WILLIMANTIC

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What Is Going On Tonight.

Knights of Columbus, San Jose Council, No. 14, meets in Opera House block.

L'Union St. Jean Baptiste d' Amerique, Conseil Florimond, No. 74, meets in Armory hall, Center street.

Knights of Pythias, Natchaug Lodge, No. 22, meets in I. O. O. F. hall.

Twenty-two fife, drum, bugle corps and kiltie bands came to this city Saturday in spite of poor weather conditions and the programme of twenty-two numbers, with the exception of a street parade was carried out as planned the contests taking place in the state armory on Pleasant street. Eleven corps from Massachusetts and eleven from Connecticut made up the total.

The field day of the Thread City Continental Fife and Drum Corps was the second held in this city and proved one of the largest ever held in this state. Had the weather conditions been different it would have been the greatest gathering of drum corps ever held in Connecticut. The Thread City Continentals were organized some 18 months ago, holding their first field day last June. Since that time the corps has grown under the leadership of Odell M. Chapman as major, and today numbers eight fifes, ten snares, three bass drums, being one of the biggest ancient drum corps in this state.

The corps attending the field day, with each leader and the number of men were as follows:

Italian-American Drum corps, 12 men, Major T. G. Flunegan; Worcester Continentals, 16 men, Thomas Denholm; American Steel and Wire Company Drum corps, 17 men, George S. Haven; Crompton & Knowles Works Drum corps, 20 men, Samuel Morrow; Syrian-American Drum corps, 11 men, Henry John; Army and Navy Drum and Bugle corps, 28 men, H. R. Maylotte, all of Worcester, Mass.; John Sobieski Drum corps of Webster, Mass., 13 men, John Shaw; Lafayette Drum corps, 21 men, Frank Laflamme; Holyoke Caledonian Kilties, 14 men, Adam McLean, both of Holyoke, Mass.; Cortecelli Thread Works Drum corps, 19 men, Ralph Shackett, of Leeds, Mass.; Silk City Flute band, 18 men, Thomas Graham, of Manchester; St. Francis, Fife, Drum and Bugle corps, 15 men, Arotto Negri; Torrington Fife, Drum and Bugle corps, 29 men, John J. Smedick, both of Torrington; St. Anne's Fife, Drum and Bugle corps, 22 men, Arthur Vellette; St. Mary's A. A. Drum corps, 14 men, H. Adams, both of Waterbury; Royal Typewriter Drum corps, 21 men, R. J. Dempsey, of Hartford; Lancraft Fife and Drum corps, 14 men, J. J. Hart, of New Haven; Chesbro's Drum corps, Stonington, 17 men, J. Benjamin Adams; T. A. B. Fife and Drum corps, 18 men, William Sullivan, of New Britain; Talcottville Drum corps, 22 men, J. S. Gibbs, of Talcottville; Eagle Zouaves Drum corps, 22 men, Irving Taylor, of Moosup; Farmington Drum corps, 14 men, James Goodfield, of Unionville; St. Francis' T. A. B. Drum corps, 10 men, John Harkins, of Naugatuck.

Each contest held at the armory was governed by the Connecticut Fife and Drum rules and decisions were read immediately after each contest, military style and tactics throughout the parade and competition counting.

The officials were: Parade committee, Major Odell M. Chapman, marshal; participants committee, William H. Small, chairman; dance committee, William P. Roberge, chairman, Charles L. Thompson, secretary, and William F. Roberge, treasurer.

Owing to the number of corps entering the contests and to the number of individuals entering the competition for single honors the programme which began shortly before 2 o'clock continued late into the evening, the final contests taking place in the basement of the armory while the annual field day dance was being held in the hall. Announcements of the winners of the various contests were made shortly after 12.30 o'clock Sunday morning after the judges had opened all decisions. The contests for appearance were close, many corps averaging 99 per cent. perfect one 99 1-2 per cent. and the army and navy corps making a perfect record.

The results of the contests and the prizes awarded follow:

Corps Contests.

Best appearing drum corps, two prizes, silver cups, first, Army & Navy Fife drum and bugle corps, Worcester, Mass., Second Royal Typewriter fife and drum corps, Hartford.

Appearance, bagpipe bands, one prize, silver cup awarded, Caledonian Kilties, of Holyoke, Mass.

Playing ancient class (110 beats), two prizes, silver cups—first, Lancraft fife and drum corps, of New Haven; second Farmington fife and drum corps, Unionville.

Playing ancient corps (110 beats) military fifes, prize, silver cup, awarded Worcester Continentals, Worcester, Mass.

