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The Bulletin

Norwich, Saturday, Feb. 10, 1912

VARIOUS MATTERS

Many Lincoln post cards and booklets have been mailed this week.

It was 6 above zero at Trading Cove this (Saturday) morning at 2.30.

Have you secured your tickets at Davis' for Miss Beatrice Hedford's adv.

Youtiful orators are rehearsing the Gettysburg address to declaim Monday.

Workmen digging Friday found over a foot and a half of frost in the ground.

A niece of E. H. Berry of Oak street is one of those who has a birthday on February 29.

The rumor is denied that the officers at the inland forts have received Mexican war orders.

Many flags and ribbon in the national colors are always in demand for Lincoln day favors.

James L. Case and A. Ernest Cherry left Friday afternoon to be members of an inspecting party to Montreal, Can. He intends to pass part of the time at Miami, Fla.

Sunday evening New London school-ists will be addressed by Albert Boardman of Norwich on the Lawrence strike.

The Horticultural society at New London complains that it is almost impossible to get skilled men to do staking.

The Woman's Auxiliary of Christ church met for the first time for work this season with Mrs. Frank A. Robinson of Sachem street.

Friday evening, Division Commander Fairbanks of Norwich installed the newly elected officers of the Sons of Veterans at Odd Fellows' hall, Essex.

Cold weather agrees with the wood-choppers, who have had few hindrances from stormy days this winter, while the teamsters have kept steadily at work.

There is one telephone station for each twelve persons in the state, as according to the Southern New England Telephone company's report.

In the February issue of the White Ribbon Banner, Mrs. Martha M. Leavens of Norwich has a lengthy tribute to Mrs. J. D. Herr, former state treasurer of the W. C. T. U., and editor of the Banner.

Senator Brandegee introduced a bill granting a special pension to Mrs. Frances A. Tinsley of New London, widow of William H. Tinsley, late a member of Company E, Twelfth Conn. volunteers, at the rate of \$35 a month.

In tribute to the life and deeds of the Salvation Army officers and soldiers who met their death in the London disaster five years ago Sunday, the Salvation Army branches in many towns are to hold memorial services tomorrow.

Norwich commercial men have been apprised from Springfield that there will be a new feature to the "Sunday in Springfield" movement next Sunday when the men and their guests will be entertained by the Commercial Travelers' club of that city.

Rev. P. C. Wright will speak in the Central Baptist church Sunday morning. Mr. W. A. Morris, former secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will speak to the men's class at 8 o'clock Sunday, and the women's class at 10 o'clock Sunday. The quartet will sing in the evening.

Flags have been at half mast on all the steamers of the New England Navigation line for Chief Mate Oscar Hahlgren of the Priscilla of the Providence and for Chief Mate Oscar Hahlgren of the Priscilla of the Providence on the Norwich boats. Mr. Hahlgren was over six feet six in height; weighing over 300 pounds.

PATRIOTIC ORGANIZATIONS TO HEAR LINCOLN ADDRESS

Special Service Arranged at Second Church by Sons of Veterans.

A Lincoln patriotic service is to be held at the Second Congregational church Sunday evening, at which Rev. H. J. Wysock will deliver an address on Abraham Lincoln and a special service to attend as well as the general public. The meeting promises to be one of great interest.

SPECIAL MUSICAL SERVICE.

Broadway Congregational Choir Will Give Cantata, The Soul Triumphant.

In place of the usual vesper service, a special musical service will be held at the Broadway Congregational church Sunday afternoon at five o'clock. The public will be cordially welcome and a large attendance is expected.

The choir will sing the cantata, "The Soul Triumphant," a recent composition by Harry Rowe Shelley, one of the foremost American composers. This cantata is one of the best of Mr. Shelley's works and has proved very popular wherever it has been given.

FUNERAL.

Harold Irving Compton.

The funeral of Harold Irving Compton, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Compton, was held from the home of his parents, No. 84 Cedar street, at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon. Rev. J. H. Dennis officiating. Many relatives and friends were present, and the floral tributes were numerous and beautiful.

