

DANIELSON AND PUTNAM NEWS

DANIELSON

Henry M. Reardon, for Alleged Embezzlement of \$2,000 from Mina M. Wright, Taken to Jail by Sheriff Sibley—Arrested in New York—Held in \$5,000 Bonds.

Henry M. Reardon, 55, of New York, was locked up at the Brooklyn jail Tuesday, where he was taken Monday night by Sheriff Preston E. Sibley, by whom he was brought back from New York to Plainfield to face a charge of having embezzled \$2,000 from Mina M. Wright of that town. Reardon was arraigned before Justice of the Peace George E. Torrey and probable cause found for holding him for trial at the March term of the superior court for Windham county. In default of the amount of his bond, fixed at \$5,000, he was taken to jail, where he said Tuesday that he expected to be released soon on bail.

The embezzlement charge against Reardon grows out of an alleged transaction with Mina M. Wright in which it is claimed that he had received from her for stock in the Columbian-Sterling Publishing company, after representing that the stock was a 15 per cent. investment during the year previous to the deal out of which the suit grows, and that he never delivered all the stock for which she put up her money.

It was said Tuesday by a prominent Plainfield man who went to New York to identify Reardon after the arrest, that about \$25,000 of Plainfield people's money has been invested in the magazine that has had its troubles already so much of late. It is not known that any more of these people will bring suits, though they may do so.

There is also a charge against Reardon of obtaining money from Miss Wright under false pretences, this in connection with the purchase of other stocks.

In the apprehension of Reardon, Sheriff Sibley had something of an effort to make. Last week notice was made of the arrest of Reardon in New York for using the United States mail to defraud and of the fact that he had been bound over after a hearing before Commissioner Shields to await a further hearing on the matter. Bonds being fixed at \$5,000, in default of which he was committed to the Tombs.

State Attorney Searls of Putnam being advised of his arrest, secured a bench warrant last week from Judge Edwin B. Gager, charging Reardon with the embezzlement count cited. Sheriff Sibley secured a requisition, reached Albany that night, and secured his warrant, arriving at New York Friday afternoon. Here he found that Reardon had been released on bail from the Tombs and was at large and he placed his warrant in the hands of Deputy Police Commissioner Sylvester Britton, who advised the sheriff to return home, as it might be many days before Reardon could be arrested.

Sunday, however, Mr. Sibley received word that Reardon had been arrested at 31 Wall street, and to proceed to New York at once and take him. This affidavit, being accompanied by A. H. Mathewson of Plainfield, who would be able to identify Reardon in case that point was raised to a grand jury.

Mr. Mathewson's presence prevented this point being raised, but Reardon's counsel contended that his previous arrest, holding by United States authorities was sufficient to prevent his being taken out of the state until after the matter was settled.

This claim was not upheld by the city authorities of New York, however, they deciding that while Reardon was at liberty he was liable to arrest for any other offence; therefore he was held and after presentation in the district attorney's office Monday, was turned over to Sheriff Sibley and brought to Central Village Monday night.

Reardon waived examination and was bound over and jailed as indicated. The utmost courtesy was extended Sheriff Sibley by all who had any part in the proceeding incident in getting the prisoner back to Connecticut.

THANK OFFERING SOCIAL

Provides Pleasure for Congenial Company at Methodist Church.

There was a pleasant time at the Methodist church parlors Tuesday evening when a Thanksgiving thank offering social was held, the following being the programme:

Orchestra, processional of thankful people; selection from Robin Hood; Balaklava Glee club, 20 men's voices; reading; instrumental duet; medley; talk; honor and love; Gouard, double quartette; orchestra selection.

During the evening refreshments were served by the ladies. The special feature of the evening was the bringing of contributions of various kinds of provisions to be used for the making of a brighter and more cheerful holiday for the needy of Danielson.

OBITUARY.

Miss May L'Heureux, 22, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gaultier L'Heureux, died at the home of her parents in Westfield Tuesday after an illness of only a few days, her death causing surprise and deep sympathy. She is survived by her parents, and by a brother and a sister.

Thanksgiving Eve.

