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IN AND ABOUT THE COURTS

BEEHLER BOUND OVER BY JUDGE BRYANT.

Waived Examination on Charge of Assault With Intent to Kill—Bankruptcy Petition Passed on by Judge Townsend—Defective Fire Escape the Cause of \$3,000 Damage Suit—City Court.

In the United States court yesterday afternoon Judge Townsend passed on a number of bankruptcy petitions. In the case of B. F. Cannon of this city Judge Townsend ordered a continuance in order that the counsel for the petitioner might be informed that the referee's report was unfavorable. Cannon's creditors objected and Referee Newton made an unfavorable report to the United States court.

Judge Townsend also handed down a decision adjudging Horace B. Hunter a bankrupt. His creditors brought an involuntary action in bankruptcy against Hunter, which he contested. He now stands adjudged a bankrupt. Hunter is engaged in the undertaking business in Madison.

Discharges in bankruptcy were granted to the following petitioners: Heyman Weinek and Moses A. Ullman of this city, Charles P. Andrews of New Britain, Clarence B. Cook of New Britain and Nicholas Postrosky of Torrington.

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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Judge Elmer filed with the clerk of the superior court yesterday findings in three cases heard by him, and which have been appealed to the supreme court, which sits in Bridgeport the third Tuesday in April. The names of the cases are Hall vs. Aills, Nugent vs. the Fair Haven and Westville Railroad company, and Smith vs. the Security Insurance company.

Judge Roraback has also filed his finding in the case of the state vs. John A. McKee, and Judge Wheeler in the case of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad company vs. the Ansonia Land and Water Power company.

Judge Ralph Wheeler and jury in the civil side of the superior court will today resume the trial of the case of Anna Gallagher against William Butten, On December 5, 1898, while walking on a fire escape platform at her home on Olive street the plaintiff was severely injured. The platform gave way and she fell three stories. She asks for \$3,000 damages. C. S. Hamilton appears for the plaintiff and ex-Judge Blydenburgh for the defendant.

BEEHLER BOUND OVER.

John F. Beehler of Albert street, West Haven, was yesterday morning bound over to the next term of the superior court by Judge Bryant in the West Haven borough court, charged with assault with intent to murder.

Mr. Lum told briefly the story of the assault. He said he was called by a knock at his door a week ago Saturday night and found Beehler at the door. Without any warning Beehler, who appeared to be drunk, stabbed him. He ran back into the house, and Beehler fled.

L. Warner, a neighbor of Mr. Lum, told the court that a short time prior to the assault Beehler had been at his place and made threats against Lum. Mr. Warner said that Beehler was drunk then. He heard Mr. Lum's cries for help shortly afterward and when he went over to Mr. Lum's house he was informed that Beehler had stabbed Mr. Lum.

The accused was represented by Attorney Edwin S. Thomas of Lynon & Thomas. He waived examination. Judge Bryant declined to reduce the bonds, and in default of \$3,000 surety Beehler went back to jail.

BANKRUPTCY MATTERS.

Referee Newton yesterday morning recommended a discharge in bankruptcy in the case of Albert C. Peck of Seymour. The petitioner was formerly engaged in the grocery business in Stamford, but failed recently. When the petition was first presented several creditors expressed their objection to his discharge.

The examination of Abram M. Friedman, a petitioning bankrupt of this city, was concluded. Attorney Zacher, representing creditors, questioned Friedman concerning his assets. Arguments will be heard on the examination next Monday. The first meeting of the creditors of Charles F. Sawtelle of this city was held yesterday afternoon. He failed in business several years ago and seeks a discharge in bankruptcy.

Attorney A. D. Penney intended to make application in the Branford probate court to-day for letters of administration on the estate of Octave Turcott. Turcott and a companion went on a gunning expedition out from Short Beach three or four weeks ago and nothing has been heard of the party since. Their relatives believe they were drowned.

