Thursday night at Riverside Place. Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Burton and family who have been in camp at Chazy Landing have returned to their home in New York City.

Harold Davenport and bride left Sunday for their new home in Syracuse. The best wishes of their many friends go with them.

ELLENBURG DEPOT

Rally Day was observed in the M. E. church Sunday morning Oct. 6 and a pleasing program was presented by the Sunday School and choir.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert have returned from their trip to Boston and vicinity, where their daughter, Miss Gilberta, is attending school.

Miss Gladys Atkinson of Malone visited friends in town last week. Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Brown and family of Plattsburgh were recent dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lasell.

Miss Josie Chilton of Potsdam Normal and Miss Lida Drown of Plattsburgh Normal, spent the week end at their homes here.

Mrs. Clark of Elizabethtown has been a guest at the M. E. parsonage this past week. Mrs. Ira McKinney and Mrs. Bertha Fitch attended the W. C. T. U. convention at Champlain last Friday and report a very pleasant session.

SARANAC

Among the out of town guests who attended the Golden Wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Allen were: Mr. and Mrs. Everett Spear and two children, Mr. H. W. Spear of Chelsea, Vt., Rev. and Mrs. C. V. Winch and daughter of North Ferrisburg, Vt., Mr. and Mrs. Shep Allen and daughter of DeLand, Florida, Aaron Burt, Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Omsby and son Burt, Mr. and Mrs. Anson Al-

len of Peasleeville, Mr. and Mrs. James Burke, Beekmantown, Miss Bertha Allen, Plattsburgh, Mrs. Sarah Cane, Plattsburgh, Mrs. Sarah Redmond, Mrs. Ida Williams, Miss Williams of Schuyler Falls, Mr. and Mrs. George Mason, Mr. and Mrs. John McCann, Peru, Mrs. Nelson Raymond, Spragueville, N. Y.

Saratoga Valley Grange, No. 978, will hold their regular meeting, Thursday, Oct. 10, at 8 p. m. A good attendance is desired. The "Magic Gavel" is to be here, and we will all be sorry if we miss this meeting. Ladies bring light refreshments.

MOOERS GRANGE Moopers Grange will hold a regular meeting Friday evening, October 11th, at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to make a special effort to be present as County Deputy M. D. Donivan will bring the magic gavel to our Grange for the use of the Master during the meeting. Visitors welcome.

MYRA MULVEY, Secretary.

WILLSBORO

Mrs. Vreeland Baker of New York has been visiting Mr. Baker's parents for the past week. She left with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Baker left Sunday for New York, where they will spend some days at the Hotel Warwick, and proceed with their son to spend the winter at Houston and other points in Texas. They plan to be gone several months, returning via Seattle, Wash., where they will visit their other son, Mr. Vaughn Baker, and their nephews Vernon and Raymond Severance. Mrs. Bert Severance, Mrs. Baker's sister, is spending the winter with her sons in Seattle. Mrs. Fred Fairchild, formerly of Willsboro Point, is in charge of Mr. Baker's home during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Severance are visiting for two weeks their daughters, Mrs. Richard Clough of Newark and Mrs. Charles Nettleship of Maplewood, N. J.

Mrs. Wallace H. Howell, Jr., and daughter Betty, have gone to Springfield, Mass., to visit relatives for a week.

The congregation of the Methodist church were glad to welcome their pastor, Rev. William H. Marshall, to his pulpit last Sunday, after an absence of several weeks. Mr. Marshall will preach at the morning service next Sunday.

The ladies of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. Ralph Calkins at her home on Friday at 2 o'clock. It will be a "work" meeting, and all ladies are invited to attend.

The local schools are closed as the teachers are in conference with the other teachers of Essex Co. this week at Lake Placid.

CHAMPLAIN

Mrs. Levi Atwood is in Plattsburgh caring for her two grand children while Mr. and Mrs. Fred Merrihew are taking an auto trip to Washington, D. C., and other points of interest.

The Misses Clara and Jennie White and Mr. Atwater will soon move to Plattsburgh for the winter.

The politicians are walking around and we are smoking more cigars than usual.

Mrs. A. R. Atwood and Mrs. M. J. Knapp are spending the week in New York attending Eastern Star Convention.

Mrs. James Dickinson, Mrs. Bowron Dickinson and Miss Helen Dickinson of Chazy were callers in town Wednesday afternoon.

A little four year old called on his aunt a few days ago and said "my brother and I had a letter from our mother this morning, and she told us to be good boys and not to quarrel and my brother has quarreled already," and the aunt said "with who?" He said "with me."

David A. C. McDowell who first saw light in Champlain and Mrs. McDowell of Albany who have been spending a few days with their son Dr. Edw. S. McDowell of Plattsburgh spent a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Richardson of Springfield, Mass., are visiting his sister, Mrs. L. E. Atwood, after being called to Chazy to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Alvira Richardson.

