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The Bulletin.

Norwich, Saturday, May 22, 1909.

VARIOUS MATTERS.

Graduation and wedding gifts for June are already being sold.

Cemeteries are being improved in anticipation of Memorial day.

Ask your grocer for Clover Dale Creamery and take no other.—adv.

There is a demand at the libraries for books pertaining to the spring song birds.

The smack Outing of Norwich brought a large catch of live cod to New London Thursday.

The office effects of Rowland D. Hill, were moved from New London to Norwich on Thursday.

Wordell's Ocean Beach Casino opens for the season on Sunday, May 23d. A shore dinner will be served.—adv.

On Saturday, June 13, the entire brigade, uniform rank, Knights of Pythias, of Connecticut, will hold a field day at Savin Rock.

Sunday, 7.30 p. m., Trinity Methodist church, commemoration of Christ's ascension; collection for Rock Nook home. Public invited.—adv.

Lighter Eva of the Scott feet has been carrying lumber down the river from Fords Point to be used on the new Norwich line pier at New London.

At the Central Baptist church Sunday morning, Rev. P. C. Wright will speak upon the theme, "Jesus Only." The evening topic will be "Help in the Storm." A cordial invitation is extended to attend these services.—adv.

James B. Palmer, Jr. of Lisbon has 23 hives this spring and the bees have been at work for five or six weeks, and are especially active now in apple blossom time. Warmer sunshine would suit them better, however.

That the baby's bottle ranks as a destroyer of human life with the four or five greatest of death's allies is substantially the information furnished by the report of the state board of health, recently transmitted to the general assembly.

The Catholic Transcript states that the first annual retreat of the clergy of the diocese of Hartford will be held at Massena Institute, Keyser Island, South Norwalk, from June 1 to 12. The second retreat will be held at the same place during the week.

The May Musical Courier announces that Arthur M. Abell is to devote the usual space of his weekly Berlin letter in the next two issues of the Courier to illustrated articles on the famous collection of string instruments owned by D. J. Partello, the great violin connoisseur of Berlin, which will interest Mr. Abell's Norwich friends.

The state librarian's report says: A card index of the Connecticut men who served in the war of the revolution is being prepared. Already over 16,000 cards, based upon the manuscripts in the state library, have been typewritten and arranged in a special cabinet, under the name of the soldier and also under the name of the town to which the records accredit him.

Among the guests Thursday at the marriage in Washington of Miss Mary Heaster Shepard, eldest daughter of Chief Justice Shepard of the court of appeals, and George Gould Lincoln, only son of the late Dr. N. S. Lincoln, were Mrs. A. C. Tyler and Miss Tyler of New London. Mr. Lincoln and his bride are spending their honeymoon at The Elm, the Tyler mansion, in New London.

XENS GIVE ENTERTAINMENT.

Farce, Dialogue and Pantomime Pleas—Large Gathering.

There was a large attendance at the First Baptist church Friday evening at an entertainment of the Xens.

The programme consisted of a one-act farce, Love in a Lighthouse; a pantomime play, The Three Lovers; from Will Bartlett's poem, and a dialogue, A Slight Misunderstanding Between Friends.

Walter M. Cowan announced the seven members of the programme, which opened with a well rendered piano solo by Miss Margery Stoolley.

The several parts of Love in a Lighthouse were taken by Mrs. Amos Swan as Mrs. Maria Caple-Robinson; Edith Capel, a daughter of Virginia, Miss Elizabeth Park; Polly Potts, the bound girl, Miss Mary Dolbear; Philip Ross, the lover, Walter M. Cowan; Sam Robinson, Floyd May; Jam Robinson, William Amburn.

The poem, The Three Lovers, was read by Mrs. William T. Thayer, and was acted in pantomime by Mrs. Clarence K. Hurlbut, as Bessie; Will J. Keon, Walter M. Cowan and John B. Oat, the lovers; Miss Kate Willey, and E. C. Leach, mother and father of Bessie.

Miss Emily Gard and Rev. W. T. Thayer acted well their parts in A Slight Misunderstanding Between Friends. The programme was bright and humorous throughout, the evening adding another success to the Xens list of successes.

Mrs. C. K. Hurlbut gave a pleasing solo during the evening.

