

DANIELSON AND PUTNAM NEWS

DANIELSON

Over 200,000 Quarts of Conserved Food Pledged Already—Two Volunteer as Student Nurses—Post Office in New Quarters—Sergeant George Brunelle Displays Unique War Belt—Word-Hansy Engagement Announced.

Mrs. Riend Robinson said Thursday that women of Danielson have signed pledges for over 18,000 quarts of vegetables and other food products to be canned during the present season, as an aid to building up the country's food reserves.

Town's Expenses to Be Offset by Tax Returns.

During the present week the selectmen of the town of Killingly have been going over the town's financial records for the past twelve months, and are encouraged by the prospect that the expenditures for the fiscal year that closed Wednesday will be within the amount of money that the tax rate should produce.

Two Student Nurses Volunteer.

On reports up to Thursday, Danielson already has produced two volunteers for the Student Nurses Reserve. It was stated Thursday that reports on the effort to get volunteers for this service were not complete for all of the communities of Killingly, but that several more applications are looked for.

IN NEW QUARTERS

Post Office Force Speeds Up on Moving.

The postoffice force, having made a quick shift of base of operations, was doing business in the new quarters in the town hall building on Thursday morning. Patrons were being served in a manner that was very satisfactory, considering the handicap under which the office force was working.

Many at Beach Pond.

Owing to the heat Sunday there were nearly 200 at Beach Pond from here and surrounding towns, to enjoy the bathing and cool breezes.

A WONDERFUL BELT

Exhibited to Home Friends by Sergeant George Brunelle—No Man's Land Souvenirs.

Sergeant George Brunelle of the 22nd Canadian Battalion, recently honorably discharged from the British army after nearly four years of service in France, visited friends here, his native town, Thursday.

WOODSTOCK VALLEY

Mrs. George Halyter and children, Stanley and Dorothy, have returned to their home in Clinton, Mass.

LISTEN!

GOOD clothing is going to be a scarce article. It's cheaper now than it will be in the months to come.

Our advice to you is to look after your needs now—don't over-buy—buy only what you need.

Our store is filled with good clothing, priced at a figure which shows no profiteering.

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PUTNAM

Thirty-two More Men Accepted—Registrars Busy With Caucus Lists—Construction of Big Turntable Delayed—Local K. of C. Council Furnished One Volunteer For Field Secretary—Town's Canning Pledges Are Below Appointment.

Official notification was received at the exemption board office here on Thursday morning of 22 more acceptances of men sent from here a week ago. This brings the number of acceptances up to 54, out of a total of 65.

The list of acceptances received on Thursday follows: Joseph E. Charbonneau, A. E. Racine, Alfred Gullbert, Archille Touchette, Joseph William Henries, Charles J. Harris, William J. Leperle, Tephistos Kiarhos, Henry Leblanc, Walter C. Chandler, Arthur E. Elliot, Joseph Vanasse, Harrison E. Smith, David S. Peterson, Philip Duhamel, Martin A. Nelson, Ralph Tavel, Charles William Stone, Joseph H. Montie, William F. Koray, Ernest J. Martin, Polyder Messier, Walter E. Bennett, Frank Kainbin, Abraham Z. Rainville, James Y. Currie, Rosebro, Joseph A. Sank, W. R. Adams, Clifford C. Bowen, Francis McKean, George R. Johnson.

Registrars at Work on Lists.

Herman G. Garver and George Potvin, registrars of the town of Putnam, are working today on the enrollment list of legal voters in order that the caucus lists for use next fall be properly made up.

This work is done each year, and it is always found that many changes are always necessary, due to deaths, removals from the town and to other causes. Those who have previously registered that they may legally vote in a caucus are not required to do so again unless a change in political preference is desired, and these changes are not common in this district.

Prize Waltzing at Park.

Prize waltzing at Wildwood park Thursday evening proved an attraction for many of the dancers of Danielson.

Gassed and Shell-shocked.

Koger Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Williams of Dayville, is actively engaged in service with his battery in France, and he has had dual experience of being gassed and suffering from shell shock some time ago. A high explosive shell burst near his battery, the concussion throwing him to the ground and partly ripping off his gas mask, in which he was working at the time.

