VOLUNTOWN PASTOR

Unable to Conduct Sunday Service for the First Time in 26 Years.

Robertson Dewhurst of New Haven and Theodore Dewhurst of Stonington visited at their home in Voluntown over Sunday.

After an illness of seven weeks the Rev. Mr. Dewhurst was confined to the house for Sunday, the only time in nearly 26 years of his pastorate of the Baptist church, and only the third time in a ministry of more than 56 years, on which he gave up the Sunday service because of sickness.

In the absence of the pastor, Robertson Dewhurst conducted the meeting, reading a sermon entitled Children in the Market Place, from Fundamentals of Rev. Frederic E. Dewhurst's, which was very satisfactory to the congregation assembled. Rev. Mr. Dewhurst, who has been under the care of a doctor, is slowly recovering from his serious illness.

Sold Fish Out of Season.

Accused of violation of the pure food law in selling fish out of season, Louis Saslafski of 51 Oak street, New Haven, and Theodore Quinto of 18 Rose street were arrested on warrants issued by the city attorney.

Complaints had been made to the city attorney that these men, who are itinerant fish venders, had been selling certain kinds of fish unfit to eat at this season. They were released on nominal bonds.

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WILLIMANTIC.

Third Annual Concert and Ball of Co. L—Governor and Mrs. George L. Lilley the Honor Guests—Members of Governor's Staff in Atendance.

The third annual concert and ball given by Company L, First infantry, C. N. G., in town hall Monday evening, was the greatest social achievement of the season and far surpassed all previous standards set by the military men in their social affairs.

Town hall was elaborately decorated and the natural beauty of the hall was enhanced by artistic arrangement of the national colors and window setting of red with large white letters, C. N. G., at the top and in the center of each window.

Across the proscenium arch was an electric sign in red lights, Co. L., C. N. G. The stage was prettily banked with potted plants and laurel and white roses materially contributed to the artistic effect.

To the right and left of the stage were boxes, attractively draped with flags, the one at the right occupied by Gov. George L. Lilley and Mrs. Lilley, had the flag of the commonwealth at one side of the entrance. The other box was reserved for members of the governor's staff.

The decorations were arranged by P. D. Donahue and the handsome electrical effects by Elmer M. Young. Several hundred bulbs were used in the display.

From 8 to 9 o'clock while the reception was being held this concert was exquisitely rendered by Helmold's orchestra of this city:

March, Boys of the Militia, Boenlein; overture, Trumpeter of the Fort, Gruenwald; intermezzo, Cupid's Garden, Eugene; Dockstader's Medley, Lenmark; Reverie, Traumerie, Schuman; selections from the opera, Bohemian Girl, Balfe.

This beneral committee assisted in receiving the governor and members of his staff:

Captain E. J. Ashton, Mayor D. P. Dunn, General E. S. Boss, Colonel Edward Hunter, Captain H. R. Chappell, Captain F. P. Fenton, Captain Charles Fenton, Captain J. B. Paulhus, Lieutenant James Haggerty, Lieutenant Thomas Ashton, Charles A. Gates, George A. Bartlett, Representative Guilford Smith, Peter Hardman, T. Frank Howie, Postmaster C. H. Dimmick, J. B. Fullerton, J. E. Brick, James S. Donahue, Dr. T. R. Parker, Dr. Owen O'Neil, James P. Mustard, W. J. Sweeney, G. O. Cartier, W. A. Arnold, J. R. Batting, W. B. Knight, E. P. Chesbro, S. Arnold Peckham, James A. Shea, J. B. Baldwin, Frank M. Smith, A. B. Holmes, G. W. Melony, Leo Thompson, H. C. Lathrop, G. E. Hinman, W. A. King, H. C. Murray, John Reilly, C. F. Riesdorf, Frank Larrabee, W. H. Potter, A. D. Chaffee, L. S. Bigelow, E. H. Hall, Dr. C. H. Girard, Dr. W. P. S. Keating, Representative Bradley M. Sears of Mansfield, H. Dion, Senator W. L. Higgins of South Coventry, A. I. Bill, D. A. Lyman, Maurice Welch, J. M. Serard, D. C. Barrows, George M. Harrington, W. D. Grant, Dr. H. E. F. Tiesing.

