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# The Bulletin.
Norwich, Friday, Jan. 12, 1912.


## VARIOUS MATTERS

Ice fishermen are preparing for sport.

Today the church commemorates St. David's day.

Witch hazel mills about the county are having a prosperous season.

Milkmen are convinced that they have merited Carnegie hero medals, after their hardships this week.

Greatest medium in the world, May Pepper Vanderbilt, at Spiritual Academy, Sunday, at 11 and 7.30.—adv.

Sportsmen are looking out for the regular feeding of game birds, whose supplies have been cut off since the storms began.

There is a movement among Swedish Lutheran churches to insure the return to the old-fashioned custom of family prayer.

In spite of the cold, there is the consoling reflection that the short winter days are past, the day's length having already increased sixteen minutes.

In looking up the records, one citizen finds that 25 years ago, in January, 1887, the total depth of the several falls of snow was 32 inches on a level.

Winter necessaries, heavy clothing, footwear, furs, blankets, etc., are selling well, and merchants are grateful to the cold snap for moving their winter stocks.

The Greeks, Russians, Bulgarians, Albanians, Servians and others from the Balkan states residing in this city are making preparations to celebrate their New Year's on Sunday, the 14th.

The district superintendent, Rev. J. H. Newland, of Norwich, is holding the closing quarterly conferences in the Methodist churches, in anticipation of the end of the conference year in April.

Since only a few members of the Connecticut Creamery association attended the short meeting in room 68 at the capitol, the election of officers was postponed until the quarterly meeting in April.

Rev. J. H. Newland, district superintendent, will preach in the Baltic Methodist Episcopal church Sunday morning and he will hold the fourth quarterly conference with that church on Monday evening.

Prominent business men and political workers are receiving invitations to attend the annual banquet of the New Haven chamber of commerce which will be held in that city in the new Hotel Taft on January 19.

Ernest Lamb of Ledyard, with a friend, has killed 17 foxes up to the present. Wednesday he secured an especially large one, which he had wounded the day before. He considered the pelt worth at least $9.

Mrs. Alice Phillips Tracy observed the 85th anniversary of her birth on Wednesday in the home of her son, Myron E. Tracy, in Webster, Mass. One of her four children is Mrs. Emma A. Fairbanks of New Boston, Windham county.

During 1911 the total receipts of St. Joseph's Polish parish, Rev. J. J. Ambot, pastor, was $7,064.23 and the total disbursements about $3,476, the year ending with a balance of $588.61. The only debt of the parish is a mortgage of $1,000.

A charitable worker said Thursday that there was a warm future awaiting those who are hoarding blankets and clothing in attics and closets for moths to consume, while many a poor neighbor is shivering, through cold nights and days.

William Hall Agard, a former resident of Tolland, was killed by a train in Pittsburgh Sunday. The body was brought to Tolland Wednesday to the home of his parents. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon with burial in the North cemetery at Rockville.

According to a notice issued by the postoffice department a postmaster must, in accordance with one of the postal laws, notify senders of packages which have been detained owing to insufficient postage and for which the sender has pledged himself to pay.

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the residence of Henry Gardiner, proprietor of the Millstone quarries, at Waterford, Wednesday night. The residence, a two-story frame building, was leveled to the ground. The loss is estimated at about $5,000.

Members of women's clubs are receiving notification that the Federation of Women's Clubs of the New England states will be the guests of the Connecticut Federation of Women's Clubs in New Haven, January 30 and 31. The topics to be considered will be child labor, conservation and pure milk.

May 2, 1911, on the first anniversary of his consecration, Bishop J. J. Nilan preached to a congregational of about 2,000 men in St. Joseph's cathedral, Hartford. At that time the Holy Name societies in the state had a total membership of about 10,000. Now the membership is estimated as at least 25,000—a marvelous growth for a period of eight months.

Former Representative Michael F. Skelly, superintendent of the state capitol, died Tuesday evening at his home in Woodbury, after a short illness. He leaves his wife, four sons and three daughters, one of the daughters being Mrs. Joseph Wedge of Harriton, Pa., formerly of Norwich. Mr. and Mrs. Skelly celebrated their golden wedding October 6, 1910.

