

WESTERLY MAY ISSUE BONDS

For Funding Town Debt—Granite Praised in Bulletin of National Geological Survey—Championship Basketball Game Tonight—Danielson Expected to Win—Commissioners to Hear Pawcatuck Arguments for Five Cent Trolley Fare.

Although there is bonded indebtedness on the water works, there is no such indebtedness on the town of Westerly proper.

Senator Louis W. Arnold of Westerly presented an act giving the town opportunity to take advantage of the bonded plan, and the senate has now passed, under suspension of the rules, the act reported favorably by the judiciary committee.

There was a hearing before the senate committee on fisheries, Thursday, on a bill which provides that the state may in the future lease as oyster beds only grounds which are covered by a minimum depth of six feet of water at low tide, instead of four feet, as at present.

John J. Dunn of Westerly, secretary of the state board of agriculture, appeared before the senate committee on judiciary, Thursday, in advocacy of a bill to make it unlawful to kill wild swan at any time, or any wild goose, duck or teal between December 31 and the first day of the following September.

The chief advocate of the bill was Prof. E. H. Forbush of Boston, who appeared as representative of the United States department of agriculture, the National Association of Audubon Societies and the United States conservation commission.

Westerly granite is the subject of a thoroughly practical and painstaking work of T. Nelson Dais, which has just been issued in Bulletin 64 of the United States geological survey.

The granite industries of Rhode Island center in Westerly, some of the quarries being near the compact part of the town and others near Niantic. Westerly white statuary granite is a



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Special seating accommodations and all other details have been arranged for the championship basketball game at the state armory in Westerly this (Friday) evening.

There is general antipathy in Westerly against New London in sporting matters, which originated by the alleged unfair actions of school teams at football and baseball, but it is probable that this feeling will be suppressed at this basketball game, as the coast artillerymen who have arranged for the game desire that the strictest neutrality be demonstrated.

With Bill Collins making his headquarters on the West Side, wrestling has become popular and matches are being arranged under the auspices of the newly organized Pastime club. Some good events have taken place and others are to follow. This (Friday) evening there is a match on between Chief Fighting Bear of Wisconsin, an Indian heavyweight wrestler, and Ed LeBarre, a Canadian wrestler of prominence. The match is for the best two out of three falls. There will be a preliminary match by competent amateurs.

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D. Faucher of Rochester, N. Y., announces the engagement of their daughter, Miss Fern Faucher, to Mr. Bradley Agard Welch of Torrington.

New Haven.—Accepting the resignation of James R. Coddington from the superintendency of the New Haven hospital, the directors have voted to offer the place to Dr. H. T. Sumner of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Litchfield.—A certificate of incorporation has been issued by the Roseboro Nursery company of Litchfield in the office of the secretary of state. The capital stock is \$15,000, and business will be begun with \$10,000.

Danbury.—One of the long freight trains, such as in the early part of the winter were set off almost every day, passing over the western division of the New Haven road, passed through the city, east bound, Wednesday morning. The freight train consisted of some sixty cars and was hauled by two engines.

Naugatuck.—Many of the employees of the rubber factories who have been out of town have returned to their homes to resume work in the factories. Work in the gridding departments was resumed Monday and Wednesday all of the cutters were at work. The boot and shoemakers made their first ticks on Thursday.

THE MODERN JEW. Topic of Interesting Address at Hartford by Rabbi Silverman.

Temple Beth Israel on Charter Oak avenue, Hartford, was crowded Sunday afternoon with both Jews and Christians, who went to hear Dr. Joseph Silverman of New York, one of the most widely known and able speakers in the country, lecture on "The Modern Jew." Rabbi Silverman was the guest of Ararat lodge, No. 13, Independent Order B'nai B'rith, which has arranged for the Modern Jew, said Rabbi Silverman, is not the same as the ancient Jew, but to say what the change occurred in the past centuries, you go back to the time of the Spanish inquisition. In one day during that bloody period over 300,000 Jews were expelled from Spain and scattered to the ends of the earth. From this time on for the Jewish people. From this time on the Jew begins to take his place among the great men in all lines of activity and achievement. Among the names that stand high in the history of the world. The Declaration of Independence of the United States, granting religious liberty to all men, had more to do, both in America and all over the world, with the modernizing of the Jew, and the modern Jew is no different, said Rabbi Silverman, than any other modern man. All are members of the great Caucasian race, and to speak of the Jews as a separate nation or race is more than a poetic fiction. In America the Jew is a loyal, true American. In England he is an Englishman and in Germany a German. He is a man, a citizen, a patriot. In time of war he is a brave soldier and in days of peace an upright citizen, voting for the best man at election time. He is a man, a citizen, a patriot. He is a man, a citizen, a patriot. He is a man, a citizen, a patriot.

