

ECHOES FROM THE LODGE ROOMS

Local Odd Fellows Will Attend Memorial Service in New London Sunday—Herbert Willey Resigns as Treasurer of Norwich Conclave, No. 424, I. O. H.; and Archon Disco is Appointed to Succeed Him.

ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

On Wednesday evening the grand officers of the Order of Eastern Star made an official visit to Sachem chapter. Proceeding the evening's work a banquet was served for the ladies. Mrs. Dorcas, Elizabeth, Mrs. J. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Mary E. Washburn, Mrs. Emma Broad, Mrs. Grace Chappell, Mrs. Mrs. J. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Mary M. Stevens, Mrs. Annie Lawson, Mrs. Mrs. Hally, Mrs. Jennie Murray, Miss Lucia, Mrs. J. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Jennie, Mrs. Walter. The menu served was as follows: Cold ham, cold tongue, potato salad, lettuce and tomato salad, pickles, rolls, coffee, ice cream and cake. The tables were finely decorated for the banquet.

The regular session was opened by Worthy Matron Mrs. Adelaide Cochran and the grand officers present were Grand Matron, Mrs. Jennie Margraff, Waterbury; assistant grand conductress, Mrs. Ada Pashley, Danbury; grand master, Mrs. W. E. Eager, Waterbury; grand scribe, Mrs. M. Louise Ginnard, Bridgeport; grand usher, Mrs. Elizabeth Scott, Thomaston; grand elector, Mrs. Edith H. Wilcox, Grand Sentinel, Paul Chaffield, East Grand Matron, Mrs. Bertha L. Gault, Past Grand Patron, Frederick Sticker.

Representing the twenty-three lodges in the state, sixty delegates held the tenth annual state assembly, Fraternal Order of Eagles, Hartford. The ceremonial opening was presided by an address of welcome by Mayor Frank Allen, who then presided the aims and principles of the order and extended a cordial welcome to the visitors. Mayor Albert Thomas F. Aborn of New Haven responded to the address.

State Secretary William H. Mohr of Waterbury, city clerk of the place, reported a membership of 10,000 which included an increase of more than 1,000 for the year. The grand treasurer, John Steier of Hartford, reported an excellent financial condition. Other routine business occupied the time until 10 o'clock when a recess was taken for dinner.

The business of the afternoon session included the election of officers. Charles Oak series will entertain the state convention who opened at a banquet at 5 o'clock. A class of sixteen candidates was admitted by Charles Oak series, Tuesday evening. The degree team of Torrington rendered the work.

About fifty members attended the annual meeting of the Connecticut society of the Sons of the American Revolution in Hartford, Wednesday. President Wilson H. Lee of New Haven presided. A membership of 1,983 and deaths numbering 29 were reported. The members admitted during the year were ex-President W. H. Taft, and his brother, Horace D. Taft, of Watertown.

Secretary C. M. G. Stone reported that the winners in the society essay contest for high school children were the granddaughter of a German immigrant and a Russian girl. Treasurer H. C. Sherwood of Bridgeport reported \$1,423 on hand and \$980 given for Belgian relief.

At the meeting of the board of managers Arthur R. Kimball of Waterbury reported for the Valley Forge Memorial committee saying the money for the Connecticut boys in the colonial border had been raised. The committee was appointed to confer with other patriotic societies in the state to select an incident to commemorate. Markers for the graves of Elijah Holcomb and Captain Benjamin Dible, revolutionary soldiers of Granby were ordered.

These officers were elected: President, C. H. Wickham, Manchester; secretary, C. F. Burgess, New Haven; secretary, C. G. Stone, Hartford; treasurer, Henry C. Sherwood, Bridgeport; registrar, Frederick Boston, New Haven; historian, F. B. Day, Hartford; chaplain, Rev. Dr. W. Nelson Love, Hartford; neologist, Leonard Belding, Hartford; auditors, Frederick W. Hall, and B. F. Beard, Bridgeport; delegate at large to national convention, Dr. G. J. C. Williams, Hartford.

ODD FELLOWS

The first degree in full form was conferred upon a class of six candidates at the regular meeting of the Odd Fellows No. 27, I. O. O. F., held in Odd Fellows' hall, Tuesday evening. The work was under the direction of John J. Parsons and in the absence of Noble Grand Robert Donohoe, J. J. Bales presided at the business meeting. The committee of arrangements in the invitation extended by the New London Odd Fellows to attend their memorial service which will be held at the Legion Theatre on Sunday, June 19, reported a special car has been hired and will leave Franklin Square at 6:15 o'clock. The committee comprises the following: R. F. Bennett, A. A. Gault, H. J. B. Galt, etc. Besides the transaction of the regular business of the order three applications for membership were received.

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Unions lodge No. 11, I. O. O. F., worked the history degree on a class of candidates at their regular meeting in Odd Fellows' hall on Monday evening. The lodge has accepted the invitation to join the New London lodge in their memorial service on Sunday evening and will leave the city by special car at 6:15 o'clock.

HEPTASOPHS. The regular meeting of Norwich conclave No. 424, I. O. H., was held in Eagles' hall, Monday evening with Archon William G. Day presiding. Treasurer Herbert Willey tendered his resignation and Archon Disco was appointed to fill the vacancy until the end of the lodge year. The officers were much encouraged at the attendance and interest that the members took in the meeting.

A. O. U. W. Stonington Lodge, No. 50, of Stonington, received a visit from Grand Master Workman Fahy at its last meeting. Brother Fahy made a stirring address and conferred the prize for having obtained the second largest number of members during the month of May. He was accompanied by "The Currier Gallagher Mantha" upon district deputy, Joseph John Zeller. After the meeting an entertainment which proved very pleasing and interesting and run off and refreshments were served making the evening a delightful one to the large number in attendance.