## TOOK PRIZES AT WORCESTER.

### Received a Special, Seven Firsts and One Third on Pigeons at Poultry Show.

Kenneth Church, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard P. Church, of this city, was one of the exhibitors at the Worcester poultry show and also one of the prize winners. He showed eight of his fancy pigeons there, with the result that he took seven first and one third prize, while he was also awarded a special prize. This is an excellent showing with so large a competition.

### John Murphy Joins Minstrels.

Johnny Murphy, one of the two dancing boys with Primrose, spent a day or two here visiting his mother this week, and left for New York Thursday night to rejoin the company. They leave soon for a western tour, beginning at Buffalo, N. Y., and working up through the Canadian northwest before turning south to California. Murphy is on the bill this year in a singing and dancing trio which is making a hit.

### Ice in River.

Ice prevented river traffic Thursday. It was so thick off Riverside, floating down in large sheets, that tug Abram P. Skidmore, which was trying to get to Allyn's Point for barges, had to turn back.

Steamer Chelsea later started up the river and encountered the ice. The large steamer, with ice plow, had slow work cutting through the ice.

## PERSONAL

Miss Irene Beswick is able to be out after a serious illness.

Mrs. Annie T. Henley of New London was in Norwich Thursday evening.

Miss Maude T. Walsh has returned to New York after spending the holidays in town.

Louis R. Porteous returned Thursday evening from New York where he attended the auto show.

Miss Elizabeth A. Marx of Marcy, N. Y., is visiting with her cousin, Mrs. Rollo H. Harris, on the Stonington road, and will visit other relatives before returning home.

## SECOND CHURCH HAS ITS ANNUAL MEETING.

### Supper and Roll Call Preceded It, With a Large Attendance.

In the parlors of the Second Congregational church on Thursday evening there was an attendance of about 150 at a supper served by the Church Improvement society, of which Miss Sarah Tyler is president, the society having the assistance of the women of the parish, while the young men acted as waiters. The tables were decorated with cut flowers.

This was the idea started this year and brought a large attendance. The roll call followed, with the members seated at the tables, those present responding, some giving a verse of scripture. Many of those unable to attend wrote their greetings, and there was a poem for the occasion sent by John Troland. A solo, entitled Come Out, was finely rendered by Mrs. George T. Lord, while a duet by Mrs. Lord and Miss Worth was likewise beautifully given.

Rev. H. J. Wyckoff opened the annual meeting with prayer, after which the reports of the officials for the past year were read and approved. It was shown by Clerk H. D. Johnson that there had been eight received into the church during the year and 11 removals, the memebrship being 348. The treasurer's report, given by Nathan A. Gibbs, showed that $1,232.43 had been contributed to benevolences.

Officers were elected as follows: Clerk, Henry D. Johnson; treasurer, Nathan A. Gibbs; auditor, J. H. Haviland; deacon, Edmund A. Prentice; church committee, pastor, deacons, Mrs. E. R. Huntington, Mrs. H. F. Palmer, Mrs. J. D. Haviland, Miss N. E. Lucas, Mrs. H. J. Wyckoff, H. F. Palmer, William H. Allen, Daniel C. Graham and John H. Sherman.

The selection of the outlook committee was left to the church committee. The committee on church charities was named, to include Mrs. Lucy A. Forbes, Mrs. J. D. Haviland and Mrs. A. A. Robinson. The assessment to the general conference was voted and the selection of the members of the music committee was left with the chairman with power.

It was voted that it was the sense of the meeting that instead of the Fast day and Thanksgiving union services being restricted to four churches that others be invited to join therein.

Rev. H. J. Wyckoff combined the reports for the various societies in a general report in which he reviewed the work of each throughout the year. He spoke of the Sunday school with its 206 members, the Finding Out club, the Boy Scout movement, the Alpha Sigma society, the Church Improvement society, Home Missionary society, Men's league, Christian Endeavor society and cradle roll.

Six recommendations were made by him, as follows:

A concerted effort should be made to get every child five years old and upwards in the parish to attend the Sunday morning service of the church.

All the men should be gotten into some active responsibility.

