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SEVEN NEW DIVORCE SUITS

George Brierly of This City is Suing Wife on Grounds of Desertion—Norwich Woman Claims Her Husband Left Her—Other Superior Court Actions.

Seven new divorce suits and several other actions have been brought in the superior court, the cases being returnable the first Tuesday in March. Two of the divorce actions have been brought by local people and the others come from the southern part of the county.

Blanche Bergeron Shannon brings suit for divorce against Henry Shannon, both of New London. They were married Jan. 19, 1916, and cruelly and habitually ill-treated her.

George Brierly of Norwich asks a divorce from Jessie Willey Brierly of parts unknown. They were married Oct. 20, 1914, and desertion since Oct. 20, 1914, is alleged.

Osa Helen Perkins of New London asks for a divorce from Roy Clifford Perkins of Groton. They were married June 14, 1913, and plaintiff alleges cruelty since Jan. 1, 1914.

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LEFT DOCTORED BREAD AT SUBMARINE BASE

Federal Authorities Are Conducting a Rigid Investigation.

The status of the "doctored" bread delivered Monday at the submarine base by Louis Ernest of the New England baking company at Groton, Wednesday, and the result of the analysis has not been disclosed.

However, the authorities in charge are willing to acknowledge that there was a foreign and dangerous substance in the bread which was discovered in time to prevent any serious results.

While nothing has as yet developed as to the responsibility for the contamination on the New England bakery, yet the contract for supplying bread for the submarine base has been cancelled with this concern and bread is now ordered from another source.

Several samples of the bread have been sent to the state laboratory for analysis, and United States Commissioner Frank L. McGuire said Thursday that he expects a report very soon.

Federal Officer Edward J. Hickey has been conducting a rigid investigation into the bread which was found to be baked on Saturday. It was delivered on Monday.

Mr. Hickey said Tuesday afternoon that he believes that there was something serious the matter with the bread and that he regarded it as a misapprehension in view of the change in the bread which was made under new food regulations requiring substitution of material other than rye flour.

However, it is now admitted that there was something other than proper ingredients and a substance of such a nature that it could not have gotten into the bread without the deliberate placing of it there with criminal intent.

The question for the federal authorities to solve is where the job was done for it is conceded now that such a thing did really occur.

Louis Ernest, proprietor of the bakery, has been closely questioned, and he was again closeted Thursday with Officer Hickey, during which time a program of a number of his baking implements for examination.

The commissioner is unwilling to give out anything further at this time, but it is known that if anything definite is learned on which to base an arrest, such an arrest will quickly follow.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS WILL RE-OPEN ON MONDAY

Janitors Ordered to Light the Fires on Saturday.

The local public schools will resume sessions Monday and the janitors have been ordered to open the buildings on Saturday. The water can be turned on and the fires lighted and everything put in readiness for opening.

Superintendent of Schools E. J. Graham was today to attend the meeting of the board of the Education association which will be held in Hartford Friday and Saturday of this week.

EPWORTH LEAGUE SOCIAL

Sixty Young People Spent Pleasant Evening at Methodist Church.

The Epworth League of the Trinity Methodist church held an enjoyable social Thursday evening in the church parlors following the regular prayer service. About sixty of the young people were present and the evening was spent in music and games.

The evening's program included a piano solo by Miss Miriam Bergstresser, a vocal solo by Miss Mary Gray and a violin selection by Miss Elizabeth Lane. There was also a duet rendered by Miss Mary Gray and Robert Gray. Miss Olive Riley was the accompanist.

The following committee arranged the program: Carl Hahn, Mary Gray, Olive Ryley, Elizabeth Lane, Beesie Boardman, Bertha Hahn, Mildred Mellor and Marion Braley.

Enrollment Blanks Ready.

All local agencies of the Connecticut State Council of Defense throughout the state should now be equipped to accept enrollments in the United States Shipyard Volunteers of the Public Service Reserve, according to information given out by State Director Leo A. Korper. Enrollment blanks and pledge cards have been mailed from Hartford to every war bureau and town committee of the defense council and these agencies have information concerning the need of men for shipyard volunteers.

Connecticut's quota of commitments for the United States Shipyard Volunteers is 10,000.

Meatless and wheatless days bring delicious days.

E. C. CHAMBER FAVORS ECONOMY IN DELIVERY

Resolution Asks Defense Council to Bring Matter to Attention of the Governor.

The Eastern Connecticut Chamber of Commerce at its meeting held in the Wauregan Hotel Thursday afternoon, was advocating the necessity of the economy in delivery or the centralization of delivery. The Chamber realized that the centralization of the deliveries would be useless unless every merchant who operated and all adopted this method. The following resolution was drawn up by Alton T. Miner of New London and W. C. Norris of Willimantic and presented being unanimously adopted by the chamber.

Resolved, That the Eastern Connecticut Chamber of Commerce, representing the Chambers of Commerce of Willimantic, Danbury, Putnam, Norwich and New London, at its regular meeting held at Norwich, February 13, 1918, request the State Council of Defense to call the attention of the governor of Connecticut to the urgent necessity of bringing before the people of the state the programme of economy as adopted by the Commercial Economy board of our country, and the advisability of the governor issuing a proclamation calling upon the people to at once put into effect its recommendations.

Previous to the adoption of the resolution John E. Vaughn, president of the Eastern Connecticut Chamber of Commerce who presided at the meeting, introduced Alton T. Miner, member of the Commercial Economy board, who spoke on the great need of the government for all productive power.

Mr. Miner said in part: We are the most wasteful country in the world. And how is it up to us to do away with all needless waste and expense. The government needs all the men it can get and it is up to us to conserve the men who are not absolutely essential. If we do not do this the government will then commandeer the non-essential businesses of the land. We must get out of our extravagant ways or when the war is over business will be on the rocks.

One Delivery a Day.

In the country today there are approximately 400,000 firms doing their delivering and they employ 1,000,000 men in this work besides horses and motor cars. If we could reduce this system of delivery even 10 per cent, which is small, it would give us an army of 100,000 men. Now the question arises how can we do this? One way is to have only one delivery over a given route per day and in places where it is possible three deliveries a week will do. Of course it may inconvenience the housewife who has been the habit of ordering a few articles at a time but if she will save a little forethought this may be overcome. We should insist on this in this movement. This is the duty of every Chamber of Commerce in Connecticut.

Frank M. Foss of Willimantic stated that while the Chamber of Commerce had taken up the matter and a committee had been appointed nothing definite had as yet been decided upon by that chamber.

C. J. Smith of Norwich told of the curtailing of the deliveries in this city and said that one store had already stopped making but one delivery a day. He said that this store had installed telephones so that on the morning they were kept busy but people were becoming accustomed to the change. He also spoke of the idea of having a co-operative delivery among the merchants of the plan of which is to have one large merchant do the delivering for a number of stores in his locality. Mr. Smith said that several of the ladies societies in the city were advocating the market basket plan which has been carried out in other cities.

W. C. Norris of Willimantic was the next speaker and suggested that the State Council of Defense issue a proclamation bringing it to the attention of the governor that the centralization and curtailing of deliveries was a necessity. He said that while some merchants might be willing to co-operate in this movement others unless it was a necessity would not do so. It was on Mr. Norris' suggestion that the resolution was drawn up and adopted.

Deliveries of Milk.

Joseph T. Crutenden spoke of the deliveries of milk in Brocton and the policy of having a central milk depot. He said that the milkmen were covering many miles daily that another man was covering also.

James J. Hammond, secretary of the New London Chamber of Commerce told of the situation in London regarding the delivery of milk and the matter of having a co-operative creamery and a central station for milk. He said that this did not

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