

WILLIMANTIC

What is Going On Tonight
Old Folks Concert by Windham Center Y. R. S. C. at First Baptist church.

For Colds or Influenza
And as a preventive, take GROVES L. B. Q. tablets (Laxative Bromo Quinine Indol).

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noted here twice before, but said the last time was a year ago. Judge Frank H. Povee fined the man ten dollars and costs and allowed him to go as he had practically no funds, with the understanding that he is to make payments to Probation Officer Elmer M. Young as often as he is able to do so.

Rev. Theodore Bachelor, pastor of the Federal church of Willimantic, composed of congregations from Willington Hill and South Willimantic, has been unanimously chosen pastor of the Union Congregational church, Providence, R. I., which has a membership of 370 and is the largest Congregational church in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rybic, of Mansfield announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary to Robert Poboda, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Poboda, of South Willimantic.

Miss Carol Russell, daughter of Charles W. Russell of No. 17 Clark street, left Sunday for Berkeley, Cal., where she will spend the winter.

Misses Elizabeth and Loretta Maxwell of Danvers, Mass. have returned home after a short visit with their sister, Miss Margaret Maxwell, No. 54 Oak street.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

and Mrs. Mary Sanborn, of Boston, spent the holiday with their brother, Michael J. Denny, of Jackson street.

Following several complaints received concerning two men who have been canvassing among Roman Catholic families in the city, getting subscriptions to a religious magazine, the pair was taken into custody by Chief of Police Killboure Tuesday afternoon.

The assault case brought by Constable Samuel Stimpson, of Champlin, against Frank Land Kate Clark of the same town, which was to have been heard before Justice of the Peace Frank Lunnis Monday afternoon, has been continued for two weeks at the request of Attorney William A. King, counsel for the defendant.

A public service car owned and operated by Harry J. Blanchette of this city and a Hupmobile belonging to Dr. Hugh B. Campbell of the state tuberculosis sanitarium at Norwich, collided under the railroad bridge at Andover Monday night.

The annual report of Acting Librarian, William D. Terry shows the year's circulation of the public library to be as follows: Fiction 28,664, French 474, juvenile fiction 7,383, juvenile non-fiction 1,822, biography 145, travel 200, history 325, literature 285, arts 165, science 118, social work 144, theology 50, philosophy 32, magazines 348, periodicals 564, total 38,221.

The circulation was somewhat smaller than last year, probably due to the fact that more people were employed in shops than there were in the year.

The accessions for the year were 322. Of these 102 were obtained by purchase, 99 were from the state grant and 16 were individual gifts.

During the year 118 books have been discarded because of their worn out condition. Of these 41 have been replaced, making our total number of books 18,080.

Our average circulation per day is 133. On our reading tables we have the leading magazines, both weekly and monthly, and we have "seven-day books," the monthly magazines. We also have the following newspapers: The Chronicle, Norwich Bulletin, New York Times and Catholic Transcript (weekly).

At a meeting of the library committee held in May Mrs. Bell B. Higginson, the librarian, resigned, to take effect July 1st. The resignation of Mrs. Higginson after more than 19 years of faithful service brought a real loss to the library.

Under her supervision the library had grown from about 8,000 volumes to 18,000 volumes. But not only has the library grown in number of volumes but because of her ideals the library standards have been raised higher and higher.

The resignation of Mrs. Higginson has been indeed fortunate to have had for so long a period the benefit of her conscientious services and discriminating judgment.

It is well that this library in common with all Connecticut city libraries receive the sum of \$100 from the state grant, otherwise it would not be able to buy any of the more expensive books of reference, poetry, history and the like.

The purchasing power of the city appropriation for the library, small at first, has shrunk rapidly as the price of books has steadily risen with all other living costs. It does not now adequately provide for the librarian's salary and the constant demand for new fiction.

It is hoped that at the next session of the legislature the city charter may be revised so that the library appropriation may compare favorably with that of other cities of similar population and may be commensurate with the value of the public library to the community.

