

WILLIMANTIC

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What is Going On Tonight Willimantic Lodge, No. 1311, B. P. O. No. 10 meets at 8:15 Main street.

The regular meeting of the Willimantic Rotary club was held Tuesday noon, but owing to the fact that it is the holiday season and because merchants could not be long from their business the meeting adjourned shortly after 1 o'clock.

A special committee of three, Valentine L. Murphy, James B. Fullerton, and John P. Aherne was appointed to arrange for the concert to be given in February, the proceeds to go for the use of the boys' committee.

One of the club members spoke at some length of the plight of an ex-service man in this city who had served five enlistments in the army and one in the navy.

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During his term of service the man was a patient at a hospital suffering from a broken back, which government authorities claimed was sustained prior to his enlistment, although he was accepted for service. Since returning to this city the young man and his wife have exhausted their funds and have now been forced to vacate the home where they have resided for some time past.

The club appointed James B. Fullerton and Jeremiah B. Sullivan a committee to see that the ex-service man and his wife were given a proper Christmas and it is expected that aid will come from the state fund for disabled service men by Saturday of this week.

Secretary Charles W. Hill once more called the attention of the members to the meeting to be held at the Spring Hill church Monday evening to show the dependence of the farmer and city resident on each other to be discussed. A visitor at the meeting was Augustus Green of this city. The meeting closed with the singing of the Star Spangled Banner.

Joseph Leitch and Beulah Friedberg, giving their residence as New York, were before the police court Tuesday morning charged with transporting distilled liquor without a permit. Leitch pleaded guilty and Friedberg said he probably was as he was a member of the party. The men were taken in town by the police early Tuesday morning while passing through the city. Several cases of alcohol were found in the car. In court Leitch took the entire blame on his shoulders, stating that Friedberg did not know what the car contained. He said he bor-

rowed \$500 to buy the stuff and that if the court would be lenient he would quit the business. Both men held drivers' licenses and the car had Rhode Island markers. Leitch said he was the owner of the car and took Friedberg with him in case he bought two cars while in New York.

Judge Foss said that even though Friedberg might not be aware of the contents of the car, his presence in the car showed that he was connected in some way with the case. A fine of \$10 and costs, amounting to \$175 was imposed on Leitch, and one of \$50 and costs amounting to \$75 and costs were levied on Friedberg and word was sent to Providence, friends to come here and pay their fines and costs for their release.

Judge William M. Malbie will return to this city Friday, December 23rd at 11 o'clock to attend to short calendar matters that are ready to be disposed of such as uncontested divorce cases, foreclosures, and many other uncontested matters.

Chief of Police Daniel Killoury received notice Tuesday morning from John H. B. Stockell, state motor vehicle commissioner, that the operator's license of Edwin C. Ackley of No. 23 South Park street, Willimantic was suspended from December 16th. Ackley was arrested in Hartford on the 14th after his automobile had struck and killed a child on Marsh Court. Ackley was discharged in 30-day court next morning, as Prosecuting Attorney George H. Day stated that investigation had failed to show criminal negligence on the part of Ackley.

Thirteen marriages were recorded at the town clerk's office during November. Three of them were performed by Rev. J. J. Pappillon, pastor of St. Mary's church; three by Rev. A. D. Carpenter, pastor of St. Joseph's church; and one each by Rev. O. S. Beaumetier, curate of St. Joseph's church, Rev. H. S. McCreedy, pastor of the Congregational church; Rev. John Pearce, pastor of the Methodist church; Rev. Walter F. Booth, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church; and Rev. W. H. Bath of Norwich. The list follows:

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given by the senior class of Plainfield High school at Moosup Friday evening. The assessors of the town of Sterling met at Alvin Covey's several days last week, making out the abstract. Several from Ekonk grange attended Peabody grange meeting Thursday evening at Alvin Covey's several days last week and the conferring of the third and fourth degrees on a class of 23 by the degree team.

