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Norfolk Volunteer Fire Department Entertains Notable Fire Fighters

NORFOLK FIRE FIGHTERS TURN OUT IN HONOR OF DR. ARCHER—*Above and right*—The Norfolk Volunteer Fire Department, headed by the Union Hardware Band of Torrington, parade through Norfolk streets Saturday afternoon, September 19, in honor of Dr. Harry M. Archer, honorary medical officer of the New York Fire Department and famous amateur expert on modern fire fighting. Dr. Archer, whose work in rescuing injured persons at New York fires for the past 30 years has brought him national reputation and many citations for valor, was the guest on this date of the Norfolk Fire department and of Dr. F. S. Dennis, noted surgeon of New York and Norfolk, to whose efforts Norfolk owes largely its present modern fire department. Courant Photos

IN DEMONSTRATION STAGED FOLLOWING PARADE, the picked crew of the fire department had water at the nozzle of their hose in 43 seconds from a standing start, considered remarkably rapid time in view of the length of the run. Water was pumped from a nearby brook. Courant Photos

NORFOLK HOSTS AND NOTED GUESTS—*L-R*: Dr. F. S. Dennis of Norfolk, Deputy Chief John T. Waldron of the New York Fire Dept., Dr. Harry M. Archer, honorary medical office of the New York Fire Dept., and Fire Chief J. H. Griffin of Norfolk. Courant Photos

THE NORFOLK VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT WITH DR. DENNIS AND GUESTS OF HONOR ON THIS NOTABLE OCCASION. The department staged a splendid program, including the fine parade and the exhibition drill, which Dr. Archer in his address in the evening praised warmly. Courant Photos

THE COLOR GUARD, a picturesque feature of the parade, marched behind the band and in front of cars carrying hosts and guests. *L-R*: J. E. Movic, Albert Watrous, I. J. Prunier and Maurice Dutcher, World War veterans. Courant Photos

Right—MR. AND MRS. BENJAMIN RAFFAELLY, with attendants at their wedding at Augustine's Church, September 7. Mrs. Raffaelly is the former Miss Ida M. Coia, daughter of Mrs. Nicholas Coia of Campfield Avenue. After November 1, Mr. and Mrs. Raffaelly will be at home in Franklin, New Hampshire. Brown Studio

NORFOLK FIRE FIGHTERS GETTING INTO ACTION—Demonstration of pumping truck and crew in exhibition drill on September 19. Courant Photos

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