The changing of the church year from January to October, to keep the church work fresh with the renewed vigor after the vacation period.

Development of the ideal of the social life of the church, welcome all strangers.

Appointment of a church missionary committee for suitable missionary instructions in all departments of church life.

The starting of an endowment fund for the purpose of maintaining the work of the church, the goal to be $50,000.

A vote of thanks was extended to the improvement society and the ladies of the church for providing the supper, and a vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Wyckoff for his report and in recognition of his work and the suggestions made, the meeting pledging him their support in carrying out the same.

A social hour followed the meeting.

## COMMITTEE HEARS MOTION IN JODOIN-HIGGINS CASE.

### Has Taken It Under Consideration—What a Democratic Member Thinks.

(Special to The Bulletin.)

Washington, Jan. 11.—Elections committee No. 3 took up the contested election case of Jodoin vs. Higgins yesterday and heard arguments from the attorneys on both sides. Attorney Thayer for Mr. Jodoin and Attorney Henney for Mr. Higgins. Mr. Thayer spoke for an hour in favor of opening the boxes, after which was closely cross examined by members of the committee. Mr. Henney spoke for ten minutes, but was not cross examined. The chairman, Representative Goldfogle, of New York, said the committee would take the question of opening the boxes up in executive session within a few days.

One of the democratic members of the committee said that Mr. Thayer did not make much of a showing for his side.

The contestee, Mr. Jodoin, was present, but Mr. Higgins was not.

## OBITUARY.

### Patrick Brennan.

Patrick Brennan, whose wife died on Dec. 17, succumbed to a short illness of a complication of diseases at his home, 655 Lafayette street Bridgeport, Wednesday. Mr. Brennan was a molder. The shock of his wife's demise is believed to have materially affected his own health. He is survived by three daughters, Mary, Catherine and Agnes, all of Bridgeport.

### Rudder Snapped Off.

The steel tug Walter Luckenbach of New York had a peculiar experience in the Race Thursday morning. She was lifted high on a rolling wave until her rudder was out of water and then a cross sea struck her suddenly, snapping off the post as if it were a pipestem. By skilful maneuvering the captain made New London without the aid of a steering apparatus. The tug Atkins Hughes of the same line towed the Luckenbach to New York in the afternoon.

### Miss Richards Gets Doll.

A prize doll which was awarded to the one lucky enough to guess her name was awarded on Thursday at the Haile club to Miss Mary Richards. The name was Marie, the doll being beautifully gowned in pink silk, with white furs.

### Neapians at New London.

Deputy Grand Warden S. Howard Mead, with a delegation from Norwich lodge, No. 248, attended the meeting of Huguenot lodge, N. E. O. P., in New London on Thursday evening, where Deputy Mead installed its officers.

The paper of which our money is made is manufactured of linen rags from the Orient and silk from Italy or China.

# ARRESTING DELINQUENT TAXPAYERS

## Police Serve Warrants Issued by City Attorney For Non Payment of Personal Tax—Seven Paid on Thursday.

Fourteen have been arrested so far for failure to pay their personal tax. By direction of the law the tax collector on Thursday turned over to City Attorney Hall the list of those who had not paid their tax as the law requires, though it was due last March, and they have been notified several times since that it must be paid.

On Thursday there were five from in town who called on the collector and paid $2 in each instance and there were two from among those who had left the city who sent their money. There was a list of 33 residents in town, liable to the tax whose names were given the city attorney and he was busy Thursday afternoon, making out the warrants for their arrest. There is one of the number who had telephoned the collector he would pay and if he brings in the money he will not be prosecuted.

The warrants were given to the police to serve Thursday evening with the result that there were 14 arrests made. At the Falls Policeman Kane made inquiry among the mill help for some of the delinquents. One when pointed out exclaimed, "I'm sick!" and fell in a heap on the floor. He was anxious not to be arrested but went with the officer just the same.

The delinquents were allowed to give bail in the sum of $6 for their appearance in court this morning, and most of them took advantage of this, escaping a night behind the bars. There were two, however, who did not furnish security, William Hourigan and Edward Reavy, and they occupied cells during the night. The other twelve who were arrested were Frank Samek, Albert Drordo, John Larkin, James Thompson, Jr., Louis Debarros, Alexander Anklewski, S. Bubliski, B. Alyasky, M. Varonic, M. Koskenski, M. Gudeshn, E. Gudeshn. The ages varied from 19 to 60 years.

