

Willimantic, Danielson and Putnam

WILLIMANTIC

WHAT IS GOING ON TONIGHT.
Moving Pictures at the Bijou and Scientific Temple.

MAIN STREET IMPROVEMENTS

Go Steadily On—Work Evidently to Be Finished Within Contract Time.

On the continuation of the Main street improvements excellent progress has been made since the work was started about ten days ago. Evidently the paving will be completed well within the stipulated time. The west side of the street has been excavated to the point just above High street, where the paving is to terminate according to the present city appropriation, and is ready for the foundation layers of the new roadway. The concrete company's men, too, have just started to dig out between their tracks. In addition to the street changes, new and heavier rails and new ties are to be put in by the trolley company and the material is being brought up from Norwich by Roadmaster Guinan. The excavations have been carefully roped off and traffic on

the west side of the trolley track is unhampered.

By some citizens, the need of extending the new paving still further up the street at this time has been again brought up, but an additional appropriation would have to be voted by the city before such an extension was authorized.

GAMES OF CHANCE BARRED.

Management of Willimantic Fair Rules Out Features Which Excited Protest

Last Year—Women to Compete in Milking Contest.

The Willimantic fair this year is to be devoid of all games of chance including the wheel or the lucky shot. The veto will be enforced just as stringent on the repurchasing of any of the articles that may be won by the turn of the wheel or the lucky shot. This is the decision that the Willimantic officials have arrived at in conformity with the agreement reached at the general conference of secretaries of fairs throughout Connecticut, at Hartford, and endorsed by the state board of agriculture.

Only indirectly does the new ruling follow the special turnout over games of chance at the fair here last year, when a number of clergymen and others, including Rev. Walter E. Langbehn, testified themselves in investigating the circumstances and then gave forth indignant protestation. Ten cent games, it was stated, were really the limit last year, but a Taftville man's outcry that he had been swindled out of \$75 at one fell swoop, kindled the fire of opposition. This year Secretary Harvill's absolute refusal to allow the money games on the association grounds ought to insure a fair to which the unsuspecting countryman may come without fear of the consequences of a trip through the midway. Still, enough attractions have been signed up to make this the busy spot it always has been.

Two Windham, one Mansfield and one Lebanon woman are to compete in a milking contest. The affair takes place in front of the grand stand and the contestant displaying the most gallons at the fair grounds, with the quality of the product milk, gets the first prize.

The first of the racing horses arrived Friday night, and were taken to the stables at the fair grounds. With them came the vanguard of usual handicappers at the fairs. Manager A. Biondi Marsh of the New England Race and Athletic company came Friday and made arrangements for the men and woman double parachute drop.

SEVENTEEN FOOTBALL

CANDIDATES

Windham High School Manager Hopeful of Picking a Good Team.

Preliminary football practice at the Windham high school this week brought out seventeen candidates. From this number Captain French hopes to sift out an eleven that will later on give some of his biggest opponents points on the line. While half a dozen of last year's players have been lost by graduation, there remains the nucleus of an excellent team. The new material is fairly good and several lucky candidates have yet to come out. After limbering up with a week or two of falling on the ball, punting and kicking, the team are then getting in a little practice against the Grey club or other local scrubs. Windham high school should be able to take on any team in the county and make a creditable showing.

Civic Association's Field Day Events.

Undaunted by the failure of their plans due to Labor day's downpour,

the Willimantic Civic association is preparing for just as big a field day this afternoon at the fair grounds.

The postcard programme of athletic events will be put on as far as possible, and the protested game between No. 3 and No. 8 mills of the American Thread company league will provide a baseball feature of class. Then there will be a greased pig to lend a little more gaiety to the close of the afternoon's sport. The clerks were unable to arrange to get away from work and the game that is to be played instead will have an important part in helping to settle the race for second place in the league, in which the dye house is first, with six games won to one lost, the No. 3 mill is second, with 11 victories and two defeats, and No. 8 mill, the printing department and the packing and shipping department are tied, with the score four and three apiece.

OBITUARY.

Alexander Dalpe.

At the home of his daughter, Mrs. F. X. Chiofalo, 34 Broad street, Alexander Dalpe died Friday morning at the age of 80. He had lived in Willimantic a number of years, but was a native of St. Pie, Canada. Surviving Mrs. Dalpe are two sons, Marcell of Nashua, N. H., and Joseph of Brockton, Mass., two daughters, Mrs. Pellicola of St. Pie, Canada, and Mrs. Chiofalo of this city.

