

WILLIMANTIC

What is Going On Tonight.
Natchaug Lodge, No. 22, K. of P.
Fourth Rock
Union St. Jean Baptiste, Canadian
Club Room.
Willimantic Duckpin League Bowling.

PIRATES LEAD.
Still Ahead at End of Eighth Week of Duckpin Season.

At the end of the eighth week of the Willimantic Duckpin League's season, the Pirates are still in the lead and increased the distance between themselves and their nearest competitors slightly.

The standing and records are as follows:

	W.	L.	P.F.	AV.
Pirates	19	5	11625	484
Athletics	15	9	11137	464
Giants	12	12	11094	458
Cubs	12	12	10922	455
Red Sox	11	13	10906	461
Tigers	11	13	11023	460
White Sox	8	16	10815	451
Senators	8	16	10645	444

Elected a Vice President.
At the annual meeting of the Connecticut Horticultural society held at the capitol last Friday, E. M. Smith of this city was elected one of the vice presidents for the ensuing year.

Forty-Hour Schedule for Short Time.
The Willimantic Machine shop posted notices Saturday that the shop would be run part time, 40 hours a week, beginning today.

City Continues Good.
There was no session of police court Saturday morning.

Fingerling Trout Released.
John C. Lincoln received from the state fish and game commission Saturday six cans of fingerling trout which were taken into the country and released in brooks and streams in this vicinity.

Storrs Trustees Meet.
President Charles L. Beach and L. J. Storrs of Mansfield and C. A. Capen of this city, two of the three members of the building committee of the Connecticut Agricultural college board of trustees, met at the Hotel Hooker Saturday and passed on various matters requiring their attention in connection with the completion of the new poultry building, agricultural hall, dormitory and two barns at Storrs.

Prof. Fisher to Speak.
Invitations have been sent out by Town Clerk Frank P. Fenton, a member of the Willimantic Board of Trade and Business Men's association, to 12 town clerks in this neighborhood, to be present Tuesday night to hear Professor W. C. Fisher of Middletown speak on the new workmen's compensation act at the Board of Trade rooms.

A. T. Co. Fire Brigade's Officers.
At the annual meeting of the American Thread company fire brigade, held last week, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Foreman, Joseph P. Cotter; first assistant, J. A. White; second assistant, Frank Roman; financial secretary, Eugene Lewis; treasurer, E. J. Moriarty; engineer, Dewitt C. Hill; steward, Michael Welch.

Death of Ashford Boy.
John, the two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Halmer of Ashford, died at St. Joseph's hospital about midnight following an operation performed last week for intestinal trouble.

FUNERAL.
Annie McCarthy.
The funeral of Annie McCarthy, who died Friday, was held at St. Joseph's church at two o'clock Sunday afternoon. Rev. T. P. Bannon officiating. The bearers were: Morris Welsh, Daniel McCarthy, William Jones and Daniel Sullivan. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Enjoyable Dance.
Friday evening there was a most enjoyable dance given by the office force

of the S. N. E. Telephone company at the Willimantic Woman's club rooms.
The occasion was a sort of farewell dance for some of the company's popular men, who are leaving next week for Pittman. Robert Pickett and Harry Royce furnished music for the dancing. Refreshments were served. Among those present were Joseph Garvey, E. Sullivan, George A. Bice, John Fraser, R. E. Hart, William Patten, Misses Ruth Backus, May Watts, Minnie Kilburn, Minnie McCracken, Nellie Sheridan, Helen Hallahan, Margaret Thomas, Helen Hallahan, Helen Doyle, Georgia Brown, Jose Coffee, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Read and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Beebe.

Examination of Scouts.
There was a largely attended meeting of the Boy Scouts at the First Congregational church Friday evening for the examination of several candidates for the tenderfoot degree. Scoutmaster Fenou, Rev. William S. Beard and the members of the examining board were in charge of the gathering, which proved highly interesting to those of the public who were present. The candidates were put through the regular initiation for the degree, consisting of the knotting of the Scout's pledge, the tying of several simple knots and questions in regard to the flag and the history of our country and various parts of the Scout manual.

Sale and Supper.
The Ladies' Aid society of the First Baptist church gave a very successful supper Friday evening between 5 and 7 in conjunction with an apron sale by members of the Thimble club of the church. In the neighborhood of 200 aprons were sold, and the net proceeds was held under the direction of the supper committee for November, consisting of Mrs. Carrie Hall, chairman; Mrs. C. W. Tryon, Mrs. B. G. Thompson, Mrs. Remington, Mrs. James Harris, Mrs. George Allen, Mrs. Wesley Whitton, Mrs. E. G. Sumner, Mrs. E. W. Ellison, Mrs. Alfred Lathrop, Mrs. M. A. Sullivan, Mrs. Mabel Broadbent, Mrs. Henry Fryer, Misses Mabel Johnson and Laura Clark.

