

WESTERLY

Chief of Police Brown, who has been accused on the trail of Frank Manna, since the latter abandoned his wife and two children, November 12, taking two of his children with him, and also the wife of Antonio Cappuccio and her two children, has located the leak that resulted in Manna and Mrs. Cappuccio leaving Los Angeles and going to New York. John Priori wrote to his brother Antonio in Los Angeles, telling him of the circumstances and asking him to be on the lookout for the man, woman and children, as they had probably gone westward, knowing that there was a lookout for them in the east. John soon after received a letter from Antonio, stating that the Westery parties were in Los Angeles. John spread the news throughout the Italian colony and the information finally came to Chief Brown. He immediately wired the Los Angeles police to arrest Manna, and this message was followed with copies of the warrant for his arrest. In the meantime the chief awaited reply from the California police, intending to start for the west shore with requisition papers.

A friend of Manna, who is known to the police, learned of the address in Antonio's letter, went to Stonington, and from there telegraphed Manna that the police were after him, and warned him to leave Los Angeles.

Mr. Cappuccio had been advised that the party had arrived in New York, and that Manna had left Mrs. Cappuccio and his children, left in the city. Subsequently Manna was taken into custody and Chief Brown will bring him back to Westery as soon as extradition procedure is completed.

Byron J. Peckham, justice of the peace, held court in Pawcatuck Monday, to hear two cases against John Adams and Raymond Howard, brought by the Rhode Auto Supply company and S. P. Blackburn and company. At request of attorneys, the cases were continued one week.

The game of politics is likely to be played to the limit when the Rhode island legislature assembles two weeks from today, with a local appointment as a point at issue. It is strongly hinted that there is a political aspirant for the position of judge of the Third judicial district, which has been very acceptably filled by Judge Oliver H. Williams, for many years. This court is the highest standing in Rhode Island, and cases are exceedingly rare where Judge Williams' decisions have not stood the test of the higher courts. He is a model judge, impartial, considerate, and dispenses justice in compliance with law. No lawyer in Westery is better qualified than is Judge Williams, and the great majority of lawyers who practice in the court are in favor of the retention of Judge Williams. He does not permit politics to guide his decisions, and therefore unscrupulous politicians are against him, as is alleged.

At the incoming session of the Rhode island general assembly 125 vacancies in state offices are to be filled, 41 by election in joint session and 84 by the governor's appointment. The legislature will elect the sheriffs for five counties, judges and clerks of district courts, clerks of the superior court and commissioners of shell fisheries. All but nine of the governor's appointments are to be confirmed by the senate.

Among the appointees whose terms of office expire are: John R. Wilcox, of Kingston, sheriff for Washington county; Herman P. Caswell, of Kingston, clerk of the Washington county superior court; Oliver H. Williams and Clarence E. Roche, of Westery, judge and clerk, respectively, of the Third district; Milton D. Worth, of Charlestown, a commissioner of shell fisheries; Dr. Michael H. Scoullon, of Westery, Edwin J. Knerr of Hope Valley, Charles T. Phillips of East Greenwich, medical examiners.

Miss Jeanette Rankin, the first and only woman member of congress, and who addressed the Connecticut legislature and the Hartford Press club, while enroute to Washington, has been engaged as the principal speaker at a meeting of the Rhode island suffrage party at a meeting to be held this Tuesday evening, Jan. 6, in Providence. This meeting is to be held on the assumption that the general assembly will be the federal women suffrage amendment on the first day of the session.

Miss Rankin will tell of her experiences in congress and will speak exclusively for the suffrage party. The others invited to speak are Governor Beechman, Mayor Gardner, Mrs. Charles T. Ryan and Mrs. Alice Livermore, chairman of the democratic and republican committees, respectively.

The wood-alcohol epidemic has not struck Westery. However, it tends to recall the unfortunate time, nearly a decade since, when during a no-licence period, twenty-nine cases of wood-alcohol poisoning was reported, with sixteen cases proving fatal. Among the number was at least one, not a drinking man, who secured what he supposed to be pure whiskey for medicinal purposes. The source of some of the death-dealing liquid was traced, but, so far as known, there were no arrests or prosecutions. Although the epidemic was credited to Westery, the majority of the victims were residents of Pawcatuck, but it was claimed that the poison whiskey was obtained in Westery. The year following this epidemic the town of Westery voted for liquor license, for the first time in many years.

Local Laconics. Medicated alcohol has resulted in the banishment of the concoction of splits along the canal bank.

It is said that a Pawtucket man, with relatives in Westery, is to be superintendent of the new Westery silk mill.

Dr. John Ruici, of the staff of the Metropolitan hospital, on Blackwell's island, is at the home of his parents on a vacation.

The late Archie C. Thompson, so it is said, had membership in more fraternal organizations than any other man in the state of Rhode Island. His home was in Pawcatuck, Conn.

Miss Maude Sisson, 19, of Dartmouth, with relatives in Westery, died in a Stamford hospital, following an operation for appendicitis.

