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The Bulletin Norwich, Wednesday, Feb. 23, 1916.

THE WEATHER.

Conditions. The weather has become much warmer throughout the Middle Atlantic and New England states and temperatures much above the seasonal average are again reported from west of the Mississippi river.

The indications are that the disturbance that is now over the Middle Mississippi valley will advance eastward and be attended by snow and rain in the north border states and rains elsewhere east of the Mississippi river within the next 36 hours.

The temperature will fall Thursday in the Middle Atlantic and New England states.

No unseasonably cold weather, however, threatens any part of the country within the next two or three days.

Winds: The winds along the North Atlantic coast will be moderate variable becoming easterly. Middle Atlantic coast moderate southeast and south.

Forecast. Northern New England: Cloudy Wednesday, probably snow by night; Thursday, probably snow.

Southern New England: Cloudy Wednesday, probably followed by rain Thursday evening and colder.

Eastern New York: Cloudy Wednesday, probably followed by rain south and rain or snow north; Thursday clearing and colder.

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

Table with 4 columns: Time (7 a. m., 12 m., 6 p., Highest 40), Ther. Bar., and other weather data.

Predictions for Tuesday: Fair and warmer. Tuesday's weather: As predicted.

GREENEVILLE

Hooks Hold Annual Banquet and Entertainment—Personals.

Living up to their annual custom of commemorating George Washington's birthday, the Greenville Hooks & Ladder No. 2, gave their annual banquet and entertainment in the engine house on North Main street.

The menu: Cold Meats, Corned Beef, Tongue, Parker House Rolls, Crab Salad, Potato Salad, Celery, Ice Cream, Pickles, Assorted Cakes, Cigars.

Major T. C. Murphy, who gave an address on the evening, said that the remainder of the program follows: song, Arthur Campbell address, Our Fire Department, Alderman Casper K. Bailey, duet, Messrs. Racine and Campbell; violin solo, Frank O. Benson;



WILLIAM S. MURRAY song, Frank Racine; address, Life of Washington, Allyn Brown; solo, A. Craig Taylor; address, State Firemen's Association, Wade U. Webster; remarks, Judge J. H. Barnes.

During the evening Geer's orchestra rendered several selections. The committee in charge was: Arrangement committee—William Hoffman, Theodore C. Edgson, Frank Burke, Charles L. Proddell, Andas Peterson.

Reception Committee—John H. Henderson, Charles S. Twist, John T. Telford, John W. McKinley, Howard Spalding.

The officers are: William S. Murray, foreman; Charles Drescher, first assistant; Howard Rydholm, second assistant; Frederick C. Geer, secretary; Louis J. Brucette, treasurer; Charles L. Proddell, steward.

Personals. William Shea of the steamship New Hampshire is at his home here.

Miss Frances Lillian Grover is ill at her home on Hickory street with the grip.

William McClimon and Fred Fleming are spending a few days in New York.

One of the first of the schools in agriculture in western Connecticut to be conducted by the Connecticut Agricultural college, Storrs, will be held at Brookfield Center from March 7 to 10, inclusive. The school will have courses in agriculture and home making.

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MANY BLIND PATIENTS REGISTERED

Report of State Board of Education for the Blind Cites Activities During Past Year—Two Year Endowments Established and School Fund Increased.

The annual report of the state board of education for the blind has been submitted to Governor Marcus H. Holcomb. It recites the activities of the board for the past year showing that the work of caring for the blind of the state is making satisfactory steps. The report is in part as follows:

The reports of the board for several years have called attention to the growing necessity of more commodious accommodations for the work being done for the adult blind, together with the plans being developed for providing them. During the year under review the action of the general assembly of 1915, in furtherance of this subject in making an appropriation to take Connecticut Institute for the Blind for the erection, furniture and equipment of buildings suitable for carrying on the industrial work of said institute, stands out most prominently. For the fulfillment of the above purposes the sum of \$40,000 was appropriated. By virtue of this appropriation the strengthening and advancement of the work being done for the adult blind seems assured as the institute, having acquired through gift the building at the corner of Ridge road and Jordan lane in the town of Wethersfield for just such a purpose, is now in a position to take the necessary steps for the construction of such buildings as will be adequate and adapted to the needs of this branch of the work. In this connection it may be noted that with the completion of this contemplated work in the interests of the department of trades, which in all probability will be before the close of the year 1916, the period of practically seven years which will have elapsed will have seen the re-creation of the Connecticut Institute for the Blind, Nursery, School and Department of Trades, in entirely new quarters which have been approved by the board of the state on a firm and solid foundation.