Playing modern class (120 beats) two prizes, silver cups, first, Chesebro's fife and drum corps, Stonington; second, Royal Typewriter Fife and Drum Corps, Hartford.

Playing bagpipe bands, two prizes, silver cups, first Caledonian Kilties, Holyoke, Mass., second Manchester Kilties, Manchester.

Playing fife and drum and bugle, two prizes, silver cups, first, Torrington fife, drum and bugle corps, Torrington; second, St. Ann's fife and drum and bugle corps, Waterbury.

Playing piccolo or flute, two prizes, silver cups, first, Silk City flute band, South Manchester; second, Lafayette drum corps, Holyoke, Mass.

Corps coming the longest distance, silver cup awarded Corticelli Thread Company fife and drum corps, Leeds, Mass., distance about 80 miles.

Souvenir gold cup, winner, Worcester Continentals, Worcester, Mass.

Individual Contests.

Best appearing major, two prizes, gold and silver medal, first, to Henry John Syrina-American drum corps, Worcester, Mass.; second, George S. Haven, Worcester Continental drum corps, Worcester, Mass.

Baton Swinging, two prizes gold and silver medals, first, to John Smedick, Torrington fife and drum corps; second, Arthur Vielette, St. Anne's Fife, drum and bugle corps, Waterbury.

Snare drumming, two prizes, gold and silver medals, first, John Bagin, Worcester Continentals, second, Harold Kling, Lancraft fife and drum corps, New Haven.

Bass drumming, two prizes, gold and silver medals first, Robert Brindley, Lancraft Corps, New Haven; second, Samuel Rankin, Talcottville drum corps, Talcottville, Conn.

Ancient fifing, two prizes, gold and silver medals, first, T. D. O'Connor, Y. M. T. A. & B. corps of New Britain, second, R. Lawton, Lancraft corps, New Haven.

Modern fifing, two prizes, gold and silver medals, first, J. McCarron, Y. M. T. A. & B. Corps New Britain, second, J. Murphy, Y. M. T. A. & B. Corps, New Britain.

Piccolo, prize, gold medal, awarded to Patsy Moggolio, American-Italian drum corps, Worcester, Mass.

Fluting, prize, gold medal, awarded A. Lavalle, of Lafayette drum corps, Holyoke, Mass.

Bugler, prize, gold medal, awarded to Herbert Hansen, Army and Navy drum corps, Worcester Mass.

Bagpipers, two prizes, gold and silver medals, first, Aleck Scott, of Caledonian Kilties, Holyoke, Mass., second, Robert Ramsay, Caledonian Kilties, Holyoke.

Most popular major, two prizes, gold and silver medals, first, to George S. Haven, Worcester Continentals, second, John Shea Continentals, of American Steel and Wire Company, Worcester, Mass.

During next week the grammar schools of this city will hold graduating exercises, three on Tuesday, June 15, and four on Wednesday, June 16th. There will be no graduation at The Oaks grammar school this year but Thursday afternoon, June 17th, there are to be patriotic exercises at that school. The number of graduates this year will be 125 of whom 83 are from the public schools and 42 from the two parochial schools. The year has been a most successful one, especially for St. Joseph's where the enrollment increased about 100. The total registration at the schools is 2,350, divided as follows: St. Mary's, 630; St. Joseph's, 520; Natchaug, 495; Windham Street, 425; Oaks, 120; Windham Center, 92; South Windham, 57; North Windham, 20.

The following schools will hold graduating exercises Tuesday June 15: Windham Street at the high school auditorium at 8 p. m. Members of class 42. Programme to include two or three playlets, also essays and music. Robert H. Fenton, a member of the town school committee, will present the diplomas. Windham Center school to be held at Congregational chapel, at Windham Center at 8 p. m. Dr. F. E. Guild, chairman of the town school committee, will present the diplomas to the four members of the class. South Windham grammar school, graduation expected to be held in Guilford Smith hall at 8 p. m., when the four graduating pupils will receive diplomas.

The schools holding exercises Wednesday, June 16th, are: Natchaug grammar school at high school auditorium at 8 p. m. There will be 42 graduates and Dr. F. E. Guild will present the diplomas. Exercises will consist of concert numbers, essays and music. North Windham grammar school will hold their exercises at North Windham hall at 8 p. m. Five pupils will graduate. Commencement exercises at St. Joseph's parochial school will be held at St. Joseph's church at 7.30 p. m. Rev. W. Arthur Routhier of Putnam, graduate of the school, will deliver the address of the evening. Diplomas and medals, the latter for excellence in studies will be presented by Rev. John A. Sullivan. There will be 20 graduates. Graduation at St. Mary's school will be held in the morning and the programme has not yet been completed. The graduation class numbers 22, eighteen regular and four commercial students.

