

# WILLIMANTIC

**Thread Co. Will Play Sailors.**  
This afternoon the American Thread company baseball team will play a team from the supply ship Bushnell that is stationed at the submarine base near New London. This team is composed of sailors from that ship and in the games they have already played they have made quite a reputation for themselves. The game is to be played at Recreation Park and will start at 8.30.

**Says Squirrels Eat His Peas.**  
Friday afternoon a man came to Mayor D. P. Dunn and complained that the squirrels were getting so numerous in his section and destroying so many of his peas, that had not as yet become ripe, that he wanted a permit to kill the animals. As there is a state law governing the shooting of squirrels the mayor referred the man to the game warden.

**To Make Unloading Easier.**  
A car loaded with cement got away from the employes of the contracting firm that is building the new addition for the American Thread company on Thursday but fortunately no one was injured by the runaway car. The car was being moved to a place that would make the unloading of it an easy matter when it got going down the grade in the company's yard so fast that it could not be stopped and it ran off the end of the track and buried its wheels in the dirt. The car had to be unloaded before it could be brought back to where it started from. This car in the course of its travels struck another car loaded with boxes and started on a journey that took it through the yards to No. 4 mill where it was met by a car loaded with cement. There was no damage done to either car but the boxes that were on the latter car were distributed throughout the yards.

**To Repair Baptist Spire.**  
Work of repairing the spire of the Baptist church that was struck by lightning some time ago will be commenced in the near future. An expert was in town examining the spire and reported that it could be repaired with-

out being rebuilt consequently the cost of fixing the spire will be great as was first thought. The spire was insured.

**CHILD UNDER SIXTEEN SENT BACK TO COLCHESTER**  
Automobile Party Did Not Linger After Chief Richmond Found Them

The infantile paralysis situation in Willimantic remained unchanged on Friday. There were no new cases reported to the officials and no attention in the condition of the child in Lebanon that has the disease. The attending physician stated that the child has remained in the same condition for the last day or two and that it is thought that it will recover.

Friday morning Chief Richmond saw a car bearing a New York registration in which there was a child under sixteen years of age and upon inquiring about the matter he found that the people were staying in Colchester and had just come into town. The chief immediately told them to drive out of the city which they did. In the afternoon Mayor Dunn received a telephone message from a woman in Greenwood Hill stating that she had a friend who was in the city and was two children from New York that got off at Willimantic. The woman wanted to know what was the done about the matter. The mayor told her that as it was not known whether the children stopped in the city or had gone some of the farms in the surrounding country that nothing could be done. The authorities are being called upon constantly by people that are to know what the city or people that are to have visitors at their homes, regarding the rules laid down by the health officer. Those in charge have made it known that anybody wishing to leave the city with their children may do so but they can not return until the quarantine has been removed. They have also made it known that people cannot bring children into the city that are under sixteen years of age.

**Taxes Almost All In.**  
City Tax Collector Ricketts has already collected over \$75,000 on the 1916 tax list which is listed at \$77,915.34.

**Laying Cement Walk.**  
A piece of sidewalk that will complete the walk from the American Thread mill to Recreation Park is being laid by the company. It is to be made of cement.

**Didn't Obey Traffic Rules.**  
Joseph Reo pleaded guilty in the police court Friday to the charge of disobeying the traffic rules of the city and was fined \$2 and costs which he paid.

**Took Machine Back to Boston.**  
On Friday morning J. J. Manning of Boston came to this city, accompanied by a driver to claim the automobile that was found abandoned on the Cherry Hill road near Columbia, last Sunday. Mr. Manning who is an inspector on the Boston police force, stated that the car was stolen last Saturday and that no clue as to who was the thief has as yet been obtained. The two men left for Boston during the morning.

**SCHOOL BOARD WILL MEET NEXT WEEK**  
For Purpose of Discussing the Opening of the Schools.

It was stated Friday night by Dr. F. E. Guild, chairman of the school board, that a meeting of the board would be held next week for the purpose of discussing a number of questions on the opening of the schools. The most important question before the board will be the one on the opening of schools in case the quarantine, which is now on, is not lifted by that time. This has been an important question with the people having children under 16 years of age for some time. Dr. Guild stated that the meeting, in all probability would be held on Wednesday evening.

**Two Children For County Home.**  
Selectman E. P. Chesbro has petitioned the probate court for the commitment of two children, Gladys M. Jacobs, aged ten, and William Jacobs,

aged eight, to the temporary home at Putnam, on the grounds that they are neglected, dependent and deserted. Claude Jacobs, father of the children, was recently sent to the county jail for non-support and the mother, Alice Jacobs, who has been taking care of the children, has been sick and is unable to look out for them. The father is residing in Norwich and his grandmother on Vickers street, but it is thought that it will be better if she is sent to the home for the time being. A hearing will be held on the petition in the near future.