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TO BURN MORTGAGE. Bridgeport Methodist Church Is Free From Debt.

The paper representing the mortgage indebtedness of \$1,350 resting upon the property of the Washington Park M. E. church, at the corner of Noble and Barnum avenues, Bridgeport, will be burned at the close of the evening service held on March 14, the services of the day commemorating the fortieth anniversary of this church. This sum has not yet been paid, so as to secure the release and discharge of the mortgage, but it will be in a few days, as the money is ready for this purpose. Interesting services have been arranged for this day in honor of the anniversary.

Bishop Thomas B. Neely, D.D., LL.D., of New Orleans, one of the bishops of the church, will preach the sermon at the morning service, while at the afternoon service Rev. John E. Adams, D. D., of Stamford, the district superintendent, will preside.

MILK STATION To Be Established in New Haven This Summer.

The regular monthly meeting of the pure food committee of the Consumers league was held at the residence of Miss Rebecca D. Beath in New Haven, chairman of the committee, last Monday. It was decided to establish a milk station, where modified milk, under the supervision of a trained nurse, can be sold to mothers at dealers' prices. Dr. Bartlett and Dr. Steele, who were present by request, offered helpful suggestions and emphasized the fact that mortality among the tenement house infants can be lessened to a great degree by such a station. Dr. Bartlett gave interesting data of similar work carried on in Rochester, N. Y., and Mrs. Bolton spoke of the wonderful results of the Waterbury station.

SCOTTISH RITE MASONS To Work Degrees on Large Class at Bridgeport.

Lafayette, consistory, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Masons, of Bridgeport, will work three degrees on a large class of candidates March 29, of the candidates being those from Bridgeport, Danbury, Norwalk and Stamford, while the degrees are to be conferred will be the 21st, 27th and 33rd. The session will be held in the consistory rooms at the Masonic temple, beginning at 2 p. m. and ending about 5.30. It will be followed by a banquet at the Stratfield at 7, at which several hundred will sit down to the tables.

LEAVES HOSPITAL. Mrs. Robert Unwin Injured by W. H. Hopkinson.

Mrs. Robert Unwin, whose throat was cut by William Henry Hopkinson, in an attempt to murder, just before the latter committed suicide by cutting his own throat, was discharged from the Bridgeport hospital Monday. The big gash in her throat healed up some time ago, but her fractured arm, where she fell from the roof of the veranda in her escape from the crazed Hopkinson, kept her in the institution.

A Divorce. The senatorial election in Illinois is about as great as it was just fifty years ago, when Lincoln and Douglas were candidates, but no men of such caliber are entered in the lists at present.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Fall of the Mighty. How fleeting and transitory are the glories of this world! But yesterday it was the "Taddy Bear" and now corporations are quarreling in the courts over the right to sell the "Billy Possum."—New York Press.

Prefers the Glad Smile. Mary Garden recently wore a gown that was so scant as to make her sister actresses gasp. If all is true that is being said about Mary's raiment she must really hate clothes.—Chicago Record-Herald.

A Benighted Court. A southern court rules that a mule has no rights, in face of abundant testimony that a mule has both rights and lefts.—Omaha Bee.

The Negligent Britisher. If British postal authorities were as alert as our own, a suffragette would be excluded from the mails at once as an infernal machine.—New York Tribune.

Could Be Worse. Still, that Texas oil company might have chosen to pay its \$2,900,000 fine in bright new pennies.—Pittsburg Gazette-Times.

A Unanimous Popularity. His worst enemies do not deny that he has the qualities to make a crackling ex-president.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

Know It to Its Sorrow. It does not need the reflections of a retired prize fighter to inform congress that Mr. Roosevelt is a born fighter.—Washington Post.

Was Reason Enough. New Mexico has been kept from statehood because Bull Andrews and—well, that's plenty.—Philadelphia North American.

According to a cabinet ordinance recently issued in Tokyo, the onerous restriction on the use of western ink in Japanese official documents has been removed after 32 years. In 1876 the Japanese government ordered that in any official document, save in the case of writing on foreign-made paper in one of the provinces, the use of western ink should not be used from that time onward. That obsolete order in question survived unannulled until this year. The abolition is welcomed by the Japanese press in general.

Canton, China, at present is full of robbers. It is said that in some parts the people are really afraid to go to rest at night, inasmuch that it is certain that thieves will enter and rob the place. Accordingly some one sits up, while others sleep. The following is a queer criticism of China's policy by a correspondent: "We have a police force, whose work consists mostly in sleeping at post or helping the nearest shopkeeper to chop wood or a neighborhood blacksmith to blow his fire."

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