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ning to resume her studies at St. Albans, Vt.

A. C. Bianchetti returned to this city Friday after attending the funeral of his mother.

Arthur C. Williams of Lebanon and Dr. B. K. Dow of this city were visitors in Hartford Friday.

Attorney William A. King was in Rockville Friday at the session of the Tolland county superior court.

Miss Louise Cartier left Friday night for St. Cesaire, Canada, to take a business course and also receive instruction on the violin.

Mrs. Frederick Tracy returned to Bridgeport Friday, after passing a few days as the guest of Mrs. George F. Taylor, Church street.

Mrs. Gould S. Higgins of North Haven was in Willimantic Friday on her way to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Bacon of Scotland.

Miss Helen B. Harrington left on Friday morning for a college friend, Miss Clara Remington, Auburn, N. Y., and relatives in Utica, N. Y.

Mrs. J. H. Hartwell returned to Philadelphia Friday morning after passing some of the summer home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, in North Windham.

Mrs. Carrie M. Knapp (Special to The Bulletin.)

Storrs, Conn., Sept. 6.—The death of Mrs. Carrie Morris Knapp occurred in Storrs today, after a long illness of several weeks. She was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., 63 years ago, but most of her life was spent here. Mrs. Knapp at one time had been staying at Storrs at Storrs college and was very well known among the residents of Storrs.

She is survived by a son, George Knapp, of Storrs, a daughter, Mrs. C. E. Wheeler, of Storrs. The body will be taken to Brooklyn, N. Y., for burial.

DANIELSON

Edward Bowen, struck by Trolley Car, May Die—Complaint That Saloons Sell to Minors—Fifty Sewing Machines Ready at Cotton Company's Big Mill.

Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Lemieux are entertaining Miss Helen Boucher of Liberty Hill and a sister, Mrs. Harry Palmer of Hartford was a visitor at his home here Friday.

L. G. Meselotte of Providence, formerly of Danielson, is in town for a few days on business matters.

Mrs. R. N. Colvin, who has been seriously ill for many weeks, remains in a critical condition.

September Directories.

Mrs. C. H. Barber, Mrs. John Waldo, Mrs. C. H. Barber, Mrs. John Waldo, Danielson and Mrs. William Logee are the directresses of the Ladies' Benevolent society of the Congregational church.

Mr. and Mrs. Cozwell of Oakland Beach have been in town, in connection with the sale of their property on Franklin street to William Ross.

Miss L. L. Lewis of New York is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dembo of High street.

Injuries May Prove Fatal.

Edward Bowen of Ballouville, who was struck by a trolley car near Alexander street Friday night, was reported Friday as being in a critical condition. He is at the hospital in Putnam.

Home from Washington.

Charles P. Blackmar, connected with one of the government departments in Washington, is in Danielson, his former home, for a visit. Mr. Blackmar is the father of Charles S. Blackmar of Astor.

Saloons Selling to Minors. Complaint is made that some of the licensed saloons in Danielson are following the straight and narrow path as regards the sale of intoxicants to minors. To substantiate the complaint, a party under 21 years of age became intoxicated in pointed out and other evidence mentioned.

Conduit Laying Held Up.

The work of putting telephone conduits in the trench that has been excavated in Main street is being retarded on account of a shortage of certain materials. The conduits are to be laid upon a bed of cement, with a cement coating over them.

Local Subscribers to Stock.

A considerable amount of a common stock of the Killingly Manufacturing company, which is to operate the big plant in Willimantic, is subscribed for by local people. The preferred stock of the company has been taken up.

To Start Work on Big Weave Shed.

Work on the new weave shed, 216x192 feet, which is to be erected at the mill in Lake street, will be started during the present month, the contract for the addition having been let. The shed will be two stories in height and will have a saw-tooth roof.

Fifty Machines for Handkerchief Operators.

Fifty sewing machines for the making of handkerchiefs were set up and made ready for running when the men who have been working in the stone mill of the Danielson Cotton company, here since Friday, a many more machines are to be added in space reserved.

Going to Oakland Beach.

A number of young men have planned to leave here this (Saturday) afternoon for Oakland Beach. Sunday, using power boats owned by the members of the party and friends at the beach, they will go fishing in the waters of the vicinity, returning here Sunday night.

