

HELD AT WESTERLY

John Silver, Arrested in Stonington, Was Detained Till Providence Officer Arrived—Men and Teams in Demand for New Haven Station Improvements—Death of Charles F. Austin—Probate Court Business—Players to Divide Gate Receipts at Home Games.

The preliminary active work in connection with the improved railroad facilities in Westery is of necessity progressing slowly at present, as it is impossible to put a large force at work until the side track is laid along the front of the Dixon homestead, when the steam shovel can be put in operation and the leveling of the immense bank commenced. It is planned to do as much of the work as possible during the summer and fall and with that fact in view a representative of the construction department of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. is here endeavoring to secure all available teams to engage in the work and has offered \$5 a day for all double teams with driver, an advance of 25 cents a day over the prevailing rate, and guarantees to give steady work to all who apply. Negotiations are also being made with owners of stone crushing plants in this vicinity to furnish 10,000 tons of crushed stone in connection with the work. All local laborers who desire will be given employment, while the work of improvement is in operation. The proposed railroad improvements which carries with it the elimination of the Canal street grade crossing, a new passenger station and a freight depot, will be the biggest work ever undertaken in Westery, and for it the railroad company has made an appropriation of \$366,000.

Charles F. Austin, a former resident of Westery, an expert granite cutter, died Monday afternoon of heart failure at his home in Spring street, Newport, where he has resided for twenty years. Mr. Austin was a prominent citizen of Newport and interested in the politics of that city. Several years ago he was a member of the city council and served as president of that body for one term. Mr. Austin was born in Charleston, R. I. in 1839, and lived in Westery from 1885 until 1891, when he removed to Newport. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew S. Austin. He is survived by Mrs. Austin, a son, George B., and a daughter, Mary Chace Austin. He also leaves a brother, William B. Austin of Westery, and two sisters, Mrs. George W. Norman and Mrs. Ida C. Lillibridge of Westery. He was a member of Franklin Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, of Westery, and of Washington community, Knights Templar, of Newport, and of the Second Baptist church, Newport. Burial will be at River Bend, Thursday.

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The eightieth annual convention of the American Institute of Instruction will be held in Providence, June 27, July 1, inclusive, and a programme including all branches of education has been arranged. Addresses will be presented from all sections of New England. William H. Holmes, superintendent of Westery schools, is a state vice president, member of the membership committee, of the general executive committee, and of the state committee on organization and the superintendents of schools of Rhode Island.

A case of scarlet fever was found Tuesday in the family of Giuseppe Giarino at 16 Spring street. Dr. John L. May, and reported to Lewis Stanton, health officer. The patient is Mary Giarino, there are five other children of the family who have been exposed to the disease, as well as all the children in the neighborhood, and there are many others. Strict quarantine has been placed on the Giarino tenement and a close watch will be kept for the appearance of the disease among the other children.

Clifford Stewart, who resides in the vicinity of Lord's hill, is getting his bumps. A few days ago someone passing through his pasture left the gate open and one of his cows wandered on the railroad tracks and was killed by a passing train. The day following, Mr. Stewart saw what he supposed to be a dead woodchuck lying on the ground. He picked it up by the tail and walked off with it. He had not gone far when the animal showed unmistakable signs of life and fastened its teeth in the calf of Mr. Stewart's right leg as he passing. Mr. Stewart suffered much pain, had the wound cauterized and is making slow recovery from the injury.

At the regular bi-monthly session of the Westery probate court, Judge Edward M. Burke, Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Ruth Varn was appointed administratrix of the estate of Enoch W. Varn and bonds were fixed at \$10,000. Executors, Pendleton, James McColl and John W. Sander were named as appraisers.

Upon petition of Louis M. Smith, a minor over fourteen, the Washington Trust company was appointed guardian of his person and estate. Bonds fixed at \$10,000. Executors, D. Healey and George S. Hillman were appointed appraisers. Upon petition of the Washington Trust company to be placed in charge of the person and estate of Alton W. Smith, a minor under fourteen; bonds \$2,000, and the same appraisers. The boys are sons of William Smith and Mary Smith-Rhodes, deceased.

The will of Evan C. Burdick, who died May 26, 1911, was admitted to probate, and Judge J. W. Sweeney confirmed as executor in bonds of \$10,000. The appraisers are Eugene B. Pendleton, John J. Dunn and James W. Burke.

The inventory of the estate of Horace P. Lanphere, showing valuation of \$1,773.91, was approved for record.

John Silver, noted for his crooked financial transactions in New York City, was sentenced to three months in the jail for his wrongdoings. Silver was born in Stonington and was once herded as his home, and was once herded as a millionaire bookbinder, by rising from the meanest of slinging shoes to a master of finance. He soon fell from the high financial pedestal and for several years has been notorious as a rascal of each under false pretences and worked his game to some extent in Westery about three years ago.

His latest transaction that has come to the surface was worked in Providence upon the firm of Belcher & Loomis. Being of good appearance, and an accomplished conversationalist, he formed an acquaintanceship upon the members of the firm. On April 22 he issued a draft on the First National bank of Stonington, for \$10 to the Belcher & Loomis Hardware Co. and soon thereafter it was revealed that the firm had been swindled to this amount.