A title time of Mrs. Riggelman's resignation, Mrs. William D. Terry, the assistant librarian, was appointed acting librarian.

We extend thanks to the newspapers for their courtesy in publishing lists of books.

Waureagan Cotton Mills
(Special to The Bulletin)
Waureagan, Conn., Dec. 28.—The cotton mills here in connection with other mills in which the Atwoods have interests are running full time and are about to be running full time and are about to be running full time.

While Waureagan has felt the business depression more or less the fact of the help being of an especially steady and efficient class has enabled it to do with the prosperity of the village.

Waureagan mill houses have in scores of cases young men and women residing in them and working in the mills who are of the third generation.

Children and grandchildren of former Waureagan mill hands have taken the places of the original ones and now the mill is a place where the young are always willing to give a full day's labor for a full day's pay.

All modern improvements for the comfort and convenience of the help are quickly inaugurated by the management. The social religious and political interests of the hands are the interests of the management.

Clark days are in the land the genuine team work of all together is proving a fine friend when mills in all directions are running two days three days a week or five altogether, the belt on Waureagan mills makes its regular ring.

MORRIS PLAN BANK MAY BE DISCONTINUED
If New London has not pride enough to sustain a Morris Plan bank, then there should be no bank here," declared Charles A. Perkins, treasurer of the New London Morris Plan Bank, Inc., Tuesday, who says the institution may be discontinued after December 31.

There are 30 stockholders in the New London Morris Plan bank, which was incorporated and started business in November, 1917. The capitalization was \$25,000, but the working capital was \$10,000, and has remained at that figure since. There has been, however, as much as \$25,000 out on loans on the \$10,000 capital, and all at 6 per cent. Whether the bank has been successful can be determined when it is reported by Mr. Perkins that approximately \$70,000, perhaps more, has been loaned and returned, plus 6 per cent. interest since November, 1917. The average amount loaned was \$200 with a few at \$250, many at \$200 and some at \$150, \$100 and \$50.

Yes, Jimmy, the middle aisle is the most satisfactory bridal path.

MAIN LINE TRAINS
ROUTED THROUGH PLAINFIELD
Four main line express trains were routed through Plainfield Tuesday night.

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL TO BE APARTMENT HOUSE
The former Memorial hospital building on Garfield and Jefferson avenues in New London are being converted into apartments.

ONE TELEPHONE FOR EVERY EIGHT PERSONS
The Southern New England Telephone company announces that its total number of stations in New London, Conn., will be approximately 175,000 which means that there is a telephone to each eight inhabitants of the territory covered by the company, comprising chiefly of Connecticut, with a few points outside the state included.

POLICE OFFICER SAVES CHILDREN FROM INJURY
Two unidentified Polish children were saved from probable serious injury on Bradley street, New London, Tuesday, when Patrolman August Ray flung himself on the neck of a runaway horse and brought the animal to a stop in the midst of a group of auto-tourists playing games in the street.

FORMER WATERFORD WOMAN IS HELD FOR TRIAL
With bonds raised from \$2,500 to \$10,000 by Magistrate Levine of the Jefferson Market court in New York, Mrs. Ruth Ruckelsholt formerly Miss Ruth Chapman of Waterford, was held for trial Tuesday morning on several charges of fraud and grand larceny.

Sunday School Officers Elected.
At the annual meeting of the Universalist Sunday school held on Monday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Superintendent, Edwin A. Tracy; first assistant superintendent, Sumner W. Armstrong; second assistant superintendent, Miss Mary K. Rogers; secretary, Miss Joseph B. Hill; treasurer, J. Harold Cobb; librarian, LeRoy W. Walker; chorister, Miss Bertricia Green; superintendent of junior department, Miss Mary E. Rogers; superintendent of home department, Mrs. Fred S. Young; superintendent of grade roll, Mrs. A. S. Comstock; executive committee, Mrs. F. S. Young, Charles W. Paragon, Miss Mary E. Rogers, the pastor, Rev. G. H. Welch, the superintendent, and the other officers and teachers of the school.

