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S. L. P. CRANDALL DIES SUDDENLY

Shook to Andover People Saturday at Announcement of Death of the Wife of One of Our Merchants.

At her home in Andover, Saturday afternoon, Mrs. Jennie Crandall, wife of one of Andover's merchants, L. P. Crandall, died. It is estimated that in more than three thousand churches from Rochester to Manhattan prohibition was advocated in either partial or complete form.

Mrs. Crandall was of an affectionate disposition, bright and cheerful in her ways, so that the death of her husband was a great shock to her. She was a member of the Andover Methodist Church, and in her domestic work she had been a help to her husband for a number of years. She was a Past Grand of Andover Lodge No. 303, and a member of the Allegany County Grands Assembly.

Mrs. Jennie Perry Crandall was born in Kansas, on August 16, 1864, and was brought by her parents to Andover, a babe in arms, the same year, where her entire childhood was passed. On February 26, 1891 she was united in marriage to L. P. Crandall of Andover. She played as a child, developed into girlhood, she married and helped to establish a home of her own, here her daughter was born and her life was spent, her battles fought, her faithful service rendered, and in this dearest place she at last has laid down her weary head. Beautifully appropriate such a resting place for her kindred sleep and her friends may gather around with honest tears of bereavement.

Besides her husband Mrs. Crandall leaves an only daughter, Miss Lillian Crandall, an aged mother, Homer Perry, three brothers, Charles Perry, of W. Va.; George Earl Perry, of Andover; and two sisters, Mrs. Nora Crance, Mrs. Mildred Coats, of Andover; and Mrs. Grace Ormsby, of Andover; also a half-brother, John Perry. Funeral services were held at residence on Baker Street, Saturday afternoon, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Charles Collins, of the Methodist Church. The remains of the Andover Rebekah were interred in a body in Hillside cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

To the kind friends who came to the hour of our trouble and tribulation, all that human kindness could suggest, to help and comfort, and to the fraternal organizations for the beautiful floral returns, most heartfelt thanks.

L. P. CRANDALL
SHIRLEY F. CRANDALL

FURGESON-HALL

Mr. William Furgeson, of Hornell, and Miss Ellen Hall, of Andover, were united in marriage by the Rev. Charles Collins, at the Methodist parsonage, in this village, Wednesday, Feb. 21st. The ring ceremony was used and Mrs. Raphael Cook gave the bride away.

A unique feature of the wedding was that the bride wore a veil that was worn by her grandmother at the time of her marriage in 1838.

Their many friends join the news in congratulations and best wishes.

DEADLY MON-OXIDE WAS NEARLY FATAL

Mel Hartrum, Cheesemaker for the Whitesville Dairy Company Found Unconscious—Motorists Should Beware of Deadly Gas.

Discovered, apparently asleep in the front seat of his "Olds" in D. C. Chapin's garage in Park Avenue, yesterday afternoon by Mrs. Chapin, Mel Hartrum, the popular cheesemaker for the Whitesville Dairy Co., was found to be nearly asphyxiated by the fumes of the deadly mon-oxide gas being generated in the closed building by the engine of the car which he had been running to warm up.

The garage is a small building and is very well built so that with the doors closed, there was very little chance for fresh air to get in. It has been Mr. Hartrum's custom to operate the motor occasionally during the winter and while the motor was running he had apparently prepared to do some work on the car as the jack and tools lay about the car.

It seems Mrs. Chapin noticed he was remaining longer than usual and stepped to the door, looked in and discovered Mr. Hartrum leaning over in the seat apparently asleep. Upon trying to arouse him she had much difficulty and soon decided something was wrong and summoned Ray Livermore and Henry Richmond, who carried the unconscious man into the Chapin home and summoned Dr. L. G. Probasco who administered restoratives and at last report it was thought Mr. Hartrum would be about again in a few days.—Whitesville News.

AUDITORIUM, SATURDAY EVENING

Louise Huff makes her first appearance as a featured player in the production of "Destiny's Toy," which is to be shown at the Auditorium, Saturday evening. This is Miss Huff's second famous Players role however, as she appeared in that company's adaptation of Denman Thompson's "The Old Homestead." In this production Miss Huff has an exceptionally strong supporting cast including J. W. Johnson, John Bowers and Harry Lee. The major portion of the action was staged on Block Island, the picturesque scenery of which makes it an admirable location for that part of the story which has to do with the life of Nan Carter, the role played by Louise Huff, after she had been rescued from ship-

LET'S HAVE A REAL FOOD INVESTIGATION

The Chicago Herald Comes Out With the Following Demand, Which All Will Heartily Sanction and Bid God Speed.

The Federal Trade Commission is about to start an investigation of the rise in food prices. It will ask the President to approve an appropriation of \$400,000 for that purpose. It proposes to cover every side of the food situation.

Good! Let us hope at last we are going to have a real investigation. The country has confidence in the Federal Trade Commission. Now let's have the facts. Let's go to the bottom—the fundamentals—and really learn all that can be learned about the subject.