Total Registration. The number of blind or partially blind persons registered with the board Sept. 30, 1914, was 316. Fourteen have since been added and nine discharged, making the total number registered Sept. 30, 1915, 88. The foregoing show that 77 blind or partially blind persons have been under the board's direction during the year receiving education and training. Of this number, 61 were children and 26 were adults.

At the close of the year 88 blind or partially blind persons were registered with the board as state pupils, of whom seven were under the care of the Perkins Institute and Massachusetts School for the Blind and 81 in the Connecticut Institute for the Blind at Storrs. Four of the nursery school pupils are in the department of trades.

Endowments. The establishment during the year of the Corn C. T. Dwight fund of \$10,000 and the Ruth Whitney Page fund of \$1,000 as well as the increase in the endowment fund of the school of \$1,000 are noteworthy. The need of funds of this nature is becoming more and more apparent, in fact imperative, as the work grows and progresses.

The total number of blind or partially blind persons registered in the three departments of the institution as pupils, instructors, employees, women and women and boarders, at the beginning of the year, was 95. During the year 25 were admitted and 14 discharged, making the total number at the close of the year 107. Of these 18 were in the nursery, 46 in the school and 43 in the department of trades. The first division includes 16 children, a matron and an as-

stant matron; the second, 44 children, the principal and an office assistant; and the third, 16 pupils seven in 1915 but one of whom are engaged in working at the trade. They are teaching, an assistant to the superintendent, an office assistant, 14 women and women, and four boarders.

For the year ending Sept. 30, 1915, the statement is as follows: Receipts. Amount appropriated by the General Assembly of 1915, for the two fiscal years ended Sept. 30, 1915 \$47,000.00 Disbursements. Tuition and board of state pupils: Perkins Inst. for Blind \$ 1,500.00 Conn. Inst. for Blind 15,858.33 Transportation and clothing 392.00 Traveling expenses members and secretary of the board 248.31 Office expenses 76.60

Controller's report shows: Salary of secretary \$1,800.00 Premium on secretary's bond \$17.50 State auditor 121.20 Machinery, materials and tools for state beneficiaries 443.81 Deduct: Premium on secretary's bond \$17.50 State auditor 121.20 138.70 2,243.51

Amount disbursed year ending Sept. 30, 1915, but not credited to board to covered back into state treasury 3,334.04 \$47,000.00 The general balance for Sept. 30, 1915, is as follows: Assets. Plant and personal property (school) \$94,007.95 Plant and personal property (nursery) 13,000.00 Plant and personal property (department of trades) 31,323.59 Building fund account (school) 10,196.55 Endowment fund account (school) 9,830.45 Building fund account (department of trades) 3,110.70 Endowment fund account (department of trades) 885.51 Furnishing fund account (department of trades) 112.12 Corn C. T. Dwight fund 10,023.32 Ruth Whitney Page fund 1,000.75 Accounts receivable (department of trades) 972.33 Cash on hand 1,828.99 Tuition and board account (department of trades) 147.84 Tuition and board accrued (school) 111.33 Interest accrued on savings bank deposit 6.83 \$177,675.85

Liabilities. Accounts payable 214.45 Balance, assets over liabilities 177,361.40 \$177,675.85 The report is signed by the members of the board, Governor Marcus H. Holcomb, Chief Justice Samuel O. Prentice, Elisha J. Steele and Emily Welles Foster.

THOUSANDS OF FREIGHT CARS TIED UP.

Traffic Offerings on New Haven Road Largest in Its History for This Time of the Year.

The New Haven road is coping with a veritable avalanche of freight traffic offerings over the past six weeks have been far and away the biggest in its history for this time of year. The road is getting all the business it can do, more than in any previous winter month, but the handling is proving very expensive. Overtime and other dem charges are largely increasing the operating outlay.

Due to the congestion, freight cars on the New Haven reached the high point of 21,687 at the first of last week. This contrasted with 49,554 cars one year ago and with 59,677 cars early in December. The number of cars on the New Haven has been going up steadily since August.

It has been figured that during November ten mileage was \$38,345,000. The nearest approach to this was a total of 220,000,000 tons handled one mile in 1912. For six months to Dec. 31 the road cared for 1,452,401,000 ton miles.

Within a few days the New Haven has had cars awaiting movement as follows: At terminals 20,000, between terminals 2,500, total 22,500; and simultaneously there have been 14,500 cars awaiting unloading and 10,900 cars on connections to be delivered at various junctions. Such an enormous volume of shipments, on top of the densest passenger travel on any big eastern road, is naturally making for slow transportation.