Many of the stores in Danielson that are usually closed on Wednesday evenings will remain open tonight on account of being the eve of a holiday and owing to the fact that many of them will be closed all of Thanksgiving day.

Ill-Mannered Pupils. Whether it be from lack of discipline or the absence of supervision during the noon hour is difficult to indicate, but residents near the graded school on School street have been frequently annoyed and offended of late by impertinent remarks yelled to them by pupils in the rooms, and old enough to have been taught better manners.

Non-Support Case Continued. Judge James N. Tucker of East Killingly presided at the session of the town court held Tuesday morning, at which time a man, who evidently was not wholly wrong in the matter, was up on a charge of having failed to support his child. Considering the circumstances, the case was continued.

Briefs and Personals. Mrs. George Domingue of Central Falls, R. I., is spending a few days

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with Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon Domingue of Franklin street. Miss Alice Rawson will spend the holidays with friends in Whitinsville, Mass.

Charles Bortorilli, who left here a few weeks ago, has arrived safely at his home near Florence, Italy. Frederick E. Bitgood was in Boston Tuesday on a business trip.

Miss Maude Graves will be the guest of friends in Taunton over Thanksgiving. Mrs. Minnie Dubriel, who was taken to the Day-Kimball hospital at Putnam last week, was reported as improved on Tuesday, with the chances favoring her ultimate recovery.

Miss Ruth Smith of Smith college, Northampton, Mass., will be her home in Danielson for the Thanksgiving recess.

Moosup and Danielson bowlers will roll two more times during the morning at Moosup and in Danielson in the afternoon.

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Tangled Case in Superior Court Growing out of Domestic Troubles of Thirza Woodhead's Heirs—Not So Many School Children—Dramatic Night at Pomfret School.

In the superior court here Tuesday, Judge Edwin B. Gager, presiding, all of the day was consumed in taking evidence in the case of the state of Connecticut vs. the Maryland Fidelity & Deposit Co., Attorneys Charles E. Searls and Charles L. Torrey for the plaintiff, and Attorneys Robinson and Robinson, New Haven, for the defendant. An outline of the basis of the action is as follows:

Thirza Woodhead died in Killingly about four years ago. Her son, Fred Woodhead of Worcester, was named as administrator of her estate. Later, Fred's wife, Mary Louise, secured a divorce from him and in connection therewith was allowed alimony at the rate of \$5 a week.

In 1905 she brought suit in Connecticut to recover accrued alimony to date and in the suit garnished the distributive share of Thirza Woodhead's estate, and got judgment for about \$2,000. She then brought scire facis suit against him as administrator of the estate to recover the money which had been garnished, which suit failed, because he was found to be without the money that should have been in his possession as administrator of his mother's estate.

The present suit, therefore, is against the alimony deposit company which supplied his bonds, as administrator. The defence in the present suit is along the lines that Mrs. Woodhead was cognizant of the fact that her husband was something of a spendthrift and that she had been a party to his getting rid of some of the money.

Mr. Woodhead died about a year ago. The taking of the evidence in the case was completed Tuesday.

Decrease in Number of School Children. Allen Bowen has completed the enumeration of the children of school age, 4 to 15 years, in the town of Putnam, Armand Lizotts having assisted in enumerating among the French-Canadian families of the town.

While the figures are not yet completed for publication, it is known that the total will show a slight decrease from the enumeration figures of 1910, and in this connection it may be noted that this has been the case for the past four years, during which a slight but steady decrease has been shown; the total loss in that time being estimated at about 300. The reason for this is difficult to determine.

Commissioners Finishing Report. County Commissioners Barber, Hall and Cortis were in the offices of the clerk of the superior court Tuesday for a meeting at which various minor matters of county business were considered and disposed of. The commissioners are about ready to give out their annual reports; it is probable that these will be ready to issue next week.

Woodstock Woman's Estate Insolvent. It is announced in connection with the estate of Mary C. McGee, Woodstock, which has been represented as insolvent, that the commissioners appointed, Henry L. Sanford, Woodstock, and Judge Edward G. Wright, Putnam, to receive and determine upon claims against the estate filed with the administrator of the estate, Henry T. Childs, are to meet in the probate court at Woodstock early in December.