The presence of Company L in uniform and Garde Florimond, under command of Capt. J. B. Paulhus, added a true military aspect to the animated scene.

Town hall has never before held such an immense audience at a reception and ball. The gallery was crowded to capacity and the main floor filled.

The Grand March.

The grand march was a pretty sight and 200 couples participated. Music for the dance programme of 18 numbers following the grand march was furnished by Helmold's orchestra and was all that could be desired.

Mayor D. P. Dunn and Mrs. Lilley led the grand march, followed by Gov. George L. Lilley and Mrs. Dunn; staff officers of First regiment, and ladies; Captain Eugene J. Ashton of Company L, with Miss Margaret Glover, Lieut. F. J. Greene and wife, Lieut. Ulric Rivaud and sister, Miss Mary Rivaud; members of Company L and ladies; members of Garde Florimond and ladies, and some 150 more couples.

It was the grandest military ball ever held in the Thread city and it was the first time that the governor of the state ever attended an affair of the kind in the city of Willimantic.

The committees were: General director, Capt. E. J. Ashton; floor manager, Lieut. F. T. Greener, assisted by Sergt. Arthur Costello, Corp. Arthur Vanasse, Mus. Sam. Godreau, Private Frank McLean, Private Fred Edwards, Private James Norton, Private Robert Richards; reception committee, Capt. E. J. Ashton, Lieut. F. T. Greener, Lieut. U. A. Rivard; committee of arrangements, Capt. E. J. Ashton, chairman, Lieut. Rivard, Lieut. Greener, Sergt. Sullivan, Sergt. Dondero, Corp. Richards, Private Rowan; honorary committee, Gen. E. S. Boss, Capt. Charles Fenton, Capt. E. S. Cranston, Capt. James Cochrane, Capt. J. B. Paulhus, Lieut. Thomas Ashton, Lieut. George Spencer, Col. J. D. Chaffee, Col. J. H. Morrison, Capt. H. R. Chappell, Capt. F. P. Fenton, Lieut. James Haggerty, Lieut. M. J. English, Lieut. Michael ronin, Mayor Daniel P. Dunn.

Receiving the Distinguished Guests.

Gov. and Mrs. George L. Lilley and members of the staff were met upon their arrival in this city on the six o'clock express from Hartford by Mayor D. P. Dunn, Charles A. Gates, George A. Bartlett, Postmaster Charles H. Dimmick and Attorney George E. Hinman and escorted to the Hooker house in carriages. They were entertained at dinner by the committee and later escorted to the ball in the town hall where the reception was held.

At a little after 8 o'clock, with Helmold's orchestra playing Hail to the Chief, Gov. George L. Lilley and party were escorted into the hall. Company L, under command of Second Lieut. Ulric Rivaud, and Garde Florimond, under Captain J. B. Paulhus, drawn up at attention in the center of the hall, formed a lane through which the governor and his party passed.

The party was escorted to the boxes in this order: Gov. George L. Lilley and Mayor D. P. Dunn, ex-Senator Charles A. Gates and ex-Representative George A. Bartlett, Postmaster Charles H. Dimmick and L. B. Lincoln, Captain Eugene J. Ashton and First Lieut. F. J. Greener, escorting members of the governor's staff, comprising Adjutant General Cole, Colonel Robert O. Eaton of North Haven, Colonel A. N. Shepard of Portland, Colonel E. H. Havens of Bridgeport, Major A. E. Rice of Waterbury and Major Louis W. Wellman of New Haven.

When the governor and party had arrived at their respective stations several hundred ladies, with their escorts, were presented to the governor.

The officers of the First regiment were escorted into the hall by Captain Frank P. Fenton and Captain James Cochrane. In the party were Colonel John Hickey, Lieut. Colonel Richard J. Goodman of Hartford, Major Howard J. Bloomer of Hartford, Captain J. L. Purcell of Hartford, Captain J. J. McMahon of Hartford, Lieut. E. R. Lowe of New Britain.

Captain W. G. Tarbox and First Lieut. Charles R. Nichols of the Fifth company, Coast Artillery, of Norwich, were also present.