Scene from "The Boomerang" at the Davis Thursday night.

FINES FOR VIOLATION OF THE VOLSTEAD ACT
Hartford, Conn., Dec. 28.—Judge Thomas in the federal court in this city today dealt out fines for violation of the Volstead act on a sliding scale, telling offenders that the prices had been advanced since September and were likely to reach the limit this term.

MEASURES FOR RELIEF OF AGRICULTURAL CREDITORS
Chicago, Dec. 28.—A plan form of legislation designed to provide relief for agricultural creditors was announced today by J. H. Howard, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, upon his return from Washington, where the proposal was placed before members of Congress. Assurance that legislation so outlined would be incorporated in bills to be drafted immediately was given him by committee members, Mr. Howard said.

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The federal reserve act should be amended so as to provide preferential rates for loans for productive purposes over loans for speculative purposes. The warehousing act should be extended so as to cover the needs of local individuals and co-operatively associations, carrying with it a rural credits plan to aid marketing of crops. The federal land bank system should be extended to provide farmers personal credit.

HARD COAL MINERS VOTE TO ABUSE DIFFERENCES
Hartford, Dec. 28.—According to the offer of the operators to adjust inequalities and injustices within the present wage agreement, the general committee of the Anthracite Miners' Union today instructed its sub-committee to meet with representatives of the operators and endeavor to work out a basis of settlement that will bring general satisfaction to the anthracite mine workers. None of the demands of the hard coal miners for additional wage increases will be dropped, Thomas Kennedy, chairman of the committee, announced, adding that an attempt would be made again to have the operators consider them as "part of the existing inequalities."

DERAILMENT AT SOUTH LYME
SOUTH LYME, Conn., Dec. 28.—Derailment of a car near the head of a freight train, and consequent derailment of a second car near the end blocked the Shore Line division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad this forenoon, and through passenger trains were delayed at Middletown. Material damage is reported to be small.

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BRANDREGE GETS U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR NORWALK
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SCENE FROM "THE BOOMERANG" AT THE DAVIS THURSDAY NIGHT

Murray's Boston Store Willimantic, Conn.

HALF PRICE SALE OF Suits, Coats, Dresses and Skirts. BEGINS WEDNESDAY MORNING

This is a complete clearance of Suits, Coats, Dresses and Separate Skirts, of fine qualities, newest styles and all well made garments, paying only half of their real value.

Table with 2 columns: SUITS AT HALF PRICE. Lists various suit prices from \$45.00 to \$85.00.

Table with 2 columns: COATS AT HALF PRICE. Lists various coat prices from \$22.50 to \$95.00.

Table with 2 columns: STYLISH STOUT COATS AT HALF PRICE. Lists various coat prices from \$59.00 to \$115.00.

Table with 2 columns: STYLISH STOUT SUITS AT HALF PRICE. Lists various suit prices from \$29.00 to \$69.00.

Table with 2 columns: PLUSH COATS AT HALF PRICE. Lists various coat prices from \$45.00 to \$125.00.

Table with 2 columns: STYLISH DRESSES AT A BIG REDUCTION. Lists various dress prices from \$29.00 to \$69.00.

Table with 2 columns: WOOL PLAID SKIRTS AT LESS THAN HALF. Lists various skirt prices from \$15.00 to \$25.00.

Table with 2 columns: One lot of attractive Dresses, in Velour, Jersey and Satin, regular \$49.00 to \$59.00 values. TO CLOSE AT \$26.50.

THE H. C. MURRAY CO.

Advertisement for Horlick's Malted Milk, featuring an image of a cow and a can of the product. Text describes it as a food-drink for all ages.

Large advertisement for The Brockton Sample Shoe Store. Features the headline 'Big Flood Shoe Sale Progressing 30c, 40c, 50c OFF THE DOLLAR' and lists various shoe styles and prices.