Ice cream was served during the intermission. Assisting the committee in serving were Will J. Keon, John B. Oat, J. E. C. Leach, Mrs. Thomas B. Linton, Mrs. Frank Royce, Mrs. John B. Oat, Mrs. Frank Davis, Mrs. Amburn, Mrs. A. F. Howard, Mrs. Samuel Billings, Mrs. C. K. Hurlbut and Mrs. Herbert Willey.

Frank B. Davis assisted by taking tickets. The Xens regular entertainment committee have chosen for the next Mrs. J. E. C. Leach, chairman, Walter M. Cowan, Miss Emily Gard, Miss Mary Dolbear and Miss Martha A. Ward.

ANOTHER MACHINE

G. A. Allen Will Close Contract for Second of 50-Ton Capacity.

George A. Allen, treasurer of the Allen-Hessan company, will leave for Chicago this morning. In Chicago he will meet several of the large Iowa creamery men and close contracts for butter the coming season. The contracts will be for several thousand tons.

Mrs. C. K. Hurlbut will also meet in Chicago the treasurer of the Larsen-Baker Ice Machine company of Omaha, Neb., and close a contract for the second machine which will be installed in their cold storage plant early in the fall. This machine will be of fifty-ton capacity, just double the one now in operation, and will take care of all future business. The machine just put in is working to the entire satisfaction of the company. Mr. Allen expects to return home by Friday, the 25th. Mrs. Allen will accompany him as far as Albany and visit with relatives.

PERSONAL.

Miss Florence Brown of Baltic has been the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Catherine Smith of Moosup.

Miss Nina L. Jaynes, Boston, Hiram H. Fox, New Haven, Miss Mildred H. Date, Mrs. Emille E. Date, North Franklin, and William A. Dawkins, Boston, have been registered as visitors at the Buckingham Memorial this week.

BARACA ENTERTAINMENT AT METHODIST CHURCH.

A Day in a Railway Station Presented in Fine Manner.

Friday evening in the vestries of Trinity Methodist church was given an entertainment of unusual brightness.

The stage was arranged to represent a general waiting room in depot, and behind the scenes could be heard the several incoming and outgoing trains. The part of depot master was played by the admirably taken by Charles S. Peckham. And equally good was the part of G. E. Robinson as ticket agent, Fred Baton as the lunch counter, Herbert Willey as the overgrown newsboy and Guy E. Carpenter as the bootblack were all good in their parts.

Altogether there were some fifty different ones on the programme, which opened with the Bohemian woman, Miss Carolyn B. Woodward, appearing with her sleepy small boy, Master Victor Thorn, who made an interesting scene. Among those participating the following deserve special mention: Mrs. Edgar Beach Russ the enterprising lady; Miss Jennie Kimball, the aristocratic lady; and Lewis M. Carpenter, the polished gentleman, who was on his way to be married. Miss Mary L. Hurlbut, Miss Emily Percy were mother and daughter, and Walter C. Haack the Klondiker.

Miss Della H. Whitehead as the woman with a lost boy, George W. Wright, the widower, and Miss Jennie Botham, his discovered affinity, were all good, and the five children were Dorothy Wolf, Elizabeth Peckham, Freddie Young and little Johnny Hanson and a baby.

Miss Gertrude M. Pendleton won applause for a realistic argument with the station master, William Hurlbut as the farmer with Miss Mabel Brown, his wife, were true to life.

The three light hearted schoolgirls were Miss Myrtle E. Fielding, Miss Myrtle Himes being the bride. Their friends were Carl Herrmann, Joseph H. Levene, Miss Hannah A. Haglund and Miss Esther E. Levene, all of whom acted their parts well.

Three Italian singers were represented in costumes by Misses Elizabeth A. Lane, Myrtle E. Fielding, Lou M. Hart. They sang with a pleasing effect. The parts of a wealthy couple were acted to perfection by L. M. Crandall and Miss Edith M. Carpenter. The part of a little girl—Marguerite S. Wolcott—traveling alone with her little brother Jupiter could scarcely have been excelled. Just at this juncture a college quartet waiting for a train sang two college songs most creditably. This was represented by Louis Brown, William A. Lund, E. M. Newbury, Louis Hull. A most enthusiastically received group consisted of four young colored people represented by Marjorie Young, Madeline Boynton, Howard N. Porter and Frank E. R. Leach. The quartet song, "I'll Take the Part of Uncle John from the Country."

