

BURKE DEPARTMENT

The News of Our Enterprising Neighboring Town as Gathered By Our Hustling Correspondent.

Our village school reopened again on Tuesday after the holidays. The week of prayer is being observed at the M. E. church this week.

Sellar Bros. have recently installed a new radio in their home.

Our town taxes are now due. Collector Gordon Crawford is to receive them all this month at one percent.

The second T. B. test of cattle is being taken now in the town of Burke.

Word was received here Tuesday evening of the death of Walter E. Johnson, a prominent Saranac Lake business man, who passed away at his home on Monday, the cause of his death was attributed to intestinal conditions which developed Saturday night. Mr. Johnson was born in Burke 55 years ago where he resided several years and had many friends here who will be deeply grieved to learn of his unexpected death.

The many friends of Mrs. Margaret Dougherty in this vicinity regret to learn of her death which occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Minnie Marsh at North Burke on Tuesday morning. She leaves surviving five daughters, Mrs. Minnie Marsh, of North Burke, Mrs. William Cairns, of Huntington, Mrs. James Hayes, of Athelstan, Mrs. Matilda Wood, of Malone, Mrs. Chalmer Mastin, of Buffalo, and one son, Charles Dougherty, of Malone. The funeral was held on Thursday afternoon at North Burke.

Another snow removal dance will be held in Williams Hall on Friday evening, Jan. 6th, with music by Johnson's 6-piece orchestra. Come out and help in this project of keeping the highways open for traffic during the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Spencer and son Glenn, of Malone, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mason.

Burke Grange will hold a card party in their room on Monday evening, January 9th, to which the public is invited. Refreshments will be served.

Miss Lillian Wood, who teaches in Long Island, spent her vacation at her home. She entertained a party of young people at her home last Wednesday evening which proved one of the pleasant events of the holiday season.

Clarence Wright, who is home from Johnstown, N. Y., has been confined to the house with an attack of jaundice.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hayes, of Saranac Lake, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Dechambeau last week.

Miss Mary Gleich, of Malone, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Smith Thayer.

The residents of our town responded liberally to a call for help for the flood sufferers of Montpelier, Vt. One very large box of clothing and bedding was packed by the committee in charge, while two smaller boxes of toys and children's apparel were sent. Friends from both Belmont and Malone added gifts to the collection, and even children yielded their toys to the poor and needy. It was all sent in time for Christmas, which helped to gladden the hearts of many. Mrs. A. C. Morse received a letter of gratitude from the friend to whom they shipped the goods. She wished to extend thanks to all who contributed and said that through our efforts a Christmas tree was made possible for kiddies, which otherwise would have had to go without, and that over 150 children had been made happy by what was done by our little "town of Burke." She also mentioned clothing old people who had been left almost destitute of any warm clothing for winter. We should feel glad accordingly that we have done our bit.

Winter of 1928 Will Be Very Moderate

Here we are riding right into 1928 with a fine 1927 start. The fall of 1927 will go down in history for breaking high temperature records for years and years in the past. The famous 'Old Grandfathers' chart with its 41 year old record said the Fall of 1927 would be long and late, and that winter would not be anything to stew about. And when it is all over you will say the Old chart is O. K. The old chart said October would be exceptionally fine. It was and that November would be wringing wet. And it was only too true for we were all flooded out in November. The same chart said December would be a better month than November. It was. Now the old chart says January and February will not be severe. It also indicates that our ruling winds will be 75 percent of the time out of the southwest. And that means that the months of January, February and March will be ruled from this quarter.

The first week of January will be the worst of the entire month. Our cold periods will be very brief, very short. The ground hog will see his shadow, side by side. March will come in like a lamb and go out like a lion. St. Patrick's day will be fine and sunny. Easter will be a grand day for showing up the latest hats and Easter suits.

