

GOL. CALLAHAN IS OUT.

RESIGNATION PRESENTED AND ACCEPTED WITHOUT A MURMUR.

The Colonel Asked for Time and It Was Refused - An Expression of Opinion by a Local Military Man - Trouble Brewing in the Second.

One of the most astonishing announcements that has stirred the Connecticut National Guard for some time says the New Haven Palladium, was that of the resignation of Colonel T. F. Callahan, of the Second regiment, which was received by the Palladium yesterday afternoon.

The dispatch read as follows: "Hartford, Conn., Nov. 20. - In special orders from the office of the adjutant-general, the resignation of Timothy F. Callahan, Second regiment, C. N. G., is announced, as also the acceptance of the resignation and the honorable discharge of Colonel Callahan from the military service of the state, to date from November 19, 1900."

Colonel Callahan was called up and asked if the dispatch was correct. "I will not talk," was his answer, emphatically repeated to several questions.

Adjutant-General Louis N. Van Keuren was called up in Waterbury last night and the following is his interview with the Palladium:

"What does this dispatch mean, General?" the reporter asked.

"Why, Colonel Callahan has simply resigned, that's all."

"Well, is that not a little unusual?"

"No, there are men resigning every day."

"Yes, but you don't get a colonel's resignation every day. Is there no explanation to that?"

"No, I have no explanation to give. If there was any Colonel Callahan is the man to get it from."

"He refuses to talk about the matter. That is why we call on you."

"Well, I have nothing to say except that I received and accepted his resignation and he was discharged to-day."

"What were his reasons for resigning?"

"Oh, the usual military reason of press of business and lack of time to look after the military work."

"Is not such an affair somewhat unusual?"

"Well, he had good reasons for resigning, press of business."

General Van Keuren would say nothing more definite but throughout the interview it was apparent that he was holding back something concerning the resignation, which he knew, but would not admit.

Further inquiry by the Palladium resulted in discovering the immediate cause of Colonel Callahan's action. He had been informed that the examination of the officers of the Second regiment would be held on November 19 and 20. It happened that the amount of work in the office where he is an assessor has been unusually large for the past two years and Colonel Callahan's presence every day was required and his absence for even half a day could not be allowed. On that account he made application several days ago to be excused from the examination for some time. General Van Keuren refused the request. Colonel Callahan tendered his resignation. It was accepted by the adjutant-general a few hours after it was received and an honorable discharge was procured as quickly as possible.

An intimate friend of Colonel Callahan's, a prominent military man, corroborated what the Palladium had already learned and commented on the case as follows:

"The colonel applied to Gen Van Keuren to be excused from the examination until he had finished the work in the assessor's office. That is a reasonable request and should be reasonably granted by headquarters. Instead it was positively refused."

"As soon as the colonel received the news that his request was denied he tendered his resignation. That was tendered in the latter part of last week on Friday, I think."

"The adjutant-general's office ought to be roasted severely. There is no reason why it shouldn't honor such a request from such an officer. It was the height of discourtesy for General Van Keuren to refuse such a reasonable request. However, it is in line with all of General Van Keuren's acts toward Colonel Callahan. He was very anxious to get rid of Colonel Callahan and so stated. Now he is rid of him."

"Before he was elected colonel military men here and elsewhere in the state knew that Van Keuren did not appreciate Colonel Callahan. In the Bradley court-martial the animus of headquarters towards Colonel Callahan was shown."

"It is simply another instance of the policy of the present headquarters, a policy which if continued would disintegrate the entire brigade. It is another sample of petty treatment of regimental commanders on the part of General Van Keuren."

"The eagerness with which the resignation was accepted, the undue haste in the matter is evidence of General Van Keuren's desire to get Colonel Callahan out of the way. Why the resignation was only tendered in the latter part of the week. It was first sent to Brigadier-General Frost for approval or disapproval. Then it was sent to General Van Keuren. He hastened to accept it and this afternoon General Frost received a letter at the armory by special delivery, in which it was stated that Colonel Callahan was discharged. It is one of the most hasty actions in the history of the Guard."

Colonel Callahan has been in the command of the Second regiment hard by a year. The most important period of his administration was during the famous Bradley trial, a few months ago. Captain Oscar L. Bradley of Meriden was charged with drunkenness and conduct unbecoming an officer of the Guard in Camp Lonsbury. The case laid bare a number of incidents which detracted more or less from the popularity of the C. N. G., and did not show up camp life in a very perfect light. Camp Van Keuren, in which Colonel Callahan commanded the Second regiment, was conducted in a much more dignified and refined manner.