FUNERAL

Mrs. Samuel C. Harris. At her home in Brooklyn Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock a funeral service for Mrs. Samuel C. Harris was conducted by Rev. E. A. Blake. Burial was in the South cemetery.

Death of Mrs. Morin.

Charles Morin left Thursday for St. Basile, P. Q., where he was called by the death of his mother, Mrs. Tarriss Morin, who was reported seriously ill earlier in the week, when another son, Dr. L. J. Morin, left Danielson for his mother's bedside.

Attending Funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Putnam Woodward are at Providence, where they were called to attend the funeral of Mrs. Woodward's sister.

Was Rejected.

Thomas Moran, Dayville, who went to Camp Devens last week, was rejected and returned to his home.

About the Borough.

Several Danielson registrants have been summoned to appear in Putnam today to be examined, relative to the non-productive work in which they are held to be engaged.

George A. Deamon of Fall River visited friends in Danielson Thursday.

The public schools here are to open Tuesday, Sept. 3. There are some vacancies in the teaching staff to be filled before that time.

Mrs. William M. Franklin, who is spending the summer at Oakland beach, visited here Wednesday and will return to the beach today.

Engagement Announced.

Mrs. Ella A. Ward of Danielson announces the engagement of her daughter, Mary C. Ward to Thomas G. Haney, Jr., of New London.

TURNTABLE CONSTRUCTION

Helped Up Because Contractors Are So Busy With War Work.

Work on the installation of the big new turntable and roundhouse to be constructed in the Putnam railroad yard is held up on account of the pressure of business on contractors, it is said. It has been said that a large sum of money, estimated by some at as high as half a million dollars, has been set aside for improvements to be made in and around the Putnam yards, but the contract is not being sought because contractors find so much war work to do.

The monster "33" hundred and "42" hundred class locomotives that are now being used to haul freight over the main line through this city are so long that they cannot be turned around here, and have to go through to Worcester or Hartford. This is one reason why there is an urgent need of the new turn table here.

The force in the local yard is rushed with work, which has increased, it is said, by every appointment since the United States entered the war. Putnam is one of the eight principal transfer points on the New Haven system, and a local benefit that tremendous amount of freight passes through the local yard.

"Work or Fight" Examination Today

A number of registered men have been summoned to appear here today in order that the local board may examine as to whether they are properly employed in accordance with the provisions of the "work or fight" rule. The pressure of other business upon the board has prevented consideration of the rule until now. The men will be examined by the board, and their statements in their own behalf and, of course, have the right of appeal to the district board from any decision of a local board that does not return to them as in accordance with the facts.

In Pine Tree State.

G. Harold Gilpatrick, republican candidate for state treasurer, and his brother, Walter, are at Juniper Point, Me., to spend the week end with their family.

Driving Spikes in France.

Arthur H. Packard, who is in France with an engineer's regiment, has written to friends here of "driving spikes" along a railroad line which the U. S. army is using for the purpose of constructing. Mr. Packard was in the New Haven road service here when he left, more than a year ago, as a member of a railroad construction regiment.

K. of G. Deputy.

Official announcement was made of the appointment of J. B. Dagle of this city as K. of G. deputy for the district by State Deputy William J. Crockett of New Haven.

Perle Warner is leaving today for a motor trip to Hornell, N. Y., where he will be a guest at a house party for the week end.

Mrs. Ernest C. Morse and daughter, Caroline, are visiting relatives in New York.

Furnishes K. of C. Secretary.

Carroll Council K. of C. has furnished one volunteer for field secretary work in France, in connection with the army work that the order is doing in that country.

Below Appointment.

Pledges so far received in Putnam in the canning campaign are below the appointment made for this district.

City Briefs.

Principal A. B. Handy of Putnam High school has returned to Boston, where he is attending special work during the summer, after a visit here.

Manufacturing concerns at some points along the railroad line through the Quinebaug valley are accumulating coal, much of which is not up to the standard quality, but it is accepted under present conditions.

Hampton Holt, editor of the New York Independent, has agreed to give here his lecture on "At the Front," based on his experiences and observations along the battle lines in France and Italy.

The North Grosvenordale Methodist Sunday school picnic is being held at Bates' grove, Webster lake, today.