Many Beautiful Dresses.

Among the many handsome gowns worn were the following:

Mrs. Lilley, pink satin, cut en train, trimmed with applique and silk fringe.

Mrs. D. P. Dunn, green silk batiste with persian trimming (princess).

Mrs. C. A. Gates, blue chiffon voile.

Mrs. Jay M. Shepard, black silk with lace net, directoire.

Mrs. William A. Arnold, pale blue silk, directoire.

Miss Katherine Lynch, blue silk eoline, guest Capt. Eugene Ashton, Providence; Miss May Kennedy, Pawtucket, lavender poplin, guest of Capt. Ashton; Miss Belle Keeley, New Haven, pink batiste; Miss Jane Ashton, white embroidered mull, pink sash; Miss Margaret Glover, Stafford, white embroidered mull, Capt. Ashton's guest; Miss Bertha Rail, lavender satin; Miss Louise Marvin, blue poplin; Miss Olivina Baker, white mull; Miss Vernadetta Potvin, white lace and satin; Miss May Flynn, white net; Miss Rose M. Dondero, white silk, directoire; Miss Emily Findabrown of Boston, lavender silk, empire, gold trimmings; Miss Esther Dondero, pink silk batiste with white lace; Mrs. Wade U. Webster, pearl gray silk batiste with lace trimmings; Miss Lea Morrissette pink figured mull; Miss Eliza Lavigne, blue silk mull; Miss Jarselen Lizzy, white net; Miss Minnie Kilbourne, pink silk mull; Mrs. J. B. Paulhus, brown chiffon; Mrs. Aime Murttinecu, white embroidered mull; Miss Katherine Logan, blue and white organdie; Miss Georgianne Flint, black crepe de chine; Frances Stearns, blue silk mull; Miss Eva Trudeau, pink silk mull; Mrs. Mary Loiselle, white lace and satin; Miss Charlotte A. Hearn, Alice blue silk, princess; Miss Amie Lutton, Alice blue silk, princess; Miss Susan F. Murphy, white crepe de chine over taffeta, with duchesse lace; Miss Alma Gray, blue lansdowne, empire; Miss Louise Chartier, yellow silk mull; Miss Marion Fournier, white embroidered mull; Miss Agnes Trembly, pale blue with lace trimmings; Miss Thelma Lundgren, pale pink silk mull; Miss Frances Keswick, Hartford, old rose silk, gold embroidered, empire; Miss Blanche Chartier, lavender silk; Miss Aldea Moreau, white mull; Miss Victoria Moreau, black silk; Miss Anna Sardam, pink silk mull, filet net; Miss Ella Thompson, blue mull; Miss Mary Mullen, white net; Miss Dora Mullen, white net with filet net; Mrs. C. W. Noyes, tan crepe de chine; Mrs. L. E. Kinney, raspberry satin messaline; Miss Mary Ronan, pink crepe de chine, empire; Miss Elizabeth Cosgrove, white mull over pink; Miss Julia Shea, lavender silk; Miss Julia Moriarty, brown silk; Miss Rachel Cochrane, green silk mull; Miss May Hurley, Alice blue silk; Miss May Clifford, brown messaline satin; Miss Mary Flynn, lavender silk, spangle trimming; Miss Gertrude Moran, blue and white mull; Miss Christine Swanson, blue lansdowne; Miss Isabell Boran, pink irisine; Miss Maud Gallivan, Norwich, guest of Eugene J. Hickey, white silk chiffon and taffeta; Miss May Collins, white mull, lavender trimmings; Miss Anna McGlone, blue mull; Miss Mary Cunningham, white lace; Miss Ray Heylin, lavender crepe de chine; Miss Bella Johnson, blue voile; Miss Christine Edwards, white mull, pink silk sash; Miss Kittie Johnson, pink silk, empire; Miss Georgiana Brunelle, white embroidered lawn; Miss Loretta Routhier, blue satin, empire; Miss Ovilda Desrosier, Alice blue mull; Miss Margaret Maston, white embroidered mull.

The W. R. C. served lunch of cake and cream. Mrs. Lyman, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Benner, Mrs. Cummings and other members of the corps. Punch was served by F. E. Pattison.