Mr. Penney yesterday received information that Mrs. Turcott is ill and in consequence the application for the administration will be postponed until the latter part of next week. Attorney Penney has been looking up the law on the subject and believes the law is clear that administration papers can be taken out. The estate would probably not be settled under a year, and by that time the body of Mr. Turcott might be found and the matter of his death fully established.

Morris Ziederman has settled the suit for fraud brought against him by Morris Hirsch, and has been released from the custody of Deputy Sheriff Beach. Ziederman was in business on Congress avenue several years ago and was attached by a creditor who later secured judgment against him.

CITY COURT CASES.

Hattie Goodman, proprietress of the London house on Wooster street, was fined \$100 for conducting a disreputable place.

Robert Smith was fined \$1 and costs for collecting and using money belonging to his former employer, a milk dealer named Lane, who lives in North Haven.

Tobias Siegel, George Miller and Samuel Hyman, the three boys each under ten years of age, arrested Saturday for the theft of a gold watch from a Yale student, had their cases continued to March 30.

Peter Deprez, the supposedly blind accordion player, who with his fourteen-year-old son Frank have been pursuing their avocation as street musicians and spending the proceeds of their appeals to public sympathy in debauch, had their cases for idleness and begging continued to March 27.

The case against Paul D. Loring for defrauding a restaurant keeper, was nolleed on payment of the costs of \$3.44.

John J. Coffey was sent to jail for sixty days as a common drunkard.

Thomas F. McCarthy had the breach of the peace case against his continued to July 2, nisi, to give him an opportunity of showing a disposition to behave himself in future.

Edward W. Swain was fined \$1 and costs for being drunk and \$10 for breach of the peace.

ANNOUNCED.

The Socialist labor party yesterday registered their town ticket in the town clerk's office. The nominations are as follows:

Town clerk—Timothy Sullivan.

Registrar of vital statistics—Faustin Serr.

Registrar of voters—George B. Arnold.

Grand jurors—Ernest T. Oatley, Joseph E. Stannard, Charles Sobey.

Selectmen—George Mansfield, Warren A. Bristol, Archie McDermid.

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REAL ESTATE RECORD.

The following deeds were filed for record in the town clerk's office yesterday:

Warranty deeds—Remus C. Loveridge, et al., to Annie T. Smith, et al., 28 feet on York street; Swedish Building corporation to Charles W. Linquist, 50 feet on Lombard street; Swedish Building corporation to Carlando Oronstad, 35 feet on View street; Swedish Building corporation to Carl Fredrik, 44 feet on Lombard street; Swedish Building corporation to Peter A. Peterson, 42 feet on Grace street; Swedish Building corporation to John Schwartz, 35 feet on View street; Swedish Building corporation to Andrae Johanson, 40 feet on James street; Swedish Building corporation to Emil Carlson, 40 feet on Lombard street; Swedish Building corporation to John Anderson, 44 feet on Fillmore street; Edward T. Ward to John A. Hauff, 100 feet on Thompson avenue.

Quit claim deeds—Julia L. O'Grady, et al., to Dennis E. Murphy, 35 feet on North street; Wolfgang Gauged to Christopher Mayer, 40 feet on Livingston street; Frank E. Morgan, et al., to E. Higgins Bishop, et al., trs.; Minnie Nushbaum to Louis H. Bristol, trs., thirty feet on Ferry street; Ebenezer Burr, et al., to Narcissa G. Loveridge, et al., 38 feet on York street; Max Strause to David Strause, 40 5-12 feet on St. John street; Security Insurance company to Benjamin Jepson, 105 feet on State street, corner Franklin street.

ANOTHER SMALLPOX SCARE.