Double Anniversary.

It was recalled by F. E. Bligood on Friday that the day was the 21st anniversary of the extraordinary "yellow law" September day; also the 11th anniversary of the shooting at Buffalo of President William McKinley.

Mr. Bligood recalls that the darkness of yellow-green nature, began to grow intense about 1 o'clock in the afternoon and grew in density until 2 o'clock it became necessary to have light in the stores, which there was little need of keeping open, as the peculiar atmospheric conditions aroused such a creepy feeling and in many cases genuine fear that there was no business.

It was recalled by another person that in the Quinsburg mill the operators of the extraordinary yellow law gas light and that they sought the windows at every opportunity to peer out at a day so peculiar that fowl had been deluded into seeing their nests.

Hearing on Young's Application for License.

In Foster today (Saturday) before the town council there is to be a hearing on the application of Andrew Young for a license at the Rhode Island Line house, just east of the Killingly. The application will be opposed on the ground that Foster has one saloon at present, which should be sufficient to supply the citizens' needs. Foster's experiences during the past seven or eight years have been such that no change is wanted from present conditions, as regards licensed places.

Limbering Up New Loams.

New loams that have been set up in the mill of the Danielson Cotton com-

TEMPERANCE CAMPAIGN.

To Be Opened Sunday Afternoon by Rally in Congregational Vestry.

Sunday afternoon the temperance workers of the town are to have a meeting in the vestry of the Congregational church, to take up the campaign against license. The annual feature of the October elections in Killingly. The campaign this year will be as strenuous as ever.

Judge Bill Administrator.

Judge Arthur G. Bell has been named administrator of the estate of Thomas Kelley, formerly of this town, who died recently in Providence.

PUTNAM

Typewriter and Paper Cutter Stolen from Israel Putnam School—Senatorial Caucus today—Seventy-two Entered High School—County Commissioners Inspect Jail.

Somebody has gotten away with a practically new typewriter from the office of the Israel Putnam school. The fact was made public Friday. The machine, a Model 5 Underwood, purchased by the town in January of last year and numbered 28772, has been missing for several days. Furthermore, the evidence is that it was taken by someone who did not have to break any windows or force any doors to get into the school.

It was first assumed by Principal Merrill P. Paine, who has just taken charge of the school, that the machine had probably been taken out temporarily by someone who had the authority to make use of it, but this proves not to be the case. The matter has been reported to the police. A large paper cutter of considerable value is also missing.

Last Car Five Minutes Earlier.

Those people who do not wish to miss the last southbound car out of Putnam at night will be interested in a change of the schedule that is to take effect by the Connecticut company. The last south-bound car now leaves West Thompson at 11:11 p. m., and is due to Putnam today (Saturday) at 11:30, instead of 11:35, as has been the case for a number of years.

Republican Senatorial Caucus Today. The twenty-eight senatorial district caucus to elect delegates to a large meeting to be held in Putnam today (Saturday). The towns that will be represented in this caucus (Republican) are Putnam, Thompson, Woodstock, Killingly, Eastford, and Hartford. Harold G. Gilpatrick, member of the republican state central committee for the district, will entertain the delegates to the caucus at a dinner at the Putnam inn.

SEVENTY-TWO IN ENTERING CLASS

Record Number Registered at Putnam High School This Term.

The first week of the new school year was completed with the ending of Friday's sessions. At the high school the new organization has very quickly adapted itself to the needs and routine of the work and Principal Wisnot and his staff of teachers have made a fine impression.

The entering class is the largest this year in the history of the school—72 in number, which is as many as the total membership of the school was a few years ago. The majority of the students from the surrounding towns, but of course, the majority of the attendants is from Putnam.

All of the town's school graduates, Merrill P. Paine has 224 pupils registered. Principal Paine has also gotten his routine quickly established and everything is moving smoothly.

Calls for Republican Caucuses.

Calls for republican caucuses to nominate town officers are being prepared in most of the towns in this part of Windham county. It is probable that in Putnam the party's caucus will be held on Thursday of next week, when the democratic caucus is expected to shape their ticket. The outlook is that there will be no sharp contests for town offices in Putnam this year.

Sale of Two Cottages.

A real estate transaction recorded on Friday notes the transfer of two cottages on Woodstock avenue from Sophronia E. Page to Erastus Wheaton.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Coleman of Bridgeport and Mrs. E. C. Thayer and son of New London have been guests of Killingly and Mrs. Elizabeth Macdonald.