Frightened Horse Frightened Crowd.

A horse hitched to a light farmer's wagon, owned by Mr. Shea, who lives on the Columbia road, became frightened at 5.45 o'clock as it stood in front of F. E. Pattison's confectionery store on Main street, at a noisy automobile that swung into Main street from North street.

The animal bolted and ran down Main street, narrowly escaping teams and pedestrians that literally thronged the thoroughfare as they were commencing to congregate in the vicinity of Railroad street and the union station awaiting the arrival of Gov. George L. Lilley and members of his staff, who arrived on the six o'clock train from Hartford. The runaway was stopped by Harry E. Potter just at the railroad crossing where the electric cars leave for Norwich.

PUZZLE PARTY

Given by Miss Hastings in Honor of Her Guest.

Miss Verna M. Hastings entertained a few friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Hastings, 103 Spring street, Monday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Gladys Bradbury, of Ilion, N. Y. The affair was a puzzle party and those present derived much enjoyment in trying to complete the various intricate puzzles. Refreshments were served during the evening.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Williams, Miss Florence Strong, Miss Grace Walker, Miss May Everest and Messrs. William E. Fay, Ellison Smith, Herbert Card, Henry Standish and Charles Hill.

OBITUARY.

Miss Margaret Murphy.

Miss Margaret Murphy, aged 44 years, died Sunday at her home, 38 South Park street. Miss Murphy had been ill for some time. She had been a resident of this city for many years and was a devout attendant at St. Joseph's church. There survive a brother, Jeremiah, and a sister, Mary, both of this city.

WEDDING.

Chabot—Champagne.

Joseph Chabot and Miss Angeline Champagne were married Monday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Mary's church by Rev. Arthur DeBruycker. The father and brother of the bride were witnesses. Mr. and Mrs. Chabot will make their home in this city.

Various Items.

Mrs. Newton Larkum of Hartford was the guest of friends in this city recently.

Mrs. Charles E. Parsons of Ottawa, P. Q., is the guest of Mrs. D. A. Griggs of Mountain street for the week.

Judge William A. Arnold will deliver an address to the Grex club at the First Congregational church next Sunday.

Charles L. Boss has been appointed administrator of the estate of his father-in-law, the late John Grace of New London.

Attorney Amos L. Hatheway of Boston was a recent guest at the home of his father, Amos M. Hatheway of Prospect street.

Rev. William S. Beard, pastor of the First Congregational church, left on Monday to attend the New England Congregational congress at Manchester, N. H. Rev. and Mrs. Harry Grimes of Windham are also attending the congress. Rev. Mr. Beard is chaplain of the committee on benevolences that meets today (Tuesday).

Personals.

Miss Mathilda O'Neill has gone to New York for a few days.

Clarence A. Bowen was in Hartford Monday attending the automobile show.

Miss Annie M. Smith of Boston is the guest of her brother, Frank M. Smith.

Aubrey L. Maddock of Westerly, R. I., was the guest of Clark W. Burnham over Sunday.

Miss Emma Cooper is the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Johnstone, of Jewett City.

Miss Edith Ticknor entertained Miss May Hamlin of Hartford, formerly of this city, Monday.

Mrs. J. B. Baldwin, Mrs. Bell B. Riggleman and Miss Heptsey Boden were Hartford visitors Monday.

Miss Annie Shea and Miss Annie Kelley left for New York Monday morning for a few days' visit.

Miss Delphine Dussault of Boston is visiting her cousin, Rev. Arthur DeBruycker, rector of St. Mary's church.

Miss Florence Grant was the guest of her parents for the holiday recess. Miss Grant is a student at Smith college.

Mrs. May Wilson and Miss Ellen Ottenheimer of Roslindale, Mass., were Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Palmer.

Mrs. Elmer Burr Stone of New Britain was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Leonard, of Walnut street over the holiday.

Misses Bessie and Lena Little of Deep River and Farmington respectively were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Little, of Prospect street for the holiday.

