

NEWS FROM ONE HUNDRED LIVE CORRESPONDENTS

EASTERN, MIDDLE AND WESTERN SHORE ISLANDS

Who is Going and Coming—Incidents, Accidents and Building in Three Counties

New London County

LEBANON

K. of P. Seventh Anniversary Celebrated—Strawberries Uplift—Funeral of James Mason.

Miss Nettie M. Williams was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Palmer of Chestnut Hill.

Mrs. Adell Spaulding spent this week with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cobb of Norwich.

Miss Sarah Danielson, a student at Pratt Institute, New York, is spending her vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Danielson.

Harold Mason of Williamstown is home Wednesday on account of the funeral of his grandfather, James Mason.

Everett Chappell and Roland Kenyon have gone to Terryville where they are employed in the lock shop.

Miss Marion Blakeslee, teacher at Voluntown, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Blakeslee.

Charles and Elmer Geer were in Williamstown last week attending the farm machinery exhibit.

K. of P. Anniversary. The Knights of Pythias celebrated their seventh anniversary last Thursday evening.

Auction Sale. Mrs. Mary Nagles sold her household goods and various other articles at auction at the residence of Stanton Briggs was auctioneer.

Edward A. Hoxie lost a valuable horse last Tuesday morning. The animal had been having the distemper and pink-eye.

Sled Overturned. There was a dance in Grange hall last Friday evening.

Body Placed in Vault. Funeral services for James Mason were held at 10 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from the residence of Stanton Briggs was auctioneer.

Ledyard. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gallup to move to Miami—Prize for Judge Holdredge's Essay—Death of Former Selectman, Alfred J. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac G. Geer were callers in Gales Ferry Friday.

Bulletin Ad. Brings Returns. Isaac G. Geer has sold a pair of open recently advertised in the Bulletin.

Judge Holdredge Wins Prize. A Chicago paper offered three cash prizes to those who wrote the best essay not exceeding 500 words in regard to fall-planting strawberry plants.

Funeral of Alfred J. Clark. In the death of Alfred J. Clark, Ledyard loses one of its most respected citizens.

Although Wednesday was a very stormy day the house was nearly filled with relatives and friends assembled at the funeral.

Frederick Cook met with what proved to be a painful accident Wednesday. He was working for Thomas Andrew in the Franklin farm.

Highways Badly Drifted—Chestnut Tree 123 Years Old Fell—Church Meeting and Roll Call.

F. H. Browning is seriously ill with typhoid pleurisy.

Regardless of the wintry temperature and deep snow on the ground a spring bird was heard on the 15th that does not appear until weeks later.

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Commercial school in Norwich, spent the week-end with relatives in this place.

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One day recently the largest and oldest chestnut tree in the county, located on Maple Hill farm.

Two curioities recently seen were an old flintlock blunderbuss and a cuckoo clock at every hour and a bird would appear and sing, then disappearing for another half hour.

The church meeting of the Goshen Congregational church will be held today (Saturday), March 25th, from 11 a. m. until noon will be a social hour.

There will be a business meeting and church roll call, also the reorganization of the Sunday school in the afternoon.

LEFFINGWELL

Fenno Johnson Has Arm Bone Crushed—St. Patrick Social.

H. E. Beard was an over-Sunday guest at the home of his brother, J. J. Beard, of Attleboro, Mass.

Miss Edna Jones, Miss Ida Leffingwell and Mervin Leffingwell of East Great Plain were guests of Miss Evelyn Johnson, of Leffingwell.

Elbert Johnson of Norwich spent part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson.

Mrs. Austin Rathbun and children, Palmer and Alice, of Norwich terrace, spent Tuesday with Mrs. C. L. Palmer.

Miss Gladys Leffingwell was Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Sheldon of East Great Plain, who is convalescent.

Fenno Johnson is spending some time with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson.

Miss Edna Jones, Ethel Miller and Mrs. C. L. Palmer, of Leffingwell, were guests of Mrs. George Sheldon of East Great Plain.

Rev. L. O. Gates, pastor of the Baptist church, has been conducting evangelistic services at Lynn, Mass., during the past week.

Rev. L. W. Frink of Norwich will occupy the pulpit at the morning service at 11 o'clock, his substitute being Rev. C. L. Palmer.

