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The Bulletin

Norwich, Wednesday, Dec. 6, 1916.

PERSONALS

Oranel Brockway and family have moved from Hallville to Fox Hill.

Miss Ruth Rush of New York is the guest of her parents here for a few days.

W. R. Gordon has returned to Norwich after spending several days out of town.

Mrs. Henry Robbins of Norwich is visiting her niece, Mrs. F. O. Chaffee, at North Woodstock.

Charles Burdick returned to Putnam Sunday after spending a few days in Preston City.

Miss Jennie W. Barker of Uncasville has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. James H. Weeks.

Mrs. Margaret Goyette has returned home after ten days' visit with friends in New York and Norwich.

Mrs. Appleton Maine of Preston Plains and her guest, Mrs. Charles Babcock, were the guests of Mrs. Lydie Gray of North Stonington on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Tabor of Old Saybrook moved to Norwich Monday. Mr. Tabor has secured a position as trouble hunter on the telephone lines in this vicinity.

The Misses Josephine Portolano and Marion Reed have returned after spending Thanksgiving with Miss Mary Connors of Bridgeport, formerly of Norwich.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Macomber of Brooklyn, N. Y., and their grandson, Wallace Jordan, of Bloomfield, N. J., have returned after spending some time with Mrs. John A. Bowen of Cedar street.

Miss Dorothy Keast has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William T. Keast, in Guilford, after spending Thanksgiving and the week end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peppy of Norwich.

ANNUAL XMAS SALE AT UNIVERSALIST CHURCH. Attractive Wares Found Ready Purchasers Tuesday Afternoon and Evening.

The annual Christmas sale and supper for the Universalist church bids fair to be even more successful than in previous years. The sale is held in the social rooms of the church, which have been most attractively decorated in flowers and Christmas colors.

The school at District No. 8, Coventry, taught by Miss Mabel W. White, won the banner for attendance for November, the per cent of attendance being 88.8.

Local suffragists hear that Miss Edith Peterson of Cromwell, state organizer of the Equal Franchise association, will soon leave to spend a vacation in Virginia.

Hear Miss Almira Frink's dramatic readings, also solos and duets, Norwich Club, Wednesday, Dec. 6th, 8 p. m. Admission 50c.-adv.

The mild weather continuing late, has been favorable for mining coal, and although the tonnage in Connecticut has been scarce, it would seem that coal is moving now in greater volume.

Funeral services for Mrs. Grace M. Beece were held at St. James' Episcopal church, New London, at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Rev. Philip M. Kerridge officiating. Burial was in Union cemetery, Waterford.

The score for more of Connecticut students at Ann Arbor, Michigan university, includes Clarence W. Webster of Hampton, Benjamin J. Gordon, Carlton F. Small and Richard F. Weske, from New London.

On the 53rd ballot Attorney Philip Z. Hankey won the republican nomination for corporation counsel to succeed the late William J. Brennan in one of the most hotly contested caucuses on record in New London.

Mr. D. T. Clifford will open classes in dancing at Wauregan house, Saturday, December 9th, at 8 o'clock. Terms 15 lessons \$3. Classes will be graded.

This is Good Book week. The Boy Scout American started the movement to get aside the first week in December as a time for the libraries to offer their help in suggestions for good books for Christmas purchase.

The first of the Wednesday evening dances will be held at the Lawn club, New Haven, this evening. The governors and patronesses for the Wednesdays include Mrs. John Addison Porter, of Pomfret and New Haven.

The December session of the Toland county superior court opened Tuesday in Rockville. There was a short calendar session and assignment of cases at 12 o'clock. Judge William L. Bennett was on the bench.

The official reporter of the United States Senate writes to Connecticut to ask for information concerning persons who are gathering portraits of all the senators and senators-elect, including Calvin Wiley of Toland, 1828-31.

The feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin, one of the six holidays of obligation in the Catholic church, will be observed in St. Patrick's church Friday morning with masses at 5, 7 and 8 o'clock, the last a high mass.

The tax collectors' office will be open Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings until 8 o'clock, for the purpose of collecting the unpaid personal taxes. After Saturday, the 9th, delinquent list will be made out and turned over to the prosecuting attorney as the law directs.-adv.

Miss Katherine Armstrong Noyes, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Walter Noyes of New York and Old Lyme, will make her debut at Sherry's, New York, Thursday evening at a dinner dance to be given in her honor by her mother.