The choir of the Mt. Calvary Baptist church sang Face to Face. Burial was in the Yantic cemetery, where a committal service was conducted by Rev. Mr. Dennis. Funeral Director Gager was in charge.

OBITUARY.

Timothy Kelly.

Timothy Kelly, aged about 30, died at his home on Eleventh street, early Saturday morning, following a short illness with pneumonia. He was the son of Bridget and the late John Kelly and had made his home in this section for some time. He was employed as a plumber. Besides his mother he leaves several brothers and sisters.

Shop Talk at Cutlery.

Rev. P. C. Wright gave an interesting talk on The Finished Product at the local plant of the International Silver company Friday noon before a good number of the employees. Mrs. George T. Lord sang Killarney and Tarry With Me, O My Saviour.

M. W. Meloche to Boston.

M. W. Meloche, manager here for several years past at the five and ten cent store, has been transferred to Boston and left on Friday. He is succeeded in the management here by Edgar Machette of Freeport, Ill.

New London Salvation Army Captain.

Captain Welke of the New London corps of the Salvation Army will conduct the 7.30 and 8 o'clock meetings of the local corps tonight.

PERSONAL

Miss Jeanette Gallup of Porttown was a recent visitor at Norwich with relatives.

Miss Julia Kimbrell of Fitchville left Friday night to spend some time in New York.

Mrs. A. H. Kenyon and Mrs. C. D. Chester of Sterling were recent visitors in Norwich.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Keast of Meriden are visiting relatives on Essex street for a few days.

Mrs. Hattie Kingsley of Plainfield was in Norwich this week attending the funeral of Mrs. Mary Phillips.

William Tarbox of Norwich visited his mother in Andover recently. Mrs. Tarbox returned with him for a lengthy visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Percy of Newport, R. I., are visiting in town, called here by the critical illness of their mother, Mrs. Henry Percy.

Capt. S. A. Griswold, who spends his summers at Fishers Island and winters in town, has just spent the rest of the winter in Florida to the benefit of his health.

Capt. James E. Pettigrew of Groton, commander of the steamer Maine, will take his vacation of several weeks beginning about the 20th of this month. He intends to pass part of the time at Miami, Fla.

George C. Strong, formerly of New London and now at Worcester hospital, and has taken an apartment in Worcester and will remain there during the winter. Mrs. Strong is with him.

Mrs. Wall of Norwich, who has been staying at the home of her brother-in-law, Richard B. Wall, of New London, has been in Norwich this week to see her husband, who is in Backus hospital undergoing treatment.

CELEBRATED DICKENS ANNIVERSARY.

Parish House Association Enjoyed a Gala Evening at Osgood Memorial.

The regular monthly meeting of the Parish House association held at the Osgood Memorial was made a gala occasion on Friday. The meeting was held in the evening instead of in the afternoon as usual, and the gentlemen were invited.

The members of the Dickens club were also invited, as the programme was arranged to celebrate the Dickens Centenary. A series of tableaux were presented by the club.

This was opened by the president, Mrs. Henry T. Arnold, and the usual reports of the secretary and treasurer were read.

Reading and Tableaux.

A reading was then given by Principal Henry A. Tirrell, William Lyon Phelps' article on Dickens, from the Century magazine. A series of tableaux were next given illustrating characters and scenes from Dickens' books, which were excellent in their costume and setting. A short description of each one was read by Miss Alice W. Cogswell before the curtain rose.

The first picture was that of Peagoty and David Copperfield, taken by Elizabeth Pullen and Carroll Allen. Miss Betsey Trotwood and Janet, her maid, were taken by Miss Fannie L. Allen and Miss Ruth Symington. David Copperfield's dinner party for Mr. Peagoty and Miss Betsey Trotwood was represented by Louis Stockwell, R. H. Gray, Miss Eliza W. Avery and Fred S. Symington.

