

OPPOSED TO SPENDING MONEY FOR ARMORIES

Believed That Militiamen Should Not Grow but Money Be Used for Educational Work, Factory Inspectors and the Unemployed.

At the regular meeting of the socialist party at its rooms in the Standard building Thursday evening, resolutions were unanimously adopted regarding armories and boy scouts, both being opposed on the grounds that it keeps alive the spirit of militarism, and urged the working class to keep their children from participating in the scout movement.

In regard to armory expenditures, the following resolution was adopted: Whereas several bills have been introduced into the Connecticut legislature, appropriating thousands of dollars for new armories, and whereas, Connecticut's expenses are now much in excess of its income, therefore be it resolved, by the members of Norwich local, socialist party, representing citizens of Norwich, Preston, Lisbon and Sprague, that we are unalterably opposed to expenditures for militarism in every form, and we favor sufficient appropriations to provide additional factory inspectors to enforce the labor laws on the statute books, to furnish work for the unemployed, for old-age pensions and for educational purposes, and be it further resolved, that copies of this resolution be given to the representatives in the legislature from Norwich, Preston, Lisbon and Sprague and to the senators from these districts and to the committee on appropriations and to the press.

A resolution calling on the national executive committee to draw up a legislative programme for the guidance and control of socialist Congressman Berger was adopted. It was reported that copies of the journals of the proceedings of the Norwich common council from the year 1887 had been procured from the city clerk and were on file and also a copy of Prof. Frank Parsons' invaluable municipal volume, A City for the People.

Daniel Polsky read a paper on Industrial vs. Craft Unions, which was followed by a general discussion of the subject. At the next meeting Albert Boardman will speak on Unwritten Constitution and the Tariff, the next subject will be Esperanto, the discussion to be opened by Edward P. Clark. The topics which have recently been formally discussed are: Electricity and the Tariff, the Boy Scout Movement, White Slavery, Militarism, Equal Suffrage, and the Relative Value of Wages in the Middle Ages and the Present Time.

It was voted to secure Rev. Roland D. Sawyer of Ware, Mass., for a stereopticon lecture on The March of the Terrors.

WEDDING.

Lucas-Seal.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Seal, 7 Mary street, Central Falls, R. I., at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening, the wedding of their daughter, Miss Beatrice H. Seal, and George H. Lucas, chief clerk of the Saylesville bleacheries, Saylesville, R. I., took place in the presence of a company of guests from New London, Norwich, Woonsocket, East Providence, Fall River, New Bedford, Central Falls, and Saylesville, numbering nearly 200.

The ceremony took place in the front parlor, which had been decorated with palms and ferns. Rev. C. D. Crane, pastor of the Saylesville Memorial Congregational church, officiated. The bridegroom was Miss Elizabeth R. Seal, a sister of the bride, and the bridegroom was attended by his brother, Noah Lucas of Norwich. The ushers were Frank Hilton of Central Falls and Howard G. Duckworth of Providence, cousins of the bride, and Horace M. McCord of Providence.

The bride wore a gown of ivory satin with trimmed panels of brocade fringes and pearls. She also wore a veil, fastened with orange blossoms, and a pearl pendant, the gift of the bridegroom to the bride, and carried a bouquet of white roses. The bridesmaid wore yellow silk with pearl trimmings and carried a bouquet of daffodils.

Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Lucas received the congratulations of the large company after which a collation was served. During the evening an orchestra gave a programme of music.

The bridegroom gave pearl scarfpins to the ushers and the bride gave the bridesmaid a pearl brooch. Mr. and Mrs. Lucas left Wednesday evening for Washington and other southern cities and upon their return will live at 3 Mary street, Central Falls, being at home after May 1.

Mr. Lucas is the older son of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Lucas of No. 280 Laurel Hill avenue. He is a graduate of the Free Academy in the class of 1908, of which he was president. He was employed at the transportation office here and was later station agent at Guilford and Shannock, R. I.

FUNERALS.

Miss Martha Obarowski.

At 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon the funeral of Miss Martha Obarowski was held from her late home in Baltic street, the services being conducted by Rev. Theodor Bauck, pastor of the German Lutheran church. There was a large number in attendance, the house being filled with relatives and friends. The many beautiful floral remembrances testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held. The bearers were Charles Gerardi, William Bels, Charles Rosell, Henry Bolt, Paul Bradlaw and Frank Fischer, cousins of the deceased. Burial was in Yantic cemetery, where a committal service was read. Church of Christ had charge of the arrangements.

Incidents in Society

Miss Grace Hall is visiting New York friends.

Miss Mary Aiken has returned from a visit in New Haven.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank Bunnell are spending the week and in New York.

The Lenten Sewing club meets this afternoon with Mrs. Archibald Mitchell, Jr.

The Dickens club met on Tuesday afternoon this week with Miss Lucy Leavens.

Mrs. Joseph Hall and Miss Amanda Hall have returned from a short visit in Providence.

Miss Faith Leavens of Broadway gave an informal tea Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Constance Mearns of Boston and Miss Elizabeth Thompson, the pianist, who gave such a delightful recital in Slater hall the preceding night in the interests of the College club. Mrs. Frank F. Leavens and Miss Leavens were assisted in receiving by Mrs. John Dixon Hall and Mrs. Orlie Dodge. Mrs. John L. Mitchell poured tea and Miss Mabel E. Webb and Miss Leona Howe also assisted in the dining room.

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