## POSAMASTER CARUTHERS WILLING TO BE SANTA CLAUS.

### Has the Following Unclaimed Articles on Hand Since Christmas—Must Be Identified.

Postmaster Caruthers announces that he has the following articles on hand at the Norwich postoffice, which are unclaimed after the Christmas holidays:

One package containing May Manton pattern; table cover, armlets and lace collar without wrapper or address, but with card "Armlets and doll from Mother" and "Collar from Mollie;" package with wrapper torn, address and part of name missing—"Comstock," containing a calendar with card "Auntie Comstock from Muriel;" also an astrakan and fur muff was left in the money order department.

To obtain any of these articles it will be necessary to call at the postmaster's office.

## SPECIAL TAX COMMISSION IS SEEKING DATA

### Examining Into System of Taxation of Railroads and Street Railways.

The following notice has been sent to a large number of individuals, corporations and associations throughout the state by Secretary Corbin of the special commission on taxation of corporations:

Section 2 of Chapter 283 of the public acts of 1911 provides as follows:

"Within sixty days after the passage of this act, the governor shall appoint a commission of three disinterested persons to examine into the system of the taxation of railroads and street railways located partly or wholly within this state, and also of all other corporations paying taxes to the state, and the statutes relating thereto, and to make such recommendations in connection therewith to the next general assembly as shall deem to them advisable."

The commission appointed by his excellency, the governor, in accordance with the above act, wishes to secure all the information possible relative to any practical and desirable changes in any of the present statutes of this state which now govern the taxation of corporations paying taxes to the state.

To this end the commission desires the co-operation of all interested in this subject, and requests your opinion as to any defects in the present laws of this state relating to the taxation of such corporations and your recommendations for improvements.

An early reply is desired as it is important that these suggestions be received prior to the public hearings which the commission may hold.

In addition the commission would be pleased to receive from you the names of any persons whom you may know, who are specially qualified to give information or assistance in the consideration of this matter.

## DEPUTY BOON INSTALLS MONTVILLE OFFICERS.

### American Mechanics Present Loving Cup to Councillor Walden.

Deputy Grand Councillor Ashley T. Boon installed the officers of America council, No. 39, Order United American Mechanics, at Montville on Thursday evening. The meeting was a most enthusiastic one, attended by forty members of the council, among whom there was great rejoicing over the great record made in the past twelve months in new membership gain. Twenty-four were taken in in that time.

In recognition of the prominent part played by Councillor Walden he was presented by the council with a handsome three handled silver loving cup.

Councillor Walden was elected at the beginning of the year for a six months term, and at once work the council up to a membership campaign, so that when the term was over he was re-elected for another six months to keep up the good work, resulting in the big gain during the past twelve months.

A bountiful turkey supper was served as the concluding feature of the evening.

## MISS HAMILTON COMING.

### Will Speak to Haile Club Members on Sunday Afternoon.

A visit from Miss Jean Hamilton, secretary of the National League of Women Workers, which has been in prospect for the Haile club for some time, was settled this week to take place on Sunday, as Miss Hamilton sent notice that she would come then. Notices were mailed from the club on Thursday to the club members, inviting them to meet Miss Hamilton at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the club.

Miss Hamilton was here at the organization of the club, and has since visited it a number of times, her coming always being awaited with interest by the members, since her message is one of renewed inspiration for the work, bringing up matters of importance for their consideration. It is expected the meeting will be largely attended.

### Without Home or Relatives or Work.

An 18 year old boy who was at one time in the county home, but who has been working on farms, was found on the street by Policeman Smith Thursday evening looking for a place to stay or the night. He was taken to police headquarters and given shelter. The young man looked cold and was sad at his predicament. He said he had worked at North Stonington and also at Norwich Town, but was out of work at present. He said he used to live in Westerly. His parents are dead and he has no relatives that he knows of. The boy looks young for the age he gave, but should make good if given a chance.