Dorothy Allan made a good picture of Jenny Wren, and Mrs. Kenwig and her four daughters made a pretty group. These were Mrs. William A. Corcoran, Mary Ellen Corcoran, Evon Broadhurst and Katherine Bliven. Dolly Varden and Joe Willard were Dorothy Robertson and Charles Bunker, and Miss Jenny were Helen Marshall, Robert C. Johnson and Barbara Allen made up as Dick Swiveller and the Marchioness. Mrs. Jarley and Little Nell were present in the person of Miss Elsie D. Brand and Hazel Fletcher.

A lively pair were Mrs. William H. Allen and Miss Amy L. Cogswell as Sally Gamp and her maid, Mrs. Peckaniff and his two daughters are known in every-day life as Charles H. Haskell, Misses Betty Howland and Mildred Gibson, and Ruth and Tom Pinner are usually Miss Sadie Colt and Benedict Pullen.

Songs by Eben Learned.

Three songs by Eben Learned followed. His selections were I Hear You Calling Me, Tom Boling, and Flowers in the Valley, given in the style. Mrs. Grosvenor Ely accompanied.

They were warmly applauded and made a fitting close to a most enjoyable programme.

Mrs. Charles H. Haskell is chairman of the programme committee which arranged for the evening's entertainment. The members of the committee were Mrs. Frederick Symington, Mrs. William H. Allen, Miss Marjorie Browning and Miss Elizabeth Pullen.

Later refreshments were served in the dining room by the social committee. Mrs. William W. Leonard chairman, Mrs. Grosvenor Ely, Mrs. J. Dana Colt, and Miss Elizabeth M. Trumbull.

WORK ON THERMOS FACTORY FOR LOCAL MEN.

President Walker Makes This Statement—Plans to Be Gotten Out at Once—Photographs of Site Taken.

J. Clifford Moore of New York arrived in Norwich at 2 p. m. Friday, having been sent here by the American Thermos Bottle company to examine the site of the proposed factory. Mr. Moore obtained blue prints of the property, a general map of the city and photographs of the house and river front.

He stated that plans would be perfected by the directors of the American Thermos Bottle company on Wednesday next at a special meeting. He was taken over the property by William H. Hill and stated that President Walker had authorized him to say that every expenditure of money incurred in the erection of the factory would be made by the contractors and firms and laborers.

While here the automobiles used to convey Mr. Moore around the city were contributed by Pattison.

LINCOLN PROGRAMME.

Broad Street School Children Entertained Woman Relief Corps.

At the meeting of Sedwick post, No. 18, W. R. C., in the Buckingham Memorial Friday evening, an entertaining Lincoln memorial programme was carried out by the children of Broad street school, under the direction of their teacher, Miss Curtis, and included A Tribute to Lincoln by the children, a recitation, was Lincoln King? by Miss Lillian Brewster; recitation, For My Country, by Benjamin Covey; recitation, Why We Love Lincoln, Josephine Holbrook.

Mrs. Dorothea W. Balcom presided at the business session. Two applications for membership were received and an invitation from the Sons of Veterans to attend a Lincoln service at the Second Congregational church, Sunday, February 11, was accepted.

National circular No. 1 and general orders No. 4 were read. Plans for the usual Washington birthday supper were discussed.

Charity Ball Makes Record Success

Among a Scene of Beauty With Decorations and Throng of Handsomely Gowned Dancers—Annual Event by Women of St. Patrick's Parish Will Realize Large Sum For Charity.

With an attendance estimated at 1,500 and a display of magnificent gowns unusual even for this big event of the dancing season, the annual Charity ball at the armory, conducted by the Women of St. Patrick's Parish, scored record breaking success on Friday night. Along with the pronounced social success achieved by the ball comes the assurance from the number present that a most satisfying sum will be realized by the workers, whose object—charity—was proclaimed in the electric letters on the front of the orchestra gallery.

Hein Melodies from opera Gypsy Love, Lehar Genes of Ireland, Donizetti Lucia di Lammermoor, Selection, Faust, Gounod

The armory had the same beautiful decorative scheme in white and pink, with festooned curtains, smaller and electric lights, which had been used at the recent Thermos ball, the whole reflecting the artistic taste of Mrs. P. H. Harriman, president of the women's society, and also the skill in execution of the design shown by Morgan Cronin, who had complete charge of this decorative scheme. The festooned curtains and contributing materials to the pretty effect were obtained through small bay trees used in front of the boxes and palms in the boxes.