Captain of a Barge Was Thought to be Ill With the Disease. Edgar Morris, captain of the canal boat Annie Brown, was found in the cabin of his boat yesterday ill and unable to get out of bed. He was almost totally blind. The boat has been here in port for about a week, and as he had not been seen by his acquaintances some of them thought it rather strange and went to the boat yesterday to look him up. Going upon the boat they found the cabin door tightly closed, but the window was open. A man named McGilvray, who was in the party, went to the window and saw the captain lying on the cot inside. He appeared to be ill, and in response to a call he feebly replied, warning his friends not to come in, but to send a doctor. The investigating party fearing that he had smallpox hastily withdrew and going to the Grand avenue police station reported the case to Captain Brewer, who in turn reported it to Superintendent Spier of the department of charities and correction. Dr. Phelps was sent to attend the man.

The physician found that he was almost totally blind, this evidently being due to another disease. Morris was taken to New Haven hospital, where it was said last night that it was thought that he would recover his eyesight. It was said there that he was not ill with smallpox, and that his condition was not very serious.

ANGELUS CONCERT.

Successful Event Given Yesterday Afternoon.

The sixth Angelus recital was given yesterday afternoon at the music parlors of the Gamble-Desmond company in the insurance building. The concert was one of the most successful yet given by Mr. Barker and the programme rendered was an excellent one. There were about 300 people in attendance.

The singing of Mr. Todd was very praiseworthy and his selections were all excellently given.

The following was the programme: L'Orange—Storm at Sea. Sydney Smith Angelus Orchestra.

Piano Solo—Thine Own. Lane.

Miss Schwab.

Baritone Solo—Tatters. Lane.

E. J. Todd.

Rhapsodie Hongroise No. 2. Liszt.

Angelus.

Two-step—Camplin' on de Ole Suwanee.

Miss Lilla Lichtenstein.

Tremolo Etude. Gottschalk.

Baritone Solo—Storm Flend. Roedel.

Mr. Todd.

Coon Song—Ma Tiger Lily. Sloane.

Miss Ruth Lichtenstein.

Two-step—A Night Off. Rosey.

Angelus.

Piano Solo—Polonaise No. 2. Chopin.

Miss Lilla Lichtenstein.

Coon Song—Louisiana Lize.

Miss Ruth Lichtenstein.

Zenda Waltzes. Wittmark.

Angelus.

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AT PLYMOUTH CHURCH.

A Concert To-morrow Evening. At Plymouth church to-morrow evening the church choir will give a concert, admission free. A collection will be taken, the proceeds to go toward the "church organ fund." The programme:

PART I.

Pianola Overture.

On the Move—March. Eben H. Bailey.

Plymouth Chorus.

Reading—Our New Church Organ. Will Carleton.

Mrs. E. M. Norton.

Solo—Out on the Deep. Lohr.

Master William McLane.

Pianola Selections.

Freedom, God and Right. F. Barnby.

Semi-chorus.

Drops of Rain. J. Lemmens.

Plymouth Chorus.

PART II.

Sweet May. F. Barnby.

Ladies' Sextette.

Duet—Nocturne. Chaminade.

Miss B. M. Raymond, S. G. Crabb.

The Millers' Wooing. Eaton Fanning.

Semi-chorus.

Pianola Selections.

Solo—Selected.

Walter E. Schneeloch.

Good Night, Thou Glorious Sun. H. Smart.

Plymouth Choir.

BECAME VIOLENTLY INSANE.

Essex, March 2.—Nils Svedin, the big Swede, aged thirty-five years, standing six feet and five inches in height, and weighing 275 pounds, who came to this country about two years ago and located in Essex and who for the past few months has been employed at the Essex Wood-Turning works, became suddenly insane on Friday. Leaving his boarding place on South street during the night, in his stocking feet, he went to the residence of Justice I. V. Horton, a distance of two and one-half miles, on the old Westbrook road, where he was formerly employed as a farm hand. Breaking into the house he frightened the inmates. After they found out who he was they cared for him until morning, when Deputy Sheriff James L. Pratt took him to Hadam jail. Svedin imagined that he was doing police duty, as he was on the police force for several years in Sweden before coming to this country. He will probably be taken to the insane asylum at Middletown this week, as he is very violent at times.

