UNSETTLED, LOCAL SHOWERS TODAY; FAIR TOMORROW

Norwich Bulletin

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Norwich, Wednesday, Sept. 28, 1921

WEATHER

Temperatures continue above the normal generally over the United States.

In New England and New York the weather will be unsettled with possibly light local showers on Wednesday and fair on Thursday with mild temperature.

Winds

North of Sandy Hook—Fresh southwest winds, overcast thick weather Wednesday.

Sandy Hook to Hatteras—Moderate to fresh southwest winds and overcast weather Wednesday.

Forecast

South New England—Unsettled with probably local showers Wednesday; Thursday fair; somewhat warmer.

Observations in Norwich

The Bulletin's observations show the following changes in temperature and barometric changes Tuesday.

	Ther.	Bar.
7 a. m.	42	30.00
12 m.	68	30.00
6 p. m.	60	29.90

Highest 63; lowest 42.

Comparisons

Predictions for Tuesday—Fair.
Tuesday's weather—As predicted.

SUN, MOON AND TIDES.

Day.	Sun Rises a. m.	Sun Sets p. m.	High Water a. m.	Moon Rises a. m.
23	5:33	4:41	4:43	morn
24	5:35	4:39	5:46	1:01
25	5:41	4:37	6:43	2:10
26	5:42	4:35	7:37	3:23
27	5:43	4:33	8:28	4:35
28	5:44	4:32	9:17	sets
29	5:46	4:30	10:05	6:15

One hour after high water it is low water, which is followed by flood tide.

GREENEVILLE

The Greeneville Independents football team is hard at practice for the coming year. They expect to put on the field the strongest team in years. They have got some fine material to build up a strong team. They expect to play their first game two weeks from Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Revell, and daughter, Alice of Rivenpoint, R. I., are guests at the home of her sister Mrs. Harry Collins of Sherrell avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown have returned after spending the week end in Hartford.

Miss Jane Dennis has returned after spending the week end visiting relatives in New Bedford.

Many of the local people went to Hartford Tuesday to hear McCormick who was singing there.

John Day has returned after spending the week end in Worcester.

Thomas Enright has returned to Harvard after spending his two week vacation at the home of his mother, Mrs. John Enright of Seventh street.

Mrs. Irving Glyno, is spending a few days with relatives in Springfield, Mass.

TAFTVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pepin entertained a large number at their home, 8 North A street, Saturday evening in honor of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pepin, who returned from their wedding trip. Mr. and Mrs. Pepin will reside at 12 North B street.

Miss Elsie Beebe is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Seddon of South A street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Hindle and son have returned from a motor trip to Vermont.

The Home Department of the Taftville Congregational Sunday school plan to hold a meeting and social in the vestry Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Durpey and Mrs. Rose Moore spent the week end in New Bedford, making the trip by motor.

Miss Ruth Hoag of Front street is enjoying a short vacation.

Rally day was observed Sunday at the Taftville Congregational church.

NORWICH TOWN

At the First Congregational church, Sunday morning, the pastor Rev. Gurdon P. Bailey preached interestingly from I Samuel 22:20. He brought me forth also into a large place; He delivered me, because He delighted in me. At the session of the Men's Forum the topic of discussion was: Resolved: That Ireland Should be Free. Clyde Beebe was the leader of the affirmative side and George F. Hyde was leader of the negative side.

The Young People's Christian Endeavor service at six-thirty was in charge of Miss Jessie E. Hyde. The topic—Missionary Results in South Da. 2:1-4. (Foreign Missionary meeting.)

The Congregational prayer service Thursday evening will have for its theme The Attraction of Christ. Mark 11:24-31. Why was Christ liked by the common people? With whom was He unpopular? How can we present Christ acceptably? Denials of Christ in the ways of Christians.

Week end guests of Rev. Gurdon F. Bailey and Mrs. Bailey at the Congregational parsonage were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Noal and son William of Collinsville.

Following a stay of four weeks with Norwich Town friends, during which she has been entertained by relatives and friends in various parts of Norwich, Mrs. Eva A. Sims returns Thursday to her home in Brooklyn, N. Y.

Miss Catherine R. Crocker a teacher at the Norwich Free Academy, who on account of the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Samuel Crocker of Tufts College, Mass., is not to be at the academy at present, was in Norwich last week for a brief stay, coming by automobile from Boston.

Miss Clementine Bacheler of Talcottville was a guest recently at the home the Misses Bacheler of East Town street.

