

**"The White-Winged Messenger of Peace."**

"Behold, how good and pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity." Editor Chase, of the Washington Bee, publishes the cut and attends a banquet in honor of Editor Cooper, of the Colored American one week; and Editor Cooper publishes the cut and attends a banquet in honor of Editor Chase the next week. This is as it should be. There is no reason why colored editors who happen to be publishers of newspapers in the same city should be eternally at war with each other. A good natured rivalry will only bring out all that is best in each of them; and there should be no heart burnings or jealousies created by the superior success which must come to one. Whether we want to or not, events are so shaping themselves that "we must all hang together or hang separately."—Odd Fellows' Journal.

Messrs. Daniel Murray and Rev. Francis J. Grimke Named.

Editor Colored American:—There seems to be at this writing, (April 16,) but little doubt of the passage of the Senate Amendment to the District Appropriation bill making a change in the school management. I suppose the woods are full of contingent candidates, but living a somewhat retired life, I am not well posted and your columns have not enlightened me. It seems to me that Daniel Murray, Esq. and Rev. Francis J. Grimke would very ably represent us on such a board as is projected. If any one else has a better ticket let them put it up. I am, a very much

INTERESTED PARENT.  
Washington, D. C.

**Woman's League Benefit.**

An entertainment will be given by the Woman's League for the benefit of the Day Nursery, at Carroll Hall, G street, between 9th and 10th streets, northwest, on Wednesday evening, May 16, 1900. Music by the Mandolin Club and Hoffman's Orchestra. Dancing at 9.30. Admission 25 cents. Refreshments at city prices. Committee: Dr. Lucy E. Moten, Chairman; Mrs. Charles R. Douglass, Mrs. M. E. Tucker, Mrs. L. Richardsen, Mrs. J. A. Purnell, Miss A. E. Tighman, and Miss M. P. Shadd.

Says the New York Independent: "T. Thomas Fortune is one of the 'Afro-Americans,' to use his own cumbersome designation, who were very critical of President McKinley previously to his last Message. Now he appears to favor him, and says it is not generally known how handsomely he has treated Negroes in appointments to office. There are, he says, on the authority of the Register of the Treasury, 18,267 in public service, 8,250 in the army and navy, of whom 186 are officers. The President has nominated 237 Negroes, of whom 2 are Collectors of Internal Revenue, 8 Collectors of Customs, 1 Register of a Land Office, 1 Surveyor-General, 2 Ministers to foreign countries, 9 Consuls, 16 postmasters, the Register of the Treasury, and others.

**To Help the Council.**

Success crowned the efforts last evening of the committee of energetic and race-loving young ladies who gave an entertainment in aid of the Afro-American Council. The music was excellent and the refreshments and social

features were of the most enjoyable character. The affair took place at the home of Miss Louise Morris, 1137 C street, northwest. Those in charge were Mrs. M. E. Martin, Misses Louise Morris, Mattie L. Crawford, Lillian Boles and Jennie Morris.

A Joint May Feast will be given under the direction of several Households of Ruth and Juveniles from May 8th to May 22nd, the 16th omitted. These entertainments and fair will be held at Odd Fellows' Hall on M street and the admission price is only ten cents. A most interesting program has been arranged for each evening.

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Dr. Furman J. Shadd, one of our most public spirited citizens is prominently mentioned in connection with a place on the proposed new Board of Education. We hope the genial and accomplished doctor will be among the chosen.

Rev. P. W. Wortham, the popular pastor of St. Paul's A. M. E. Church, southwest, left for conference last Tuesday. His work has been so successful at St. Paul that the members are anxious to have him returned. Dr. Wortham is a scholarly and earnest Christian gentleman.

The After Lenten Masked Ball of the Smart Social Set last Tuesday night was one of the most thoroughly enjoyable functions the city has ever known. Some of the participants were whirled to and from the hall in automobiles.

Mr. W. C. Payne, of the Naval Observatory, an author and orator of note, is prominently mentioned in connection with the presidency of the District Afro-American Council. He would make a good one.

Mrs. Sallie Wells Cuffy, of Portsmouth, Va., is now spending a couple of weeks in this city with her father; Mr. Richard Wells, 1633 O street, northwest.

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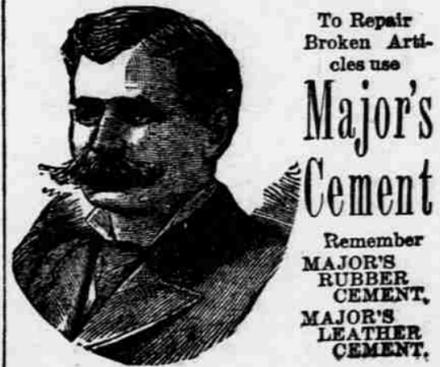


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