At 9 o'clock grand march, with 60 couples participating, was finely carried out by the long line of marchers, which almost completely circled the room. The grand march was led by Mrs. P. H. Harriman with John P. Corcoran, floor director, the three couples following being Prof. and Mrs. J. J. Sherry, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice P. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fenton. The figure was a pretty one and skillfully carried out as the leaders advanced from the corners diagonally across the room, then turned in a diagonal line towards the lower corner of the hall, and following this up with a pretty figure in which the lines of ladies and gentlemen in single file went up and down the hall, the whole expanse of the floor was a brilliant picture of color and motion. The march was under the direction of Prof. T. P. Maher.

From the conclusion of the march the dance programme of 18 numbers was taken up, and the evening passed in the most enjoyable manner.

It was a matter of deep regret that Dr. P. H. Harriman, who was to have been master of ceremonies, was prevented from attending through his illness, which has been the cause of his absence from the city for treatment.

The officials for the evening included Floor director, John P. Corcoran; also, George M. Clary, John Moriarty, Harry Shannon, John McCormick, John Slattery, Thomas Shea, Albert Portelance, J. C. Bland, Walter Casey, Charles E. Steiner, Mrs. T. P. Burns, William Shields, James H. Dunn, Alexander Kilroy, Charles V. James.

In general charge and deserving great credit for the success which they have achieved in the following arrangements committee: Mrs. P. H. Harriman, Mrs. Maurice Kelly, Mrs. A. J. Whaley, Mrs. M. E. Donahue, Mrs. G. Mansfield, Mrs. J. J. Sherry, Mrs. T. P. Burns, Mrs. F. L. Farrell, Mrs. R. M. Powers, Mrs. P. L. Shannon, Mrs. C. Smith, Mrs. M. Deane, Mrs. J. Campbell, Mrs. J. P. Murphy, Mrs. William McKnight, Mrs. John R. McNamara.

P. J. Morley was at the box office and the programmes were distributed by James McCormick and John McCaffrey.

HANDSOME GOWNS WORN AT THE BALL.

Enhanced the Beauty of the Scene at the Armory.

Among the many beautiful gowns worn at the ball were the following: Mrs. P. H. Harriman, Helen pink and purple satin veiled with gold net and gold trimmings.

Mrs. J. J. Sherry, white net over yellow messaline.

Mrs. John Steiner, point lace.

Mrs. Stein, peach marquisette.

Mrs. J. J. Sherry, yellow satin with gold net over dress.

Mrs. Ella Shannon, white satin with coral marquisette over dress.

Mrs. J. P. McNamara, white satin, lace over dress.

Mrs. D. J. Shahan, seashell pink satin, court train.

Mrs. May Burns, white satin, with oversize of embroidered lace.

Mrs. J. J. Sherry, white hand embroidered marquisette over lavender messaline.

Mrs. J. J. Sherry, lavender voile.

Mrs. J. J. Sherry, white chiffon over pink satin, silver trimmings.

Mrs. James Purdon, changeable marquisette over green satin.

Mrs. Margaret Sullivan, amber silk, with gold net over dress.

Mrs. Arthur G. Crowell, gray lansdown, with old rose and silver trimmings.

Mrs. Arthur Lathrop, brown voile, with trimmings of real lace.

Mrs. P. J. Battersby, gray crepe de chine, with pearl trimmings.

Miss Florence Taylor, rose pink messaline, with gold trimmings.

Mrs. William T. Browne, violet silk, with violet and gold trimmings.

Miss Anna Brady, white net over pink silk.

Mrs. Helena Daly, white over yellow messaline, with gold trimmings.

Mrs. May Reardon, light blue chiffon over yellow silk.

Mrs. J. J. Sherry, blue silk with Persian trimmings.