The superintendent, John Rathbun, who has been confined to his home for several weeks by illness, is able to attend to his duties.

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OLD MYSTIC

Fourth Quarterly Conference—Shamrock Party and St. Patrick Social—News in General.

District Superintendent Rev. George G. Scrivener of Norwich conducted the fourth quarterly conference of the Methodist Episcopal church Monday evening at the Methodist parsonage.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Scrivener, which reports were read and accepted. The present condition of the church was considered good.

Rev. William Crawford was unanimously requested by the church to return for another year. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: W. Martin White, Frederick Barnes, Dr. Albert T. Chapman, Joseph Desley, Prentice A. Williams, Lawrence Williams, Warren Wheeler, Miss Mary H. Dean, Mrs. Abby E. Dewey, Mrs. Mary J. Chapman, Mrs. Elizabeth Main, Mrs. Gertrude Peckham, Miss S. Annie Williams, Miss Florence Johnson, Mrs. Mary E. Lamphere, Mrs. Susan School, Miss Annie Williams, Mrs. Elizabeth Barnes, Mrs. Della Williams; recording steward, Lawrence Williams; district steward, Horace O. Williams; treasurer, William White; foreign missions committee, superintendent of Sunday school, W. Martin White; president of Epworth league, Miss Florence Johnson; Miss Mary H. Dean, Miss Ella Barnes; home missions and church extension, Mrs. Carrie Davis, Mrs. Mary E. Lamphere, Mrs. Harriet Peckham; tracts, Miss S. Annie Williams, Miss Fay Johnson, Miss W. M. Johnson, Miss Harriet Peckham; temperance, Prentice A. Williams, Mrs. Mary E. Lamphere, Miss Esther B. Barnes, Elisha N. Davis; education, Miss Gertrude Peckham, Mrs. Mary E. Lamphere, Miss Della Williams; freedmen's aid, Miss Florence Johnson, Mrs. W. M. Johnson, Miss Esther B. Barnes; church records, W. Martin White, Miss Mary H. Dean, Miss Della Williams; auditors, Sidney Siswick, Dr. Albert T. Chapman, Otto Anderson, who is ill, a lovely boy of spring flowers, daffodils, jonquils, and pansies. Mrs. Thompson purchased them with a check for \$1.00.

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William Maynard, J. Frank Rogers and Sherwood Mimes were Colchester callers Monday.

GLASGO

Changes Among Tenants This Spring—Many See Play—J. G. Hill to Be Delegate to Norwich Conference as 30 Years Ago.

Several changes will be made among the tenants in the village this spring.

Mrs. Eugenie Hall, who has lived in the village for 25 years or more, is to move the first of the week to Ekong Hill, near her sister, Mrs. Allen Sayles.

Mrs. Hall will be greatly missed and many friends regret her departure.

Mr. Mathewson is soon to move to Jewett City.

Mr. Mitchell is to move into the village and into the tenement vacated by Mr. Hall.

John McGovern was called to New York Wednesday to attend the funeral of a relative.

Mrs. Peckham was a week end guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Gardner.

The snowstorm Wednesday made it extremely unpleasant for the local merchants to make their weekly trips to Norwich for groceries and store supplies.

The drama Kathleen Mavourneen, presented by the dramatic club of Voluntown in Social hall Saturday evening, was well attended.

The Ladies' Aid society was pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Harriet Peckham last Thursday evening.

A large number of students are attending the school in the village.

The members of the Bethel Sunday school recently presented a play.

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GALES FERRY

Baptist at Methodist Church—Probationers Received Into Membership—Photographers Get Views of Submarines—Sunday School Institute in May.

At last Sunday morning's service in the M. E. church the rite of baptism was given to a young man, Matthew by Rev. James M. Potter, the pastor of the church.

The young man has been a member of the instruction class of the probationers' class of children which has been under the instruction of Rev. Mr. Potter for more than a year, preparing for membership in the church and who were received at this time by Rev. Mr. Potter.

The welcome was given them by District Superintendent Rev. G. C. Scrivener. Court-land was held in the church with which they were uniting and present-entirely enjoyed by all present.