Admiral and Mrs. Herbert O. Dunn are to give a reception in Boston to introduce Miss Eleanor Cameron, one of Baltimore, a niece of Mrs. Dunn.

Byron D. Green was stricken with paralysis at his home in New London, Sunday, and is in a critical condition. He was a former resident of Westery and is a member of the Masonic bodies here.

STONINGTON

Officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Second Congregational church school as follows: James W. Weeks, superintendent; Matthew T. Graham, assistant; Miss Helen S. Collins, secretary; Mrs. Herman T. Anderson, assistant; Miss Lizzie M. Trumbull, treasurer; Victor Johnson, organist; Miss Annie F. Graham, pianist; Miss Sarah J. Graham, chorister; Victor Johnson, Matthew T. Graham, Bertha Winkler, Constance Jensen, music committee; Miss Jennie Trumbull, superintendent; Mrs. Barbara Muller, assistant; Miss Barbara Muller, superintendent primary department; Miss Jennie Trumbull, assistant; Miss Louise Winkler, superintendent junior department; Miss Fannie Trumbull, superintendent in remedial department; Mrs. Luella T. Gayer, superintendent junior department; Miss Hannah P. Hyde, superintendent home department; Miss Lulu Thayer, assistant.

Stonington Painters. Miss Mary Primitel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Primitel, of Stonington, and Ernest Cravnik, of Boston, were married by Rev. J. E. O'Brien, in St. Mary's church, Dec. 21, at a nuptial mass.

Mrs. Charles H. Davis will talk at the Stonington Travel club meeting today on "Chances of Greece," the heroine of Chancer's clerk of Oxyton Tales, immortalized for her virtue and meekness.

Scholar Fred Tyler, recently at Stonington, returned Saturday from Newport for Nantucket.

MYSTIC

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Augusta Burridge and Osmer Ostigney, to take place in St. Patrick's church Wednesday morning, Dec. 31st at 9 o'clock.

Ex-servicemen are filling out questionnaires that will tell the story of the part they took in the world war.

E. A. Bliven was a business caller in Boston Monday. Miss Marion Francis will begin nurse training New Year's to take a nurse's training.

Canton Arm, No. 10, met Monday evening for a drill in preparation for its regular meeting to be held Monday evening, Jan. 5th, when a class of seven candidates will be initiated.

John Khonkien has returned to New York after a visit with his brother, Herman Khonkien.

The boys of the Congregational Sunday school have organized into a club known as the Pequet Wigwam and have elected the following officers: Medicine man, Rev. Frank T. Rhoads; right hand, Merle Bradley; scribe, Herbert Gledhill; athletic director, John Wheeler. The chief of the tribe is expected to visit each meeting by the one who retires. The charter membership of the club is 16 and the purpose of the organization is expressed in its own words: "We gather in our wigwam that we may become as strong as our bows, as straight as our arrows, and as pure as the lakes in the forests." The meetings are held every Monday evening at 7 o'clock in the parish house.

Miss Lottie R. Morah of Boston is

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visiting her sister, Mrs. Clarence Williams, at the Clinton.

John Jeffrey has resigned with the Metropolitan Insurance company. His place will be filled by Fred Moll.

The Wednesday evening prayer meeting will be held in the vestry of the M. E. church, led by the pastor, Rev. Jerome Greer, at 7:30.

Miss Walle Hochschild and Werner Hochschild have returned to Hartford after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Hochschild.

Robert Adamson, Jr., was a visitor in Westery Sunday. Miss Catherine Bowen of Providence is visiting friends in town. Miss Bertha Montgomery is visiting in Griswold.

Miss Marion Morgan of Shelton is visiting local friends. Carpenters are at work repairing the George H. Greenman house on Greenmanville avenue recently damaged by fire.

Stonington lodge, No. 26, I. O. O. F., will meet Wednesday evening, when several candidates will be given the second degree.

NORWICH TOWN

Rev. Gordon Francis Bailey, pastor of the First Congregational church, conducted the Sunday afternoon service at the sheltering arms. The subject of the very interesting address was The Waning Year, the text Genesis 1:2.

Rev. Mr. Bailey said: These closing days of the year often bring thoughts of sadness. They remind us of the waning year and are suggestive of the fact that we are growing old, and in our advancing years we are getting further and further away from childhood. Our natural instinct is to want to turn back to the early days when, as children, we were carefree and innocent and did not have much to do! But God has placed a flaming sword across our path and we cannot go back. Though we pray our little prayer, "Backward, turn backward, O Time in your flight, make me a child again just for tonight," yet old Father Time wings us along and there is no retreating. It is physically impossible to put ourselves back into the garments of infancy; it is mentally impossible to put ourselves back into our childish ideas; it is spiritually impossible to turn back because a holy ambition swings a sword across our path and drives us on to a larger and freer life of achievement. Having left our Eden of childhood with its innocence, simplicity and freedom from care, we pass on in conformity to the plan of Scripture to enter upon the conquest of our Canaan. The onward sweep of the years takes us into a life of conflict, of new experiences where we pierce the fog and overcome obstacles that lie in life's path. But Canaan is better than Eden, for knowledge is better than ignorance; virtue is better than innocence; work is better than idleness; achievement is superior to freedom from responsibility; and suffering is more glorious than a life of self-centeredness. The child in Eden who thought the stars are his by achievement in study. The programme of life as God has given it to us in the rolling years is a splendid programme. Life grows richer as it goes forward. The value of a grace or virtue is more highly prized as it becomes apart of us. Benevolence in a child though he knows