Attorney Alfred Olena and Louis Dressler, of Brooklyn, N. Y., were callers recently at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Lamb, of Town street.

Monday afternoon, Dr. and Mrs. Lamb had as callers Mrs. Edwin Stapelin and daughters, Mrs. Marcia Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Benjamin Mull, of Mystic, they having motored to Norwich Town with Mr. Mull who transacted business here.

Farmington.—Miss Lydia E. Dadmun, a student in Miss Porter's school, Farmington, has returned from North East Harbor, Me., with her mother, Mrs. Geo. E. Dadmun and they are now at the Meadowcroft club at Southampton, L. I.

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CONNECTICUT RIFLEMEN SHOT WELL

Battery B, 192nd Artillery, held its regular drill at the armory Tuesday evening in command of Captain William R. Denison. The battery drilled Tuesday evening instead of Monday evening, the drill night having been changed last week when it was expected that Sousa's band would appear in the armory Monday evening.

Captain Deison and Captain H. F. Burdick, the latter commanding officer of the Combat Train, arrived back in Norwich Sunday from Camp Perry, O., where they took part in the national rifle contest in which national guardsmen and regular army officers and men from many states were contenders. Captain Denison and Captain Burdick were gone about two weeks. During the absence of Captain Denison the local battery was commanded by Lieut. Ernest Bartolucci, while Lieut. Harry House was in command of the Combat Train during the absence of Captain Burdick.

The scores at 200, 600 and 1,000 yards, slow fire, and 200 and 300 yards, rapid fire, made by the Connecticut team follow:

Name.	Slow Fire. 200	600	1000	Rapid Fire. 200	300
Sgt. Williamson	33	89	82	48	45
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Sgt. Green	34	87	72	42	43
Capt. Park	34	74	77	45	43
Capt. Denison	30	81	81	42	42
Sgt. Bitgood	35	89	73	45	45
Capt. Fitzgibbons	35	92	92	45	35
Corp. Sunderland	29	86	84	39	48
Capt. Burdick	35	81	82	49	41
Sgt. Burns	25	76	73	40	33

The Connecticut team was greatly handicapped owing to the fact that they were the last team to arrive at the camp. Some of the teams had been at the camp for three weeks or a month before the Connecticut team arrived. The Nutmeg team had only several days of practice on the range before they entered the national shoot. In spite of this fact they made a very creditable showing.

EAST LYME TOWN MEETING VOTES $54,415 BUDGET

The East Lyme town meeting Monday voted a budget of $54,415, and when called upon to vote on whether to put the maintenance of the highways under the incoming selectmen or under the present management, voted to the present management.

The following items were voted:

Town poor $1,500, out of town poor $200, selectmen bills $250, books and printing $350, lighting town of East Lyme $1,700, dog warden $50, oiling roads $2,000, maintaining roads and bridge $6,000, maintaining state highway $700, maintaining board of registrars $300, town treasurer $225, auditors $40, miscellaneous $600, assessors $300, vital statistics $50, state tax $1,800, county tax $300, military tax $300, town clerk's salary $400, tree warden $50, board of relief $150, maintaining Liberty Green $100, fire warden $200, on bonds $1,500, interest on bonds $3,500, sinking fund $6,000, school janitor $1,000, teachers' salary $15,275, for school books $500, school janitor $1,500, fuel for schools $1,500, repair and supplies $1,000, rent of hall $200, transportation six children from Max Mills to Flanders $550, transportation seven children from Max Mills to Flanders, painting Niantic school house $500, transportation and tuitions. Niantic children to New London $5000, Niantic public library $200, public health and nurse $1,000, one mile of state road leading to Sound View $8,000.

The $6,000 sinking fund which was appropriated last year and has since been in the town treasury, will be used to buy Liberty bonds at their present value and put in a deposit box. Pupils must pass with an 85 per cent. mark in order to receive tuition and transportation from the town.

Mr. Giddings made a motion on account of the extreme high tax every tax paying widow be refunded $10, but on account of statement issued recently by Attorney General Healy it was decided that it could not be done.

CONNECTICUT IS LEADER IN CROP OF PEARS

Connecticut is no longer the nutmeg state, but the pear commonwealth, being the only one of the six New England states to show an increase in pear production in the 1909-19 decade, the 1920 census of agriculture giving Connecticut a pear production of 57,162 bushels, against 41,322 for 1909, as shown in the 1910 census. Maine had the biggest slump, the production of 1919 being less than 40 per cent. of the 1909 figure. The figures of the New England states for 1909 and 1919 follow:

	1919.	1909.
Maine	14,291	38,964
New Hampshire	17,274	24,224
Vermont	10,360	20,763
Massachusetts	84,486	96,071
Rhode Island	10,713	17,501
Connecticut	57,162	41,322
Totals	194,286	233,845

The whole country shows an increase of more than 5,000,000 bushels, or nearly 61 per cent.

