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ECHOES FROM THE LODGE ROOMS

WOMEN OF MOOSEHEART LEGION.

The first of a series of whists under the auspices of the Women of Moosehearl Legion was held at Moose Home on Wednesday evening. There were ten tables of whist played and the prizes were awarded as follows: Ladies, first, Miss Mary Walz; second, Mrs. Peterson; gentlemen, first, A. J. Wholey; second, Mrs. J. Walz. The committee in charge of the whist was Mrs. L. H. Hoffman, Mrs. Joseph Lavallee, Mrs. C. Woodmansee and Mrs. Mary Wright.

REBEKAHS.

Hope Rebekah lodge, No. 21, I. O. O. F., elected officers at their regular meeting held on Wednesday evening in Odd Fellows' hall. Mrs. Ora C. Spencer was elected noble grand for the coming year. Annual reports of the officers were given, showing the lodge to be in good standing, both financially and in regards to membership.

OWLS.

The regular meeting of Norwich Nest of Owls was held on Tuesday evening in Owls hall. Routine business was transacted and plans discussed for the holding of a bazaar shortly before Lent. Plans for the installation of officers and winter activities were made at this meeting.

EASTERN STAR.

Mrs. Annie B. Ferguson was elected worthy matron of Sachem Chapter, No. 57, O. E. S., at the regular meeting held on Tuesday evening in Odd Fellows hall. The reports of the officers for the past year were made and showed the chapter to be in a flourishing condition, there being a large increase in membership and a good financial condition of the order. The installation of officers will take place at the first meeting in January.

ODD FELLOWS.

Uncas Lodge, No. 11, I. O. O. F., after their regular business session Monday evening, entertained at ladies' night at which there was a large attendance. The entertainment included a musical programme rendered by the pupils of Prof. Hugh Kinder and included vocal and instrumental selections. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Shetucket Lodge, No. 27, at the regular meeting of Tuesday evening nominated officers for the ensuing term. The election will take place on the last meeting night in December. The remainder of the meeting was occupied by routine business. The attendance at the meeting was large.

Canton Uncas held their regular meeting on Thursday evening with a drill and the transaction of routine business. The inspection of the Canton will be held at the first meeting in January.

FORESTERS.

One candidate was initiated at the regular meeting of Court Sachem, No. 94, F. of A., held in Foresters' hall on Thursday evening. This was the first meeting of the court in the hall since the place was gutted by fire several weeks ago. The lodge voted to take a $10 health bond to aid the Christmas Seal drive. Routine business was the order of the meeting.

MOOSE.

Norwich Lodge of Moose held a special meeting on Friday evening in Moose Home, the meeting taking the place of the regular meeting that was scheduled for next Friday evening, Christmas Eve. A. E. Andrews presided at the meeting and routine business was transacted. The appointment of Steward Earle L. Rollison was confirmed by the lodge.

ELKS.

Norwich Lodge of Elks at their regular meeting on Thursday evening received three applications for membership and voted in six new members, and several applications were favorably reported upon by the investigating committee. It was voted to give $25 to the Boy Scouts for work in this city. The remainder of the meeting was taken up with the transaction of routine business.

SALVATION ARMY KETTLES GET $165 IN SIX DAYS

The Salvation Army kettles on the streets have brought in for six days of collecting $165. In addition donations have been received from H. F. Dawley, Mrs. A. J. Colt, F. L. Woodward and the Euphemian circe of the King's Daughters which brings the total up to $215. This sum includes the collection taken at the united Thanksgiving day services at the Community house.

There are three kettles on the streets during the day and one at the Davis theatre each evening. They will be in position until Christmas eve to receive the donations of those who want to help the army.

Girl's Dormitory at Storrs.

Following the presentation of the engrossed bill passed by the special session of the legislature last September, granting an appropriation of $325,000 for a girls' dormitory at the Connecticut Agricultural college the state board of controll, meeting with the trustees of the college, voted this week to approve the plans and awarded the contract to The H. Wales Lines Co., of Meriden. The Meriden company's bid was the lowest and was $248,850.

Torrington.—Word has been received from Elton A. Pope, wireless operator on the S. S. Minnewawa, that he landed in Galveston, Texas on Dec. 9, and expects to sail for Bremen, Germany, Dec. 20.

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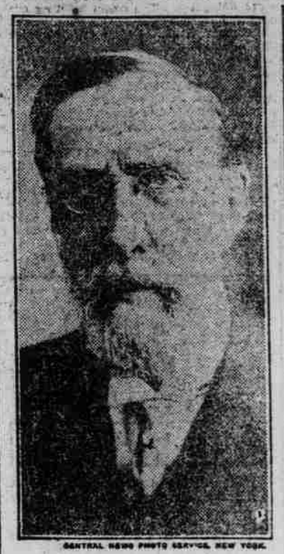

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Although 73 years old Sir George Foster has been chosen to represent the Dominion of Canada at the League of Nations assembly at Geneva, Switzerland. He is Minister for trade and Commerce in Canada.