Novices at the Mother house of the Holy Ghost are continuing their studies during the summer period.

MANSFIELD CENTER

Shower in Honor of Miss Fannie L. Robinson—Patriotic Housewives Pledged to Save Wheat and to Do Much Canning—Mills Busy.

A shower was given at the home of Miss Grace Wymann last week Friday evening by Mrs. Fannie L. Robinson in honor of her marriage two days later with Ralph E. Anthony. Thirty-five friends of the young people were present, and the guests brought many useful and valuable gifts which appeared to drop from the roof of the porch as Miss Robinson sat on the veranda with her friends. Later ice cream and cake were served.

Pledged to Save Wheat.

Women of this vicinity have shown their desire to do whatever is possible to win the war, not only in their Red Cross work, but in the co-operation with the movements for canning fruits and vegetables and in wheat saving. According to late reports from the food administration, these people who voluntarily signed the wheatless pledge beginning Aug. 1 will be released from that pledge, though subject still to the general ruling for use of 50 per cent. of substitutes. The following names are included among those from Mansfield Center who showed their interest in saving the government by signing the pledge to use little or no wheat for a certain time: Mrs. C. C. Davis, Mrs. Herbert Schenck, Mrs. Jennie Williams, Mrs. E. H. Marsh, Mrs. W. R. Davoll, Mrs. W. R. Bradley, Mrs. W. E. Cramm, Mrs. T. E. Eaton, Mrs. G. H. Allen, Mrs. Alex. Ladd, Mrs. G. L. Farmer, Mrs. Emily Larkham, Mrs. H. T. Clark, Mrs. Julia Dodd, Mrs. C. E. Franklin, Mrs. E. W. Brooks, O. A. Perry, Mrs. E. P. Ayer, Mrs. C. H. Wymann, E. H. King, Alberta Eno, Mrs. H. E. Hall, Mrs. I. W. Olin, Mrs. M. J. Hughes, Mrs. I. W. Goodell. Many at Atwoodville and Gurlieville also signed.

Patriotic Housewives.

In the canning campaign, of a total quota of 13,800 quarts assigned to the township of Mansfield, the South parish alone has pledged about 10,000 quarts. The pledge has been signed



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EAST HADDAM

Albert Smith Home from Southern Camp After Eleven Months' Service—Brief Local Notes.

Senior Lieutenant Thomas H. Carroll spent Sunday at his home on Town street.

Mrs. and Mrs. Plaroga of Higeranum were guests Sunday of their daughter, Mrs. Clearance Alexander.

Mrs. Reed Bartman has been spending several days this week with Mrs. Marshall Gates in Hartford. Mr. Bartman accompanied her and remained over Sunday.

Miss Mary Lindsay went to New York Monday morning to remain for a while.

Misses Evelyn and Louise Carroll are enjoying two weeks' vacation at Oak Bluffs. Mrs. Carroll accompanied them to Saybrook.

Miss Gladys Stark is spending several days with Miss Ellen Ely of Rocky Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gillette were in Middletown Thursday.

Home on Furlough. Albert Smith is home on 15 days' furlough from Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C., after an absence of 11 months.

Mr. and Mrs. William Holmes and Miss Bertha Smith of Hartford spent last Sunday at their former home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Hoffman of Middletown spent Sunday at Fred Balleck's.

Mrs. Frank Stulliff of New Haven has been enjoying a few days' visit at her former home here.

PEAT FOR USE AS FUEL. Although small quantities of peat were prepared for use as fuel in experiments and by the owners of small boxes for burning at home, no peat fuel was produced commercially in the United States in 1917. Construction was produced commercially in the few plants in the New England States, where the recent coal shortage was keenly felt, but none of them were

completed in time to operate in that year. The year 1918 will probably record the resumption of the commercial production of peat fuel in this country.

The demand for peat for use as fertilizer and as stock food is steadily increasing as its value is becoming better appreciated, and in view of the condition of the commercial-fertilizer market of the unprecedented growth of the peat industry in 1917, and of the good results reported by many who used peat in that year the outlook is good for still greater expansion in 1918.

Sometimes the popularity of a fad depends on the amount of foolishness there is back of it.

TONIGHT

Douglas Fairbanks

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