New Lavatory For Men

A new men's lavatory has just been completed at the court house and has been thrown open to the public. Joseph J. Fields, superintendent at the court house announces that the lavatory, which is on the police station floor, will be kept open day and night, for the convenience of the public. School children, however, will not be allowed to use it.

All new plumbing, new toilets of the modern type, and a tile floor have been installed. The walls of the room have been varnished and painted and the lavatory is now in first class shape.

Supt. Fields calls attention to the fact that there is a heavy penalty for defacing or marking any part of the room.

PARENTS ARE SEARCHING FOR HELEN STRANCOFSKI

Helen Strancofski, 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Strancofski of 8 Rock street, has been missing from her home since last Saturday morning and her parents have asked the police to locate her if possible and they are also desirous that anyone who may have seen the girl since then would let them know.

Helen left her home at 9 o'clock last Saturday morning to do an errand and since then her parents have been unable to get any trace of her. The only suggestion they have to make is that she may have accepted an invitation for a ride somewhere and they have hopes they may hear from someone who may have seen a girl of her description riding or walking somewhere.

When she left home she was wearing a white dress with blue stripes, a blue collar on her waist, black straw hat, tan stockings and low tan shoes. She is of medium size for her age.

REGISTRARS WILL DEMONSTRATE NORWICH VOTING MACHINES

Demonstrations of the voting machines are to be given at the city hall today (Wednesday), Thursday and Friday by the registrars of voters, Tyler D. Guy and Cornelius J. Downes. The registrars will show to voters who present themselves the simple process of voting by machine and will have one located for demonstration purposes on the main floor of the city hall. There will be no chance on election day for demonstration so that voters will need to avail themselves of these three days this week if they desire any instructions. There will be no demonstration in any of the other districts.

The hours for the demonstrations will be from 12.30 to 9 p. m.

VINEYARD WORKERS ELECT OFFICERS FOR SEASON

The Vineyard Workers of the Central Baptist church elected the following officers at a meeting held Monday evening in the lecture room at the church: President, Miss Alice M. Dean; vice presidents, Mrs. George A. Ashbey and Mrs. C. C. Gildersleeve; secretary, Mrs. H. H. Pettis; treasurer, Mrs. Gilbert S. Raymond.

Plans were discussed for the winter's work and it was voted to have a study class with Miss Alph Stevens as teacher. The meetings of the society are held twice a month at the church, with a social time to follow each meeting with three hostesses in charge. Those who served Monday night were Mrs. Arthur F. Wyman, Mrs. William R. McCord and Miss Bessie A. Grimes who furnished refreshments.

NEITHER DOG WARDEN NOR DEPUTIES IN ALLEGED CASE

Concerning the statement in Tuesday's Bulletin regarding the dog and the little boy on Franklin square Dog Warden Tuttle states that neither he nor any of his deputies were involved in any such affair, and know nothing about it.

The dog warden makes the suggestion that owners of dogs should call for the credentials of any person who undertakes to perform the duties of the warden or his deputies.

MONTVILLE CASE SETTLED BY MAN LEAVING TOWN

On conditions that he leave town immediately, the case against Emile Tillona of Uncasville, charged with breach of the peace, was nolled by Justice of the Peace William Smiddy of Montville Tuesday morning. Tillona carried out the contract of the court forthwith and went to Hartford to rejoin his wife, from whom he has been separated some time.

Tillona was arrested Saturday night, accused of threatening the life of Michael Burlake, proprietor of a grocery store in Uncasville. Tillona, who conducted a barber shop in a building owned by Burlake, went to Burlake's store Friday night, it is alleged, and, while under the influence of liquor, is said to have pointed a revolver at the latter as the result of some business disagreement.

Burlake switched off the lights and hid in the large icebox in the rear of the store and later Deputy Sheriff Michael J. Hickey was notified. He arrived in a few minutes and, according to Burlake's wishes, the Deputy sheriff remained on the premises, expecting that Tillona would soon return, which he did at 2 o'clock Saturday morning, when he was placed under arrest and a loaded .38 calibre revolver was taken away from him.

Tillona was locked up in the New London police station over night, being released on bonds Sunday.