NEW HAVEN ORPHAN ASYLUM.

The monthly meeting of the managers of the New Haven orphan asylum will be held at the asylum, 610 Elm street, next Thursday morning at quarter after ten o'clock.

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DAUGHTERS OF ERIN.

An Important Meeting to be Held To-morrow Evening.

The Daughters of Erin, Auxiliary No. 12, A. O. H., will hold their regular meeting to-morrow evening in their hall in the insurance building, and every member is expected to be present, as important business will be transacted.

The committee having in charge the arrangements for the society's annual ball met last Thursday evening and made arrangements to have the tickets ready for distribution at the meeting to-morrow evening. This year the ball will surpass anything ever given by this popular organization. The committee has made arrangements to have the hall handsomely decorated by a New York decorator, and the Old Guard band, under the leadership of Professor Frederick Gullford, will furnish concert music. Professor Dunn will have charge of the dancing programme and an orchestra of sixteen pieces will furnish music for the dancers.

Miss Kittle Cunningham will be grand conductor, Mrs. John J. Hogan assistant grand conductor, Miss Annie Reynolds secretary, and they will be ably assisted by the president, Mrs. George Stanford, and about twenty-five members of the society, who are working hard to make the coming event a great success.

CIVIL ENGINEERS' MEETING.

Subject of Water Supply and Storage Will be Discussed.

The spring meeting of the Connecticut Civil Engineers' and Surveyors' association will be held in this city on Friday next. The session will be held in room 42, North Sheffield hall. The general topic for discussion will be "Water Supply and Storage." At 10:30 o'clock a regular business meeting will be held to hear the report of the committee on water supply and for other business. At 2:30 o'clock an address bearing on this general subject and illustrated by lantern slides will be given by Desmond Fitzgerald of Boston, past president of the American Society of Civil Engineers and of the New England Waterworks association, and engineer of the Suburban department of metropolitan water board.

The officers of the association are: President, Edwin D. Graves of Hartford; secretary, George K. Crandall of New London; local committee of arrangements, Herbert C. Kiehl, Professor Samuel E. Barney and H. J. Kellogg.

NOTABLE BRISTOL HOUSE BURN.

ED.

Bristol, March 26.—The old Peck homestead with all its contents was totally destroyed by fire late Saturday night. It was occupied by W. H. Bradley, the present owner. The loss will be about \$3,000.

The Peck homestead was one of the oldest houses in this section. It was built in 1777 by Seth Peck, one of the first settlers in the town of Farmington, and up to within ten years ago, has been occupied by his descendants.

In the house at the time of the fire was a highly prized antique secretary containing many valuable papers, a collection many valuable papers, a than a hundred years. This was destroyed.

DEMOCRATIC CITY CONVENTION.

Chairman Martin Summons it to Meet To-morrow Evening.

The formal call for the democratic city and town convention was issued by Town Chairman Martin yesterday. The convention will be held to-morrow evening at St. Aloysius hall. The convention will nominate candidates for town clerk, registrar of vital statistics, registrar of voters, selectmen, constables and grand jurors.

ANNUAL MEETING.

New Haven Chamber of Commerce to Meet To-morrow Evening.

The sixtieth annual meeting of the New Haven chamber of commerce will be held in the rooms of the organization in the new Moses building to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. The election of officers for the ensuing year will be held and other important business will come up for discussion.

Y. W. C. A.

Miss N. C. Alexander, who has successfully taught classes in millinery, both public and private, in New Haven, can be secured for the spring season at the Young Women's Christian association, opening the term on April 2. Those wishing to join should make immediate application at 568 Chapel street.

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HARTFORD PERSONALS.

Mrs. Morgan G. Bulkeley and her son, Morgan G. Bulkeley, Jr., will start Thursday for a visit to Mrs. Bulkeley's relatives in California. They will be gone about a month.