But spring will be late. Late planting and the entire winter in fact will be ruled by southwest winds 75 percent of the time for on December 21st, 22nd and 23rd, we were ruled by a direct southwest wind. Watch it, it won't fool you. It will be true. It said fall would be long late, mild and rather pleasant. The railroads, bus lines and all highways won't have much trouble with blockades. All the outdoor signals stand out before us as plain a day. The iceman will have some trouble getting his crop in. The coal man won't sell so much coal. The merchant with his big heavy overcoats and fur coats will try to unload in January and you will buy them for a song. But be careful what you sing. Don't start with (Sweet Adeline) or the bargain will be off.

If we had all the snow that King of Oswego and that guy down in Washington said we would have, we would be buried with it. The old chart said the coal or snow shovel would not be overworked in December and it wasn't. We had only one storm worth mentioning and that was the sleet and snow storm of December 16th. Now snow remains on unfrozen ground. That's one of our great grandfathers' whims and it is only too true. Don't order too much coal, wait awhile. Don't buy that heavy overcoat now. Buy your auto plates as you can use your car all winter. But the 24-hour man don't know this yet. And isn't that too bad to think that he is so slow. The squirrels, angle worms, robins, caterpillars, crows, woodpeckers, field mice are seen daily in many places. They haven't a word to say. But their presence tells the story.

Then the old famous chart says, 'Well' read on, and read on, and here is what it forecasts all in a nutshell. Long late fall, dry October, wet November, pleasant December. Very mild January, February and March. Ground hog will see his shadow. March will come in like a lamb, go out like a lion. Easter will be fine, spring will be late. April and May wet and cold. First half of June cool and wet, last half fair and warm.

Don't buy any extra snow shovels. You won't need them. The iceman will have a hard time getting in his crop, for the weather will be too mild, and not enough steady freezing weather. Watch it. The old chart won't fool you. The old chart tells the story, not myself. Without the chart I would be helpless. I again challenge anyone in this state or any other state to show a chart the equal of this one for age and accuracy. The chart is now 41 years old and is the most accurate chart in this state or any other state that I know of. Hang this under the old clock and watch it. It will be true. It won't miss. It never misleads. Just remember that it says moderate winter. Wishing you all a Happy New Year. I remain yours FRANK DOE.

Owner of the famous 41 year old long distance weather forecasting chart. Without a peer.

Our ruling wind quarter will be mate to it. We will have mild southwest with northwest running weather with sudden short cold changes.

FOR SALE—A grade Holstein yearling bull. Lloyd Silver, Chorusco. 2w3.

Deputy U. S. Marshal Weds At Burke Last Saturday

Alfred A. Edwards, for many years a sheriff of Franklin county and of recent years one of the most popular of federal officials in his capacity of deputy United States marshal, who during his career has taken hundreds of prisoners, was himself taken prisoner Saturday afternoon by Dan Cupid. Marshal Edwards was united in marriage at 5 New Years Eve to Mrs. Marguerite Richardson Little, of Brooklyn, by Rev. Isaac Steenson, of Chateaugay. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's daughter, Mrs. Arlington R. Reynolds, of Burke, the daughter acting as matron of honor while a son, Douglas R. Little, was best man.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple departed on a week's trip. They will reside in Malone.

The bride is the daughter of the late Dr. John E. Richardson, prominent Brooklyn physician and she has many acquaintances in this vicinity. Mr. Edwards has long been a prominent citizen of this county. He served two terms as sheriff and at the expiration was appointed deputy marshal.

TOWN LOCKUP—CHATEAUGAY Town of Chateaugay Franklin County.

Inspected November 21, 1927. James Hyland, mayor; T. J. Fitzpatrick, village clerk.

This lockup is located in the town hall, a two-story brick structure used as post office and opera house. It contains two latticed steel cells with toilet and water but no lavatory. It is heated by steam. The place was neat and clean and showed that it was given considerable attention. The arrests are very few and when a prisoner is locked up, supervision is maintained. Water proof mattresses are used together with the regulation blankets.