Dr. F. X. McAvoy, who recently underwent an operation for an eye trouble at a Worcester hospital, has returned to his home here. His condition is satisfactory.

Fireworks Tonight.

A large number of Putnam people will go down to Alexander's lake this (Saturday) evening for the dancing and what may be the last exhibition of fireworks during the present season.

The Red Sox-Washington game at the Fenway grounds in Boston Friday afternoon attracted a number of baseball enthusiasts from this city.

Miss Emerelda Macdonald, who has been spending the summer vacation here with her parents, Mayor and Mrs. Macdonald, has returned to her duties as teacher at Morrissett, N. J.

Inspected Jail.

County Commissioners E. H. Cortis, E. H. Hall and C. E. Barber were at the county jail in Brooklyn Friday for a monthly inspection of the institution.

A meeting of the Methodist church for the election of three trustees is to be held next week.

City Notes.

Rho Delta class of the Methodist church conducted a food sale in the store of Ballard & Clark Friday afternoon.

Miss Etta Burr is visiting relatives in Tenafly, New Jersey.

Senator George A. Hammond recently assisted in the disposal of a piece of property in Northampton, Mass., where he has been visiting.

Elizabeth Porter Putnam chapter, D. A. R., held a food sale in a local store Friday afternoon.

Thomas McDerrott was a visitor in Boston Thursday.

George H. Ryder has been making a business trip to New York.

Scores of students will come here Monday from many parts of this state and from other states for the opening of Notre Dame academy.

C. Harold Gilpatrick returned Friday morning from a trip to Maine.

The private kindergarten is to be conducted in Putnam during the coming fall and winter.

Encouraging to Diaz.

Roosevelt is not the only one who can come back. There is talk of troubling out Abdul Hamid to lead a Bull Moose movement in Turkey.—New York Times.

Tried His Best.

It is not Mr. Beveridge's fault if the "invisible government" is so called. States is not a little more visible now than it used to be.—Chicago Tribune.

Of course you feel bad when the other fellow gets what you want, but think how good it makes him feel.

Willimantic Fair

SEPTEMBER 10, 11, 12

Unequaled Exhibition of Live Stock, Poultry and Farm Products

Speed Classes	2.15 pace, purse	\$1,000.00
	2.10 trot, purse	1,000.00
	2.20 pace, purse	300.00
	2.11 trot or pace, purse	300.00
	2.18 pace, purse	300.00
	2.25 trot, purse	300.00

LADIES' RIDING CLASS—MOTOR CYCLE RACES—WRESTLING—BALLOON AND VAUDEVILLE—MULE RACES, ETC.

JEWETT CITY

Possibility That Borough May Have Bull Moose Party—Local People Go to Meet President Taft.

Colonel Roosevelt has a large number of admirers in Griswold, and it is likely that a Bull Moose party will be formed before election day. Some of the leaders were talking over plans with this end in view Friday.

Mrs. Evelyn Roberts and her daughter, Mrs. Clark, leave today for a visit with Mrs. Roberts' son, Arthur Roberts of Utica, N. Y.

Mrs. M. Clark is at her mother's in Jamesstown, R. I.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Haskell were in Norwich Friday attending the funeral of Mr. Haskell's brother, Henry E. Haskell.

David Lovemoney of Springfield, a former resident of the borough, is a visitor in town.

Went to See President Taft.

Several went to New London Friday to see President Taft, some going by auto and others by trolley and train.

Sunday Subjects. At the Congregational church Sunday the Rev. Dr. Gane's subjects will be The Temple of Man and The Progressive in Politics and in Religion.

At the Methodist church the sermon will be by the pastor, the Rev. Samuel Thatcher. Morning subject, The Mission of the Christ; evening, How Jesus Feels His Few Remains.

What the Church Ought to Do for the Workman will be the theme for the Rev. E. W. Potter's Sunday morning sermon at the Baptist church. His evening subject will be The Most Important Education.

STAFFORD SPRINGS

Teachers Begin Their Duties—Agricultural Society May Build New Bandstand.

Mrs. Rose Hanley has returned to Terryville, where she is teaching. Miss Margaret Rafferty has gone to New Britain, where she is a pupil at the normal school.

All of the public schools, also the parochial school, will open the fall term Monday morning.