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Obituary

Norwich, Wednesday, Aug. 11, 1915.

VARIOUS MATTERS

Grape vines in this vicinity are reported as heavily loaded this season.

Barge Alice was towed from Mystic to New London Monday by the tug Aquidneck.

A large limb was blown from a tree on Williams avenue during the severe storm Sunday night.

Progress is being made on the new sidewalk around Chelsea, passed in spite of the recent stormy weather.

The tree that was blown down on Broadway during one of the recent storms is being cut up and removed.

Peach supper today 6 p. m., Norwich Town church with shortcake 20 cents ad-v.

The contractors are now laying the sidewalk on Chelsea, passed in spite of the recent stormy weather.

All the state sanatoria for the treatment of patients afflicted with tuberculosis are closed, and there is a large waiting list.

The state tuberculosis commission held its regular meeting at the Capitol Monday morning and transacted routine business.

At the Sunday service of the Baptist church at Chester, the pastor, Rev. F. E. Coburn, read his letter of resignation to take effect Oct. 1.

The National Association of Cotton Manufacturers will hold its semi-annual meeting at the Albany Hotel at Hotel Griswold, September 9 to 11.

A Lafayette street resident killed a flat headed eel in the Yantic cemetery Tuesday morning. The snake measured 41 inches in length.

Guy T. Arms of Neptune Park is entertaining a house party of young people at his summer home at Griswoldville, Mass., a colony in the Berkshires.

Thomas L. Browning died Sunday afternoon at his home in the 14th district. He was born in 1842, the son of Nathaniel H. and Emeline Wheeler in North Stonington.

Excursion to Montreal, via the Central Vermont railway, August 13 and 14. First class limit August 30. Only \$10.00 for the round trip. See flyers for particulars—adv.

The 101st anniversary of the battle of Stonington occurred Monday. It was on August 10, 1714, that the British left their ships off that place and burned part of the town.

It is learned in New York that a huge shipment of gold is on its way from London to New York.

One of the new silver 50 cent pieces issued in commemoration of the Panama-Pacific exposition is being displayed by a New London business man who procured the coin in New York.

Ocean beach is beginning to assume its normal appearance. Gradually the heavy stones are being removed, and the beach is at present nearly clear of wreckage.

The Griswold is enjoying an unprecedented rush of business this month. On Sunday night fully 150 people were turned away, and the house is completely booked for the remainder of the week.

Charles Lang, who received serious injuries in a house party at his home on the Norwich road about two weeks ago, underwent an operation for the fracture of his ribs Monday afternoon in New London.

Deputy Secretary of State, Richard J. Dowdy, returned to his duties at the capitol, after his annual vacation at the Dwyer cottage at Madison. Dwyer feels much refreshed after his rest.

Persons returning from Savin Rock Sunday evening overhauled many cars temporarily out of commission. The downpour of rain had made the state road very treacherous, and careful drivers made haste slowly.

After the thunder storm at Ocean beach Monday there appeared over the town a rainbow remarkable for its unusual brilliancy. The colors were very plainly marked, and many people witnessed the sight.

Miss Anna Rudie, a French artist, who was in the city on Tuesday, has returned to her home in New York city, where she has completed her portrait painting of Lieutenant Governor Clifford B. Wilson.

The plan of holding weekly band concerts at made her home was wonderfully well. The first one of the series will be given tonight at the Soldiers' and Sailors' Memorial and the Komonoc band, who will play alternately.

P. J. Clifford has leased the tract of land in Bentley avenue, Ocean beach, owned by Mrs. Mathew McManara and will erect several cottages there. There is talk of suit on the part of the lessee of the bathhouses on the city property.

Norwich friends have learned that there is some slight improvement in the condition of Miss Ethel F. Worth, who for many weeks has been in a New London hospital, which she was taken suffering with typhoid fever. The typhoid fever has left her, but she is still in a feeble condition and her condition is still critical.

OBITUARY. Mrs. John W. Street.

Mrs. Addie Street died on Monday at Quaker Hill after an illness of some duration. She was 44 years of age and was born in the town of Boscawen. Her father was William Purple. She is survived by her husband, John W. Street, of Quaker Hill.

Miss Ada Louise Holmes.

Following a period of ill health that had lasted for a year or more, and which had developed into an especially serious condition for the past week, Miss Ada Louise Holmes passed away Tuesday morning about 10.30 o'clock at Neptune Park, Ocean Beach, at the residence of relatives from this city. The cause of her death was per-nicious anemia.