M. J. Knapp of Mooers transacted business at the Champlain bank Wednesday. It is understood that Frank R. Jose who has a position at the Sheridan Iron Works, will occupy the north apartment of the Presbyterian duplex home.

Mrs. Carl Abare's house situated near of the Honey Moore Corner burned Tuesday. Some insurance.

LYON - PLATT

The marriage of Mary Benedict Lyon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. B. Lyon of Brooklyn, formerly of Plattsburgh, to Philip Curtis Platt, took place at the First Presbyterian church, Brooklyn Heights recently. The Rev. Morgan Phelps Noyes performed the ceremony in the presence of near relatives and friends.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Miss Lillian Stewart of Long Island was maid of honor, and Robert H. Mathewson of Norwalk, Conn., was best man.

After a honeymoon trip to the south Mr. and Mrs. Platt will reside at 24 Monroe Place, Brooklyn Heights, N. Y.

JOSEPH DURR IS DECORATED WITH D. S. C.

Ceremony Took Place on Parade Ground

MANY PRESENT

Medal Pinned on Ex-Soldier by Colonel John F. Madden, Commanding Officer

The United States army yesterday paid honor to one of its former members with all the solemnity which such an act can bestow upon him. The man was Joseph S. Durr, a patient at the veterans hospital at Saranac Lake and a former resident of 342 East 21st street, New York City.

Ten years ago on August 23, Durr then a corporal, Company "B," 308th Infantry, 77th division, American Expeditionary led a detail of fourteen men to take a small position in the woods north of the American forces near Fismes, France. To that time large groups had failed to take the position. Durr succeeded in reaching his objective and holding it for forty-eight hours until reinforcements arrived. In the advance on the position five of his men were killed and five wounded. The other remaining four were killed holding the position by enemy machine gun and shell fire.

Durr's bravery was just recently brought to the attention of congress with the result that he was awarded the distinguished service cross, one of the highest honors his country can bestow upon him.

With the entire 26th Infantry lined up on the parade ground the medal was pinned on him yesterday afternoon by Colonel John F. Madden, commanding officer at Plattsburgh barracks while photographers and newspaper cameramen took pictures of the event. The ceremony was witnessed by many residents of Saranac Lake and Plattsburgh.

The citation was read by Captain Walter W. Von Grempp, post adjutant following which the decoration was bestowed on the warrior.

Standing beside Colonel Madden, Durr then reviewed the regiment as it marched by led by the 26th Infantry band.

WEST POINT ELEVEN IN FAST GRID DRILL

WEST POINT, N. Y., Oct. 10 (AP)—Full speed scrimmage was the assignment for the army football squad yesterday. The varsity took the defensive most of the time in the fast drill while the scrub squad cut loose with a varied attack. The "B" squad used long and short passes and line plays but seldom made long gains.

BOSTON MALE CHOIR FINE ATTRACTION

The Boston Male Choir, with Miss Mae Korb, soprano, proved a fine opening attraction for the 1929-30 Artist Course of the Plattsburgh Normal School at the Presbyterian Church last evening. This organization has been called the "world's famous organ of men's voices" and well deserved the name.

The solos and ensemble numbers were beautifully rendered and the program was made up of a wonderful variety of numbers which included operatic selections, negro spirituals, and favorite compositions.

Mrs. Korb, a soprano of more than ordinary merit, proved a most valuable foil for the male singers, and won a warm place in the hearts of Plattsburgh music lovers.

Mrs. Millie Parnell of London failed to get a widow's pension because her husband died a day before the limit set by law.

PLANS FOR NEW NORMAL SCHOOL ARE ENDORSED BY COMMITTEES

Dr. A. D. Simpson of State Education Department Presents Second Set of Preliminary Drawings. Building When Completed Will Cost Over Million Dollars—Will Be One of Finest Buildings in State — Work on Foundation to Start Soon

At a joint meeting of the Plattsburgh State Normal School Board of Visitors and the Mayor's committee on State Normal School together with Dr. A. D. Simpson, assistant commissioner of finance, State Department of Education, and W. C. Longley, deputy commissioner of architecture, State Architect's Office, held at the city hall last evening, it was unanimously resolved that the local Board of Visitors and local Normal School Committee endorse and approve the plans for a new State Normal School at Plattsburgh as submitted at this meeting by the Department of Education through Dr. Simpson and Architect Longley.

The meeting opened with Hon. Wallace E. Pierce, chairman of the local Normal School Board introducing Dr. Simpson who as assistant commissioner for finance in the Department of Education presented the second set of preliminary drawings of the new State Normal School at Plattsburgh, showing particularly the first and second floor plans, the location of the new building on the state campus, its size and the general layout of the new grounds around the new school.