Miss Mary Malone and Miss Katherine Kelley of Greeneville were the guests of friends in town on Monday. Both young ladies are graduates of the Willimantic State Normal school.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Bartlett of Deerfield, Mass., and Mrs. Henry Bartlett of Boston, formerly of this city, are guests of George A. Bartlett. The former are Mr. Bartlett's grandparents and the latter his mother. They will remain for the Cyclers' minstrels, in which Mr. Bartlett fills a leading role.

Scoville Paid Fine

Frank Scoville of Torrington, who was fined $50 and costs recently for tearing the tongue out of a horse belonging to his employer, while under the influence of liquor, settled by paying Chief of Police Hull $63.49. Scoville at first appealed the case, but reflection and further advice convinced him that he had better pay his fine.

Change Places.

E. C. Perkins succeeds G. W. Howe as manager of the restaurant at the union railroad station, Hartford. Mr. Howe will resume his place as a dining car steward with the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co., in which place Mr. Perkins has also been for the past four years.

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PUTNAM.

In Attendance and Decorations Firemen's Ball Surpasses Previous Annual Events—Banquet to Be Tendered Hon. George A. Hammond—Salvation Army Work—Personals.

The members of the Putnam fire department achieved another notable social success Monday evening, when their ninth annual concert and ball was given at the Armory. In every respect it measured up to expectations and will take rank as one of the most enjoyable affairs ever arranged by the department. The attendance taxed the capacity of the building. There have been many pretty decorative effects in other years, but those of Monday evening surpassed any yet seen at a firemen's ball in this city. Green and white were the predominating colors, with a touch of lavender for borders. Every piece of woodwork in the big drill shed, excepting the glossy floor, was hidden by bunting. The ceiling was done in canopy shape, of white with intersections marked by shirred lines of green, and the sides were draped in alternating panels of white and green. High power arc and incandescent lights were suspended at regula rintervals and the flood of light developed the full effectiveness of the scene. Circles and stars of electric lights were placed in conspicuous positions at the east and west sides of the hall, and festoons of flags and streamers in the national colors artistically placed at intervals about the hall were suggestive of the holiday. Washington, pictures of whom, circled with lights, were given places of prominence on each side of the hall. Three heavy oak frames containing photographs of the members of Protector and Mansfield Hose companies and the General Putnam Hook and Ladder company were displayed as part of the decorative scheme, which was extended to include the ladies' room. The musicians' stand was this year placed at the east end of the hall. Excellent music was played by the Cargill orchestra. Frank E. Murray of Putnam was prompter for the several square dances included in the programme, which was not concluded until long after midnight. Special cars were run north to Grosvenordale and to southern points to accommodate the out of town visitors, who were present in numbers and included members of the fire departments from surrounding towns.

The committees in charge were: Archibald Macdonald, chairman; C. Dwight Sharpe, treasurer; John B. Daigle, secretary; on hall and decorations, Barrak K. Smith, Charles T. Thayer, Frank Dumas, W. A. Field, Archibald Macdonald, Fred D. Flabb, Louis Delorme, John B. Daigle; printing, Harry W. Sharpe, James Barnes, Mark Reynolds, Charles T. Thayer; reception, M. R. Joy, E. A. Bibeault, E. Berthiaume, C. D. Sharpe, Archibald Macdonald, Frank Monohan, Harry Morse, P. Cloutier, F. G. Letters, J. F. Carpenter, Joseph Duseault, James Barnes, Frank Dumas, Henry Welch, Joseph Schools, John Moran, F. S. Bruce, Warren Ames; floor director, Barrak K. Smith; aids, J. A. P. Gagne, Mark Reynolds, C. T. Thayer, Alfred Lizotte, Robert Bruce, Fred N. Flagg, N. Peloquin, Joseph Marion, Louis Delorme, Martin Welch, John Daigle, William Hughes.

COMPLIMENTARY BANQUET

To Be Tendered George A. Hammond on Business Anniversary.

Hon. George A. Hammond of this city, one of its prominent men, will be tendered a banquet this (Tuesday) evening at the Putnam Inn. It will be a love feast in a certain way, but primarily is given in honor of the 30th anniversary of Mr. Hammond's coming to Putnam. The gathering will include a number of professional and business men of the city and personal friends of Mr. Hammond.