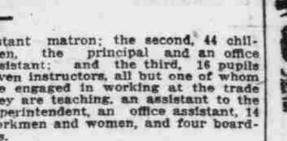
The management of the road, however, is insisting that cars shall be moved along just as fast as there are places to put them. That depends very materially on the ability of the owners of freight to take it away. The road is moving into terminals each day from 10,000 to 12,000 cars.

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on earth and good will to men" shall be overturned and men like beasts are hurled one against the other. The troops of the monarch of the sea, England, stepped in and helped her meet the onslaught of Germany's trained hordes.

Our Unpreparedness. Naturally, the thought flashes in our minds, the unpreparedness of the United States for war. Suppose that Germany had directed her attention to us rather than to those she did. It is not a pleasant thought. No one will deny that we have been and money enough to meet any emergency, and that our hearts are not as ready as they should be to repel such an invasion? We have prepared in business and wealth until we lead the world.

Our navy would certainly try to prevent such a thing, but as we are taking Germany as an illustration, Germany has a navy larger than our own. Their battleships would outdo our soldiers and naturally would crush any attempt to stop them. We have men enough to defend our country, but we might as well expect a strong farmer boy to whip a trained athlete as to expect an untrained man to fight successfully with a drilled regiment.

If Germany had seen fit to attack us rather than Belgium and France, judgment on an earthly standpoint, we would now be paying tribute to that country.

We note in the present war that Belgium is unprepared and not hold Germany and was crushed, while Switzerland, prepared with 400,000 men ready to defend her neutrality, is not molested.

The middle and western states may think themselves too far away to be disturbed, but place the eastern states in the hands of the enemy, there would be no alternative but to settle.

Preparedness Another Term for Success. Preparedness is but another term for success. No success, be it small or great, can expect success unless that one prepares first. No garment is made without preparing the threads that enter into its makeup. No business can be successfully carried on without first preparing means and location for the carrying on of the business. We must be prepared for any and all emergencies.

Some put their trust in God, that He will see them through. He will care for them, I am a firm believer in God, and that He will do for us the things we cannot do. I also believe that He does not do for us things we can do for ourselves. And to expect Him to keep evil men from trampling upon us when we are prepared to fight back is to expect Him to do anything to prepare us to meet cold, heat or hunger, depending that an over-seeing hand will take care of us. Why then, do we not do for ourselves or put our valuables in strong safety vaults?

We have to meet conditions as they are. As long as we are on this earth, we have to prepare against its attacks, at the same time exercising our best efforts to hasten the millennium, when all the earth will breathe peace.

SECOND ANNUAL APPEARANCE

Palmer Memorial School Minstrel Troupe Provided Enjoyable Evening for Large Audience in Robertson Hall.

The Palmer Memorial School Minstrel Troupe made their second annual appearance on Monday evening before a large audience in Robertson Hall. The evening was one of the most enjoyable of the season. The troupe was given a fine evening's entertainment. The end men, John Donovan, Lewis Rafferty, Oliver LaBounty and Percy Allen, kept the audience in laughter until the close. The school quartet featured in a dog and cat song. The troupe responded to many encores. Berty Fox, better known as Grandpa, took the count of ten, on account of interfering with the troupe. John Donovan made a big hit when he sang "When Old Bill Bailley Plays His Ukalele". Prof. James E. Murphy was much pleased with the troupe comedians and do probably repeat the show before the end of the season. The program was as follows: Opening: Overture, Back Home in Tennessee; When I Was a Dreamer, Lewis Rafferty; Jubilee in My Old Kentucky Home, Percy Allen; Bill Bailley, John Donovan; School quartet, Bingo; Casey at the Bat, featuring John Donovan and Edith Hurwitz; The Hand That Feeds the

The boom of guns is heard—Hark! The boom of guns is heard—The sword lurled is wrenched forth from its rusty scabbard. When the lust of power overcomes and the house of peace is broken become scraps of paper. Loved ones are stricken down in the vigor of manhood. Family ties are severed, when by the stroke of one man's hand, the life of another is snuffed out in their loneliness.

Man has become a beast, seeking his brothers' life blood, cities are burned, peace and prosperity are destroyed, women abused and children starving. The good Queen Victoria might be excused for turning face downward in her castles, ashamed of her children who side by side walked behind her on her way to her last resting place. See them grasping for each others' throats in endeavoring to kill. Of what use was her life and example?