The village has recently constructed a new fireproof fire house which is a two-story brick and concrete structure. James Hyland, the mayor, stated that it is the intention of the authorities to move the lockup to the new building, in the rear of the building, on the ground floor. This will be done in the near future. Before this move is made, it will be necessary to have the plans approved by the Commission of Correction. Respectfully submitted, Delbert A. Bennett, Commissioner.

Reading, Eng., has a rest room for tramps, where tea is served and reading matter furnished.

A Former Resident Dies In San Francisco

In a recent issue of The Record mention was made of the death of William F. Bradshaw, which occurred in San Francisco. A Tonopah, Nev., newspaper just received gives additional particulars of the death of this popular citizen, who was a native of Chateaugay, as follows:

William F. Bradshaw, aged 55, better known as "Billy" the most popular mine foreman who ever checked a shift in the mines of Tonopah passed into rest yesterday morning in San Francisco, according to a telegram received by his brother-in-law Timothy J. Carey. No information of the last illness was contained in the message which simply stated the funeral and burial would be in San Francisco.

"Billy" was a member of Tonopah Elks P. B. O. E., and every member of that organization will recall his constant smile, and hearty grip in greeting visitors or former residents enjoying a home-coming to the desert. Coming from Colorado with the rush from Cripple Creek he found employment at the Clermont mine in Goldfield and on changing to Tonopah was welcomed at the Belmont by Fred Bradshaw, then general superintendent who gave him a job under Tom Fitzgerald. When Fitzgerald retired Billy was advanced to the position of foreman under L. R. Robins and his winning personality endeared him to all with whom he came in contact. His men would do more for him than any other boss in that property. He remained with the Belmont until the labor troubles when he left for California. His health had begun to show signs of impairment before he decided to quit the desert and the genial climate of California proved more welcome than the blazing air of this altitude. His popularity was emphasized when his friends insisted on nominating him for the office of constable against Jack Grant polling the heaviest vote ever registered by a defeated candidate.

According to the recollection of the few old associates remaining in camp "Billy" was born in Chateaugay, N. Y. He is survived by a widow and daughter.

William Schmitt, of Geneva, killed his brother, whose snoring had interfered with his sleep.

The wife of Rev. L. C. Banks, of Barnstable, Eng., had him arrested because he beat her and made her eat stale bread crusts.

Mme. Marie Lveilas, of Brussels, was forced to run a mail for aid after bandits had torn off all her clothing.



SEE THE NEW ZIPPERS

They harmonize with fall and winter costumes

WHO cares for rain or snow, when new Zippers are so graceful, so smart, so colorful! Striped tops are seen among the new models now ready for you. Fabrics include all wool tweed, wooljersey, cotton jersey. There are warm kee linings, ecru net linings, and harmonized rayon linings. Truly—a Zipper style and color for every costume. Never before has it been so important to have genuine Zippers, correct in style, color, and design. We sell them here—equipped with the real HOOKLESS FASTENER, used only by Goodrich.



PEAKE & COMPANY

Tax Collector's Notice

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned collector of taxes for the town of Ellenburg, State of New York, have received the tax roll for the collection of taxes for the current year and that I will receive taxes at one per cent for the next thirty days and will be present at the places and dates mentioned below. After the expiration of the said thirty days five per cent will be charged.

- Dated January 2nd, 1928. JOHN J. RUBADO, Collector. L. P. Rubado, Ellenburg Depot, N. Y., Jan. 4th, 1928. Geo. W. Gilbert, Ellenburg Depot, N. Y., Jan. 6th, 1928. Geo. T. Chilton, Ellenburg Depot, N. Y., Jan. 10th, 1928. F. L. Myers & Son, Ellenburg Depot, N. Y., Jan. 13th, 1928. Oliver Young, Merrill, N. Y., Jan. 17th, 1928. George Leclair, Ellenburg Depot, N. Y., Jan. 20th, 1928. Geo. W. Soper, Ellenburg Depot, N. Y., Jan. 24th, 1928. Mrs. John Labare, Star, N. Y., Jan. 27th, 1928. Elmer E. Lord, Ellenburg, N. Y., Jan. 31st, 1928. At all other dates during the 30 days I will be at the store of Rubado Bros. Ellenburg Center, N. Y.