Mayor Charles A. Gates was one of the guests of the Connecticut delegation to the republican national convention at Chicago and left Hartford Saturday noon on the special train for that city.

The price of paper hanging in this city will take a jump if the members of the Paperhangers and Painters Local No. 537, receive from the master painters the increase they served notice for Saturday. The journeymen want 80 cents an hour for painters and the paperhangers want 90 cents. These demands were presented by L. E. Thompson, secretary of the local who told the master contractors that at the beginning of the year the men received 45 cents an hour or $19.80 for a 44-hour week. In February they were raised to 62 cents per hour, making their weekly wage $27.28. They now want weekly wages of $35.20 for painters and $39.60 for paperhangers.

The Taftville-American Thread Company baseball game, scheduled for Saturday afternoon at Taftville was called off because of the rain.

Wednesday evening, June 9, is American Thread Night at Eastern Star lodge No. 44, A. F. & A. M. There are to be two candidates for the M. M. degree and officers' chairs will be filled by employes of the American Thread Company. It is expected that delegations will attend from Putnam, Colchester, Merrow and New London.

Funeral services for Mrs. Hannah Sullivan were held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from her home at Spring Hill. Requiem high mass was sung at St. Mary's church, South Coventry at 10 o'clock by Rev. James McGlinness. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, Willimantic. The bearers were Edward and Daniel Foley, William Farrell and Michael Donovan. The Killourey Brothers were in charge of arrangements.

The funeral mass for John Fitzgerald was held Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Joseph's church, Rev. John A. Sullivan officiating. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery. Jay M. Shepard was in charge of arrangements.

Walter Lund of Norwich was a visitor in Willimantic Saturday.

Orissia Edith Sypher, infant daughter of George H. and Julia Robinson Sypher, died early Sunday morning at her home at 127 Crescent street. She was born Oct. 12, 1919, and besides her parents is survived by several brothers and sisters.

Mrs. Helen V. Cooney of Holyoke, Mass., was a visitor in this city Sunday.

The Saturday morning session of the police court lasted until nearly noon when two cases were tried. The first case was that of Charles H. Curtis, charged with criminal assault on the person of his 11-year-old daughter, Crystal May Curtis, who has been in the custody of Mrs. Viola Wheeler of this city since April 27 last. Since living with Mrs. Wheeler the child told of the treatment she had received from her father and a warrant for the arrest was sworn out alleging January 10, 1920, as the day of the assault, although the child claimed abuses at other times. Curtis who was put to plea last Wednesday entered a plea of not guilty at that time, and still retained his attorney.

Dr. Charles A. Jenkins was first witness for the state who told of an examination of the child but said it was hard to give the exact cause without a microscopic examination.

Mrs. Wheeler told of the child living with her for about five weeks and told of her father's relations with her since she was nine years old. The last act was committed on Bank street when they lived there.

Cross-examined by the attorney for the defense Mrs. Wheeler admitted she wished to keep the child and admitted writing the father she wanted money for board and clothing. After the girl had been examined by Dr. Jenkins she notified Prosecuting Attorney Harvey. The child had attended school until this time. She denied that the child had answered her father when he came to see her after his arrest last Sunday. The child only looked at him, she said. Before this the child had told her she would be killed by her father if she told.

The girl herself then took the stand and told of her father's actions, stating that he had told her if she ever told of them he would be sent to jail and she to the reform school. They began when they lived in Phoenixville. She remembered her mother who had left seven years ago and was now in Providence, R. I. She had seen her twice since she left and had seen letters she had written. She admitted she didn't want to leave the Wheeler home.

Curtis, who is suffering with an arm broken in three places as the result of a sawmill accident took the stand and said he understood his wife had been divorced from him for two years. She left him and three children about eight years ago. He denied any improper relations with his daughter but claimed the Wheelers began the story to keep the child in their custody. The girl had suffered with kidney trouble or bladder trouble since she was a small child and he had often had a doctor for her. He had left her in the custody of women who would take care of her. She did not want to go to the Wheelers at first.

Mrs. May Sparrow of Milk street told of his leaving his children in her care and that a girl was caring for them while she was at the court. Mrs. Eva Latendre Brown of South Windham said she had cared for the child and no complaint had ever been made to her. Leroy Curtis, brother of the child, said he was with his father at the Wheeler house when he asked her the question and she was at present keeping house for Curtis and was present when the child answered no to her father's question.

Judge Frank H. Foss found probable cause and Curtis was bound over to the next criminal term of the superior court, bonds fixed at $1000. The amount will probably be made smaller owing to Curtis' condition and his need of a doctor's attendance.

