

ENLISTED MEN MAY BE MADE CADETS

President Has Power to Make Appointments to Military Academy From Army.

Enlisted men of the United States army are now eligible to cadetships in the United States military academy at West Point, N. Y. This is made possible by an act of congress approved May 4, 1915.

It is felt that when the news of this radical change in the laws governing appointment to the military academy becomes generally known that it will increase the enlistment of desirable young men in the regular army.

The act of congress approved May 4, 1915, provides as follows: "That the president is hereby authorized to appoint to the United States Military Academy from among enlisted men of the regular army between the ages of nineteen and twenty-two years who have served as enlisted men not less than one year to be selected under such regulations as the president may prescribe."

It is urged that the widest publicity be given to this provision of law as it is believed that it will prove to be a great incentive to the enlistment of desirable applicants.

COUNTY AGENT SENDS NOTICES TO GRANGES. Explains Plans for Grange Exhibits at the County Fair This Year.

County Agent F. C. Warner has sent out notices to the granges of New London county regarding grange exhibits at the county fair to be held Sept. 4, 5 and 6, 1916.

The following granges appointed committees of three: Preston, Norwich, Southon, Fitchburg, Colchester, North Ferrisburgh, Fitchburg, Waterford. These committees met at the farm bureau office early in the winter and took up the matter of making recommendations to the officials of the New London County Agricultural society with a view to making the business at hand, and at the February Pomona meeting held at Norwich a committee of six was appointed to submit recommendations and confer with the secretary of the agricultural society. The committee consists of J. D. Avery of Norwich, chairman; George H. Barnes of Preston grange, Mrs. W. W. Avery of Norwich grange, Mrs. W. H. Leland of Konomog grange.

On April 1 this committee met with Secretary Bockwith of the fair association and submitted recommendations and talked over the rules and regulations regarding exhibits, and at the recent meeting of the executive committee of the New London County Agricultural society the following points were voted upon. It was voted to increase the special prize for grange exhibits at the fair to \$25, making a total of \$125 instead of \$100, and that this premium be divided into five premiums recommended by the committee on the basis of \$20, \$25, \$25, \$25 and \$10 per cent. This gives as first prize \$27.50, second \$33.75, third \$22.50, fourth \$13.75 and fifth \$12.50.

It was also voted that the recommendation regarding scale of points on which the exhibits are to be judged be adopted as recommended, namely: the best exhibit of vegetable exhibits except potatoes 20, potatoes 5, grain and forage crops except corn 10, corn 5, fruit except apples 10, apples 5, dairy and bee products 10, flowers 5, canned fruits and vegetables, preserves, jellies and pickles 15, general arrangement of exhibit 15; total 100.

It was also voted that the committee of six above named should be known as the grange committee of the New London County Fair association and that they shall be in charge of the exhibit and see that all conditions and restrictions imposed or ordered by the executive committee of the New London County Agricultural society or its secretary be complied with, and that all protests or suggestions regarding the exhibit shall be made to this grange committee, and in event of failure to reach a satisfactory adjustment it be left to the secretary of the agricultural society.

Further recommendations submitted by the committee were adopted by the grange committee to the effect that the exhibit be allotted equal space, preferably 20 to 25 feet; granges with space at the end of the building not to be given priority for the exhibit; and that all exhibits must be on the ground by 10 a. m. and that they must be placed and all work on them be finished by 1 p. m. of the first day of the fair. Possibly no changes on work of any kind be permitted on grange exhibits after 1 p. m. of the opening day.

It was also voted, as in years past, to issue four complimentary tickets to each committee in charge of a grange exhibit, and that these complimentary tickets would be issued only on approval of the grange committee in charge of the exhibit.

I believe that this is a step in the right direction and hope that the granges of the county will meet this co-operation half way and do all that we can to boost the interests of agriculture in the county through our county fair.

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Nurses Graduate at Osgood Memorial

Six Receive Diplomas for Completion of Three Year Course—New York Minister Delivered Address to Class—Reception for Nurses Followed Exercises.

The graduation exercises of the Training School for Nurses of the William W. Backus Hospital, were held at the Osgood Memorial Parish house on Tuesday evening when six nurses received diplomas. The class of 1916 is the first class to graduate under the three year course, previous classes having graduated under the two year course.

The exercises opened at 8 o'clock with selections by an orchestra and Rev. Samuel H. Howe, D. D., pastor of Park Congregational church offered prayer. A highly instructive address on "The Nurse as a Civic, National and International force in Our Civilization," by Rev. H. C. Meserve, of Rye, N. Y. Following another selection by the orchestra, the six graduates were presented their diplomas by Winstow Tracy Williams, who presided during the exercises.