Of outstanding interest not only to those present at this meeting but to the public at large is the fact that the new building according to the plans submitted will be 420 feet long facing Beekman and Court streets and 240 feet deep paralleling Brinkerhoff and Cornelia streets. The new building will be twice as large as the old school destroyed by fire last winter.

The new building will center upon Court Street and will set back on the campus about 200 feet west of Beekman street. The rear of the new building as planned will coincide practically with the location of the east wall of the old school. According to the plans the new school building will take care of 500 Normal School students and 500 practice school students, sufficient it is believed to take care of present and future needs.

The cost of the entire building if built of brick will be \$1,360,000; if of local stone \$1,480,000. At the present time plans call for the removal of all roadways but provide for a broad walk from Beekman street to the front entrance facing Court street. A rear carriage way is provided from Cornelia street to the rear of the building. The Normal School Lake will remain in the campus plans. The athletic field or playground will occupy the western area of the campus and will give ample room for baseball, football, tennis, etc.

The first floor will consist of Normal School administration offices, a series of class rooms and social rooms extending along the entire east front of the building. In the center of the building will be an auditorium with a seating capacity of one thousand, this auditorium connecting with the practice school rooms extending along the western side of the school. On the northern side of the first floor will be located the Normal School gymnasium and on the southern side the practice school gymnasium or physical education room. Occupying the space between the Normal gymnasium and the auditorium will be an open court 80 by 100 and a similar court between the practice school gymnasium and the auditorium.

The second floor will be devoted to general class rooms with rooms for special work.

It is so planned that the third floor located over the central section can be arranged for a school cafeteria.

The entire building is arranged with the thought of taking care of two distinct units, the Normal School and the practice school. It is the intention of the Department of Education to provide in the new school the best example that can be found in practice and Normal school construction and arrangement.

Assurance was made by the visiting representatives of the state departments that work on the foundation would begin at an early date. The meeting closed with a unanimous vote of thanks to Dr. Simpson and Mr. Longley for their presentation of the plans and their enthusiastic interest in providing most modern facilities and arrangements for this new school.

In addition to Dr. Simpson and Mr. Longley, those present at the meeting were: Hon. W. E. Pierce, chairman of the Normal School Board of Visitors; John R. Myers of Rouses Point, Mrs. H. T. Kellogg of Valcour and Professor O. A. Wolcott of Keeseville, members of the board; Dr. George Hawkins, principal of the Normal School; Assemblyman C. D. Munsel, Mayor J. H. McGauley and the following members of the Mayor's Committee: Professor G. M. Elmendorf, C. S. Johnson, Charles M. Harrington, Victor F. Boire, Harold A. Jerry, Frank C. Chapman, Frank X. O'Neil, Herbert P. Mason and Secretary F. M. Moore of the Chamber of Commerce.

MEETING OF PARK AND BEACH COMM.

Tentative Budget for Year 1930 Prepared by Finance and Audit Committee

A meeting of the Park and Beach Commission was held at the city hall yesterday afternoon. A tentative budget for the year 1930 was prepared by the finance and audit committee and submitted in the amount of \$5,698.47 which was approved by the Commission. A copy of the budget will be sent to the Common Council for their approval.

The Commission ordered the McDonough monument closed for the year on October 11. John Myers addressed the Commission present and stated that while absent from the duties imposed upon him in connection with the Park and Beach Commission during the summer he had carefully gone over the minutes and the various expenditures and wished to express to the Commission his thanks and congratulations for the able manner in which the various committees had carried on the work.

E. C. Gordon, attorney for the Beshon and Gray properties addressed the Commission in connection with the purchase of the property by the city. The matter was left in the hands of Corporation Counsel V. F. Boire and F. X. O'Neil in conjunction with Mr. Gordon with a view of purchasing the property without condemnation proceedings being involved.

"ONE HUNDRED GIRL SCOUTS" IS A SLOGAN

Adopted by Directors of Young Women's League For New Campaign

"One hundred Girl Scouts in Plattsburgh." This is the slogan that the directors of the Young Women's League are adopting. Girl Scouts—and their subsidiaries—the Brownies are assured of excellent leadership at the Young Women's League this year. Miss Carter regional director for the Hendrick Hudson division of Girl Scouts aroused much enthusiasm at the time of her recent visit to our city. In fact, she impressed the Plattsburgh Rotary club so deeply with the importance of Girl Scout work under supervised leadership that the club financed sending Miss LaRocque to a Girl Scout school of instruction for two weeks.