Mr. Hammond is the senior partner of the firm of Hammond & Knowlton, owners of silk mills that make one of the principal industries of Putnam, and which have continued to expand, bringing an ever increasing share of prosperity to the city.

Salvation Army Reports.

The first quarterly report of the work accomplished by the Putnam branch of the Salvation Army since it opened quarters in this city, a few months ago, indicates bright prospects of doing great things in this section. The 44 meetings in their barracks have been attended by 2,485 persons, and 14 conversions have been recorded. The report also shows an encouraging amount of charitable endeavor and house to house visitations.

Briefs and Personals.

George S. Bradley has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Henry A. Hopkins of Worcester called on Putnam friends Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Dwyer of Webster visited with Putnam relatives on Monday.

Frank A. Hanley of Blackstone visited in Putnam Monday.

34 Cases on Docket.

The criminal list for the March term of the superior court has been filed with the clerk of the superior court and is made up of 34 cases.

Senator Searles Ill.

Senator Charles E. Searles has been suffering from a slight indisposition at his home in Thompson.

Herd of Deer Seen.

Eight beautiful deer were seen near the farm of David Clarke in Killingly avenue late Sunday afternoon. The graceful animals seemed to follow a large buck about in a fearless manner until frightened by a little noise, and then they all bounded over a barbed wire fence and disappeared in the woods.

Social Interests.

A party from this city attended the colonial party given by the Sarah Williams Danielson chapter, D. A. R., in Danielson, Monday evening.

An enjoyable meeting of the O. M. club was held at the home of Miss Mary Wheaton, in Prospect street, on Monday evening.

City Notes.

J. B. Johnson was in Boston on Saturday.

Rev. John Walker has returned from a brief stay in New York.

Attorney Howard Bradford has been confined to his home, in South Main street, with tonsilitis.

Mrs. Rueben Sykes and Miss Gertrude Hall spent Friday in Boston.

Miss Elizabeth Wright of Northboro, Mass., has been the guest of her parents, Judge and Mrs. E. G. Wright, in Chapman street.

Miss Ethel Rowe of Providence has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. F. Waterman, for the past two days.

Mrs. A. W. Macdonald has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. William Holmes, in Westerly, R. I.

Miss Amy L. Wallen has returned from a brief visit with friends in Springfield, Mass.

Miss Marion L. Titus has been visiting relatives in Somerville, Mass.

Miss Josephine Clarke returned to New Boston this (Tuesday) morning, after spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Ella Clarke, in South Main street.

Miss Freda Sharpe of Providence, R. I., is the guest of her sisters, Misses Helen and Alta Sharpe.

Harold Corbin of Worcester, Mass., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Corbin, in Fremont street.

The Putnam High school, Israel Putnam school and the Smith Street school and the banks observed Washington's birthday by closing on Monday.

A conclave of the Knights of King Arthur was held in the Congregational castle room Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

Miss Alice Morse is the guest of Mrs. Marcus Wood in Danielson.

OLDEST MUSICAL DIRECTOR.

Death of Emil Peters of New Haven—Long and Active Career.

Emil Peters, dean of the musical directors of Connecticut, died on Friday at his home in New Haven from a complication of diseases. Mr. Peters came to America in 1866, after serving with distinction for his country, Prussia, against Austria in the Prussian-Austrian war. He located in New York, where he achieved considerable success as a director for four years, when the news of the Franco-Prussian war called him back to Germany, and he enlisted again with the Prussian troops. After the series of victories over the French, Mr. Peters came back to America and continued his work in New York until in 1884, when he came to New Haven. He took charge of the Arion society and trained its chorus until it was one of the best in the state. Since then he had been among the leaders, and was the oldest director in Connecticut. Beside the Arion society he was director of Hermann Sochne, the Arbeiter Maennerchor and several others. H ewon prizes every year for his societies, even to last year, when he trained the Ansonia and Seymour clubs to such a degree of skill that they carried the first and second events in the competition held at Waterbury. His last public appearance was at the 25th anniversary of the Society of Cecelia, two months ago. Mr. Peters leaves a widow and one son, Emil Peters, Jr. He was a member of the United Directors of Singing Societies in the United States, and beside being an honorary director of nearly every German singing society in New Haven, was a member of Dorscht lodge.

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