The presentation of prizes was made by Rev. H. C. Meserve, D. D., pastor of Park Congregational church. The prize offered by the William W. Backus hospital to the nurse who was most loyal during the training school course was awarded to Miss Margaret E. Wakefield, of Jewett City. The prize was ten dollars in gold.

The prize offered by Charles L. Jewett, of Jewett City, for the most ability in surgical work was divided between Miss Emma E. P. Neuman of New London and Miss Clara Atwood of Stonington. This prize was also ten dollars in gold.

The medical prize, ten dollars in gold, offered by Mrs. Hugh Osgood was awarded Miss Margaret Neville, of Westerly.

The class prize was presented the graduates by Rev. Edward R. Graham, rector of Christ Episcopal church. The exercises closed with selection by the orchestra.

The dinner at the parish house where the exercises were held, were well filled with relatives and friends of the graduates.

The graduates were gown in nurse's costume and carried handsome arm bouquets. Following the exercises in the parish house there was a reception for the graduates at the Nurses' home at the hospital. About sixty were present and the evening proved a delightful one.

The presentation of prizes was as follows: Miss Emma E. P. Neuman, New London, Conn.; Miss Clara Atwood, Stonington, Conn.; Miss Margaret E. Wakefield, Jewett City, Me.; Miss Anna Josephine Coffey, Providence, R. I.; Miss Florence E. Wakefield, Jewett City, Me.

The class motto was Sinceritas.

CORONER BROWN EXONERATES DRIVER OF JITNEY. Autopsy Shows Daniel Finn Died from Fractured Skull Received in Automobile Accident.

An autopsy performed on the body of Daniel Finn, who died in the Memorial hospital at New London last Friday as the result of an automobile accident in New London, showed that the death was caused by a fractured skull.

Finn was struck by a jitney driven by B. S. Denton of New London, Conn., which was traveling westward after hearing the testimony decided that Driver Denton was not responsible for the accident and exonerated him from all blame.

WEDDING GUESTS BANQUET AT WAUREGAN HOUSE. Party of Thirty-Four Enjoyed Excellent Menu Tuesday Evening.

Tuesday evening guests of the Foran-Shannon wedding party numbered 34 in all, banqueted at the Wauregan house at Wauregan, Conn. in a hollow square shape and were attractively decorated with baskets of flowers. The dining room was decorated with palms and potted plants. The following menu was served:

Canape of Caviar—a la Russe. Bouillon—Toap and Lobster a la Newburg in Parkins With Toast. Roast Filet of Beef Rosabella. French Potatoes. Fruit Salad—Wauregan. French Cream in Roses. Assorted Cake. Demi Tasse.

Victrola music was rendered and dancing enjoyed.

The party is to take place in St. Patrick's church this morning. The bride is Miss Valeria Shannon, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Foran, of Wauregan street, and the groom is John E. Foran, of New London.

CLUBS RECEIVE SUGGESTIONS. Assistant State Agent Tells Members How to Plan Their Gardens.

The members of the mother and daughter clubs of the county have received suggestions regarding the planning of gardens from M. Estelle Sprague, assistant state agent in charge of the United States Department of Agriculture. The suggestions made by Miss Sprague are as follows:

Plan to put up many cans of each kind. They will be very acceptable during the winter months.

Great care should be taken in planning the vegetable garden so that there may be not only a good supply of many varieties but also that there may be vegetables of the same kind for several weeks in succession. This is possible by making plantings several days apart.

Plan to use many cans of each kind. They will be very acceptable during the winter months.

Some suggestions as to companion and inter-cropping, also a list of good varieties for Connecticut will be found on separate sheets and may prove helpful.

SEVERAL CHANGES MADE IN POLICE BEATS. Officer Daniel O'Neil is Given the Central Wharf Beat.

As the result of the appointment of two regulars on the local police force at the last meeting of the common council several changes on the night beats went into effect on Monday night.

Officer Roger Cowles has been transferred from the beat to Thames street, and Officer Daniel O'Neil goes from Thames street to the Central Wharf beat. Officer Charles McFadden has been transferred from the beat to Laurell Hill. Sup. John Casey has been given the Thamesville beat, and John Dombroski the Franklin street beat. Officer two takes the place of Officers Myron Morgan and Michael Carroll, who are now doing traffic duty.

Scouts Held Marching Drill. All the troops of the Boy Scouts assembled at the armory on Tuesday evening and received instructions in marching in preparation for Memorial day when they will form a section of the Memorial day parade. The Trolley Cadets will also march in the parade.

There's plenty of room at the top, but more company below with the crowd.

PERSONALS

Leon Young of Hartford, formerly of this city, was in town Tuesday.

George Howard of Norwich is the guest of relatives in Niantic early in the week.

Mrs. Crane and Mrs. Stephen Turner of East Lyme have been visitors in Norwich.