MOTION LISTS MATTERS BEFORE JUDGE WOLFE

The following motion list matters were presented before Judge Isaac Wolfe at the short calendar session of the superior court here Friday morning and were disposed of as indicated:

Hillhouse, et al, vs. Groton Park Real Estate Co., et al, order of removal from the superior court for New London county to the United States district court for the district of Connecticut, brief to be filed in two weeks, judge took the papers; Shea vs. Gavitt, hearing on application for temporary injunction, postponed; Allison vs. Sakonnet Fishing Co., 1, judgment, 2, hearing in damages, pleadings in two weeks.

Washington Trust Co. vs. Thompson, assessment of damages and limitation of time on foreclosure judgment; R. A. Sherman's Sons Co. vs. Doyle, assessments of damages and limitation of time on foreclosure; Victor Davis vs. Katherine W. Davis, hearing on motion re custody of children pending trial of cause, all postponed; Katz vs. Striebel, for judgment, judge took the papers; Mariano vs. New London Bakery & Delicatessen Co., hearing on receiver's petition in re claims of John Ernst, Emille Wuest and Frederick Wuest, postponed.

Elizabeth O. Meyer vs. Abraham J. Meyer, that defendant be adjudged in contempt of court for failure to fully comply with order of superior court dated May 31, 1920, ordering alimony payments, postponed; Adams Steel Products Corp. vs. McCarthy, et al, default for failure to plead, and Adams Steel Products Corp. vs. McCarthy, et al, default for failure to plead, pleadings in two weeks; Hoffman-Perry Iron & Steel Co. vs. McCarthy, et al, default for failure to plead, off; O'Connor, Admr., vs. Hartford Accident & Indemnity Co., argument of demurrer, judge took the papers.

Elizabeth O. Meyer vs. Abraham J. Meyer, motion that order for alimony pendente lite be modified, postponed; Shay vs. Niantic Menhaden Oil & Guano Co., application of Mason, et al, for permission to file libel against steamer Menhaden; application of McLennon, et al, for permission to libel steamer Menhaden in U. S. district court, application of W. S. Cahill for consent to commence proceedings against the steamer Menhaden in the district court for the district of Connecticut, application of Vane Brothers, Inc., for permission to libel steamer Menhaden, judge took the papers; Esther B. Carpenter vs. Frank L. Carpenter, application for alimony pendente lite; Douglas vs. H. R. Douglas, inc., hearing on final account, final judgment; Hull, State Attorney, vs. Chesterfield Baptist Society, et al, appointment of committee of court to transfer property, James G. Bozzella, petition for change of name, decree, all postponed.

John B. Tyler vs. Mary B. Tyler, 1, motion for bond to prosecute or justification, off, 2, motion for allowance to defend, $50 in two weeks, 3, motion for alimony pendente lite, $10 per week to commence at once; Bishop vs. Copp, Exr., appeal from probate, 1, motion to set aside verdict, 2, motion in arrest of judgment, postponed; Ralph I. Main vs. Sadie M. Main, 1, alimony pending the action, 2, allowance to defend, postponed; Lacier vs. City of New London, argument of demurrer, judge took the papers; Lucy A. Massey vs. Paul Massey, non-suit as to causes of action numbered 5, 6 and 7 for failure to plead, reply or other pleading in a week.

Shay vs. Niantic Menhaden Oil & Guano Co., hearing on application re personal property claimed by the C. M. Shay Fertilizer Co.; Connecticut Lumber Co. vs. White, disclosure of defense or judgment on sworn bill of particulars, Barnes to receiver to employ counsel and institute suit against Ralph C. Wheeler and suit against J. E. F. Brown, all postponed; Hall, et al., vs. Neuman Co., Inc., disclosure of defense or judgment, off.

Winsted.—The paper box department of the Strong Manufacturing company closed Thursday evening for an indefinite period, due to the closing of the Winsted Hosiery company mills. Boxes in which Winsted hosiery is packed are made at Strong's. About 25 hands are affected.

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AWARDS $466 TO BE PAID FOR CRUSHED FINGER

Rosario Dimarco of 8 Thompson street, Westerly, claimant, against Charles Cranshaw of Providence, in a workmen's compensation case is to be paid the lump sum of $469.54 in settlement, according to a finding just made by Commissioner J. J. Donohue.

According to the finding in the case, Dimarco entered the employ of Cranshaw on May 24, 1920, and was hurt the same day while he was sorting bricks at the storehouse of the Lorraine Mfg. Co. at Pawcatuck. He had a finger pinched between the bricks. On June 1, Mr. Dimarco entered the employ of the Mohican Co. at Westerly but quit work on June 5 and he made the claim that he did not work again for 13 weeks. It was found that no report of the injury was made till two weeks after he was not hurt and not until after he had left the employ of Cranshaw. The respondent claimed he had suffered prejudice because of this delay in reporting, and the commissioner found that this claim was well taken, so that he cut the time for which he allowed compensation by five weeks.