### Board of Trade Banquet.

It has been decided that the annual banquet of the Board of Trade will be held on the evening of Feb. 19th at the Wauregan house.

A solution of 12 per cent. borax and 8 per cent. resin is woven into wool by electricity in France to preserve it.

## THEATER PARTY FOR ARCANUM CLUB MEMBERS

### New Method of Entermainment for Club Night — Refreshments Served After the Show.

That it was a popular "club night" at the Arcanum club Thursday evening was attested by the fact that about 125 gathered at the club at 8 o'clock, and as the committee on entertainment had arranged attended the performance at Poli's theater, sitting in a body in the orchestra. Brewster's Millions was thoroughly enjoyed and the illustrated songs were a feature much appreciated.

At the close of the show the members returned to the club house, where a buffet lunch was served by the Wauregan. At this was present the male members of the Poli players, for whom there was a reception at the close. Fried smelt, salad, sandwiches, pickles, coffee and cigars were included on the menu.

Those who arranged the club night and were responsible for its success were Louis R. Porteous, Will L. Stearns and George A. Keppler.

## WHIST GIVEN BY LADIES' AUXILIARY, A. O. H.

### Followed by Dancing Until Midnight—Prize Winners.

At T. A. B. hall on Thursday evening the Ladies' auxiliary, A. O. H., successfully conducted an evening of whist and dancing, which was made an especially enjoyable occasion for the many attending. From 8 to 10 whist was played, and this was followed by dancing until midnight, Lang's orchestra providing an attractive programme for the trippers of the light fantastic, and each number was enthusiastically encored. Among those present was the county president, Mrs. Annie T. Hanley, of New London.

Those to take the pretty prizes at whist were the following: Firsts—Michael Lynch, 31, an umbrella; Miss M. J. O'Connell, 42, a salad bowl; seconds, Patrick Coughlin, 31, a stein; Miss Holland, 41, a velvet shopping bag; consolations, to Peter Driscoll and Miss Mary O'Connell. Several tables of forty-five were also played, the prize here going to Miss Julia Donovan.

The president of the auxiliary, Mrs. Mary L. Sliney, was in general charge, and the details were in charge of the following committees: Tickets and music, Mrs. A. A. Brock, Mrs. M. Curley, Mrs. D. J. Moran; chairs and tables, Mrs. M. Curley, Miss Catherine Brennan, Mrs. M. L. Sliney; prizes, Mrs. Daniel McCormick and Miss Ella Higgins.

## STATE CONFERENCE OF CHARITIES IN WATERBURY.

### List of Officers and Committees for the Two Days' Gathering in April Next.

Plans are being made for the third annual conference of charities and correction, which will be held this year in Waterbury, in April, that of 1910 having been held in Hartford and the one last year in New Haven.

This year Arthur R. Kimball of Waterbury is president. The Waterbury lodge of Elks has offered the use of its clubhouse for the meetings.

The programme will be presented under the direction of six committees, each of which will have charge of one of the general sessions of the conference. One half hay will be given to a group of round table meetings for informal discussion and the conference will extend over two and one-half days, the days being Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 15, 16 and 17.

Rev. P. C. Wright is a vice president and on the executive committee are Mrs. Frank A. Mitchell of this city and Rev. J. W. Bixler of New London.

## PROTECTION VS. FREE TRADE

### Former Advocated by Albert Boardman Before Socialists.

A paper advocating Protection as against Free Trade, read by Albert Boardman on Thursday evening at the meeting of Norwich local of the socialist party, furnished food for a lively discussion at its meeting in the Stead building.

The paper summed up by saying that it is not only right but the duty of a nation to protect its people from dangerous and evil influences and to lead them to develop their resources. It does this, first, by maintaining as high as possible the standard of living by allowing higher wages to be paid for less hours of work. This improves the physical, mental and moral conditions of its people, and this again reacts and gives increased ability to produce.

Protection insures independence and prosperity in time of war by diversity of occupation, and increase of population and production react upon each other. Protection, furthermore, increases home markets, which are more stable, and saves to buyers the cost of transportation. It also creates a demand for new or otherwise waste products, and without it this nation would never have become so large or strong as it now is. It also allows us to make favorable exchanges with others by reciprocity treaties.

