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 To be voted for at the coming City Election the Democratic Party places before the electors the following ticket, and assures the public that its election means a continuance of the efficient administration of the last six years.

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**VARIOUS MATTERS**

Norwich, Saturday, June 3, 1916.  
 Light-vehicle lamps at 7.65 this evening.  
 Friday's summer temperature started talk about holding picnics.  
 Witch-hazel and birch mills in the county have closed their season.  
 Men, hear Swallow's orchestra at 8.30 Sunday in big store in Thayer block—adv.  
 A new book at the Otis Library in Ex-Warden T. M. Osborne's Within Prison Walls.  
 Auto livery and express. Phone 977. T. J. Fitzgerald—adv.  
 The South Carolina has left the submarine base and has joined the Nevada in Block Island sound.  
 F. Holdensen and Company of Boston, are painting and decorating the lobby of the Waukegan hotel.  
 Plans are made for the installation of the electric street lights for use at Lord's Point on the evening of June 10.  
 Handsome birds of variegated colors are growing thriftily in the grounds at the city power plant, on North Main street.  
 The wild cherry trees are in bloom and now is the chance to destroy the caterpillars' nests which always infest them.  
 The Connecticut College For Women will hold a picnic at the residence of Mrs. E. L. Newton, 3 Slater avenue, Wednesday afternoon.  
 The elm trees in a number of places are receiving their annual spraying to protect them from the ravages of the elm beetle.  
 We sell the best vacuum cleaner for \$28.00. The Flaming Studio, 53 Broad—adv.  
 Employees at the American Thermos Bottle plant have been going back and forth in automobiles since the trolley strike began.  
 New help is being taken on at the Palmer Bros. company's quilt mill at Fitchville, each week. About 450 are now busily employed there.  
 A social of the Farther Lights of the Central Baptist church was held at the home of Mrs. L. Newton, 3 Slater avenue, Wednesday afternoon.  
 In accordance with a circular letter from Bishop Nolan, a Novena, or devotion for nine days, in honor of the Holy Ghost will begin in St. Patrick's church this evening.  
 A former Norwich resident, Rev. James Cooté, of Portland, is ill in New London, where he is being cared for by his daughter, Mrs. Ward T. Alling, where he and his wife are visiting for a week.  
 Some of the older telephone employees recalled the fact that Friday was the 41st anniversary of the birth of the telephone. There are now 9,200,000 telephone stations in this country.  
 Men, hear the address by Rev. E. P. Pheasant at 8.30 Sunday in Thayer block—adv.  
 At the closing exercises of Miss Porter's school in Farmington today, the luncheon to be served the parents of the young ladies will be supervised as usual by Mrs. Louis Mabrey, of Norwich.  
 The New England United Commercial Travelers may hold the 1917 convention in Hartford. The convention lasts three days and brings together between 2,000 and 3,000 traveling men.  
 The funeral of Mrs. Mary Ann Brown was held Thursday afternoon from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Hanover of Groton. Burial was at Cedarvale cemetery. Rev. George R. Atha officiated.  
 The big Metropolitan Line steamers, Massachusetts and Bunker Hill, docked for a long time at New London, are now to run through Cape Cod Canal on the route from New York to Boston.  
 The June White Ribbon Banner announces that the National W. C. T. U. convention is to be held in Indianapolis, Indiana, Nov. 17-22, and the state convention will be held in Waterbury, Oct. 10, 11, 12.  
 A special train is running between Saybrook Junction and New Haven. It started out at 7.30 a. m. Thursday to pick up the local passengers enroute and will continue until the trolley men's strike is settled.  
 The Harvard float was launched and sailed headed for the landing at Bed Top Thursday by men in the employ of a Groton firm. The quarters have been opened and are ready for the arrival of the crews, Monday.  
 Carpenters and electricians are at work decorating the house No. 35 Lincoln avenue for the new owner, Thomas E. Beckley, who with his family will move there from Mt. Pleasant street in about two weeks.  
 Invitations are out for the wedding of Vera Laurens Aldrich, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Aldrich of Attawaugan, and John Paul Comstock of Worcester, to take place in the Attawaugan M. E. church, Wednesday, June 14.  
 A graduate Thursday from Hartford Theological seminary, Harriet Charles Beebe, who has been at Vernon Center for two years as pastor, will move his family to South Coventry immediately. He has been called to the Congregational church there.  
 Mrs. Florenda Ransom, 81, died at her home in East Thompson. Besides her brother, Walter C. Clark, she leaves her husband, two daughters and one son. The funeral was held Friday and burial will be this (Saturday) afternoon in East Hampton.  
 Mrs. Rose Stephenson McDermott of Ellington had had three of her horses poisoned. One valuable horse is another very sick and a third is in the first stages of its illness. How and where the animals obtained the poison is a mystery.  
 In commemoration of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the completion of the Church of the Ascension, Fifth avenue and Tenth street, New York, a parent depicting the growth of the church was held Thursday night. The decorations of the church were planned by J. Alden Weil, the Windham artist.  
 An art sale in New York Thursday evening, two Seres vases, by G. Dufleuve, marked the Gift of the Duke de Laxau to Mme. de Compens, 3 feet 8 inches in height, sold on order for \$400. Duo de Laxau commanded the French Hussars which encamped in Norwich and Lebanon in 1750-51.  
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**STORES TO BE KEPT OPEN**

**Service Partly Maintained on Local Lines on Friday—Strikers to Provide Autos to Convey People Over City and Interurban Lines—Company Gives Striking Men Until 1 O'Clock This Afternoon to Return—Twenty-five More Strikebreakers Arrived in Town Friday Afternoon**  
**President Perkins Says Effort Will be Made to Operate All Lines Today.**

"We have the situation well in hand," said President R. W. Perkins of the Shore Line Electric Railway, Friday, in declining the offer of eight business organizations to act as mediator in the strike which has crippled trolley service in eastern Connecticut. This word was received in a telegram from the city of Norwich to Rev. C. J. Harriman, secretary of the Putnam Chamber of Commerce.  
 Mr. Perkins' reply to the telegram offering mediation, sent earlier in the day by Rev. Mr. Harriman, was as follows:  
 "Responding for the board of directors of the Shore Line Electric Railway company, and the Norwich and Westerly Trolley Company, we desire to you our full appreciation of the spirit in which the eight civic bodies you represent tender their services, but unfortunately we have the situation well in hand. We are now operating hourly service, Willimantic to New London, Norwich and New London, city to city, and New London to all our divisions Saturday.  
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