First Baptist Church Interests.
The subject of Rev. William F. Rowley's discourse Sunday morning was Joy Stronk.

The music committee is making great preparations for a sacred cantata to be given Sunday evening, Dec. 21, under the direction of Miss L. L. Brown of the normal school faculty.

There will also be a musical entertainment on Christmas night, entitled Santa Claus and Uncle Sam. Mrs. C. H. Merrifield, Mrs. William F. Rowley and Miss Ada Bowen are the committee in charge.

OBITUARY.
Mrs. Reuben T. Burgess.
Mrs. Carl Burgess, 49, wife of Reuben T. Burgess, who died of cerebral hemorrhage at the home of D. W. Ives in South Windham Saturday evening. She is survived by her husband and two daughters, one of whom, Rubetta, lives with her parents, and the other of whom is married.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess were driving through South Windham Saturday afternoon about one o'clock their house fell down, and both got out of the carriage. Mrs. Burgess was taken to the hospital and carried into the home of Mr. Ives, where she was cared for, and Dr. F. E. Wilcox was summoned. Despite medical aid, however, her death followed at 6.30 that evening.

Holy Name Society Met.
There was a short meeting of the Holy Name society at 8 o'clock Sunday evening at the residence of Mrs. J. R. Danforth. The subject of the meeting was the church next Sunday, Dec. 21st, to attend the 9.15 a. m. mass in a body. There are about three hundred members in the society.

MOOSE INITIATE.
Class of Twenty-one Taken into Lodge—Two Prizes Awarded.

Willimantic lodge, No. 1440, Loyal Order of Moose, held another largely attended meeting, which was held in their rooms at the Center street, and initiated twenty-one candidates. The building committee, which has been canvassing the town for some time, reported progress and will undoubtedly present something definite to the next meeting. An elegant steel set, handsomely decorated with moss, was presented by Organizer P. J. Fitzgerald to Nathan Gilman for bringing in the most members up to the present, and Joseph Connelly received a set as second prize. Mr. Gilman's figures were 69.

GAVE A PLAY.
Amateur Cast Cleverly Present "A Scrap of Paper."

The Willimantic Woman's club gave a very enjoyable play at their rooms Saturday afternoon. The hall was crowded, and the affair was very successful. The presentation was well staged and the acting uniformly excellent. Miss Marjorie Knight presided at the piano and rendered selections between the acts. The play was "A Scrap of Paper" and the young ladies participating were: Verna Hastings, Marion Lincoln, Catherine English, Agnes Albert, Frances Leonard, Helen Harrington, Myrtle Hazell, Hazel Mowry, Marion Rafferty, Edith Bowen and Cora Sharpe.

Brief Mention.
Chester Leonard of Hartford spent a few hours in Willimantic on his way to Norwich to visit his wife, who is ill.

George W. Hickey has sold to E. Don of 92 Quercus avenue a building and a two-tenement house on Park street.

Thomas and William Cotter returned to Boston after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cotter, of Park street.

Miss Ruth C. Smith is confined to her home sick with tonsillitis. Her sister, Mrs. Theodore Downing, of Hartford, is taking care of her.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jackson and children, William, Jr., and Juanita, are in Bridgewater visiting Mr. and Mrs. Williams. Mr. Williams is a state police officer.

Frank R. Jackson was seen on the streets Saturday for the first time in over two weeks, having been confined to his home with a severe attack of bronchitis which at one time threatened to turn into pneumonia.

Personals.
Mrs. E. O. Smith of Storrs is in Danvers.
D. P. Clifford spent Saturday in New Haven.

Mrs. Etta Hill is a Somerville, Mass., visitor for a few days.
Miss Fanny Lee is in Hartford for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mrs. D. Sullivan of Chapman street is in Waterbury visiting relatives.
Miss Albina Blanchette spent Saturday in New London on business.

T. R. Sully returned to Hartford Saturday for a week end visit at his home.
Miss Bertha Botham was a week end visitor in Providence, the guest of friends.

John Fitzgerald, a surveyor employed here, spent Sunday at his mother's home in Rockville.

Mrs. Helen Bagg Cummings and daughter Carolyn are spending a few days in Concord, N. H.

Hartford visitors Saturday included Mrs. and Mr. E. J. Peppin, Mrs. and Mr. Jemie Denchey, Mrs. E. J. Smith, Mrs. Clifford Alpaugh, Mrs. Frank St. John, and Mrs. H. B. Burt, Mrs.

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