not the value of what he gives, is beautiful; but benevolence in the man who toils for his dollars is a richer thing because it means more to him having cost him more. It is one thing to trust God in the morning of life before any clouds come in the sky. It is another thing to trust God in the evening after one has been tossed about by the storm. It is the veteran from whose lips we hear such confessions as "though He slay me, yet will I trust Him." A mother's love for her child as she looks into the cradle, sweet and beautiful; but the mother's love for that same child after she has nursed her darling through the various illnesses of the growing years is rich in love.

We will then thank God for the flaming sword which cut off our retreat into the simplicity of childhood and rejoice that He graciously opens the seas before us and leads us face to face with the hills of Canaan. And beyond Canaan, when we have fought our battles and won our victories, what? Not another Eden dropped from the hands of God in primitive "Eden"; but a city hammered out of the best the universe affords. Where man has cooperated with God in making a beautiful place for eternal habitation. So the on-moving years are bearing us away from the symbol of things reality; away from imaginary things to the things which awake our imagination; away from hope to fruition; away from the conflict to victory.

Though the eastern gate of Eden is closed to us we may set our faces toward the triumphal arch of the Golden city where our childish ditties are lost in the swelling chorus of victors returning from the fray.

A quartette Miss Ruth Potter, soprano, Miss Elizabeth Luther, alto, Dr. Charles H. Lamb, tenor, county agent Walter Marland, bass, gave a pleasing harmony the anthem, The King of Love My Shepherd Is, Shelley and Sing We Christ the True Light, Lester. Organist Herbert E. Yerrington accompanied at the piano.

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GREEK SOLUTION OF THE TURKISH PROBLEM

New York, Dec. 29.—The cardinal prerequisite for Turkish peace is that the Turk shall be driven out of Constantinople, in the opinion of Nico Caltchas, head of a mission sent to the United States by the Greeks of Thrace. The purpose of the mission, Mr. Caltchas explained today, is to present to President Wilson a petition signed by 265,000 Greek Thracians asking that their country be annexed to Greece.

Mr. Caltchas, a Greek who was graduated from Robert college, the Christian university in Constantinople, but who was drafted into the Turkish army, pointed out that the petition was signed by Greeks living in Adrianople and that no attempt had been made to obtain the signatures of those living in Constantinople, the other province of Thrace.

The best solution of the Turkish problem, in the opinion of Mr. Caltchas, would be to give the Ottoman capital and all the rest of Thrace to Greece, but if the powers do not approve that proposal Constantinople

should be internationalized, in his opinion.

"There are two perils coming from the north," he said. "One is a revival in some form or other of the former central alliance and the other bolshevism. A strong Greece facing the north with its back to the Mediterranean would be the most effective obstacle to both these perils. The truth of this statement will be fully realized when it is remembered that both the Greek people and the Greek empire have so far proved absolutely impervious to the new doctrine of disruption."

ADVOCATES THE ULTIMATE UNION OF ALL THE RUSSIAS

New York, Dec. 29.—The league for the liberation of Carpatho-Russia took a firm stand against bolshevism and extreme radicalism at the opening of its third congress here today. Ultimate union of all the Russias into one government was advocated. About 100 delegates from all over the country were in attendance. A resolution was presented calling for Americanism for all "political prisoners."

The league announced its object to be the action of those parts of Russia and Hungary bordering on the Carpathian Mountains, which were to be inhabited mostly by Russians.

Those regions are Eastern Galicia, that part of Western Galicia known as Lemkowschina, Northern Bukovina and northeastern Hungary. This last district was "recognized" by the congress as an autonomous state of the Carpatho-Slovak republic.

The annexation of parts of Galicia and Bukovina either "forever or temporary" by Poland or Rumania, would erect a new Alsace-Lorraine and cause prolongation of war between the Poles and Russians; the congress resolved and appealed to America to call upon the world to "restore freedom" to Capatho-Russia.

Dr. D. A. Markoff, former chairman of the Carpatho-Russian delegation to the peace conference and once a deputy in the Austrian parliament, was re-elected president of the congress.

Can't Call 'Em Pikers. The miners seem to esteem 14 per cent about as highly as the nation does one-half of 1 per cent.—Columbia Record.

Who Is Helping? Who, if anyone, is doing anything to help win the war on high prices?—Atlanta Constitution.

More Prohibition Laws. Still more drastic prohibition laws. Even the show windows can no longer become "it up."—Boston Transcript.

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