Following receipt of a telegram from Washington, Cattle Commissioner J. O. Phelps has removed restrictions on importation of cattle and horses into Connecticut. However, no permits will be for cattle coming from Kansas City stock yards.

The Central committee for the relief of the Jews suffering through the war, subscriptions to which are sent to Harry Fischel, treasurer, New York, has received new subscriptions including the handsome sum from the Cong. A. & A. J., Norwich, of \$1,003.

The family of John Perattie were driven from their home on Leyard street in Groton, shortly after 2:30 Tuesday morning by fire in the house, which burned to the ground in spite of the efforts of Pioneer Hook and Ladder company to save it. The damage totals \$1,500.

The wedding of Miss Evelyn Hishop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hishop of New London, and Frank Hamilton, son of the late Captain and Mrs. Thomas Hamilton of Groton, will take place Thursday afternoon at four o'clock at the Hishop residence, Nassau street, New London.

LABOR UNION OPPOSES PROJECT

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GENERAL AIKEN ELECTED STATE VICE PRESIDENT

Well Known Norwich Man Honored By Civil Service Reform Association.

The Connecticut Civil Service Reform association, at its annual meeting in New Haven, Tuesday, elected the following officers: Honorary president, William H. Taft; president, Professor Henry W. Farnham of Yale;

vice-presidents W. A. Aiken, Norwich; John P. Elton, Waterbury; William F. Henney, Hartford; John H. Perry, Southport; Ex-Governor R. Woodruff, New Haven; secretary, C. E. Clark, New Haven; treasurer, C. W. Bronson, New Haven.

Resolutions adopted pledge the league's effort to securing not only an enforcement of efficiency at entrance to the civil service but also within the service. The league proposes to use new laws and its branches into honest and competent officials.

The declaration of President Wilson in favor of the passage of legislation removing postmasters of the first, second and third class from politics and providing for their appointment under the merit system, was approved. Congress was urged to pass such legislation.

The league expressed its remonstrance against the bestowal of high office in the diplomatic service in return for contributions to campaign funds.

The administrative programme was outlined as follows: The classification by law of all highest administrative offices, particularly the collectors of customs and internal revenue and the United States marshals.

The extension of the merit system over all positions in the District of Columbia.

The termination of special exemptions from executive order save in cases of need.

Extension by law of the merit principle to the consular and diplomatic service as far as consistent with the constitution.

Provided for federal, state and municipal civil service commissions of equal rank and authority to command the service of skilled assistants.

The development of the exercise of efficiency functions, so as to get rid of the incapable, raise the test of the service, standardize salaries and work and to give effect to complaints of citizens.

The defeat of all legislation giving preference in appointment and promotion in civil service of the nation, state and cities to special groups of classes such as Spanish War veterans.

The extension of the merit system of appointment and promotion to employees of legislative assemblies, national, state and municipal.

Recognition in full in all commissions of city manager characters of the merit principle.

Policy of Secrecy Denounced. The league denounced the present policy of secrecy in connection with the administration of the federal civil service law.

Admiral Bailey Gives Reasons Why Former Location for City Barn is Favored.

The city barn has long been a live topic for discussion, and when asked on Tuesday for further information in regard to the proposition, which was presented at the council meeting Monday evening, to abandon the present property for that use and erect a suitable building on the Lake street playground, Alderman Bailey, chairman of the public works committee, stated that it had long been recognized that the present location is the wrong one for a city barn.

In looking over the available sites for the city barn, Mr. Bailey said that the former site, which is owned by the city, seemed the best place. It ultimately selected a wire fence would be erected around the property with a gate at the water tower.

Preference had been given to the Lake street property over the city dump, so called, the land which has been made on the north end of Central wharf, and which is also owned by the city, because it was considered that the former was on higher ground and would therefore be drier.

It would be nearer the crusher. It is outside the fire limits and therefore could be erected. It is nearer to the center of the city. It is nearer to other buildings so that if anything should happen at night someone would know about it.

The burning of the debris on the dump at all times is a detriment to that location. It is the only place during the winter time and if the spur track is built up through that property, as desired, the land will be wanted for manufacturing purposes.

It is because of the fact that the Lake street property is used for a public playground and hearing is to be held on the proposition, but inasmuch as it was thus occupied but about eight weeks in the year, Mr. Bailey thought that some other location, possibly Mohegan park, could be utilized for that purpose.

