

CONNECTICUT HUMANE SOCIETY

Rev. Lewellyn Pratt Elected an Honorary Vice President—Miss M. Louise Sturtevant New London County Director—State's Rural Committees Call For Constantly Increasing Services by the Society.

The 32d annual meeting of the Connecticut Humane society was held at its headquarters in Hartford Wednesday afternoon.

The practice of voluntary probation the past year has yielded good results. A number of families have been restored by this means to conditions that justify their retention of the children in the home.

Officers were chosen as follows: President, Rev. Dr. William De Loss Love; secretary, Miss Mary E. J. Lally; assistant secretary, Dr. G. Pierrepont Davis; treasurer, Rev. Dr. William De Loss Love.

WILL ARRANGE FOR SUPPER FOR THE BOYS

Church Improvement Society Takes This Up As One Branch of Work.

The Church Improvement society of the Second Congregational church held its regular monthly meeting Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the room over the Olds library with the president, Mrs. Hazel M. Wade, in the chair.

TEACHERS' MEETINGS

Planned by Superintendent of Schools E. J. Graham—First Grade Meeting Wednesday.

Supt. Edward J. Graham has planned for several teachers' meetings, to consider different phases of school work and the course of study.

Meriden.—The board of fire commissioners paused in its routine duties Tuesday night to do honor to one of Meriden's retired fire fighters, John D. Roberts, city sheriff, constable and justice of the peace, a fireman for 48 years.

INDIGESTION AND RHEUMATISM

People With Good Digestion Do Not Have Rheumatism.

The blood is the product of digestion. Whatever sort of food is digested in the stomach is absorbed into the blood.

These acids in the blood produce a condition known as rheumatism. The acids are liable to produce microscopic crystals. These crystals are deposited in the ligaments and cartilages, causing rheumatism of the joints.

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Secretary's Report.

The general statement of the secretary with summary of agents' reports is appended: Cases of Pensions—Men: Aged, sick or incompetent relieved, abused or neglected by relatives or custodians 24, neglected by town authorities 2.

SONS OF HERMANN WENT TO NEW LONDON.

Two Norwich Lodges Made Trip in Special Trolley Car.

Nearly 100 Sons of Hermann of this city and of Hartford went by special car to New London Wednesday evening for the reception tendered National President William Feisen of St. Paul, Minn., in Herwegh lodge hall.

There were remarks by various members present, reports were read and an enjoyable program of entertainment was provided. Refreshments were served and a delightful time was experienced by all.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS.

Elected at Trinity Methodist Church—Gained 30 Scholars in the Year.

The annual meeting of the Sunday school board of the Trinity Methodist Episcopal church was held Wednesday evening and the following officers were re-elected: Superintendent, Costello Lippitt; assistant, David H. Purvia; secretary, Mrs. F. J. King; third assistant, John B. Stanton; superintendent primary department, Mrs. Costello Lippitt; Mrs. Ernest M. Newbury; some department, Miss Emma Bliss; secretary, George Robinson; treasurer, C. Leslie Hopkins; librarian, E. E. Hill; assistant librarian, Russell Hopkins; library committee, Mrs. John Morgan, Miss Edith Fellows, Mrs. George Robinson. All the class teachers were re-elected and one new one, Elmer D. Kinsman, was added.

FAREWELL BANQUET.

Somerset Lodge Officers Make Noah Lucas Present of a Thermos Carafe.

A farewell dinner for Senior Warden Noah Lucas was given by his fellow officers of the Somerset lodge, No. 246, F. and A. M. Wednesday evening at the Auditorium hotel and the occasion was a most enjoyable one.

Oyster Cocktail Mulligatawny Soup Celery Planked Steak Radishes Neapolitan Ice Cream Cakes Demi-tasse

There were toasts by the various officers, Worshipful Master Herbert R. Kind presiding at the post prandial exercises. In behalf of the present Worthy Master Kind presented Mr. Lucas a Thermos carafe in an able and entertaining manner. All passed a delightful evening.