The problem is legal and economic. The question of whether there are combinations in restraint of trade must be decided. That has heretofore attracted the main attention. Now it's time to go more into the economic part—and go into it thoroughly. Are the people being compelled to pay too much for what they buy? Nobody can answer that until he can say with reasonable approximation what it costs to produce those things.

In some fields the trade commission will find plenty of data. The packers, for instance, can tell it exactly what it costs them to turn out their products. Government attention has encouraged accurate cost accounting in their case. But these fields are limited. In the biggest fields of all the work will have to be done from the ground up. There isn't a farmer in Illinois who knows what it costs him to put his product on the market to-day. There isn't one manufacturer in ten who has an accurate idea of what it costs him to run his business.

Let the trade commission start literally "from the ground up." Let it start with the farmer, and find what production of everything, from eggs to wheat and cattle, means in terms of money and labor expenditure. He doesn't know, and nobody else knows. Then let it follow the product of consumption. Many people assume high prices don't start until they reach some large organization. From the economic standpoint they are just as liable to start at the beginning as anywhere else. Prices cannot be permanently below the cost of production under any circumstances.

The country is in the mood for an investigation that will be long and deep and thorough. It is tired of these continued flurries about high prices that get nothing except possibly politician into Congress or some other job or into the newspapers. It has had its fill of half-baked remedies that spring from attention to only one-half of the great problem. Let's have an investigation that will enable the country to see it steadily and see it whole. It would be cheap at \$400,000 or \$1,000,000.

wreck by Barnacle Joe and has been adopted by the kindly old fisherman.

GRANGE NOTICE

The Granges will meet Saturday evening, at 7:15, at the Methodist Church, and go in a body to attend the tabernacle meetings. After the meetings refreshments will be served at the church. All Grangers are welcome to both meeting and refreshments. Out of town guests at the meetings not Grangers will also be welcome to the refreshments.

ODD FELLOWS AND REBEKAHS ATTENTION

Members of I. O. O. F. and Rebekah Lodges are requested to be at their hall at seven o'clock, Friday evening, to attend services in a body at the tabernacle. All members of both societies are urged to be present.

ABOUT FORTY HAVE HIT SAWDUST TRAIL

Thirty-seven Grasp Evangelist's Hand at First Invitation. Collections are Weak, Only \$123 Raised. Must Raise \$350.

The meetings at the Miller tabernacle on Greenwood Street continue to be of interest to many Andover people. Both attendance and interest in the meetings are growing.

At this writing, Thursday, about forty have "hit the sawdust trail," thirty-seven of whom went forward at the Tuesday evening meeting, the first time the evangelist gave the opportunity. Many of them were children from the schools.

Much of the manifest interest, however, must be curiosity rather than genuine interest as "where your treasure is there will your heart be also," and the tabernacle collections are proportionately way below the attendance. Only \$123.00 of the \$350.00 necessary to meet the expense budget has been received up to this writing and the meetings are now two weeks old.

Mr. Miller's Sunday afternoon address was a masterpiece. The old paper tabernacle was well filled with men and boys from all walks and stations of life, and there was not one of the number who would depreciate the truths so plainly told them. The facts so nicely told by Mr. Miller Sunday afternoon to the men of Andover should be given at least once every year in such a meeting in every community. That the men appreciated the lecture on "Perfect Manhood" was attested by the offering given, \$20.69, the largest yet.

Next Sunday afternoon Mr. Miller will continue his "Men Only" topics, the subject "The Cat Came Back."

The audience Sunday evening was the largest yet. Fully seven hundred people listened to the evangelist.

Tuesday evening the children from the public schools attended in a body.

To-night the Odd Fellows, their wives and auxiliary society the Rebekahs, will attend.

Saturday night is Grange night.

MRS. DELILAH COCHRANE

Mary Delilah McGraw was born in Greenwood, Steuben County, N. Y., Dec. 23, 1858, and died, after a lingering illness of heart trouble, Feb. 9, at her late home on First Street, Andover, N. Y.

She was united in marriage to John Cochrane Nov. 1, 1899. Mrs. Cochrane was converted in youth and united with the Methodist Episcopal Church of Andover, of which she remained a faithful member until called to the church triumphant. She had been in ill health for many years, and for the past two months she had been a great sufferer, but she bore it all meekly and patiently, never losing sight of her hope in Christ, her Saviour. She was richly rewarded in the closing days of her life by assurances of the Saviour's presence, and left every possible evidence of a triumphant entrance into eternal glory. She leaves to mourn her loss her husband, John Cochrane, and one sister, Mrs. DeEtta Bullard, and also a large circle of friends.

Funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. Chas. Collins, at the house, Monday afternoon, at 1:30, and the remains interred in Hillside Cemetery.