BRAKEMAN WAS KILLED BY TRAIN AT MIDWAY

Herbert C. Jewett, 37 year of age, of 56 Mitchell street, Groton, a freight brakeman in the employ of the New Haven road, was run over and instantly killed by freight train No. 2 in the western end of the Midway yards shortly after 3 o'clock Monday afternoon, following the derailment of the train.

Jewett was standing on the gangway of the locomotive that was pulling the freight train, when the brake rigging on the engine dropped and caught in the switch point, causing the locomotive to jump the track. When the engine left the rails he either jumped or was thrown from the locomotive and knocked down and run over by the first of the string of freight cars, which also left the rails.

When fellow employes were able to remove the body from beneath the cars, Jewett was dead, and indications were that death was instantaneous. Medical Examiner Barnum of Groton was summoned and after viewing the body gave permission for its removal by an undertaker.

The deceased leaves a wife and four children.

NORWICH ROTARIANS GO TO POLAND SPRINGS CONVENTION

The Norwich Rotary club will be well represented at the Rotarian convention at Poland Springs, Me. Tuesday morning a party of 14 left Norwich for Poland Springs to attend the convention.

In the party are Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McNichols of Jewett City, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Saxten of Norwich Town, Dr. and Mrs. John S. Blackmar, Mr. and Mrs. George Ingalls, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gager, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vignot, Joseph C. Worth and Lucius Briggs. Mr. and Mrs. McNichol left by train for Boston and will make the trip from Boston in the Rotary special. Mr. Worth and Mr. Briggs motored to Boston and they will complete the trip from there on the Rotary special. The remainder of the party is making the entire trip by motor.

Teh convention will open this (Wednesday) noon and will run three days. The local party expects to arrive back in Norwich by Sunday. Mr. Worth and Mr. Briggs have entered the golf tournament being held in connection with the convention.

Rosh Hashanah, Jewish New Year

Beginning Sunday evening, October 2, and continuing until Monday evening at sunset, October 3, Jews, the world over, will observe their New Year. Among orthodox Jews, a second day will, in addition, be observed on Tuesday, October 4, as New Year.

The vast majority of Jews regard Ie New Year as one of the two most significant holy days in the Jewish calendar, ranking with the Day of Atonement, which occurs ten days later, as the most solemn in the Synagogue.

Unlike the secular New Year, Rosh Hashanah the Hebrew name by which this holy day is known among the Jews, is an occasion of spiritual stimulation and direction.

American Jews will observe the New Year by public worship, in Synagogue and Temple; and by exchange of greetings on the part of friends and relatives in the home. The intent of the day is to renew friendship and strengthen fellowship among those bound to one another by ties of love and mutual service.

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FAVORED LOCAL MEN TO DO NORWICH ASSESSING

When Dr. Lawson Purdy, the New York assessment and taxation expert, spoke here last week upon the methods of assessing property in New York in which a tax map and a land value map were two of the essentials for doing the work right, he touched upon what part of the work could be done by local men and what by outside help.

Dr. Purdy was emphatic in declaring that the actual work of assessment, the placing of values on the property for taxation purposes, should be done by Norwich men but the tax map could be prepared by outside help.

Ocean Beach Real Estate Sale

One of the largest real estate deals of the year at Ocean Beach was closed last week when Alderman Michael O'Connell purchased from B. A. Armstrong and Grace D. Brown a large amount of Ocean Beach property lying on Alewife Peninsular, Park, Highland and Stuart avenues. The sections of land acquired include 35 building lots on which Alderman O'Connell will at once proceed to erect a number of bungalows.

FINE OF $100 FOR DRIVER OF AUTOMOBILE

Willam Haymon, 37, of Sumer street, was presented before V. P. A. Quinn, J. P., in the Preston court Tuesday afternoon and fined $100 and costs on a charge of driving an automobile while under the influence of liquor which resulted in an automobile crash near Preston Plains Sunday evening when five persons were injured.

Joseph Carpenter, a grand juror of Preston appeared for the town and Attorney Charles Cassidy prosecuted the case. A demurrer was entered and was overruled by Justice Quinn. The accused was fined $100 and costs amounting to $19.45. An appeal was taken and bonds were provided. Hayman acted as his own lawyer.

BROKE ARM IN FALL DOWN CELLAR STAIRS

Mrs. Samuel Goldberg of 4 Harrison avenue had her left arm broken near the wrist in a fall down the cellar stairs at her home Tuesday. She was alone in the house at the time when she started to go into the cellar and in some way fell head first down the stairs. Besides breaking her arm she struck her throat in such a way that she could not talk for hours.