An eloping couple, Fred Haglund and Miss Lucy Young, added spice and the parents were well acted by George E. Peck and Miss Elizabeth Lane. The comforting deaconess, Miss Agnes Stralman, met her duties most commendably. The song, "The Song by the College Quartette closed the entertainment.

Home made candles were sold during the evening. These were in charge of Mrs. John C. Morgan and the young ladies—Viva Mae Himes, Fay M. Newland, Edith A. Maynard, Ethel Legia, Clara Odgers, Marjorie Darbie, Augusta Church. Fruit punch was in charge of Mrs. Eugene D. Boyens and the young ladies Nina May Young, Della May Shoemaker, Vivia Seavay, Marjorie Boyens, Nancy Marie Colberg.

GREENVILLE HOLDS A CAUCUS.

Nominates Candidates for the City Election—Whiting and Gear for the Council.

The annual republican caucus of the Third district was held Friday evening in the small hall of the Union hall building. A good number of the representative republicans of Greenville were present and proceeded to carry out the business of the evening with characteristic facility. Group colloquies a chance to participate in the meeting was not called to order until 8.10 by Charles W. Pearson. Upon nomination, C. E. Twiss, Edward Brooks was chosen as chairman, and for clerk Louis Bentley was proposed by Edward Crooks. The business of the evening was started by the nomination of an alderman and a councilman and a city sheriff. Lynen W. Whiting was unanimously chosen as candidate for alderman upon nomination of Mr. Twiss. For councilman the name of Louis H. Geer was proposed by Edward Crooks and accepted by the meeting. Henry Pensley offered the name of Oscar G. Benson as a candidate for the office of city sheriff, and this, as were the first two names, was accepted unanimously. The meeting was then adjourned after ten minutes session.

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TAX OF TEN MILLS RECOMMENDED

Estimates for the City Meeting Approved by the Council—Increase in Several Departments and Many Extra Matters to be Acted Upon—Debt of the City Reduced—Department Reports for the Year.

The court of common council held a session on Friday evening for the purpose of hearing the estimates for the ensuing year as made up by the finance committee acting upon a few matters before the close of the fiscal year. All the members were in attendance except Aldermen Stetson and Councilman Comstock. Mayor Lippitt presided and the reading of the journal was omitted.

A communication was received from Mrs. Frank T. Brown expressing her deep appreciation of the memorial the council adopted relative to Mr. Brown and the beautiful floral column.

The annual report of the city treasurer, I. L. Peck, was accepted and ordered printed in the journal, as was the report of the auditors. The report shows the total indebtedness of the city to be \$1,107,300. There is in the general sinking fund \$12,521.16, in the gas and electric sinking funds \$25,198.14, and \$27,757.33, and cash on hand \$1,372.54, leaving the net debt \$1,033,999.17. Last year the net debt was \$1,045,254.08, so there has been a reduction in the debt of about \$12,000.

The finance committee submitted their estimates of receipts and disbursements for the ensuing year, which were approved, and the recommendations and resolutions adopted. The estimates are printed today in the advertising columns, the total amount of appropriations recommended being \$2,572,811, or about \$10,000 more than last year, including the extra appropriation, there being increases in several departments. They recommended a mill tax to meet this extra appropriation. There are, however, a number of other matters which they have been asked to bring before the city meeting and which they are voted to bring before the city meeting at a mill and a quarter extra. The committee recommends that the \$20,000 for the improvements at Meadow Brook shall be met by the city borrowing from the town and the city, payable in four annual installments, and that the same be liquidated from the receipts of the water department.

Regarding the courthouse addition, the board authorized to erect that has given its note for \$50,000 and it is desirable that this joint obligation be replaced by separate ones, and at the city meeting it is recommended that the city assume its proportion, or \$10,000, of that amount.

The further recommendation of the Bowtell avenue and West Main street fire stations and that the money thus gained be used at the Thames-ville station for a fire engine and a second hose installation.