T. A. B. All is reported in readiness for the state parade and odd day of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of Connecticut, which takes place in Ansonia today. Because of the decorations particularly along Main street, great interest has been aroused. It is claimed that never before has that section of the city looked so well. While busily engaged with the carnival the members of the Young Men's society are finding time to make the visit of the state temperance workers a memorable one, and the people of Ansonia are showing great assistance.

ELEVEN GRADUATE AT LEDYARD SCHOOL EXERCISES Program Excellently Rendered at Ledyard Church Friday Afternoon.

The graduating exercises of the Ledyard school were held in the Ledyard Congregational church on Friday afternoon. The pulpit was banked with flowers and a large American flag was suspended at the back of the pulpit. The church was filled to overflowing with friends and relatives. The exercises commenced at 1:30 p. m., with Secretary Samuel E. Phelps, Our Heroes, First Salute; No. 13, A Mortifying Mistake, Alice Langewin; A Boy's Pocket, Clarence Sebastian; Our Heroes, Second Salute; No. 7, Laddie, solo, Dorothy Chesbro; No. 11, essay, The House Wren, Edie Whipple; No. 8, Juanita, song; 11, The Rise of Captain John Smith, Annie Lamb; 2, Sowing and Sowing; 2, Ready, Mary Birch; 3, Vacation Song, school; 9, Hymns of G. Thompson School; Anna Blatherwick; 7, Bugle Song, Maude Lacombe; 11, Old Ironsides, recitation; 2, E. D. Dorothea, solo, Marie Allen; 10, My Speech, Kenneth Buddington; 9, How Ledyard Became a Town, Amos Avery; 3, She Didn't Think of Him, Carl Holdridge; When Mother is Away, Franklin Nye; Good Old Day, school; Dorothy Whipple; The Pond Lily, Rachel Watrous; 4, song, The Daisies, school; 8, U. S. A. Signal, recitation, Superintendent, G. C. Swift; presentation of diploma, Chairman Chas. D. Geer; address, C. D. Geer; closing hymn, America, by the audience.

After the exercises closed the children retired to the rear of the church where athletic sports were indulged in with Arthur D. Barrett in charge. with the following results: Standing broad jump, first prize, David Geer, second, Carl Holdridge; running high jump, William Gray; shot put, first, Carl Holdridge; first prize for Juniors, William Gray; first prize for Juniors, Carl Holdridge; first prize for Juniors, Alice Langewin. In the basement of the church were many exhibits made by the children. They showed a vast amount of work. There were 11 graduates and nearly all will enter high school in the fall. Graduates: Mary Birch, Dorothy Chesbro, Anna Blatherwick, Edie Whipple, Marie Allen, Barbara Goodenough, Maude Lacombe, Amos Avery, Anna Lamb, Mary Cooper, and Rachel Watrous.

DEPARTMENT CANNOT GRANT PERMISSION ASKED FOR Lobstermen Wanted to Set Pots in the Waters of the Race.

Nosnk lobstermen who signed a petition for the privilege of setting pots in the waters of the Race, Long Island sound, have received the following reply from the assistant secretary of war: We beg to inform you that the jurisdiction of the war department is limited to the preservation and protection of navigable waters. Under the authority contained in section 10 of the act of congress approved March 3, 1879, permits are issued for structures, if it is found, after thorough investigation, that they will not unreasonably interfere with or endanger navigation. These permits do not give any private rights or any exclusive privileges and they do not authorize any injury to private property or invasion of private rights or any infringement of federal, state or local laws or regulations, nor do they obviate the necessity of obtaining state consent to the work authorized. They merely express the assent of the federal government so far as concerns the public rights of navigation.

It will be seen, therefore, that the department is without authority to grant the permission asked for. Very respectfully, WILLIAM W. BURGESS, Assistant Secretary of War.

Graduated From Georgetown Law School. Among the graduates of the Georgetown Law school of Washington, D. C., Tuesday, was James B. Conway, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Conway of Main street, this city.

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5c WHITE TWILLED TAPES—10 yards—4 to 1/2 inch widths.....LIVE WIRE PRICE 5c
WHITE TWILLED TAPES—10 yards—1/2 to 1 inch widths.....LIVE WIRE PRICE 3c
10c WHITE TWILLED TAPES—34 yards.....LIVE WIRE PRICE 3c
BIAS SEAM TAPE—15 yards—Favorite Brand, 5 widths.....LIVE WIRE PRICE 5c
10c LADY Dainty LINGERIE TAPE in pink, blue and white—10 yards.....LIVE WIRE PRICE 3c
5c TAPE MEASURES—60 INCH.....LIVE WIRE PRICE 3c
CORSET LACES—3 yard flat laces or tubular.....LIVE WIRE PRICE 4c
SILK SHOE LACES—30 inch—value 15c.....LIVE WIRE PRICE 12c
10c DOUBLE MAINBOOK DRESS SHIELDS, sizes 2-8 and 4.....LIVE WIRE PRICE 3 for 25c
RED HAIR CURLERS in 4 1/2, 5 and 6 inch lengths.....LIVE WIRE PRICE 10c
WOMEN'S SEW-ON HOSE SUPPORTERS.....LIVE WIRE PRICE 10c
CHILDREN'S HOSE SUPPORTERS with rubber button clasp. Black or white. Five sizes.....LIVE WIRE PRICE 10c
6c TOMATO PIN CUSHIONS.....LIVE WIRE PRICE 4c
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