Dramatics at Pomfret School. Tuesday evening at Pomfret school was marked by the presentation of a Shakespearean Water Cure, a dramatic production in which the cast was composed of students. This was the annual dramatic night at the school, an event of some importance among the special features of the year at the institution.

Unclaimed Letters. Letters addressed as follows are unclaimed at the Putnam postoffice this week: Mrs. Delmer Croft, Mrs. Ethel Taylor, Juliette Duval, Mrs. Harriet Williams, Edward Miles, Jerry Rebert, M. E. Stark.

FUNERAL

Ladavitt Clark. At the chapel in Eastford Tuesday, Rev. James R. King officiating, funeral services for Ladavitt Clark, 60, a resident of the town, were held. Burial was at Eastford. L. E. Smith of Putnam was the undertaker in charge. Ida Bates May Have Lived in Thompson.

Thompson people are very much interested in the probability that the Ida Bates who was murdered recently at East Weymouth, Mass., was formerly a resident of their town, having left there a considerable time ago. Circumstances surrounding the case in question seem to indicate that the former Thompson woman is the victim of the tragedy.

Double Attraction Arranged. In connection with the Putnam-Danielson basketball game to be played here Thanksgiving afternoon, the teams of the Baptist Sunday school and Woodstock academy are to be pitted against each other as a side attraction that will probably be very interesting.

To Distribute 1,052 Turkeys. Mrs. Mabel Hunt Slater, widow of H. N. Slater, who was owner of the big Slater mills, the chief industrial asset of the nearby town of Webster, will cause to be distributed today to employees of the Slater mills in the East, North and South villages, 1,052 turkeys of a total weight of 12,000 pounds, this being in keeping with an annual Thanksgiving practice Mrs. Slater established four years ago.

The coming of 1912 will mark the 16th anniversary of the establishment in Webster of a cotton mill. Samuel Slater, one of the pioneers of the business in the United States, being the owner.

F. Wilder returned Tuesday from a business trip in Maine. Bristol.—The Protestant churches of the city will unite this (Wednesday) evening, and hold a union Thanksgiving service in Prospect Methodist church in Summer street. Rev. Ernest L. Wisner, pastor of the Congregational church, will deliver the sermon.

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STAFFORD SPRINGS

Town School Committee Organizes—The Year's Schedule—Seniors' Washington Trip March 16.

The town school committee has elected the following officers: Chairman, R. H. Flek; secretary, M. D. O'Connell; auditors, William S. Walbridge, M. D. O'Connell; building committee, Rev. J. P. Booth, H. A. Glazier, M. D. O'Connell; acting visitors, borough schools, R. H. Flek and M. D. O'Connell; Crystal Lake, Stafford, Staffordville, Rockville Hill and Leonard districts, Rev. J. P. Booth; Orcuttville, Crow Hill and Lull districts, Herbert A. Glazier; West Stafford Center and Davis districts, Myron P. Avery; transportation committee, the acting visitor in each district.

It was voted to close the schools Thursday and Friday of this week for the Thanksgiving recess. The fall term will close December 15 for two weeks vacation. The winter term will open January 2 and close March 15, and the spring term will extend from April 1 to June 30. Holidays, February 22, April 5, and May 20. The high school seniors will go on their Washington trip March 15.

Heard About the Borough.

Miss Dora Todd of Brattleboro, Vt., is a guest at E. E. Fitzpatrick's, a great feast at the King Arthur in the basement of Grace church this (Wednesday) afternoon.

There will be a meeting of Stafford Castle, Knights of King Arthur in the basement of Grace church this (Wednesday) afternoon.

There is a case of diphtheria in the family of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Zolet, who live in the red house west of the fair grounds.

Mrs. David Wood and family are moving to Ludlow, Mass. Michael Donahue has entered the employ of Gary Bros.

Miss Edith Jenkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugs Jenkins of the Hollow, is ill with diphtheria. Miss Amelia Barsalov, who has been ill with the same disease, is recovering.

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