**WOULD BE ATHLETES**  
Local Policemen Will Attend Field Day at Pleasure Beach.

The Willimantic police force will be represented at the field day to be held at Pleasure beach, near Bridgeport on August 20, by six members of the force. These men will endeavor to show the police of other cities throughout the state that there are some athletes in the Willimantic force. Officer Enander will enter the high jump contest and expects to come out a winner. Officer Grady is to enter the fat man race and he is doing a lot of practicing along this line. Officer Hurley is to enter the scratch 100 yard dash. Allen Arthur is entering the 100 yard dash for all and expects to spring a surprise. The heavyweight wrestling department will be taken care of by Officer Whiting. Lieutenant Klourey is to enter two events, the shot put and wheelbarrow race, and he expects to be in prime condition on the day of the events. The local non-issue special challenge to the Norwich police for any or all events on the day's program. It is hoped that this challenge will be accepted.

**Local Mention.**  
Mr. and Mrs. McNerney of Detroit, Mich., are visiting in Norwich. P. F. Sullivan of New York is visiting friends and relatives in this city. John Anderson of Whitesville, Mass., is spending some time in Willimantic as the guest of relatives and friends.

Mrs. E. A. Carter and daughter have returned to their home in New York after spending some time with her brother, Samuel Chesbro, in this city. The final meeting of the registrars of the town of Windham was held yesterday afternoon in the office of E. L. Young for the purpose of organizing the caucus. A number of changes were made on the lists. Most of the changes were made from the progressive list to the republican list.

at Baychester the early part of this week was brought to the Evergreen cemetery for burial. Mr. Cooper's father, Samuel Cooper, and his sister, Mrs. Sprague are residents of Norwich. One of Newton Marshall's painters, who are painting the interior of the Lawton Mills corporation, had a narrow escape from injury while at work in the No. 1 spinning room Wednesday. He was on a staging and was painting the ceiling. He grasped an iron pipe and was speedily painting when his hand came in contact with a copper wire running to a humbler in the machine. He was thrown through the cloth beneath the staging and struck on the floor between two warping machines. The painter was none the worse for his experience.

**JEWETT CITY**  
Ladies Piece Quilts and Listen to Suffrage-Church Services-Six Bass Weighed 15 Pounds-Taftville Team Plays Ashland Here This Afternoon

Rev. Samuel Thatcher's Sunday morning subject at the Methodist church is "A Lesson for an Ambitious Mother." The evening service is in charge of the Epworth League. Rev. J. A. Spidel's morning subject at the Baptist church is "Suppose Christ Was Not Born." The communion service follows the morning service. Deacon D. L. Phillips leads the evening service. Rev. Mr. Spidel leaves Boston on Monday morning to spend two weeks in Nova Scotia. The committee on this month Dr. Frank White will have charge of the service in the morning and Deacon J. E. Phillips in the evening. The twenty-seventh of Mr. Spidel will occupy his own pulpit.

**FUNERAL.**  
Miss Mary Drake. The funeral services of Mrs. Mary Drake were held in Plainfield on Friday morning at St. John's church. Rev. Father Bourdieu officiated at the high mass. The burial was in the Eden cemetery. The bearers were John Barnett, Matthew Geary, Thomas Fox of Jewett City and Ernest Cartwright. Undertaker J. A. Hourigan was in charge of the arrangements.

**Suffrage Organizer Spoke.**  
Mrs. Edward A. Geer entertained the Ladies Aid society of the Park church at her home on Thursday afternoon. The work was piecing blocks for a bedquilt and 70 blocks were finished. Progress was reported on the pairs to the church kitchen. A most interesting talk on Woman Suffrage was given by Miss Daphne Selden, a county organizer of Deep River.

**Largest Weighed 5 1-4 Pounds.**  
George and Harold Geer went on a fishing trip this week and landed six bass weighing fifteen pounds. The largest weighed five and one-quarter pounds.

Misses Grace and Mabel Stanton of Danielson have been guests at their cousins, Misses Gertrude and Andrew McNicol, E. H. Hisecox, Jr., and James Dolan left on Friday for Crescent Beach, where they are the guests of Mrs. D. J. Hill.

Miss Daisy A. Holdridge of Boston has been a guest at Mrs. F. E. Williams. Miss Josephine Emerson is stenographer at the Maynard Land Co. Inc., office for a few weeks. An additional fire escape was added to Finn's block on Friday.

**Taftville Bear Cats Play Here.**  
Today at Ashland Park the Ashland team lines up against the Taftville team. The Bear Cats promise to come up strong and clean up the local team. Brickley will probably do the twirling for the local team. Next week the Ashland team plays the Mansfield team of Putnam in Putnam on Saturday and on Sunday they play the North Scituate team in North Scituate, R. I.