CITY NEWS.

There will be a meeting of the members of the Derwin, Mandolin, Banjo and Guitar orchestra to-morrow evening at 8:20 in the Friendly league assembly hall.

M. Gavegan, agent for the Pilot, is in town calling upon subscribers to that excellent family paper, and is meeting with a cordial reception in all parts of the town.

Leon H. Bachand died yesterday at his home in Collinsville. He was a member of Uncas council, K. of C., of Unionville. A brother, Ulric Bachand, resides in this city.

John, the 3-year-old son of Mr and Mrs John Bergin of Hickory street, died this morning of scarlet fever. The funeral took place this afternoon, with interment in St Joseph's cemetery.

List of letter remaining unclaimed in the post office: Miss Ellen Dalley, Miss Margaret Flynn, John Gerger, Homer N. Hollister, Willis Hamilton, Mrs Eleanor Hallenbeck, Miss Della Knight, W. J. Reynolds, Miss Bertha C. Phillips.

America lodge, No 44, A. O. U. W., will entertain the members and their lady friends to-morrow night in their hall on East Main street. After the business meeting a stage entertainment will follow, also vocal and instrumental music, concluding with a sociable.

The case of Evans against Horton, which began in the superior court Wednesday afternoon of last week, appears to be "closed" for the rest of this week. This necessarily keeps back the case of the Parsons bank and the public is thereby gravely disappointed, for hundreds inquire every day if it has begun yet.

The Rev Hubert Dahme of Bridgeport will preach at St Cecilia's church to-night. The devotion which has been held in honor of St Cecilia, patroness of the church, will close to-morrow evening, with a reception of the Children of Mary and Holy Angels societies and selections from the cantata, St Cecilia's Day, by the choir.

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Edward McManus is in a quandary to know what to do regarding boarding houses for his men at the Branch, and is of the opinion that unless he has better luck in this respect next week that he has had so far, he will be obliged to build a large house there himself. All the houses on the property were destroyed by fire last summer, so that there is no place for the men to stop over night now, except at the farmers' houses, and some of them do not care about boarders, and others have little or no accommodation for any one outside of the members of their own families. The city has been talking about purchasing additional land there, which has three or four houses on it, but whether they have done so or not is a question. If the city should decide to buy the property referred to that would settle all the trouble about house room and would facilitate things wonderfully. Mr McManus and his men during the winter. It is said that Mr K. Gray is thinking of converting his place here to a hotel for the next couple of years and if he does this there is no reason why the venture should not pay. His house is located just right to accommodate workmen at the big dam, all of whom, no doubt, would stop with him if he had suitable apartments for them.

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Waterbury, Nov. 20, 1900.

From the complaint of James E. Ludlow praying for reasons herein set forth, for a decree, returnable on the first Tuesday of December, before the Superior Court to be held at Waterbury, in and for New Haven county, it appearing that the said defendant, by publishing this order in the Waterbury Evening Democrat, a newspaper printed in said Waterbury, three days successively, commencing on or before the 17th day of November, 1900, and by depositing a true and attested copy of said complaint, citation and of this order of notice in the post office at Waterbury in said county, postage paid, by registered letter, directed to said defendant, in care of Mrs. Emma Holmes, No 4 Graves Avenue, Northampton, Mass., on or before the 17th day of November, 1900, by some proper officer of said court, and by the publication of this order in said district.

By James J. Marsh, Assistant Clerk of the Superior Court of New Haven county.

The foregoing is a true and attested copy of the original order of notice.

Attest, Frank J. Rametti, Deputy Sheriff.

DISTRICT OF WATERBURY, SS. Probate Court, Nov. 21st, 1900.

Esther of Elizabeth E. Farmer, late of Waterbury, in said District deceased.

From the application of James E. Farmer of Hartford, praying that letters of administration may be granted on said estate as per application on the more fully appears.

Ordered that said application be heard and determined at the Probate Office in Waterbury in said district on the 24th day of November, 1900, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon and that notice be given of the pendency of said application and the time and place of hearing thereon, by publishing the same one time in some newspaper having a circulation in said district.

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