The commissioner ruled that the claimant was entitled to compensation for 52 1-2 weeks at $14.36 less $10 already paid, and the sum is to be paid in a lump sum. The respondent is also to pay a doctor's bill for $44 but a second doctor to whom Dimarco went must look to Dimarco for payment for his services, because Dimarco deserted the physician furnished by Cranshaw and the second doctor was not ordered by Cranshaw.

The man had to have half of his finger amputated from necessary bone and the rest of the finger remains stiff.

STOECKEL HAS RULES TO APPLY TO PEDESTRIANS

An effective pedestrian statute will make a difference of at least a dozen or more fatalities and will eliminate many minor accidents in the state annually, according to State Motor Vehicle Commissioner Robbins B. Stoeckel, who has outlined the chief features of such legislation which he plans to get from the general assembly at the session which begins Jan. 5. In his annual report, recently submitted to the governor, Commissioner Stoeckel declared that the time has come for a pedestrian law. Briefly outlined, the commissioner's plans thus far provide for the following:

1. Walking against traffic on country roads where there are no sidewalks.
2. Making an offense of "reckless walking."

Simple Remedial Action.

"This is my suggestion as a remedy of existing conditions," said Commissioner Stoeckel, "a remedy which I believe is simple if people will live up to such a law."

Commissioner Stoeckel's country road idea is most novel. If it meets with the approval of the legislature it is destined to protect the lives of pedestrians on country roads from injury or fatal accidents, according to the commissioner. Pedestrians on country roads where there are no sidewalks would, under the new law, walk against vehicular traffic. That is, instead of taking the right side of the road as the vehicles do, pedestrians would take the left side of the road.

In this way, especially at night, a pedestrian would have little difficulty in seeing vehicles coming his way and the danger of vehicles at his back would be eliminated nearly 100 per cent., according to Commissioner Stoeckel.

"At this time of the year when it is very essential that vehicles on the highways be properly lighted," Commissioner Stoeckel said, "the danger to pedestrians is very great. Persons walking on the right of traffic on country roads which have no sidewalks fall a prey to the vehicular traffic, especially if a string of vehicles is at his back. Under the proposed change a pedestrian could with case get out of any possible danger."

Plymouth.—The membership drive being conducted by the "Plymouth" Women's association is meeting with much success.

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LEGAL NOTICES

DISTRICT OF MONTVILLE, PROBATE COURT, ss., Town of Montville, Dec. 13th, 1920.

Estate of Gertrude Judson, late of Montville, in said district, deceased.

Pursuant to an order of the Court of Probate for the District of Montville, I will sell certain real estate of said deceased, situated in said Montville, Connecticut, in the State of Connecticut, as bequeathed and devised to the undersigned for the order of sale on file in said Probate Court, either at public auction or private sale.

EDWARD CARDOZA
dec18d Administrator.

TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, State of Connecticut, Session of 1921.

The Eastern Connecticut Power Company of the Town of Norwich, County of New London, State of Connecticut, respectfully petitions the General Assembly of 1921 for an amendment to its charter (1) authorizing said company to increase its capital stock from time to time to the sum of ten million dollars ($10,000,000) and to divide said stock into two or more classes; (2) to distribute, sell or use, within the State of Connecticut, electricity generated outside of the State; (3) to purchase, lease, or otherwise acquire water powers, and the franchises and property, both real and personal, in whole or in part, of any corporation engaged in the business of manufacturing or distributing electricity, and to buy the bonds and stock of any such corporation, and to consolidate or merge with the same; and (4) to take and acquire a right of way and build thereon a transmission line from the present transmission line of the applicant company from Norwich to the Massachusetts line to connect with the transmission line of The Hartford Electric Light Company in the Town of Manchester, Connecticut.

Dated at New London, Connecticut, this 14th day of December, 1920.

THE EASTERN CONNECTICUT POWER COMPANY.
By CHARLES R. WHITTLESEY, EDWARD S. M. ..., Its Attorneys.

State of Connecticut, County of New London, ss. New London, Dec. 17, 1920.

The foregoing petition to the General Assembly of the State of Connecticut at its January Session, 1921, having been presented to me, and it appearing that the same is of an advisory nature, and that the parties interested are more than twenty in number, and that adverse parties reside out of the State:

Therefore, Ordered, That notice of the pendency of the foregoing petition be given to all parties in interest by publication in The Norwich Bulletin, a newspaper published at Norwich, Connecticut, once on or before Dec. 28, 1920, in behalf of the foregoing petition and of this order thereon.

... Judge of the Superior Court.
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