TAX COLLECTOR'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned collector of taxes in and for the town of Chateaugay, have received the warrant for the collection of said taxes for the current year, and that for 30 days from the date hereof I will be at Duffy Bros. dry goods store in the village of Chateaugay, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. for the purpose of receiving payment of such taxes at a fee of one per cent. At the expiration of 30 days the fee will be five per cent. Dated January 2nd, 1928. C. L. SANCOMB, Collector.

NOTICE TO PRESENT ACCOUNTS

All persons having claims against Margaret Gunn are requested to present the same, duly verified to the undersigned on or before February 3, 1928. Margaret Gunn. Dated January 2, 1928. 2w6

Notice To Taxpayers of The Town of Clinton

Notice is hereby given that on this date January 2, 1928, I received the tax warrant for the collection of taxes for the Town of Clinton. For the next 30 days I will collect taxes at the rate of one percent, after that five percent will be charged. I will be at the different places to collect as listed below: John Gagnier's store, January 5th. P. W. Franklin's Store, January 10th. L. W. Recore & Son, January 12th. P. W. Franklin's store, January 17th. Humphrey & Patnode's Store, January 19th. J. C. O'Neil's Store, Frontier, January 23rd. Gilbert Silver's Store, January 26th. P. W. Franklin's Store, January 27th. Dated January 2, 1928. MRS. M. J. RYAN, Collector.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the plowing of roads throughout the town is strictly forbidden, and parties engaged in this unauthorized labor will be prosecuted. Authority for this work will be given by the undersigned. F. W. HILL, Town Supt. of Highways.

NOTICE

I have installed a new machine for custom grinding of early oats and all grains at 15 cents per hundred, and solicit a share of the public patronage. A. R. dams, phone 14F2, Ellenburg.

NOTICE TO SETTLE

I wish to inform all those who have been owing me accounts for the past few years that they call and make settlement January 16th. After that date no account will be placed on an attorney's hands for collection. P. W. Franklin, 2w2

SALESMAN WANTED

Excellent opportunity. Say of commission. The Jed Oil Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

Ideal Theatre

Management contracts for Paramount service. And you know what that means. Such stars as Thomas Meighan, Richard Dix, Babe Daniels, Harold Lloyd, Eddie Cantor, Douglas McLean, and the celebrated comedy team Berry and Hatten.

THIS THURSDAY Another high class western from Buck Jones "DESERT VALLEY" Buck is the best western athletic in the business.

FRIDAY Serial Night Silent Flier No. 6. 2-reel comedy "Snookums Outing." 2-reel western "Trail of Trickery." one-reel comedy "Sweetheart Daze."

SATURDAY Hoot Gibson in "THE SILENT RIDER" Hoot is always good.

SUNDAY Paramount famous Lasky Corp. presents Thomas Meighan in "THE CANADIAN"

MONDAY Silver Night A Fox feature "MARRIED ALIVE"

TUESDAY Western Night "HILLS OF PERIL"

WEDNESDAY No pictures.

THURSDAY Special feature night "THE GREAT MAIL ROBBERY" Read this folks. The Exhibitors Herald report: Special cast, melodrama, thrilling spectacular and done on a big scale.—Grand Theatre, Rainier, Ore.

Cream Wanted!

Will buy and pay for weekly hand separated cream in any quantities. Shipments may be made by express and cans will be washed and returned.

Highest market prices paid. N. J. WILSON, Chateaugay, N. Y.