

The Bulletin

Norwich, Saturday, Jan. 1, 1916.

THE WEATHER.

Conditions. The storm over the southeast has crossed the Rocky mountains and Friday night its center was over southeast New Mexico...

Cold weather continued Friday in New England, the lowest reading in that section being 18 below zero at Northfield, Vt.

The indications are that the southwest storm will cause rains and storms in the region of the great lakes. The area of unsettled weather and rains will overpread the Atlantic states Saturday and Sunday.

Winds: The winds along the north Atlantic coast will be moderate variable, becoming south; middle Atlantic, moderate southeast and south.

Forecast. Southern New England: Cloudy and warmer Saturday, followed by rain by night; Sunday rain.

Northern New England and Eastern New York: Cloudy and warmer Saturday, probably followed by rain or snow by night and Sunday.

Observations in Norwich. The following records, reported from Sevin's pharmacy, show the changes in temperature and the barometric changes Friday:

Table with 3 columns: Time, Ther. Bar., Wind. Rows include 7 a. m., 12 p. m., 6 p. m., Highest 39, Lowest 19.

Predictions for Friday. Fair. Friday's weather: As predicted.

Table with 3 columns: Day, Rise, Set. Rows include Sun, Moon and Tides.

Six hours after high water it is low tide, which is followed by flood tide.

GREENEVILLE

Funeral of Edward Bromley Held From St. Andrew's Church—Personal.

The funeral of Edward Bromley was held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from St. Andrew's church where a public service was conducted with Rev. F. M. Johnson, pastor of the St. Andrew's church officiating.

The Junior choir sang the burial anthem, also Asleep in Jesus and Our Father. The Rev. Mr. Johnson read the prayer and the benediction.

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ECHOES FROM THE LODGE ROOM

Shetucket Lodge Places Robert Donohue in Chair of Noble Grand, While Uncas Lodge Elects William Ortmann—

Court Quinebaug Election—New Year's Greeting of Supreme Regent Hoag of Royal Arcanum.

At the regular business meeting of Sebequonah council, No. 11, in Forester's hall Monday evening the election of officers took place as follows:

DEGREE OF POCAHONTAS. The members of lodge Oscar, No. 36, elected officers as follows at their meeting on Wednesday evening:

ORDER OF VASA. The monthly meeting of the grand lodge finance committee was held last Wednesday afternoon in the grand lodge office.

FORESTERS. Officers were elected as follows by Court Quinebaug, No. 128 in Forester's hall Tuesday evening:

UNITED WORKMEN. The monthly meeting of the grand lodge finance committee was held last Wednesday afternoon in the grand lodge office.

ROYAL ARCANUM. The summary of membership and finances of the Royal Arcanum on Nov. 30, 1915, as reported in the December issue of the Royal Arcanum Bulletin is as follows:

Membership—Last report 243,420; applications since received, 1,450; re-instatements since received, 69; total 244,939; suspensions and personal withdrawals, 839; deaths, 340; total, 1,179; approximate membership, 243,760.

W. & O. B. Fund—Balance last report, \$592,320.59; received during the month, \$625,278.77; transferred from Emergency fund \$1,000.00; total, \$1,218,600.36; death benefits paid, \$728,571.99; balance on hand, \$487,728.37.

Total payments from organization to date, \$178,256,895.85. Emergency Fund—Amount last report, \$4,888,048.66; amount since added, \$12,511.58; total, \$4,900,560.24; transferred from W. & O. B. fund, \$1,000.00; total, \$5,900,560.24.

Excess of Mortuary Resources over all known liabilities, \$294,873.24. Approximate amount, \$294,873.24.

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In his New Year's greeting to the officers and members of the Supreme Grand and Subordinate lodges, Supreme Regent, Samuel H. Hoag, said: "Looking backward over the past receding year, I doubt not that the heritage of frail humanity has been yours—the joy and the sorrow, the shine and shadow, the calm and the storm, but in and through it all I trust that the star of hope is still ascending and that the days of glad fruition may soon be yours.

