

### Westerly Compensates Injured Man

#### Council Votes \$200 to Angelo di Mauro for Loss of Eye—Cycle Club Elects Officers—Compromise in Case Against Foresters—Narrow Fabric Company Selects Site for Plant—Runaway Boys Sent Home.

In spite of what was said and done at the monthly meeting of the Westerly town council, Monday in the case of Angelo di Mauro, who asked for recompense for the loss of his right eye, injured while at the work at the town's stone crusher, both Di Mauro and his interpreter, as well as the committee of the town council, have recognized Augustus T. L. Ledwidge as attorney for Di Mauro. At the second session of the council a committee was authorized to effect a settlement and avoid a lawsuit, it being decided better to pay a reasonable sum in settlement than a larger sum in litigation.

The committee, Di Mauro and Attorney Ledwidge held a session and the result was the settlement of the case to the full satisfaction of the parties in interest, for \$200. As the injured man has a family depending on him for support.

At the fourteenth annual meeting of the Westerly Cycle club, officers were elected as follows: David L. Meyers, president; Edward LaBonte, vice president; Edwin Chapman, secretary; Edgar E. Pascock, treasurer; Frank L. Gavit, John P. Ingham, directors; Richard Rinnals, pool committee; George Knapp, signers; Charles E. Redford, color bearer. The annual parade and banquet will be held Friday evening, the music being furnished by the Cycle band.

The regular session of the Westerly probate court, Judge Edward M. Burke, was held Tuesday afternoon. James Jolly, administrator of the estate of Andrew Mott Clark, petitioned for permission to sell personal property at private sale, consisting of gunning shanty, guns, etc., at a price not less than inventoried. The petition was granted.

A communication was received from Frank W. Coy, administrator of the estate of Charles H. Fayweather, deploring the estate insolvent and asking for the appointment of commissioners. Referred to session of March 15, with order of notice.

McCoy has taken appeal from the probate court decision that claims filed with the probate clerk should be paid, until pending the decision in the superior court. Judge N. B. Lewis, requesting the administrator should not be ordered to the his account or pay any claims. He asked that this matter be continued until the April session.

Judge Burke said no account had been made since the appointment of the administrator, fourteen months ago, still he did not think any hardship would be incurred by the claimants if delay was made until the next meeting, when the superior court decision will be probably reached.

Albert F. Clark was appointed administrator de bonis non of the estate of Harriet M. Palmer, to succeed Benjamin P. Langworthy 2d, executor, now deceased. There is about \$800 of the estate not administered. Bonds were fixed at \$1,200. John T. Edmond, Charles L. Segar, Everett E. Whipple were appointed appraisers.

The March meeting of the Westerly board of trade was held Tuesday evening in the town hall, President Charles Perry presiding in order to comply with the rules, there was first an adjourned session of the annual meeting, for the election of officers, a nominating committee having been appointed at the annual meeting.

C. Gilbert Panning, the nominating committee, submitted the following candidates: Charles Perry, president; Ira B. Crandall, first vice president; William Clark, second vice president; Albert R. Stillman, secretary; James M. Pendleton, treasurer; John W. Sweeney, Frank W. Coy, Charles E. Stewart, Everett E. Whipple, executive committee for three years; Joseph T. Murphy to fill vacancy occasioned by resignation of Louis W. Arnold, and to serve for two years.

The report was accepted and the secretary cast the ballot for each officer separately. President Perry said he was gratified to see the members for their approval, but he would much prefer to be excused, but had consented to serve another, but was ready to step aside for someone else at any time.

After the election of officers, this meeting was adjourned to the regular monthly meeting was held. The secretary reported that in compliance with a vote at the last meeting, letters in favor of Rhode Island delegates to congress, urging them to support the bill, were received from Senators Wetmore and Aldrich, and from Representative Capron. The latter said he would give the measure his hearty support.

The bill has passed the house, and a telegram was received from the Boston Merchants' association, assuring that the Westerly board of trade had assisted in the passage of the bill, and urged renewed effort for its passage in the senate.

Dr. Whitford presented for membership the names of Andrew W. Fisher, Ralph G. Bilven, and Charles H. Galt. Referring to membership committee for report at the next meeting.

All the members of the Westerly board of trade were invited to the Providence board of trade banquet and about thirty attended. It was voted that a committee composed of Everett E. Whipple, Arthur M. Cottrell, and Albert R. Stillman were appointed a committee to draft resolutions of appreciation and forward same to the Providence organization. James A. Welch and President Perry gave an interesting report of the banquet and reception.

Senator Charles E. Potter, the oldest in point of service in the Rhode Island senate, was on Tuesday elected president of the senate and acting governor during the absence of the state party in Washington. Senator Potter is a democrat, and the senate is republican by a large majority.

Senator Louis W. Arnold, republican, of Westerly, threw some hot shot into the republican camp by supporting the nomination of Senator Potter. He took a crack at plans set up for the senate to follow, when he said: "The best thing this body should do is to have nominated Senator Potter in this matter before any candidate was picked out. In the daily papers it has been said that Senator Wilbur had been elected. Who put the idea forth? Have the senators been consulted and asked to acquiesce in the selecting of that gentleman as a candidate?"

The boys' preliminary prize speaking contest of the Westerly high school was held Tuesday afternoon, the contestants and subjects being as follows: Waterloo, Thackeray, Elmer J. Flynn; The Impression of Warren Hastings, Macaulay, Henry M. Clarke; Character of the Lincoln, Emerson, Thomas J. Spargo; The Confederate Sergeant, Selected, William Woods; The Unknown Rider, Lippard, Harry Nixon; War and Human Brotherhood, Channing, Warren T. Clifford; Vengeance of the Flag, Estabrook, Arthur Anderson; An Afternoon at a Hotel, Banks, James P. B. Melick; Aunt Deborah Hears "The Messiah," Cheney, George H. Lusk; An Evening with Men, Day, Clyde L. Burrows.

The judges were Rev. W. F. Williams, G. W. Woodward and Ekan W. Williams.

The judges selected as the successful contestants William Woods, Arthur Anderson, James P. B. Melick, George H. Lusk and Clyde L. Burrows.

Local Laconics. Selectman Eben P. Conch of Mystic is ill at the home of a relative in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Judge Elias B. Hinckley of Stonington held a session of the probate court in Pawcatuck Tuesday afternoon.

The plan for the extension of the Westerly fire district will be considered at a meeting to be held next week.

The Ellen Burke will be to be contested on the ground of mental incapacity to make a will and undue influence.

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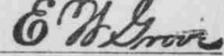
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