She was 14 years of age and was the only child of Frederick M. Holmes of New Britain and Annie Williams of Boscawen, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Morgan Williams of this city. Since the death of her mother when she was a young child, Miss Holmes had made her home with her grandparents. She was a lovely girl, with a bright mind and a happy disposition, and she had a hobby blow to her father and the other members of the stricken family.

The remains were brought from Neptune Park to this city on Tuesday evening.

First-class cruisers are oil-burning ships and make practically no smoke, and act as a warning to the enemy.

PERSONALS

Miss Mary Dunn of Schem street is spending her vacation at Pleasant View.

Miss Alice Brennan is spending a week in Hartford, the guest of Miss Florence Hicks.

Mrs. Agnes Armstrong and Brenda Hill are spending two weeks at Block Island, E. I.

Miss Henrietta Lane of Rowell avenue has returned from two months' stay at Salem, Mass.

Fred Le Roy Stearns, who has been visiting his parents on Huntington place, has returned to New York city.

Miss Clara P. Robinson of New Haven is spending several days with Mrs. Frank E. Peckham at Far View, East Side.

Policeman William S. Doty and family of Cliff street leave this Wednesday morning for two weeks' stay at Cape Cod.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Sullivan and family and Mr. and Mrs. Whelan and daughter were guests of friends in Moosup, Sunday.

Ernest A. Cherry of Division street enjoying a two weeks vacation. He is the guest of his sister, Mrs. E. E. Beckwith in Hartford for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McCarthy, Mrs. John Fitzgerald and Mrs. John Haggard spent Sunday in Providence the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. McCarthy.

Mrs. John D. Biggs of Prospect street and her sister, Miss Gouley, have gone for a three months' visit with relatives in Los Angeles and attend the world's fair in San Francisco, Cal.

FUNERALS. Dr. William S. C. Perkins.

The funeral service for Dr. William S. C. Perkins was held at his late home, No. 50 Broad street, on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock and in the large attendance were members of the medical profession from this and other parts of the city.

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TWO CASES BEFORE COMMISSIONER

Dr. J. J. Donohue Conducts Compensation Hearings—

Question Whether C. J. McKay Was in Line of Employment at Time of Fatal Accident—T. M. Ely of Haddam

Makes Claim for Loss of Eye.

Two hearings before Compensation Commissioner Dr. J. J. Donohue occupied a large part of the day on Tuesday, the first in the claim of Mrs. Charles McKay against the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, on account of the death of her husband, who was an employee of the company, and the second in the case of Theodore N. Ely of Haddam, who was in the employ of M. C. Secor, Sons of Chester when he was injured.

In the McKay case the hearing was held at the office of the commissioner, and the death of Mr. McKay was caused while engaged in duties in and out of his employment as collector and solicitor for the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, by whom he had been employed for 22 years.

Mrs. McKay, who was present at the hearing, was represented by Attorney Edwin W. Higgins.

The accident which resulted fatally to Mr. McKay occurred at 7.30 on the evening of Wednesday, June 2, when he was struck on Burnham square by an automobile.

Buckley, superintendent of the Baltic mill. His skull was fractured and he died four days later at the hospital.

Four witnesses were present at the hearing, including the doctor, the local superintendent for the insurance company.

Superintendent Higgins testified to the fact that Mr. McKay had been in the employment of the company 22 years and that he knew not whether there was an agreement in written form between employer and employee.

He explained that it was the duty of the company to make a check for a deposit of his collections of Monday on the following morning at 8 o'clock and that on Thursday a settlement was demanded, with an itemized report of amounts collected and from whom collections had been made.

There were two kinds of collection, regular business, which was termed as industrial business, and special business which was not of the industrial nature, and provided for quarterly, semi-monthly and annual payments.

From the facts brought out in the testimony Attorney Desmond attempted to substantiate his claim that the fatal accident happened while Mr. McKay was in the regular course of his employment.

The boy died Sunday afternoon at the age of 12, after a brief illness due to infantile complications.

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BOSWORTH CANNOT PLAY

IN ROQUE TOURNAMENT

Former Champion Too Closely Convinced by Business Duties.

Harold Bosworth of New London, former national roque champion, will not compete in the national tournament, which opens in this city next week. Mr. Bosworth is now employed as a clerk in the Groton post office.

