

Westerly Road Asks Time Extension

Will Build Trolley Line From Pleasant View To Weekapaug—Running By July First—Textile Company Petitions For Tax Exemption—Jewelry Company Also—Much Business Before Town Council.

Robert W. Perkins, representing the Westerly & Connecticut Railway Co. and Civil Engineer Shepard B. Palmer and Supt. S. J. Kehoe, all of Norwich, attended the regular meeting of the town council in support of a petition that, if granted, will result in the extension of the trolley system from Pleasant View to Weekapaug to be in operation by July 1 of the present year. In the matter of trolley extension the petition simply asks for the construction of a new line for industrial purposes. Power to construct the road was granted in 1907, the road to be completed within two years. This, of course, was not done, and now the council is asked for extension of time. Mr. Perkins explained that the material is in readiness for shipment and that a contractor is ready to begin the work without delay and have it completed by July 1.

He said that it was planned to erect a casino and amusements at an expense of about \$100,000 near the Pleasant View shore and 4000 feet from the present terminal of the electric road, which would be opened to the use of the public and that an extra fare would be required to reach this resort, but that the additional fare would be for the ride between the two points. From the present terminal to the beachway at Weekapaug, Mr. Perkins said was 12,000 feet and that by July 1 it would be possible to ride from Norwich to Weekapaug without changing cars.

Mr. Perkins said that the new feature asked for in the petition was the right to build a pole line that crossed some of the highways on the outskirts of the town. He said that it was demonstrated last season that the power was inadequate to run the cars and that the track would be constructed to the beachway. It is planned to have the cars running on the beachway and to have the balance of the road completed.

Councilman Flynn was in favor of granting the required charter and believed that the whole people of Westerly were of like mind, but he believed that care should be taken that all was right before they went ahead.

Councilman Maxson also spoke favorably of granting the desired franchise, but counseled considerable care. He said the people would welcome the extension with outstretched hands. It was voted that Mr. Perkins prepare a franchise and submit same to Town Solicitor Agard and that final action be taken at a special meeting to be held this (Tuesday) evening.

Petition was received from the Westerly Textile company for exemption from taxation for five years. William Sear explained that the company was to take over the brick and stone mills in Main street and that preparations were being made for operation. Manager F. E. Fowler explained that the company was to engage in the manufacture of men's wearing apparel and other textile goods. The company would employ 100 to 150 hands, as plants mature, and be in full operation in about a year.

Councilman Flynn asked if it was the intention to include the Briggs building in the exempted property. Mr. Fowler explained that the petition was intended to cover only the factory.

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EFFECTS OF CO-OPERATION ON THE COST OF LIVING.

Congress Receives Reports Based on Inquiries in European Countries.

Washington, May 6.—Congress today received from President Taft the second instalment of the reports of consular officers on co-operation and the cost of living which are the result of the investigation he some time ago directed should be made. The countries included in this instalment are France, Belgium, the Netherlands and Denmark. This report is accompanied by a letter from Huntington Wilson, acting secretary of state. It appears from the information collected, the acting secretary says, that the rising cost of living has directed attention to and augmented the membership of the co-operative societies more especially in France and Belgium.

The French co-operative associations are in the main arranged upon the same system as those in the United Kingdom. The tendency is toward small societies, and the great majority of the associations represent groceries and bakeries.

The most successful distributive societies are in the manufacturing cities of northeastern and central France. Among these societies relief funds are administered, and insurance against illness and forced non-employment is supplied. Arrangements are made with dentists, doctors and artisans for their services by members on a commission basis.

The operation of the agricultural societies has been especially successful in the northern France. The French government has given encouragement to these societies by furnishing expert advice, granting subsidies and permitting long term loans by agricultural credit associations. The general policy is to do principally through district unions. High grade farm machinery such as is beyond the reach of many individual members is purchased in the surplus or is loaned gratuitously or upon the payment of nominal fees.

Government employees are to a large extent organized into co-operative societies. Many of the associations are affiliated with labor unions that restrict their membership to persons engaged in a given occupation.