Photographers Taken of Submarines. People of the vicinity of the submarine base at the Navy Yard were much interested in the maneuvers of a submarine just south of the Navy Yard docks last afternoon.

which submerged entirely and remained so for some time, and then partially submerged and remained afloat.

This was for practice but photographs with cameras were being taken in one direction and the other.

Whether for moving picture films or for government use was not ascertained. Several more submarines are expected at the base this week.

Guests at Parsonage. The Messes By, Blanche and Eva Partridge, of New York, and their daughter, Rev. James M. Potter, at his residence Neck charge, were attendants at the church last Sunday afternoon.

The Rev. and Mrs. Potter at the parsonage.

William Dean of New London took the honor of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Dean Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean are improving from a recent illness.

Miss Cora Allen of Groton was a recent guest of Mrs. Charles J. Pierce at her home in Gales Ferry.

Prize for Local Pupils. At the recent prize-speaking contest of the Ledyard schools in the Congregational church at Ledyard Centre, Mrs. H. J. Cole, of the village school, took the second prize in her class.

A Book of Adventure. The book of adventure, "The Ledyard School," was read by Mrs. H. J. Cole at the school last night.

Funeral of Aged Resident—Village and Grove Notes.

Funeral services for Francis Levee were held Wednesday afternoon in the Baptist church.

Mr. Levee had attained the age of 91 years and had suffered from illness for several years.

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SHUNOC

Ten Join Improvement Society—Bureau of Martin N. B. Hyde.

The Shunoc Improvement society held a largely attended and enjoyable meeting Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Horace G. Lewis.

Ten new members were added to the roll at the meeting. Miss Ada Lewis had charge of the program which included a piano solo ably rendered by Miss Moran, accompanied by recitations by Paul C. Merrill, Henry L. Allen, Harry Lewis and Miss Ada Lewis.

An old fashioned spelling match was heartily enjoyed by all present.

Between the first and second acts Mrs. Nellie J. Buckley of Norwich sang a solo for the benefit of the Shunoc Improvement Society.

Elmer E. Maine recently sold his farm to Stephen A. Lee of this town. He will move to the Shunoc village into the house the property of the Grange association.

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VOLUNTOWN

Dramatic Club Presents Play for Benefit of St. Thomas' Rectory Fund—Norwich Musicians Assist—Chowder Supper—Foresters Admit Threes.

On Friday evening, St. Patrick's night, the Voluntown dramatic club presented in Union hall, before a good sized audience the drama, Kathleen Mavourneen, for the benefit of the building fund for St. Thomas' rectory.

The parts were all well taken and the play was put over in a clever and artistic manner. The audience showed appreciation of the work by the storm of applause that greeted the close of each act.

The cast: Lawrence Moore, William A. Maguire, Bernard Cavanaugh, Miss McCall, Capt. Clearfield, Albert Dupont, Blackbody, Louis Davis, Billy Buttencup, Edward Larkin, Miss Mary LaPlant, Kitty, Flora Marie, Lady Dorothy, Alice, LaMorse, Kathleen O'Connor, Eva Gaudette.

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LAUREL GLEN

Van Carlesberg Property Bought by C. P. Eccleston—Eighty-Acre Reservoir Included.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kenyon of Chatterbury called on Mrs. Kenyon's mother, Mrs. Florence Hewitt, at the home of Mrs. Phoebe White, last Sunday.

Mrs. Marble has returned from a visit in Groton. She was accompanied by her father, Mr. Coombs. George Jones has sold his pair of milch cows to Milford.

Michelle Rice, who has spent the past three months in New Haven, has returned to his home here.

Walter Main is ill with grip.

Property of J. P. Von Carlesberg has been purchased by C. P. Eccleston of Groton. This includes the reservoir of eighty acres at Green Falls, where it cost three thousand dollars to build the dam. It was built by Alfred Clark's father, of Clark's Falls.

His household goods have already arrived.

Snow Banks Higher Than Stone Walls. The tops of snow banks here are higher than the stone walls.

LISBON

Schools Close With Special Exercises—R. F. D. Carrier Has Hard Week.

The pastor's sermon Sunday morning was a continuation of the theme of the previous Sunday, Heroes of Faith.

Schools in town