Estimates of the cost of a number of improvements which will be in the morning for action at the city meeting. These are: widening West Main street, \$2,000; mill and a quarter extra, \$2,000; milk inspector's salary and expenses, \$1,500; public comfort stations, \$1,000; clad and repainting West Main street, \$2,000; City of the town, \$1,000; new fire engine, \$5,250; total, \$15,000.

Petitions. The Chelsea Savings bank asked for a grade on the northern side of Main street from Cliff street and, it was referred to the public works committee.

Dr. Lowellyn Pratt and 21 others asked for an electric arc light on the corner of the Broadway school property. It was referred to the public works committee.

City Health Officer Dr. N. E. Lewis called attention to the need of a small sewer between North Main and Cliff streets in Roath street. It was referred to the public works committee.

An invitation was received asking the council to join the American League of Municipalities, which holds a three days' convention in Montreal Aug. 25, 26 and 27. It was referred to the finance committee.

The public works committee in their annual report showed that the amount appropriated to that department during the year was \$27,362.01. There has been expended \$66,382.89, leaving a balance of \$39,020. The sewers have all been built except the Central avenue sewer where it was found a private sewer had been built which served all purposes. The report was accepted.

Committee Reports.

The public works committee reported that they had investigated the petition of the Norwich Grain Co. for the extension of the Central wharf, and approved it. The report was accepted.

City Treasurer Peck's summary of receipts from May 15, 1908 to May 15, 1909, follows:

Table with columns: Receipts, Disbursements, Balances. Includes items like Water works, Street dept, City court, Police dept, Gas and elec. dept, Dept. of cemeteries, Dept. of cemeteries, Sewer assessments, Loans, Taxes, Sprinkling streets, Hour house, Taxes returned, Licenses, Miscellaneous, Receipts, Total.

City Treasurer Peck's summary of disbursements from May 15, 1908 to May 15, 1909, follows:

Table with columns: Dept. of Public Works, Dept. of Cemeteries, Police Dept., Health Dept., Gas and Electrical Dept., Park Commission, Finance Dept., Water Board Report. Includes items like Special appropriation, Ordinary street expenses, Garbage and ashes, Sewers and catch basins, Special appropriation, Macadam repairs, Street sprinkling, Special appropriation, Extension docks at Central wharf, Dept. of Cemeteries, Fire department, Police Dept., Health Dept., Gas and Electrical Dept., Park Commission, Finance Dept., Water Board Report.

The thirty-sixth annual report of the board of water commissioners has been issued, an interesting feature being an insert containing a handsome colored view of the reservoir and gate house with the statistics and financial summary for the year, together with the officials printed thereon. The synopsis of the report has been previously published.

Incidents in Society

Mrs. Carrie E. Havens and Miss Havens have been in Mansfield this week.

On Monday, the 24th, Mrs. E. W. Yerrington of River avenue, Laurel Hill, will receive the congratulations of many friends on her 53d birthday.

NORWICH'S MOST DISTINGUISHED CITIZEN.

Suggestion That Monument Be Erected to Samuel Huntington's Memory.

H. W. Kent of New York writes The Bulletin as follows:

All lovers of Norwich—of her past and of her present—will be heartily interested in the coming celebration, and I dare say some have considered the question of a dignified and fitting record of the event. It is to such persons that I would address myself through your columns. I would ask if it has occurred to anyone to mark the two and a half centuries of the community life of the old town by the erection of a monument which shall be an adornment to the place.

I would suggest for serious consideration the erection of a statue of Norwich's most distinguished citizen, one who is too often forgotten by the present generation, but whose memory deserves to be kept green—Samuel Huntington, signer of the Declaration of Independence and governor of the state.

You, Mr. Editor, will know all about him, and so will those who belong near the uptown green. I would ask if you have any sentiment in the matter and push it through—provided, of course, you will agree with me that such a monument would be a lasting recognition of the good things in your civic life.

In the Probate Court. On Friday in the probate court Frank Steery qualified as administrator of the estate of Mrs. W. Lee, made necessary by the death of Mrs. Lee, who was the trustee.

Common Pleas Court. The court of common pleas will come in here this morning at 10.00 o'clock for the trial of the case of Joseph L. Kelley vs. Joseph J. Kern et al. This was claimed for the jury, but will be heard by Judge Waller.

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