As far as he knew the only opposition to the plan came from the backers of the playground movement.

Diphtheria Case Under Quarantine. A nine months' old Polish baby living at 532 Main street, New London, was quarantined at its home by the health department for diphtheria last night. The case is the last one found. Quarantines were lifted from two houses where there was diphtheria on Tuesday. One is the home of a four year old boy, named Wilfred, two years old, was ill from the disease and the other was the dark home in Crystal avenue, where Rose, seven, had the disease.

Sodalitas Planning for Christmas. The Sodalitas of Broadway Congregational church held their regular business meeting on Monday evening with a good sized attendance. Brochure plans were discussed and plans were made for Christmas.

In Honor of Her Guest. On Tuesday evening Mrs. George Marshall entertained ten friends at a dinner at her home in Poughkeepsie in honor of her guest, Miss Phyllis Montgomery of Rockland, Maine.

Stole Representative Bailey's Coat. Tuesday afternoon someone entered the office of Representative Albert J. Bailey and appropriated one of his coats. The matter was reported to the police and they set to work on the case at once. The coat was found in a local store and the thief was returned to the police and is now on the trail of the thief.

Watermelon in December. Silas Whipple of Lemonswell presented The Bulletin a large, juicy watermelon on Tuesday. The reportorial force can bear out the statement that it was of excellent quality. It is unusual to see watermelon so late in the year.

Coal Bin Caught Afire. The auto pumper was called out at 11:30 Monday morning for a fire in the cellar of the house at No. 16 Union street. The fire was caused by a man who was using a light. He upset the light and the sides of the coal bin caught fire. The flames were extinguished with chemical. The pumper went out on a still alarm.

Miss Annie L. Kimball of Hartford is the guest of friends in town.

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Y. Johnson, at a local hotel. Dr. Charles B. Graves, the attending physician, stated tonight that Admiral Merril is not expected to live. A complication of diseases has developed, said Dr. Graves, and the patient's condition has not changed during the last 24 hours. Admiral Merril has been confined to his room for a month.

LADIES' AUXILIARY RE-ELECTS MRS. SLINEY PRESIDENT. Heads Division No. 18 For Ninth Consecutive Year.

Mrs. Mary L. Sliney who has been president of the Ladies' auxiliary, Division No. 18, A. O. H., for the past eight years was re-elected to that office on Monday evening at a very well attended meeting held in Forester's hall. Mrs. Sliney was reluctant at accepting the presidency, but the members of the auxiliary, after being persuaded her to head the organization again.

The entire list of officers elected follows: President, Mrs. Mary L. Sliney; vice president, Mrs. D. Sullivan; recording secretary, Miss Anna Sliney; financial secretary, Miss Mae Nolan; treasurer, Miss Sarah Kelley; mistress-at-arms, Miss Mary Durn; sentinel, Mrs. Timothy Donovan.

The officers will be installed at the convenience of the county president.

Twenty-Two Officers Will Graduate. Twenty-two officers will be graduated from the Thames River Submarine base Saturday, December 23rd, and they will be assigned without delay to the submarine service. On Tuesday, January 2, a class of fifty will enter the base.

New General Secretary. Harry W. Barrett of Syracuse, N. Y., will assume the duties of office secretary at the Young Men's Christian association in New London at an early date, his name having been sanctioned by the board of directors. Mr. Barrett will fill the vacancy occasioned by the recent resignation of Franklin A. Swathel.

NORWICH GIRLS CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL ELECTION. Miss Ruth Breckenridge Is the Choice For President.

After passing a very successful year the Norwich Girls' club held their first annual business meeting on Tuesday night in the Thayer building. The reports of the various committees, the secretary an treasurer's reports were read, showing the club in a flourishing condition. Besides the transaction of the regular business, the annual election of officers took place which resulted as follows: President, Miss Ruth Breckenridge; vice president, Miss Edna Robinson; secretary, Miss Annie Bennett; treasurer, Miss Katherine Mullaney; membership committee, Misses Pearl Robinson, Annie Bennett, Helen Way, Alicia Bellows and Julia Voech.

Plans were discussed relative to a cake sale which the girls will hold in the near future and plans were also discussed concerning the supper which the losing team in the membership campaign will give to the winners.

Rear Admiral Merrill Critically Ill. Rear Admiral John P. Merrill, U. S. N., is critically ill at New London at the apartment of his sister, Mrs. R.

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