Brandegee Presents Memorial.

Senator Frank B. Brandegee has presented in the United States senate a memorial of the state grange Patrons of Husbandry, of Connecticut, remonstrating against the repeal of the present oleomargarine law which was referred to the committee on agriculture and forestry. He also presented a petition of the state board of agriculture of Connecticut, praying for the passage of the Page vocational education bill. The bill was ordered to lie on the table.

Decisions by Judge Shumway.

The motion to set aside the verdict of \$1500 in the case of Mary M. Gilles of this city vs. the Connecticut company has been denied by Judge Shumway.

The demurrer is overruled and a motion for a more specific statement is denied in the case of C. H. Davis & Co. Inc. vs. the Norwich Water Power company.

A friendly suit to settle an estate is brought by J. Hull Browning of New York against the estate of the late Charles S. Hull of Stonington, against John W. Hull of Stonington, et al.

DIED. PALMER.—In Norwich, Jan. 29, John A. Palmer, age 83. Notice of funeral hereafter.

Fire Smoke Water

Owing to the fire last week in the Austin Block part of our stock of Shoes, Slippers and Rubbers

were damaged by water, smoke and fire.

DURING THIS SALE, WHICH WILL START Saturday, February 1st, GOODS WILL BE SOLD FOR CASH ONLY THE GEO. W. KIES CO.

INJURIES WERE FATAL.

Thomas Shea Died Wednesday Evening—Hit by Engine Tuesday.

Thomas Shea, the teamster employed by the Richmond Rarior company, who was struck by a Central Vermont engine early Tuesday afternoon at the crossing at the radiator plant, died on Wednesday evening about 7 o'clock of a fractured skull and other injuries.

Landlord's Suit Against Farmer Tenant.

In the court of common pleas here Wednesday Judge Waller heard the case of Mary L. Peck vs. Sam Abraham. Mrs. Peck claimed that when the Abraham family moved out of her house on Main street the property was found to have been damaged by them to the extent of \$70 and also claims one month's rent due. Henry Osborne, Mrs. Peck, Mrs. Jennie Spaulding, Mr. Hill, T. D. Underwood, Mr. Harrington, Mrs. Woodmansee, Mr. and Mrs. Abraham, Charles Gordon and others testified. The case was concluded at 2:06 and Judge Waller took the papers. The court adjourned to Feb. 3.

New Britain.—The Russian Orthodox church is preparing to build a new edifice on Washington street above Broad street.

PRaise SERVICE.

Programme for Sunday at Park Church by the Choir.

The following is the programme for the praise service to be given by the choir next Sunday at 4:30 vesper at Park church: Organ prelude, Andante, Schmidt; tenor solo, Abide With Me, Hawthorne; soprano and alto duet, The Vesper Hour, Shelley; bass solo, Rock of Ages, Fenick; quartette, Father Almighty, from cantata "Eli" by Costa; organ postlude, by Th. Stern.

Patriarch of Mills.

In the last number of the Youth's Companion is a most interesting sketch of the Old Town Mill of New London, beginning "Still grinding its grist as it has done for 250 years, the old mill at New London, Connecticut, is the patriarch of all mills in this country. It was from the very start unique, for it combined the opposing doctrines of municipal aid and private monopoly."

Announcer Makes a Hit.

Danny Murphy of Norwich, captain of Connie Mack's Philadelphia Athletics, was here Tuesday, coming down to the Greenwood A. C. hotel. Announcer McGarry got a laugh when he introduced Danny as right leader of the Norwich team.—New London Day.

A good way to have all the friends you need is not to need any.

COCOANUT BY MAIL.

Received by Parcel Post from Florida by Joseph A. George.

Added to the list of curios carried by parcel post is a coconut with the outer covering or shell still on it, received on Wednesday by Joseph A. George from Miami, Fla. There was no wrapping on the coconut, the address being written on the smooth hard surface, on which the stamps were also pasted.

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