Mrs. Nettie Jerome and her son Lawrence and infant daughter Charlotte of Quaker Hill were week end visitors at the Stanton homestead. EAST WOODSTOCK Otto Pike, who has been studying forestry in the Adirondacks, is at home for a few weeks. Ray Eddy is ill with diphtheria. Louise Linderman is home from Connecticut college, New London, for the holiday recess. Mr. and Mrs. Eliot Clemence of Southbridge, spent Sunday with C. H. Potter and family Sunday.

E. J. Upham and family of West Newton, Mass., called on G. L. Upham and family Sunday. August Peterson celebrated his 59th birthday Friday and several of his Swedish friends came in for the evening. Saturday he left to spend two months with his daughter, Mrs. Eric Anderson. The Christmas tree exercises are to be held in the church Saturday. The young people here have been rehearsing a play to be given at that time. The men and boys of the team, 39 strong, met on Saturday to trim trees and clear up the common. They put in a good day's work and the women of the church under the direction of Mrs. E. A. Jordan, president of the society, served a fine dinner in the dining room of the Community house.

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SUGAR INTERESTS FEATURED HEARING ON TARIFF BILL Washington, Dec. 20.—American beet and Porto Rican cane sugar interests asked the senate finance committee today for a duty of two cents a pound on Cuban raw sugar, while Louisiana cane producers and manufacturers urged that the duty be made 2 1/2 cents a pound. The rate proposed in the Fordney bill is 1 1/2 cents a pound, an increase of six-tenths of one cent, over the Underwood law duty and the same rate as is now in force under the emergency tariff act.

Spokesmen for the American beet and cane interests, in concluding the presentation of their case, declared that their industries were threatened with destruction and would be forced to suspend if the present duty were continued. Louisiana producers charged that the American producers in Cuba were the American refiners who always had fought against a duty on Cuban sugar. They said that if the American industry closed down the refiners would be in a position to make big profits out of the American public.

Representatives of the beet sugar industry said the two cent duty asked for was necessary because of the difference in costs in the United States and Cuba. In a brief filed with the committee, Gray Silver, Washington representative of the American Farmers Federation, suggested that the maximum rate on sugar be given 1 1/2 cents a pound with authority given the president to increase this rate "if at any time it should become evident that American producers were losing ground to the detriment of the country."

TREATY EXCLUDES ISLANDS OF JAPANESE EMPIRE Washington, Dec. 20. (By the A. P.)—A difference in view as to the application of the new four-power Pacific treaty has arisen between President Harding and the American arms delegates, but the president announced in a public statement tonight that it would not be permitted to embarrass the committee of the Washington conference. In the president's personal opinion, as outlined during the day to newspaper correspondents, the principal islands of the Japanese empire are not to be regarded as included among the insular territories to which the treaty applies.

The American delegation on the other hand, agreed with the representatives of the other powers before the treaty was signed that the principal Japanese group were to be covered under the agreement along with all the other Pacific islands under the sovereignty of the United States, Great Britain, France and Japan. In his formal statement, issued after a two-hour conference with Senators Lodge and Underwood of the American delegation, the president said he had "no objection to the interpretation agreed to by this government's plenipotentiaries, but assumed that the spirit of the conference contemplated respect for territory in every way that would promote peace.

The president's original announcement of his views created a stir among the delegates of all the powers, and although none of them was willingly open to take issue with him, there were intimations that such an interpretation of the treaty was certain to be challenged eventually from several quarters. His later statement generally was accepted by the foreign representatives as having determined definitely the attitude of the American government. Baron Kato, head of the Japanese, was one of those who showed greatest interest in the president's attitude. A pledge of secrecy said the Japanese statesman, prevented him from divulging whether there had been an agreement as to the application of the treaty to the principal Japanese islands, and he added that "the meaning adopted at the time of signing might be changed in the future, so I can say nothing at this time."

In British quarters it was said that it was the British and Americans who took the lead in framing the treaty so as to apply to all the Japanese group, and that the Japanese for a time opposed the arrangement. Arthur J. Balfour, head of the British, was declared to have

been insistent on including the major Japanese islands if the British dominions of Australia, and New Zealand were taken in. Definition of the geographical scope of the treaty, as finally agreed to, is