

PARK DAY PROVES FIZZLE AS NEW CANAAN TOWNSPEOPLE ARE BACKWARD IN GIVING SERVICES

NEW CANAAN, April 1.—(Special.) Plans for holding a "Park Day" were abandoned due to the apparent lack of interest on the part of the townfolk, who have been backward in offering their services along lines that had been laid down by those who had the matter close to heart. Nevertheless, the town and citizen who feels like helping this worthy cause can give the work a substantial boost by mailing in their subscriptions to the Park Board, which is desirous of raising the sum of \$1,000 for the town has come forward with a similar amount providing the subscriptions total at least a thousand dollars. The park will be given a thorough clean-up early this spring and when enough money has been raised the contracts for the ball field and grounds will be given out to the local firm.

The Woman's League of the Congregational church will hold an all-day meeting on Wednesday, April 11, for the study of the Home Mission book, "Of One Blood," Mrs. W. C. Wood will preside. The program will begin at 11 a. m. and 2 p. m. Luncheon will be served at 1 o'clock. Friends of the league will also be invited.

Want New Flag

The selectmen of the town have been broadcasting for a new flag for the town hall flag pole. The one now used is all tattered and torn and is a disgrace to the village. The selectmen have made known the size flag wanted—a 10x15-foot one. Any patriotic citizen willing to donate such a flag will be doing a charitable act for the town.

Ex-Senator Hanford S. Weed became overheated in his discussion of the Consolidation Charter at the special town meeting in The Town hall, Monday evening and was very enthusiastic in his declarations to Stanley P. Mead, one of the members of the special committee that drew up the charter. The meeting was attended by 600 citizens and of these 474 votes on the question as presented the charter to be next

General Assembly for approval. The much touted red fire and noise was lacking but for Senator Weed who was dead against the consolidation charter and did not care who knew it. Several of the prominent voters of the town talked on the subject and the feeling was about divided as to the proposed consolidation. The vote totaled 474 with 225 in favor and 225 voting no.

Easter Musicale.
A Community Easter musicale will be held at the New Canaan playhouse on Sunday April 12, under the direction and supervision of Ber-

tha I. Mead. The choir will be composed of 50 voices, all local talents and the program will contain several numbers of special interest to music lovers. The musicale will open with a prayer by Rev. Charles L. Adams of St. Marks Church. "Open the Gates of the Temple" (chorus) will be the first number, by Mrs. Joseph F. Knapp. There will be 12 numbers in the program con-

sisting of choruses and solos. The audience will join in the singing of "Abide with Me," and "Stand Up for Jesus." This musicale is the first ever attempted by New Canaan musicians and the enthusiastic rehearsals held weekly prove that the event will be one of vast interest to all concerned in the townfolk. Miss

Mrs. B. S. Woundy is a talented organist and leader, having held responsible positions in western cities and New York. At the present time she is associated with the Playhouse as organist.

The funeral of Mrs. B. S. Woundy, who died at her home in Florida on Friday, was held from the home of her son, I. B. Woundy, this town, Monday afternoon, with interment in Lakeview cemetery. She is survived by a husband and five children. I. B. Woundy of this town, Mallico Woundy of Norfolk,

It was decided at a meeting of the Playhouse officials to ask the borough board will take in the matter on the question of Sunday mo-

The choir of the Methodist church is rehearsing for a special cantata to be rendered on Easter Sunday.

William A. Smallhorn, has been confined to his home in South avenue the past week with the grip.

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