The case of Bert A. Lewis of South Windham, charged with non-support, was heard by Justice Curtis Dean, deputy judge of the court. Mrs. Docina Lewis, wife of the accused, testified to their marriage two years ago and said they had lived together at South Windham until April 10th last. He had since sent her $2 per week for the baby, but she had worked at the Ponemah mills, Taftville. On April 9th she claimed her attention was called to a disease she had developed about five months before the birth of her child. The person who told her she believed was a nurse. She had doctored for it and was told it was eczema. She told her husband about it and he at first denied it but later said it was no one's business but his own. She left him the next day. She admitted having left him on one other occasion, but for one night only.

Mr. Lewis offered no testimony, but the defense said he was willing to take his wife back. A sentence of six months in jail was imposed by Justice Dean, to which an appeal was taken, the case to be heard before the next criminal term of the superior court. Bonds of $500 were furnished by Fred L. Yeomans, a brother-in-law of Lewis.

New Haven.—The annual flag day celebration of Mary Clap Wooster chapter, D. A. R., will be held at the New Haven Country club Monday, June 14. Luncheon will be served at 1 o'clock.

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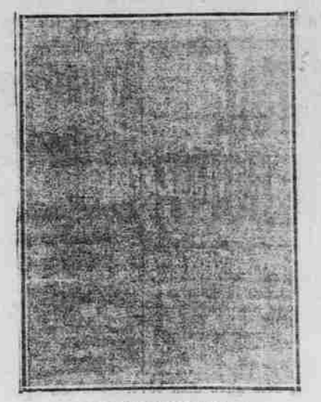

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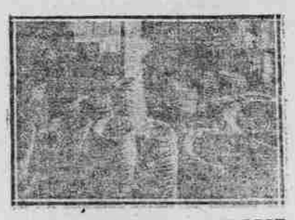

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$500 in Duplex Rubber Tire	250,000.00
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$500 in Hupmobile Motor Co.	100,000.00
$500 in Reo Motor Co.	150,000.00
$500 in Paige Detroit	120,000.00
$500 in Overland	100,000.00
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THE ASSOCIATED RUBBER INTERESTS, a New York Corporation, which is engaged in exporting and importing, and has an office at No. 132 Front Street, and a warehouse at No. 176 Pearl Street, New York City.

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EARNINGS

The subsidiary companies, which now are owned by the Associated Tire Stores Corporation, are all established, going concerns, with established records of earnings. The sales in 1919 of these subsidiary companies were as follows:

The Auto Tire Exchange, Inc.	$315,608.67
The Public Service Tire & Rubber Company, Inc.	173,773.97
The Associated Rubber Interests	220,000.00
Broadway Tire Jobbers, Inc.	718,500.00
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Total	$1,427,882.64

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What Is Going On Tonight.

Motion Pictures at Breed Theatre.

Vaudeville and Motion Pictures at Strand Theatre.

Vaudeville and Motion Pictures at Davis Theatre.

Thames Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F., in Odd Fellows' Hall.

Thames Union, No. 141, F. & A. M., and R. of A. masons in Masonic Hall.

Norwich Council, No. 407, R. A. M., meets in Masonic Hall.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

W. C. T. U. meeting today at 2 p. m. 25 Shetucket street. Room 6. Make a special effort to attend as final arrangements have been made for the final county's spring conference to be held here this week Thursday.

At the Strand.

The Strand has a wonderfully strong programme for Monday. Captain and Wells will start the ball rolling in a comedy skit entitled Fun in a Restaurant. Crumbley and Brown are two colored boys in a comedy singing and talking act. Dixie Norton & Co., will be seen in a full stage comedy skit, all special scenery is to be used. Brand and Gould are two well known tramp comedians. The Clairmont Brothers are two boys who have a comedy ladder act. A Scream in the Night, by Charles A. Logue, is the feature attraction at the Strand theatre Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. The story delves deeply into the Darwinian theory of the origin of the human race and proves for all time that man alone has the power to reason and to love. A Scream in the Night is said to be brimming with the adventures and mystery so popular among movie fans. Ruth Budd, popularly known as a star of the vaudeville stage and considered one of the few really "perfect" women, assumes the leading feminine role of Darwa, the victim of a crazed scientist's plot to prove the Darwin idea. Ralph Kellard, a Broadway favorite, and other notables appear in a well balanced cast. A Scream in the Night is a Select special attraction, produced by B. A. Rolfe. An up-to-date weekly will close this wonderful show at the Strand.

Davis Theatre.