She was able to drag herself upstairs and attract the attention of her daughter who was outside the house and who summoned Mr. Goldberg and physicians to her mother's help.

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POETRY

SONG OF YOUTH

We are the little wavelets,
Rippling upon life's shore,
Molding the sands and pebbles,
Singing of ocean lore.

We play with the tints of rainbows,
Paint dreams on the shining stones,
And hear not the cry of the billows—
We sing when the deep sea moans.

We sparkle and dance in the sunbeams,
We skip o'er the golden bar,
And wonder which crystal bloom
Will shelter the Evening Star.

We feel not the brush of the sea-wind,
But far on the storm-tossed seas
We hear its ominous wailing,
"Shaping your destines."

And we know we are nearing the ocean,
And the bar will soon be past,
And the star that dwells in our waters
Will fade in our bosoms at last.

But oft in the great dark silence
There steals from the unknown deep
A voice that is tender and soothing
Lulling us off to sleep.

It murmurs, "Beyond the ocean,
There's another Golden Bar,
Where the waves are steadily rolling
To another Evening Star."

—E. K. in the Toronto Mail and Empire

THE TWO STREAMS

Behold the rocky wall
That down its sloping sides
Pours the swift raindrops, blending, as they fall
In rushing river tides!

Yon stream, whose sources run
Turned by a pebble's edge,
Is Athabasca, rolling toward the sun
Through the cleft mountain ledge.

The slender rill has strayed,
But for the slanting stone,
To evening's ocean, with the tangled braid
Of foam-flecked Oregon.

So from the heights of will
Life's parting stream descends,
And as a moment turns its slender rill
Each widening torrent bends—

From the same cradle's side,
From the same mother's knees—
One long darkness and the frozen tide,
One to the peaceful seas!

Oliver Wendell Holmes.

HUMOR OF THE DAY

"Necks keep coming down. Skirts keep getting shorter."

"Don't worry. They won't meet."—Louisville Journal Courier.

First Golfer—"How is your game, Cliff?"

Second Golfer—"Oh, I had to quit My niblick got overheated."—New York World.

"What do you do?"

"I follow the races."

"Follow?"

"Follow is the term. I never get ahead of them."—Washington Star.

Young Wife—"She is engaged to a floor walker."

Experienced Matron—"Well, if he is wise he wont do it nights, no matter how much the baby cries."—Somerville Journal.

Ted—Things are gradually getting back to normal.

Ned—There's no doubt of it. The waiters once more thank you for a quarter tip.—Life.

Judge—"You have been found guilty of petty larceny. What do you want 10 days or $10?"

Guilty Party—"I'll take the money." Denison Flamingo.

Marjorie—Why didn't you give Henry a hand when his car broke down, instead of hurrying by the way you did?

Mr. Gaff—Give him a hand? Good Lord, I sold him the car.—Judge.

She—Women may gossip sometimes but they have better control over their tongues than men have.

He—You are right. Men have no control whatever over women's tongues.—Boston Transcript.

"How can I get to be a good joke writer?"

"Just write."

"But how can I ever get to be a writer of good jokes?"

"Don't worry. Unless you're good you don't survive."—Louisville Courier Journal.

"Do you think politics makes a man broad minded?"

"Occasionally," answered Senator Sorghum. "Sometimes a rather limited mentality has to cover a large range of thought. The trouble is that the more it widens out the thinner it necessarily becomes."—Washington Star.

KALEIDOSCOPE

More than half of America's oyster crop is gathered from planted beds.

France's standing army actually consists of 40,580 officers and 840,700 men.

California leads the state in the number and variety of its mineral products.

Because of danger from aeriplanes naval arsenals in England are built underground.

The New South Wales labor government has opened its first state-owned butcher shop.

Since the beginning of the world war, it is estimated that 12,000,000 Russians have perished.

Probably the greatest poultry mart in the world is Petaluma, Cal., with an annual business of $25,000,000.

The largest trade union in Germany is the Metal Workers' Union, which has more than 1,000,000 members.

The output of asbestos in the province of Quebec last year amounted to 150,000 tons, valued at $10,000,000.

Great Britain was within ninety days of being starved at one period during the war, said the prime minister of Australia recently.

One London dealer manufactures and keeps cigars specially for certain distinguished men. They have their own brand named after them.

On the same principle as the device used in long distance telephony is a vacuum tube amplifier that has been designed to enable the deaf to hear.

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