Mrs. N. Eugene Smith goes to New Haven today to spend several days with relatives.

Joseph Miller of Montville, who has been visiting the New London hospital, has returned home.

Mr. Elizabeth Childs left town Monday for New York, where she will make her home with relatives.

W. Arthur Thurston, of Westerly, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James P. Thurston, of Norwich.

Mrs. William Bottomley has returned to her home on East Town street after a visit with relatives in Clinton, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln G. Luce have returned to their home in Stafford after spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Luce in Niantic.

POLICE GET MAN WANTED SINCE NOVEMBER. August Gomez was Arrested at His Home on Laurel Hill Tuesday Night.

August Gomez, colored, wanted by the local police since last November for cutting another man's hair with a razor in a Water street saloon, was arrested at his home on Laurel Hill Tuesday night by Sergeant John Kane and Officer Charles Luce. After the cutting affray Gomez left town and has been in Bridgport. He returned this week and his arrest Tuesday night followed.

REBATING FARES FOR OUT OF TOWN CUSTOMERS. Fifteen Students in Relays of Three Are Kept Busy at the Wauregan.

A corps of fifteen boys and girls from the Norwich Commercial School are being kept busy at the Wauregan, rebating fares to the Wauregan hotel, for the out-of-town customers. These young people are under the supervision of Miss Viola Lewis acting under the direction of Mr. Crandall. The chairman of the Merchants' Week committee says the students are doing splendid work. The students submit tabulated reports to the chairman of the committee each day, showing the amount of business done. Each student is required to do the regular day's work in school before being assigned the special task of working at the rebate booth.

The students assisting Miss Lewis are: Grace Slattery, Len Kinney, Julia Suckley, Evelyn Leary, Veronica Buckley, Elinor Denton, Julia Donovan, Marcella Coburn, Anna Lappert, Michael Kirby, John Hoar, Emily Robish, Frank Mouta, Howard Benjamin.

A large bookkeeping cash register is being used in the school for all transactions.

LATEST STATEMENT OF ARMENIAN RELIEF FUND. Treasurer Gale Has Paid to Treasurer of General Fund \$807.

The latest statement of the Armenian and Syraah Relief Fund in this city, Charles W. Gale, treasurer, is as follows:

Amount collected: \$848.25. Disbursements: Postage, Etc.: 16.50. Davis Theatre: 25.80. Paid Chas. R. Crane, treasurer: 807.95. General Fund: 20.00. Total: \$848.25.

N. F. A. NOTES. Track Meet to Be Held at Fair Grounds—Miss Dora Schwartz is Winner of Spelling Prize—Track Team Practiced Indoors.

The Academy will hold a track meet with Bulkeley High school, Saturday, May 20th. The contest will be held at the fair grounds at three o'clock. Four grammar schools of Norwich will enter their teams in the relay race.

Torriers vs. Second Team. The Torriers will play the Academy Second team today at the campus. The Torriers is a team made up from material in the Academy. This team has beaten the Second team once and a half that it will be able to do so again today.

Winner of Spelling Prize. After three spelling matches had been given, Miss Dora Schwartz has been declared the best speller in the school and will receive the spelling prize, which is awarded annually. Four pupils tied in the first match. When another test was given, Miss Schwartz was declared the victor.

Track Team Practices Indoors. The track team practiced in preparation for the meet with Bulkeley in the gymnasium of the Norwich Y. M. C. A. Tuesday, because of the campus not being in fit condition for outdoor work.

FUNERAL. James Isaac Lewis. The funeral of James Isaac Lewis was held from his late home, No. 69 Myers avenue, at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Rev. J. H. Dennis officiated and the Grand United Order of Odd Fellows attended the funeral in a body. The following members of the Odd Fellows acted as bearers: Albert M. Butler, Gerald Harris, James Lee, Charles Hazard, Clement Reed and Henry Lacey. There was a large attendance and many flowers covered the grave. Burial was in Maplewood cemetery, where the Odd Fellows conducted a burial service and Rev. Mr. Dennis read a committal service.

Undertaker Charles A. Gager was in charge of the funeral.

Has Returned from Middletown. C. W. Taylor, who has returned from Middletown, where he visited the new milk farm owned by H. O. Daniels, who has one of the finest looking clover fields in the state. He has five acres of clover with 108 plants to the square foot and it stands about 10 inches high. Scientists from the Connecticut college claim that the clover will add much atmospheric nitrogen to the soil.

In the City Court. Three appeared before Judge John H. Barnes of the city court on Tuesday morning on breach of peace and intoxication charges. All three paid their fines to Clerk Bailey.

Has Opened Cottage. Mrs. Lanura Williams of this city has opened her cottage at Grotton Long Point.

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