The programme billed for the Davis the first half of this week is one that everyone should see. All the five acts are reported very good and the feature picture is a winner. Heading the five vaudeville acts is "The Browner Trio," who offer a "Study in Syncopation." They are two musical young men and a musical maid. The men play the violin and saxaphone and the girl the piano. She also has a sweet contralto voice and dances well. The Brower Trio are musicians, capable of any sort of music, but even a musician must keep in style and so their efforts are syncopated. The second act is Laura and Billy Dreyer in their 20th century revue. In a terpsichorean offering of exceptional grace and agility Laura and Billy Dreyer have built up a most unusual dance conception. They term their dance bits "A 20th Century Dance Revue," and if it is all of that and some more. The third act is Chase and LaTour in a delightful comedy skit entitled "Pink Stockings." The fourth act is Claxton and May, who present an entertaining singing and piano offering. The fifth act is Lexter and Vine Vincent in a comedy blackface singing, talking and dancing novelty that is different. The feature picture is "A Daughter of Two Worlds," from the novel of LeRoy Scott. Norma Talmadge, who is starred as Jennie Malone, plays the part of the beautiful daughter of Black Jerry Malone, keeper of a questionable dance hall in the slums. Can a girl of the underworld, who has lived straight, make good in the social world? The photoplay answers that question. Paramount Screen Magazine completes the show.

Breed Theatre.

Again Naximova has come to the screen and carried her audience fairly out of itself by the sheer power of her emotional depths and the finish of her performance. Last evening, at the Breed theatre, this great Russian star justified once more her right to be acclaimed the world's greatest actress when she appeared in her most recent production, "The Heart of a Child," a photoplay adapted by Charles Bryant from the novel of Frank Danby.

To see it is to live through the struggle Sally Snape made against the world's attack, at once so alluring and so sinister, with only the armor of her inborn sense of right to guard her.

The photoplay, by Rudolph Bergquist, is exceptionally artistic, are are the special efforts by Allen Ruof. Ray C. Smallwood has displayed unusual abilities in the direction; and those who remember Frank Danby's greatest book in its fiction form will be thankful to Charles Bryant for his intelligent and able adaptation to the screen of the best of it.

"The Heart of a Child" will be the feature again today and tomorrow and other pictures on the bill include the Pathe News and Century comedy.

STAFFORD SPRINGS

Francis M. Barrett, 75, died Friday at his home on Fisk avenue, after several weeks' illness due to heart trouble. He had lived in Stafford for thirty years, previous to which he resided in Willington. Last fall Mr. and Mrs. Barrett celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding. For a number of years Mr. Barrett was a town and borough assessor. Besides his wife he leaves three daughters, Mrs. Ernest Cady of Springfield, Misses Elizabeth and Dora Barrett of Stafford Springs and a son, Edwin, also of Stafford Springs. He leaves a sister, Mrs. Sarah Ruby of Willington and two brothers, Andrew in New Orleans and Alphonso in Washington, D. C.

The annual banquet of the Stafford public school teachers was held at the Springs House Saturday evening.

The Stafford guarantors for the Chautauqua this year have elected the following officers: President, Richard H. Valentine; vice president, William H. Heald; treasurer, G. Raymond Towne; committee, William Park, A. S. Mitchell, and Freeman F. Patten; chairman of entertainment committee, Mrs. E. P. Leach; chairman of advertising committee, C. H. Moore and Miss Marjorie Morse will have charge of the junior work.

Alfred C. Boyden, principal of the Bridgewater, Mass., Normal school will give the address at the high school graduation this year. The exercises will take place at Comique theatre on the evening of June 16th.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Scelsa of New York have returned to the Towne place on the River road for the summer.

Mrs. James St. Marie, of Stafford Hallo, was granted a divorce from Rena St. Marie by Judge Keeler in the superior court in Rockville, Friday.

Mrs. Eugenia Leach has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Helen Leach, to John H. Ritchie, of Hartford.

COLCHESTER

Rev. and Mrs. George W. Reynolds of West Hartford were guests of relatives in town the past week.

Dr. Henry West and family of Burton, Ga., are visiting Mr. West's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry West, on Norwich avenue for a few days.

Two large hoisting machines have arrived at the railroad station to be used on the new state road. One will be used in the freight yard for unloading cars and the other will be taken on the job.

W. D. Latham returned to Farmington Thursday after a few days' stay with his family on Linwood avenue.

Rev. T. M. Martin of Hebron was in town Thursday.

George B. Lombard of Hartford has been the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Sarah J. Bingham.

Frank Gahrman and F. E. Baker motored Friday to New Britain, where they were the guests of Mr. Baker's sons.

Leonard Siebert of East Hampton was a caller here Friday.