The facts were reported to the police department, and warrant was issued for the arrest of Silver, in which he was charged with obtaining money under false pretences in writing. On June 8, Constable S. Horton, chief inspector of the Providence police department, wrote to Deputy Sheriff William H. Casey the facts in the proceedings and asked that Silver be arrested and held for the Providence officers, and that he be declined to leave Connecticut without the formality of extradition, to hold him as a fugitive from justice.

Sherrill Case, went to Stonington borough Tuesday morning and returned to Pawcatuck with Silver as a prisoner. Silver did not object to being taken to the state and was placed in the jail.

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The Westery police station and the Providence police notified. Inspector Monahan came to Westery Tuesday afternoon and escorted Silver to Providence, for trial.

Local Laconics. The Westery Yacht club has arranged for a carnival on the Pawcatuck river, July 1, Tuesday evening.

Graduating exercises of Westery high school in Bliven opera house this (Wednesday) afternoon.

A lawn festival was held at the congregational church, Tuesday evening, which was liberally patronized.

Miss Sally Frankenstein of Pawcatuck was among the junior ushers at the try procession at Smith college on Monday.

It has been decided to divide the gate receipts at all home games, baseball team.

Town Treasurer James M. Pendleton, a brother of Miss Pendleton, president of Westery college, is attending the commencement exercises.

Local contractors will be given opportunity to bid for some of the work in connection with the proposed improvement of railroad facilities in Westery.

With the exception of the small section allotted for an office, the entire first floor of the new James A. Welch building will be devoted to one large store. It will probably be located for grocery and meat department store.

Congressman Utter has named J. Milton Payne to succeed William H. Barlow as postmaster at Pawcatuck. This is not in line with the department plan to promote assistant postmasters, as was done at Westery and Woonsocket.

MYSTIC Passmore-Rafferty, Collis-Holly Weddings—Preliminary Work on Old Mystic Trolley Spur—Clyde Burrows in Town.

The marriage of Miss Nellie Rafferty, daughter of Mrs. James Rafferty, and Ralph Passmore, a young business man of this place, took place Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the rectory of St. Patrick's church, Rev. Fr. Fleming performing the ceremony. The bride was attired in a traveling dress of blue with picture hat to match.

Mrs. George Connelley, a sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and Cornelius C. Costello was best man. After the ceremony there was a reception and supper at the home of the bride's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Passmore left on an evening train for a wedding trip to be spent in Italy. The bride received many useful and valuable presents. Upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Passmore will reside on Greenmanville avenue.

Collis-Holly. A pretty wedding took place at Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo E. Collis Tuesday afternoon at 12 o'clock. The bride, Miss Alice H. Holly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Holly and niece of Mrs. Collis, and Arthur Alonzo Collis, a nephew of Mr. Collis, of North Amherst, Mass., were united in marriage by Rev. C. T. Hatch of the Methodist Episcopal church. The house was decorated with daisies and laurel. The ceremony was performed in a lower of daisies. Mrs. Thomas W. Ryley played the organ. The choir from Longbrin and played O Promise Me during the wedding ceremony. The bride was attired in silk, cut princess, with train. She wore a veil encrusted with a diamond, the gift of the groom. Miss Florence Collis, a cousin of the groom, was bridesmaid. She wore white net over white and carried a shower bouquet of roses. Harry B. Mackenzie was best man. The ushers were Misses Etta Lanphere and Addie Russell, cousins of the bride, and Miss George Collis of North Amherst, sister of the groom. After the ceremony a reception was held and a wedding breakfast served. Mr. and Mrs. Collis left for a wedding trip to be spent in Massachusetts and will reside in North Amherst, where a furnished home awaits them. The bride received many valuable gifts, including checks, cut glass, silver and linen.

Work on Old Mystic Spur Line. Work on the trolley between Old Mystic and Mystic has begun and a large number of Italian laborers have arrived in town for that purpose. The work of carrying the ties along the road from Fox's blacksmith shop toward Old Mystic has started. The line will start at the Mystic station and come as far as Washington street and Broadway, when it will follow the main line to East Main street, going up Broadway to Willow street, up Greenmanville avenue, continuing to Old Mystic. It will probably be two months before the work is finished.

Clyde Burrows at Home. Clyde Burrows, who has signed with the Pittsburgh team for this season, has been spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. George L. Wilcox. Mr. Burrows will join the team in New York and will travel west again. Many friends are glad to hear of his great work and the advancement he has made. While in Mystic he had good record with the Mystic team and also with the Westery High school team. He went south two years ago to college and won a great reputation as pitcher in the Macon college team. His first training was done under Frank Wilcox, who this season is pitching for the Mystic team in the Connecticut-Rhode Island league.

Local Briefs. Attorney Benjamin H. Hewitt and Frank Barber spent Tuesday in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Collis of Amherst at the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo E. Collis.

Mrs. Pearl Quimby of Norwich spent Tuesday with her aunt, Mrs. Amos Hancock.

Charles D. Tingey of Norwich spent Tuesday with his father, George W. Tingey.

BUILDING TRADES BUSY. Hartford Construction Work Continues to Keep Men Busy.

Men who work at the building trades in Hartford have had plenty of employment so far this summer, and judging by the way that Building In-

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pector Michael F. Jordan is turning out permits, the activity in the building trades is likely to continue until well into the fall. There were thirty permits issued during the week ended Friday, many of them providing for work of a substantial kind. The estimated value of the work called for under the permits is \$194,760.

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