Higgins said that the territory covered by Mr. McKay was on the West Side from Washington square to Thames-street. When Mr. Higgins came to Norwich and assumed the duties of superintendent Mr. McKay covered a larger territory than at the time of his death, as Superintendent Higgins had reduced his territorial limits. While a collector was supposed to make collections in the territory of his own territory, occasionally became the duty of a collector to get into another territory until the incumbent was transferred to his territory of the second collector.

One of the points brought out in the case was that Mr. McKay occasionally carried one of the company's special forms of insurance that netted him \$17 a week from the company, the territory, the company bearing 50 per cent.

The hearing was begun at 10 in the afternoon and concluded about 1.30 in the afternoon.

Commissioner Donohue reserved his decision.

Briefs in Ely Case.

The same point as to accident during employment was to be determined in the hearing on the claim of Theodore N. Ely of Haddam against M. C. Secor, Sons of Chester, which was held in the afternoon.

Rollin U. Tyler of Deep River was the attorney who argued the famous McNeil case before the supreme court of Massachusetts in 1907, which was found against the employer because of the fact that he employed the person who caused the death of his son, and knew of the fact that he drank excessively at times and acted badly.

In the case that was heard Tuesday it was shown that Mr. Ely was employed at about \$1.75 per day on a contract basis for the company where novelties were manufactured.

On the 10th of March he was struck in the left eye by a piece of ring thrown by another employee. The ring struck him in the eye and Mr. Ely's eye was at first little attention was paid to the accident, but when the eye began to bother him he went to a doctor, who checked for it on May 1st, when he was forced to stop work because of the condition of his eye.

After that he was compelled to go to a hospital in Hartford, where the eye was treated for some time.

After the hearing the attorneys in the case were given two weeks in which to submit briefs.

CHANDLER'S ADVICE ON COMPENSATION PROBLEMS

For Employers of Less Than Five—Speaks on Insurance Feature.

A clipping from a Bridgeport paper concerning the neglect of employers to fill out blanks saying whether or not they accepted the act as amended, was presented to the commission, and was shown to Compensation Commissioner B. Chandler of the First district Tuesday at Hartford and he did not think the situation had more than a general interest.

"Many employers of less than five have insured under the old act, and many of these employers were automatically taken out from under the provisions of the new act," he said.

Part B of the amended act contains provisions whereby an employer of less than five persons can get out insurance, notifying the commissioner and also notifying his employees.

"No question as to what would happen if such an employer who had paid his premium in his policy failed to notify the commissioner of his men injured and the injured man would try to collect compensation from the insurance company through the employer. Suppose neither the employer nor the insurance company has taken any action to notify the commissioner of the new act, and the employer's acceptance of the new act. Technically such an employer, although he would not be under the new act, would be in a position to get his compensation because of the technicality."

"It is difficult to conceive that any insurance company which had accepted premium paid in good faith by an employer would have the advantage of a technicality of this kind, during the period of transition from the original act to the amended act."

"As a matter of fact some insurance companies are following these cases by closing their books and a number of notices of the acceptance of the new act from employers and persons injured by accidents in companies seem more dilatory. It really is the business of the agent of the insurance company to get the blanks filled out, although the law imposes the duty upon the employer."

"My practical suggestion to the employer is that he should notify the insurance companies that they want the technicalities removed by filling out blanks attended to properly and that the insurance companies use their best efforts to get the proper blanks in the hands of the insured."

Commissioner Chandler was asked what motive employers of less than five might have for insuring under the new act.

"Well, said the commissioner, 'I am retaining my insurance partly from motives of humanity, partly from motives of enlightened self-interest. There is satisfaction in knowing that if any employee gets hurt he will draw compensation and doctor's bills from an insurance company. Moreover, there always has been some liability resting upon the employer, and the new act is a relief act was passed. This is taken care of by the insurance policy. Moreover, the expense of carrying all these similar policies certain, practically protecting the employer from public liability because of injuries sustained by his employees or others.'"

Moreover in the case of farmers and many other persons whose usual mode of employment is agriculture, there may come at certain seasons of the year a rush period in which it is expected will be created at Putnam by the insurance company.

An accident of that nature might be the cause of much trouble and expense to the employer. The premium of these policies is relatively small and my observation is that a very considerable number of employers of less than five persons are going to insure and continue under the act."

There is no question that no such case in which the insurance companies had taken advantage of the act, but he has been contented before him, but he has been contented with the various insurance companies had paid compensation on such policies without question.

NEW YORKER LOSES GOLD TRIMMED BAG.

Believes He Drove Off and Left It in Gutter on West Main Street.