Of what use is religion and Christianity, of civilization and peace conferences, when by the stroke of one man's pen treaties are broken and many years' work of good men and women to spread the tidings

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STATE POSTMASTERS' ANNUAL Members of Connecticut Association Invited to Attend National Convention to be Held in October.

The annual business meeting and banquet of the Connecticut Postmasters' association was held at the Hotel Bond, Hartford, on Tuesday. Postmaster John Bohl of Stamford, presided at the association, presided. Routine business and the annual election of officers followed the banquet. Postmaster David A. Wilson of Hartford read a communication from Postmaster Colin M. Selph of St. Louis, president of the National Postmasters' association in which the members of the Connecticut association were urged to join the national organization. At the last annual meeting of the national association, held in Washington, Post-

master Wilson was appointed as the Connecticut representative on the membership committee. The members of the Connecticut association were invited also to attend the national convention to be held in October. Those present included William H. Wray of Stamford Springs, Alexander Gilman of Putnam and W. W. Avery of Pomfret Centre.

Leaves Ulmer Leather Co. Charles R. Carlyle for the past 14 years accountant at the Ulmer Leather Co., left the employ of that company last Saturday. That he enjoyed the confidence and esteem of his fellowworkers was evidenced by a surprise which was tendered to him at his home last Wednesday evening by some of his old employees when he was presented two useful and appropriate gifts. Mrs. Carlyle and Mrs. Merritt served a dainty lunch and a pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. Mr. Carlyle is considered one of the best of the local accountants. He is to take a court some of his old employees when he before entering again upon active work.

BORN SULLIVAN—In Westerly, R. I., Feb. 20, 1916, a son to Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan. CRANDALL—In Westerly, R. I., Feb. 20, 1916, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Crandall. WHALEN—In Westerly, R. I., Feb. 21, 1916, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Whalen. DRURY—In Norwich, Feb. 15, 1916, a daughter, Ann Kathleen, to Mr. and Mrs. John W. Drury.

MARRIED SHEA-STAHLER—In New Haven, Feb. 19, 1916, by Rev. Wm. Lawrence P. Shea of New Haven and Miss Vivienne May Stahler of New Britain. LYNEZ—In this city, Feb. 22, 1916, by Rev. I. V. Maciejewski, Catholic priest, in St. Catherine's church. MILLER—WINIEWSKI—In this city, Feb. 22, 1916, by Rev. Peter Cuny, pastor of the Holy Trinity church, St. Patrick's church, Mystic. Feb. 22, 1916, by Rev. Peter Cuny, pastor of the Holy Trinity church, St. Patrick's church, Mystic. Feb. 22, 1916, by Rev. Peter Cuny, pastor of the Holy Trinity church, St. Patrick's church, Mystic. Feb. 22, 1916, by Rev. Peter Cuny, pastor of the Holy Trinity church, St. Patrick's church, Mystic.

DIED THUMM—In Norwich, Feb. 20, Rosine Louise Grauer, widow of Gustav Thumm, aged 77 years. Prayer for the family at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Otto Hoelke, 39 Hamilton avenue, Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 23, at 1.30. Public services at German Lutheran church, Franklin street, at 2.30. Burial in family lot in Yantic cemetery. PADDOCK—Entered into rest, in Norwich, Feb. 19, 1916, Mary Elizabeth Addams, wife of the late Lewis S. Paddock, M. D. Funeral service at her late residence, 95 Washington street, Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 23, at 3 o'clock. GIFFORD—Entered into rest, on Feb. 21, J. Parker Gifford, in the 64th year of his life. Funeral from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Nelson J. Ayling, at 2.30 o'clock, on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Brooklyn papers please copy. FOX—In Colchester, Feb. 21, Ellen Fox, aged 91 years. Funeral services at Mrs. C. H. Dawley's, Wednesday afternoon at 2.30. NOYES—In Charlestown, R. I., Feb. 19, 1916, Rhoda A. Noyes, aged 82 years. MAINE—In Providence, R. I., Feb. 19, 1916, Paul M. son of Atitaway T. and Mrs. M. Holdrege Maine of Laurel Glen, Conn. in his 18th year. CARMAN—In Stonington (Pawcatuck), Feb. 20, 1916, Addie Carman, wife of the late Isaac Carman, aged 71 years. HYDE—In New London, Feb. 21, 1916, Charles J. Hyde, aged 43 years. WATSON—Entered into rest, on Feb. 22, 1916, in Sprague, Frances M. Gilbranson, wife of Herbert C. Watson. Notice of funeral hereafter. SWEENEY—In this city, Feb. 22, 1916, Mrs. Frank F. Sweeney, aged 32 years.

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