Those from out of town attending the funeral were Clarence Cochrane, Wellsville; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nichols and son, Leon, Cuba; Miss Margaret Cochrane, Rochester, N. Y.; Miss Ruth Cochrane, Darien, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGraw, Whitesville; and Edward Caple, Hornell.

THE ONLY SORT OF "LUCK" THAT IS WORTH ANYTHING IS THE SORT WHICH YOU CAN ACHIEVE. NOT THAT WHICH "HAPPENS" WITHOUT YOUR INITIATIVE. THOSE WHO WATCH AND ANSWER THE WANT ADS REGULATE THEIR OWN LUCK.

O'DONNELL FOUNDRY FIRE

Hook & Ladder Co. Called Out While Enjoying Dance

The second fire came to Andover Monday evening, while the members of the Andover Hook & Ladder Company and their guests were enjoying their Seventh Annual Dance.

While the firemen were loathe to leave their pleasure they responded promptly, at the call when it became known that the old O'Donnell foundry building was in flames, even tho they were all logged up in their Sunday-go-to-meetings.

The building is owned by Jesse O'Donnell, of Hornell, and has been unoccupied for many years.

When the firemen reached the scene they found the water pressure better than it was at the Calhoun fire last week, but it soon dwindled down until it was almost impossible to get water on top of the roof. In fact had not the firemen forced the stream by putting their hands over part of the orifice of the nozzle it would not have reached the fire in many places. However even with this handicap they succeeded in saving the upright of the building.

It is believed that either tramps had gone there to roost for the night or young men had congregated there for a quiet game and—accidentally left fire.

PAULINE FREDERICK

In a Special Production at the Auditorium, Monday Evening. No Show Wednesday

The adaptation of the book by E. Phillips Oppenheim, "The World's Great Snare," results in a stirring story, one that steadily holds the attention throughout.

Miss Frederick's role is one containing wide sweep of emotion—from the depth of despair to the heights of great happiness. There has been struggle in the beginning to effect the change from the old order; there is a greater one in the after part of the story—the renunciation of self.

The player invests her characterization with a force that makes for illusion; that drives in the story. She alienates no sympathy; she consolidates it. There is excellent support, too, and the whole bulks well because of its story-telling quality.

There will be a Bray Cartoon and a Travel Picture also Monday night, with no extra charge, 5 and 10c. No show Wednesday.

ANDOVER GRANGE

The next meeting of Andover Grange will be held February 28th, and the following program has been arranged.

Singing from Grange Melodies.

Reports of resolutions adopted at State Grange by C. A. Robinson.

Duet by Hope Straight and Ruth Robinson.

Farm Topics, "Selecting and Planting and the Cultivation of Potatoes," by Harry Smith.

Home Economics to be discussed by the ladies.

Music, Bakers Trio.

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3,000 PASTORS AID IN LIQUOR FIGHT

Pulpits of All Religions in State Ring With Prohibition Pleas—Rabbi Wise Says Rum is Race Poison.

For the first time in the history of New York, churches representing every important religious denomination in the state joined yesterday in a "concerted discussion," which was, in effect, an attack on the sale of intoxicating liquor. It is estimated that in more than three thousand churches from Rochester to Manhattan prohibition was advocated in either partial or complete form.

The call for the discussion was sent out two weeks ago to every clergyman in the state. It bore the signatures of more than three hundred preachers in New York City and vicinity, among whom appeared the names of many Catholics, Jews and Episcopalians. Forty nationalities and ten languages were represented.

Started by the Anti-Saloon League, the movement had the support it was declared of every temperance organization in the state. Its direct purpose was to arouse support for two measures now before the Assembly. One of these is a constitutional amendment barring the sale of intoxicants; the other a bill which would give a petition form of local option to small towns and individual wards of the largest cities.

Free Synagogue Meeting

Among the more important meetings in the city was that at the Free Synagogue, at Carnegie Hall where Rabbi Stephen S. Wise discussed the drink evil from the standpoint of the Jews. This standpoint, he declared, was not and could not be peculiar to the Jews.

"It is an American problem, and the attitude of the Jew must be the American attitude," said Rabbi Wise. "Alcohol must go. It is a blessing only for the idle rich—for the extinction of their kind and as a means to make their perpetuation impossible. Rum is a race poison. It poisons generations; it poisons the child before it is born. Industrial efficiency, domestic happiness, national security—all are incompatible with that demon alcohol.

"The Jew has been temperate, but he has been cold to prohibition. The tender and precious memories which wine plays in the religious life in his home and synagogue account for this passive attitude. But no fundamental rights of life and liberty are endangered by prohibition, and the Jewish attitude must become one of active opposition to alcohol. Always a moral pioneer, the Jew must not in this case be a moral laggard. Not to prohibit the use of liquor is to sanction it."

At the Central branch of the Brooklyn Y. M. C. A. Wayne B. Wheeler, general counsel for the Anti-Saloon League of America, who led the legal fight which resulted in the recent Supreme

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