Miss LaRocque being very apt and efficient originally will now—after her intensive course of training and contact with other leaders—be better qualified to give the Girl Scouts perfect supervision. The directors realize that we owe our children the best we have to give them that they may "carry on" and make the future everything it should be. For that reason, they are bending every effort to foster and promote the Girl Scout idea.

The success of one Girl Scout camp—known as Camp Good Fun at Point au Roche last summer is quite apparent. The girls who attended are impatiently waiting for next summer so that they may have more good fun and those who did not attend are planning to register early and be assured of a pleasant and profitable stay in camp. The Camp Fire Girls are fortunate to have a woman who has had a great deal of experience in leadership as their leader—Mrs. A. S. Schneider. Mrs. Schneider gave her time and energy in full measure last year and has graciously consented to do so again this year. The Girl Scout motto is "Be Prepared." The directors hope and expect to be prepared to give our women and girls all the advantages that an efficient Girls Club and its attending opportunities can give.

With this incentive they hope to receive the hearty support of the entire community during the coming drive for membership and funds which takes place Oct. 16 and 17.

TODAY FIRST DAY FOR REGISTRATION

Today will be the first for registration in the ten election districts of Plattsburgh. Saturday will be the second day and October 18 and 19 will be the last two days.

The polls will be opened from 10 A. M. to 10 P. M. on October 11, 12 and 18 and from 7 A. M. to 10 P. M. on October 19.

Keen interest is felt in the city and county tickets and it is expected that the enrollment this year will be heavy.

BANKS TO BE CLOSED ON COLUMBUS DAY

Announcement is made that the three banks of Plattsburgh will be closed on Columbus day, which occurs on Saturday of this week.

Personal Mention TO FEATURE CITY BEACH IN BOOKLET

Mrs. Walter Scott is visiting relatives in Hudson, N. Y. Albert E. Lynch and son Bailey Lynch of Cambridge, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Oliver. Walter Whitcomb of Batavia, N. Y., has returned home after visiting friends at 100 So. Catherine St. Mrs. E. A. Manogue has returned to her home in Ossining after three months with Mrs. Margaret Geary and visiting relatives and friends.

Hon. Bertrand Snell returned to Potsdam yesterday after being the guest-speaker at the meeting of the Discussion Club held here Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rooney and daughter of Dannemora were recent visitors in Plattsburgh. Mrs. E. J. Sweeney of this city has been the recent guest of friends and relatives at Ausable Forks.

John E. Duprey of Chazy was a caller in town yesterday morning. W. A. Paquet, clerk of the town of Champlain, had business at the County Clerk's office yesterday morning.

First Sergt. and Mrs. John Boxdorfer have returned to their home at Plattsburgh Barracks after spending several days in Gouverneur, N. Y., and a few days fishing at Black Lake, N. Y.

Mrs. Anna Travis left yesterday for New York city to visit her daughter, Mary, and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Monette and Miss Giddon of Mooers were business callers in town yesterday.

Mrs. E. C. Langdon and daughter Dorothy are on an extended motor trip, visiting friends in Cleveland, O., and St. Louis, Mo. They expect to return about November first.

The Misses Straight of Valcour leave Monday for Orlando, Fla., to spend the winter. Mrs. Alice C. Walworth of Rugar street and her niece, Mrs. John B. Bromley of Ithaca, N. Y., who is visiting Mrs. Walworth, have left Plattsburgh on a two weeks motor trip through the Dominion of Canada.

Walter Parker of this city motored to Malone last evening on business. Miss Mary E. Dudley of New York City who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Clark of Brinkerhoff street, this city, for the past two weeks has gone to Saranac Lake where she will visit friends and relatives before returning to the metropolis.

Mrs. Jennie M. Angell of this city has returned home after spending several months visiting relatives in Massachusetts and Connecticut.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross P. Lobdell and Mr. and Mrs. Fuller Austin spent a few days in Montreal last week. Garrett L. Wolff and sister Miss Harriett Wolff of Jersey City are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Clark of this city.

FORMER RESIDENT DROWNING VICTIM

Word was received in this city yesterday of the death of Albert St. Johns, 28 years old, a former resident who drowned in the river at Sonyea, N. Y.

St. Johns had been an inmate of the Craig Colony hospital at Sonyea for the past six years. On Monday he was reported missing from the institution and yesterday a telegram was received that his body had been recovered in the river.

He is survived by three brothers, Francis St. Johns of Plattsburgh, and George and William St. Johns. The burial will take place at Sonyea.

THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE for THE SAVINGS BANK

The principle of the Mutual Savings Bank amounts to this: A number of persons with small savings combine so that they may procure the services of men skilled in investment, to handle their money, and provide for a steadily increasing surplus fund to guard against loss.

There is no capital stock on which dividends have to be paid. There are no private stockholders to control the Bank's policy.

THE OLD Burlington Savings Bank Burlington, Vermont