Miss Plunkett, black crepe de chine over black messaline, with pink rosebuds.

Miss Anne M. Plunkett, sapphire messaline, with hand embroidered gold trimmings.

Miss Elizabeth Mullin, amber chiffon over amber messaline, with amber buttons.

Miss Good, coral messaline.

Miss Mae Gallivan, yellow satin.

Mrs. Catherine Gallivan, white chiffon over black satin.

Mrs. James F. Fenton, white embossed satin with gold trimmings.

Mrs. William Cullen, white Venetian lace over white satin, with pearl ornaments.

Mrs. Paul Sheehan, black satin.

Mrs. Sadie T. Hinchey, old rose silk, trimmed with gold lace.

Mrs. John M. Lee, black marquisette over cream embroidered lace, with jet trimmings.

Mrs. J. J. Wholey, cadet blue voile.

Mrs. E. J. Danahy, blue crepe de chine.

Mrs. J. Donovan, old rose silk, with gold trimmings.

Mrs. S. J. Keely, white lace over white silk.

Mrs. John Brady, black silk, Persian trimmings.

Mrs. Teresa Coughlin, white satin, embroidered with gold.

Miss Helena Coughlin, pink chameuse and silver trimmings.

Miss Loretta Coughlin, Taunton, Mass., white satin veiled with gold net.

Miss Celia Creed, embroidered violet chiffon gown.

Mrs. T. C. Morphy, black crepe de chine.

Mrs. W. P. McGarry, blue crepe de chine, with pearl trimmings.

Mrs. T. Coughlin, wistaria messaline with Persian trimmings.

Miss Ellen Leahy, lavender crepe.

Miss Sarah Walsh, pearl gray messaline.

Miss Edwards, blue messaline.

Miss Miriam Murphy, pink messaline, with bugle trimmings.

Miss Isabel Murphy, blue crepe de chine with pearl trimmings.

Mrs. J. J. Sherry, blue silk.

Mrs. John Campbell, white embroidered muslin.

Mrs. John A. Moran, black silk with black lace trimmings.

Mrs. James H. Maloney, steel pongee silk.

Mrs. John L. Gillan, black corduroy with velvet trimmings.

Mrs. M. Cook, blue messaline.

Mrs. Louis Basset, salmon messaline.

Mrs. Daniel O'Brien, old rose messaline.

Mrs. Michael Murphy, Uncaville, white satin.

Miss Frances Edwards, pink satin.

Miss Madeline Driscoll, white marquisette over white messaline.

Miss Winifred Driscoll, pink messaline.

Mrs. John A. Brady, blue messaline.

Mrs. P. J. Morley, pink marquisette over pink satin.

Miss Della Finn, pink messaline.

Mrs. Koeling, white silk.

Miss Alice Mullin, pink satin trimmings with embroidered chiffon and fringe.

Miss May Trainor, blue satin, lace trimmings.

Mrs. M. H. Donahue, evening gown of turquoise blue.

Mrs. George Mansfield, white satin veiled with embroidered chiffon.

Mrs. George Nagle, moonlight blue satin with garnitures of turquoise and pearl, cut en train.

Mrs. J. J. Sherry, black satin.

Mrs. J. J. Sherry, pink silk with gold and fringe trimmings.

Mrs. Charles Cook, black messaline with coral trimmings.

Miss May Egan, old rose crepe de chine, hand embroidered.

Mrs. E. Conlon, blue foulard, velvet trimmings.

Mrs. M. R. Powers, natural color pongee.

Mrs. M. V. Murphy, black panne velvet.

Mrs. Ernest O. Rodier, white chiffon with trimmings of chantilly lace.

Mrs. Margaret Murphy, white marquisette over white messaline, fringe trimmings.

Miss Helen Murphy, pink chiffon over pink messaline, with ball trimmings.

Mrs. Mary E. Kane, Helen pink satin with spangle net lace and spangles trimmings.

Miss Hadie Blackstone, white lace robe.

Mrs. Tracy R. Burdick, white messaline.