## PLANT IS CLOSED.

### Branch of Federal Biscuit Company in New London Shut Up.

Practically all of the employes of the Federal Biscuit company in New London were thrown out of employment Thursday. Manager C. Fred Washburn received a telegram from Receiver Wickersham directing him to close the plant and place it in care of the foreman.

There have been about 15 men employed at the plant of late, and they all lose their jobs. The foreman, in whose charge the plant is to be placed, is W. F. Clarke, who came from New York. The only other person who will be employed is a watchman.

Just how long the plant will be closed is unknown, as Manager Washburn has no other information than that which is contained in the telegram.

## THIRD COMPANY ELECTS OFFICERS AND COMMITTES.

### Reports Were Read and Approved and One Discharge Received—Officers Here Tonight.

Following the weekly drill of the Third company at the armory Thursday evening the annual meeting was held, at which the usual reports were read and approved.

For the ensuing year Henry Gebrath was made treasurer, an office which he continues in combination with the clerkship. Committees named were: Finance, Sergeant Brwster, Sergeant Thorpe, Private Mason; entertainment, Lieut. Smith, Sergeant Brewster, Corporal Gebrath; athletics, Lieut. Denison with the other two members to be named later.

One discharge for the benefit of the service was received that being to John A. Carberry.

Saturday afternoon there will be an inspection of the property of the Third company by a U. S. army inspector and at 8 o'clock the company will be present for inspection. Inasmuch as this is not the regular drill night, some difference in the attendance is expected. Captain Church and a detail will be present at the property inspection in the afternoon.

Tonight the officers' school will be held at the armory with Captain Taylor as instructor.

## FRANKLIN COUNCIL HOLDS ITS ANNUAL ASSEMBLY

### Officers Were Re-elected—Jewel Presented Past T. I., Justin Holden.

The annual assembly of Franklin council, No. 3, R. and S. M., at Masonic temple on Thursday evening was held with a good attendance. The reports were read and approved, showing the council in good financial condition. The membership is now 328, there having been twenty new members during the year. The deaths were as follows: Frederick H. Fanning, February 24; Hezekiah Perkins, March 7; John V. Lewis, March 27; George A. Bullock, April 6; E. P. Slocum, April 24; Ira L. Peck, May 15; John H. Cranston, September 12; Leroy Washburn, December 10; William Taylor December 14.

The officers of the council were re-elected as follows:

James C. Macpherson, master; Elmer D. Kinsman, deputy master; F. Leon Hutchins, prin. cond. of work; Peter S. Wilson, captain of the guard; Albert S. Comstock, treasurer; Charles C. Caulkins, recorder; James L. Hubbard, conductor; Herbert M. Lerou, steward; William R. Stevens, herald; E. Allen Bidwell, chaplain; Frank Corey, musical director; Irving N. Gifford, sentinel. Standing committee, Justin Holden, E. Allen Bidwell, Daniel F. McNeil. Trustees, Charles B. Chapman, Joseph W. Gilbert, Charles W. Gale. Committee on dues, James C. Macpherson, Charles C. Caulkins, George A. Kies.

The officers being re-elected, no installation was necessary.

There was a past thrice illustrious's jewel presented Justin Holden, who was the presiding officer before J. C. Macpherson. The jewel was presented by Past T. I. D. F. McNeil in a neat speech and was accepted by Mr. Holden with words of appreciation.

## Incidents in Society

After several weeks' visit in Jersey City, N. J., the guest of Miss Antoinette Van Cleef, and in New York with her brother, L. H. Hyde, Miss Jessie E. Hyde has returned to her home on Washington street.

Mrs. Frank A. Roath has decided to join Mrs. Frank A. Mitchell for a trip to Egypt, sailing January 20 on steamer Berlin, of the North German line, for Naples. They will make the tour of Egypt with Mrs. Mitchell's uncle and aunt, Hon. and Mrs. Robert Glendenning of Belfast, Ireland. Mr. Glendenning, who was recently appointed privy councilor to King George, visited in Norwich last year. During Mrs. Roath's absence her residence, Pinehurst, will continue open as usual.