**Dogs Are Disappearing.**  
Evidently a dog poisoner is carrying on his nefarious business in town. Dennis Barnett and Dennis Griffin have lost their dogs, and Edward Walsh succeeded in saving his dog by quick work.

**At Thames' Past Grand Gathering.**  
Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Holmes, Mrs. Robert Wilde, Miss Ruby Thornton, Miss Ida Foster, Mrs. Green and Mrs. Pearl Low of Ruthven Robb's lodge, attended the Thames Past Noble Grand Association, held at Mrs. Herbert Willey's home in Norwich on Friday.

**PLAINFIELD**  
Painter Fell When Electricity Went Through Body- Reception for Band Tendered by James Ridings-Frank C. Cooper's Remains Buried Here.

The body of Frank C. Cooper, an engineer on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, who was killed

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**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

Many observers, both British and enemy, at the western battlefield bear testimony to the efficient manner in which the British soldiers have learned to manage machine guns in practice. On all sides its accuracy and rapidity of fire, is the deadliest weapon known to modern warfare and charging against batteries of machine guns in action is a task for the bravest of soldiers. In defending their lines against the present British and French offensives the Germans have made effective use of machine guns even after their positions had been "searched out" by the terrific artillery fire. Picture shows two British soldiers wearing gas masks operating a machine gun.

**MOVIE MEN MAKE PICTURES AT PIER**  
Big Film Companies Send Operators to Take Pictures of Bremen's Landing Place.

To the accomplishment of the clicking of motion picture cameras owned by some of the most famous film companies in the world, carpenters to the number of more than 50 climbed like monkeys Friday morning over the framework of the big bonded warehouse of corrugated iron now in its second day of construction at the state steamship terminal in East New London, and destined for the immediate use of the Eastern Forwarding Co., American representatives of the famous line of German undersea merchantmen of which the Deutschland is the pioneer.

**More Men on Job.**  
The force of workers of various kinds employed on the contract, estimated at approximately 100 Thursday, was greatly augmented Friday. Carpenters are probably receiving the highest wages ever paid that class of labor in New London and the overtime which they receive makes their day's pay decidedly attractive. The impression is given that all employes are putting their utmost energy into their work, with the result that the uprisings of the structure appear to rise by magic.

**May Not Come for Several Days.**  
In a sense one person's speculation on this subject be as good as another's but it will probably be several days before the daring undersea craft reaches New London. The contract with the Scott Co., made by the Eastern Forwarding Co., calls for the completion of the warehouse Aug. 21. Members of the harbor commission are enthusiastic over the leasing of a portion of the pier and it is stated that the terms of rental are extremely satisfactory. No details of the lease have as yet been made public but it is understood they will be shortly.

**Strange Wireless Calls.**  
Two strange wireless calls for "Telefunken station, New York," heard at Sandy Hook between 1 and 3 o'clock this morning, and the refusal of the sender to disclose his identity, although questioned by the shore stations, led to the belief that the call might be the German submarine Bremen. This could not be verified. The caller signed his message with the signal "D. R. U." which is the private signal of the North German Lloyd steamer Breslau, believed to be laid up in the port of New Orleans. The mysterious caller would say only that he was on board a coal steamer. All German ships before the war used the Telefunken call.

**TEXAS PRIMARIES A SETBACK FOR WILSON**

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**LEGAL NOTICES**  
**Republican Caucus**  
The Republican electors of the Town of Sterling are requested to meet in caucus in the Town House Thursday, Aug. 24, 1916, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican State Convention to be held in New Haven Sept. 8th and 9th, 1916, for the nomination of candidates for Presidential Electors, State Officers and Senator in Congress. By order of the purpose of electing delegates to the Republican Congressional, Senatorial and State Conventions. H. B. MOWRY, Chairman. Dated at Sterling, Conn., Aug. 10th, 1916.

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All bids for transportation from the Bricktop and Back Road school districts have been rejected.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**  
AT A COURT OF PROBATE HELD AT NORWICH, WITHIN AND FOR THE DISTRICT OF NORWICH, ON THE 11th DAY OF AUGUST, A. D. 1916.  
Present—NELSON J. AYLING, Judge.  
Estate of Alice Willacy, late of Norwich, in said District, deceased.  
Ordered, That the Administrator cite the creditors of said deceased to bring in their claims against said estate within six months from the date hereinafter set, to the effect, together with a copy of this order, on the signatory nearest to the place where said deceased last dwelt, and in the same Town, and by publishing the same once in a newspaper having a circulation in said District, and make return to this Court.  
NELSON J. AYLING, Judge.  
The above and foregoing is a true copy of record.  
Attest: HELEN M. DRESCHER, Assistant Clerk.

**NOTICE.—**All creditors of said deceased are hereby notified to present their claims against said estate to the undersigned at 102 Roosevelt Ave., Norwich, Conn., R. F. D. 3, within the time limited in the above and foregoing order.  
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