Bearing in mind that the welfare of our order depends upon the prosperity of the subordinate councils, it behooves us for that reasonable service in maintaining and developing the efficiency of the council to which you belong as a contributing factor in our work of construction, and as the only channel through which can come the life blood that is essential to our perpetuity. Such service at your hands transcends the vast importance of successful achievement for the work in which we are engaged in but the opportunity for service, and the purpose of our existence is not only to successfully administer the sacred trust of \$47,000,000, represented by the benefit certificates of 245,000 members, but also in aiding the distressed, succoring the unfortunate, and in the diffusion of that peace and good will that are essential to true brotherhood, to demonstrate in our achievements the virtue of unselfish service.

My heart's desire for you and yours is that there may be vouchsafed to you contentment of mind, peace, competence and health, and that you may all enter upon the New Year rejoicing in the dissemination of the immortal principles of virtue, mercy and charity, for which we stand rejoicing in the mitigation of human suffering and in the alleviation of human sorrow, and in seeking the betterment of the great brotherhood of which we are a part.

Young Men's Social club gave their New Year's dance and social. There was a large number in attendance and music for the dancing was furnished by Livingston's full orchestra. The committee in charge was George Barlow and Clement Joubert.

Chicken Supper. The Penomet W. P. club recently gave a chicken supper at their rooms on Norwich avenue with a large number in attendance. During the evening solos were rendered by the singer with William O'Brien presiding at the piano.

Ben Hurs Here Today. Manager Roy has received the lineup from the Ben Hurs management who will meet the local basketball team this afternoon in Parish, it follows: Larson, Curried, Opplet, Cronin and Wolf.

The local men will use the following players: Murphy, White, Vickery, Pratt, Stanley, Belair and Hasler.

Personals and Notes. Mrs. John Oles of Norwich avenue has moved to Williamsville.

Miss Ora Trudeau is visiting in Providence and Pawtucket.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Allard and children are visiting over the week end in Providence.

At Sacred Heart church, today (Saturday), masses will be celebrated at 8, 9, 10 and 10:30 a. m.

Hector Gaucher and Charles Anderson left Friday afternoon for Providence where they will spend the week end.

Charles Gadsbols of Hunter's avenue entertained a number of their friends to a turkey supper at their home on Saturday evening. An orchestra furnished music during the evening.

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ACCOUNTS, ACTIVE AND INACTIVE—

SMALL AS WELL AS LARGE—INVITED

Incidents in Society

William A. Buckingham, Jr., is in New York for the holiday.

Mrs. Grosvenor Ely gave a dinner of ten covers Friday evening at her home on Washington street.

Mrs. William B. MacLane, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fitch L. Allen, returns to Boston Sunday.

The Saturday Evening Bridge club will meet this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Austin on Washington street.

Miss Catherine Browning, who has been spending several days at her home on Greene avenue, has returned to Brookline, N. Y.

Mrs. Edson F. Gallaudet and children of Huntington place are in Hartford over New Year's, with Mr. Gallaudet's father, Dr. E. M. Gallaudet.

Supt. and Mrs. Edward J. Graham and two sons of Washington street have been passing the holidays at Mr. Graham's former home in Canajoharie, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Grosvenor Ely leave Monday for St. Louis, where they will attend the wedding of Robert Brewer and Miss Margaret McCandless, Mr. Ely being the best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald M. Byrnes and son, Ronald M. Byrnes, Jr., of Glen Ridge, N. J., have been guests of Mr. Byrnes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick A. Byrnes, of Warren street.

Miss Dorothy Atwood is having a house party at her home in Wauregan over New Year's. Guests from Norwich are Miss Winifred Welles and her brothers, Philip and Russell Welles.

Mrs. Eben Learned of Huntington place will be at home today (New Year's) to a few friends. She will be assisted by the Misses Williams and Miss Martha L. Osgood, Mrs.

At their quarterly meeting on Jan. 11 the trustees of the Norwich State hospital will consider the petition for parole of several of the inmates of the state reformatory farm conducted in connection with the institution and under the supervision of Supt. E. M. Pollock. The board of trustees acts as a board of parole.

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