### Crawford House Owners Bankrupt.

Boston, Jan. 11.—Henry Goodwin and George H. Rimbach, proprietors of the Crawford house, fifty years ago one of the famous hostelries of the country, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States circuit court late today. The liabilities are given as $96,268, with assets of $6,800.

### Dean Held For Westminster Robbery

Los Angeles, Jan. 11.—Charles Dean, under arrest as one of the men who robbed the Bank of Montreal at New Westminster, Canada, was arraigned today on a statutory charge. Trial was set for January 19 and bail fixed at $1,000.

### Driving Snow at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Jan. 11.—Cincinnati tonight is experiencing a driving snow storm and street car traffic is paralyzed. Trains are from 1 to 3 hours late. The snow is the deepest of the winter. The temperature at 10 o'clock tonight is 14 degrees above zero.

### Ex-Congressman's Wife Wants Divorce

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 11.—Mrs. Lydia B. Coudrey, wife of former Congressman Harry M. Coudrey, today filed suit for divorce with restoration of her maiden name. Mrs. Coudrey charges desertion and failure to provide.

### Salvador and Guatemala at Odds.

Washington, Jan. 11.—Salvador has become thoroughly alarmed at the present attitude of her big neighbor, Guatemala, and there are indications that the two countries are on the verge of a disastrous war.

### Farmer Freezes to Death.

Defiance, Iowa, Jan. 11.—George Baker, a farmer, was found frozen to death near his home today. Baker was found pinned to the ground by an overturned wagon load of coal.

Greenwich.—Lieut. Benjamin Booth of the Twelfth company, C. A. C., has passed his examinations and has been appointed to the regular army. It is probable that he will be appointed to the coast artillery in the New London district. This means that he will be obliged to resign as lieutenant of the Greenwich company.

## SHE GAVE UP HOPE.

When Mrs. Joseph Lombard, who lives at 229 Starr street, Brooklyn, wrote this letter in the hope that it would be seen by discouraged women, she did something that will be of help to many thousands.

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PARISIAN SAGE is sold by The Lee & Osgood and druggists everywhere for 50 cents.


## SNOW IN KENTUCKY.

### Traffic Blocked and Street Car Service Crippled in Louisville.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 11.—A snowstorm has been raging in Kentucky since this morning. The temperature fell slowly and was expected to reach zero before morning.

In Louisville and other cities traffic is blocked and street car service is crippled. The mountain section has suffered the heaviest snows in recent years and all over the state the thickest ice in a decade is being harvested. Ohio river traffic is at a standstill.

### Five Hues in New Chinese Flag.

San Francisco, Jan. 11.—If the troops of the Chinese republic led by President Sun, assault Peking, they will march under a new flag, composed of five broad stripes of yellow, red, blue, white and black. The flag the republicans have followed heretofore will be the naval ensign. A cable to the Chinese Free Press today said that President Sun's cabinet had made the selections, turning over the old emblem to the navy.

### Blinding Snow at Columbus.

Columbus, Jan. 11.—Brief respite from zero weather which had been felt in central Ohio for a week was broken tonight when a blinding snow storm set in accompanied by falling temperature. Early tonight the local forecaster predicted a return to the zero mark during the next few hours.

### $9,963 INCREASE.

The annual report of John B. Walker, superintendent of water, shows that the increase in water rents for 1911 was $9,963.24 over that of last year. The highest average daily consumption of water was in March and February, when it amounted to 7,649,460 gallons. The highest rainfall for one month, 8.61, was in August. The number of reservoirs now owned by the city is five and that the total storage capacity is 915,000,000 gallons, and it is estimated that out of a total population of 74,148 about 66,000 were supplied with water by the city. The total numbers of gallons of water which passed through the meter at Wigwam reservoir up to November 30, was 2,126,017,500, and the total at East Mountain reservoir was 84,755,250. The average daily consumption at the Wigwam was 6,365,321 gallons and at East Mountain it amounted to 230,933 gallons. During the year thirty-four fire hydrants were added and the total number in use in the city now is 675. The pressure on the main in the center of the city is 110 pounds.—Waterbury Democrat.


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