RAILROAD MANAGERS TO MEET NEXT WEEK.

May Consider Recent Demands of the Firemen at That Time.

New York, May 6.—It was announced tonight that the conference committee of general managers of eastern railroads, which was recently organized to consider the demands of engineers, would meet in this city May 15, directly after the annual meeting of the American Railway association here. The engineers' demands are now on the way to arbitration and it is believed in some quarters that the meeting of the general managers on the 15th is to consider the situation in regard to firemen. No inkling is given, however, in the call for the meeting what matters will be discussed.

SAILORS AS BEARERS AT THE BOAS FUNERAL.

Remains of Resident Director of Hamburg-American Line Laid Away.

Greenwich, Conn., May 6.—The funeral of Emil Boas of New York, resident director of the Hamburg-American steamship line, who died last Thursday, was held from his home, "Boas' Crest," this afternoon, and was largely attended. A special train from New York city brought 300 friends, including delegations of officers from the Hamburg-American line, the New York chamber of commerce and other organizations of which Mr. Boas was a member.

Services were in charge of Rev. M. D. St. Clair Wright, pastor of the Lenox avenue Unitarian church of New York, of which Mr. Boas had been a member for more than twenty years. Pastor Krutner of the Seaman's home in Bohemia, which Mr. Boas founded, assisted. There were no honorary bearers, six sailors from the Hamburg-American steamers in New York harbor acting as bearers. Interment was in Putnam cemetery in Greenwich.

During the hour of the funeral all the Hamburg-American steamers had their flags at half mast.

If a man would climb he must start from where he now stands.

Business on the Side.

Charles P. Taft was granted tavern license for New Park hotel.

Emma S. Saunders was granted victualling license for Watch Hill.

Charles R. Johnson was granted license for two pool tables at Watch Hill.

Upon request of the superintendent of the White Rock mill, Daniel J. Donohue was appointed a police constable.

Complains was received of a complaint of hours of numbers in lower Beach street, and it was decided to be a matter for postal regulations.

The drugists liquor license year expired May 1 and applications for license for another year will be considered at the meeting Tuesday evening.

John C. Anderson made complaint on complaint on property of Theodore Pickard. Referring to health officer and town solicitor for a suit.

Michael Pabola, a barber, complained against some shavers who worked seven days a week, and asked that if there was law against it that the law be enforced.

The report of Chief of Police Thomas E. Brown showed seven arrests in April, six for drunkenness. Health Officer Lewis Stanton reported the town free from contagious disease.

Clark Whipple made announcement that according to the license issued, there was decrease in the dog population of the town. In 1910, there were 426 dogs registered, 443 in 1911 and 293 in 1912. He said there was need for an enumeration of dogs, and such an appointment will be considered at the special meeting. The fee is 20 cents for every dog enumerated.

Local Laconics.

The streets in Dixon square and vicinity were sprinkled with oil Saturday night.

The large magnolia trees in front of the residence of John F. Vose are in nearly full bloom.

No member of the town council has yet given notice that he is not a candidate for re-nomination.

The go-school whistles tested a hour before the scheduled morning and afternoon sessions, Monday, Rain. It was Howard Quinn and not Howard Giron, who conducted the sailing season at Pleasant View last Saturday morning.

It is expected that all drugists will file applications for drugists' liquor license at the special council meeting this (Tuesday) evening. Their licenses expired May 1.

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| Delicious Strawberries box 15c | Curly Lettuce - head 8c | Calif. Asparagus lb. 14c |
| Seedless Oranges . doz. 23c | Ripe Bananas doz. 20c | Bermuda ONIONS lb. 8c |
| Best Wet Pickled SHRIMP, can - - 10c | Royal COCOA, can - - 10c | Mohican CATSUP, bot. - 15c |
| Maine Style Sweet CORN, can - - 8c | Mohican Brand MILK, 2 cans - - 15c | Royal Gift Bread Flour, sack 73c |
| CORNED BEEF, One lb. cans, - - 19c | Pure Filling FIG BARS, New Goods - 9c | Slightly Broken RICE, 5 lbs. - - 23c |
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