

SCHOOL FOR NATION

Barrett Suggests Interesting States in G. W. U.

WOULD SEE CAPITAL SERIOUS

Foreign Students and Statesmen, He Says, Wonder Why United States Has No National University—Believes Many Foreigners Would Attend Such an Institution.

Make of Washington a city of serious purpose, dissipating the general idea that it is a gay capital, in which the pursuit of pleasure is the uppermost thought of its inhabitants.

This is the plea made by John Barrett, director of the International Bureau of American Republics. In an interview yesterday, Mr. Barrett declared that he could best be brought about by the foundation here of a great national educational institution, and he endorsed heartily the aspirations of George Washington University.

Foreign Students Express Surprise.

Mr. Barrett, while a diplomatic representative in South America, met with many expressions of wonderment over the failure of the United States government to establish an institution of learning that could be regarded as typically American.

It is remarkable, in view of the present movement to promote the interests of George Washington University, that everywhere in foreign lands I have heard surprise expressed that there was no great national university in the Capital of the United States.

Many Foreigners Would Attend.

"Again in China I heard more than once men who stood for the highest thought in Asia express profound astonishment that our National Capital did not have in its limits a great national institution of learning which would invite graduates students from all over the earth.

Suggests National Subscription.

"In conclusion, therefore, I have to suggest that we should effect a national organization for the purpose of securing subscriptions in every State of the Union for the endowment of the George Washington University.

NOT FIRST CHICAGOAN.

Gen. MacNeil's Daughter Born There Before Mrs. W. W. Gordon. Editor The Washington Herald: With no desire to deprive Mrs. W. W. Gordon of the distinction of being the first white girl born in Chicago, Ill., but merely for the sake of accuracy, I wish to call your attention to the fact that while Gen. MacNeil was stationed at Fort Dearborn his daughter Fannie was born, thus making her the first white girl born in the settlement.

Redemption of 4 Percents.

Four per cent bonds to the value of \$11,284,056 have been redeemed under the Treasury. The new plan of permitting redemption at arbitrary rates, and is hoped that the total amount of \$25,000,000, as fixed by the Secretary, may be offered within the next thirty days.

KANN STORE'S SILK SALE.

Yard Goods Expected to Prove Attraction to To-morrow's Shoppers. S. Kann, Sons & Co. have arranged some strong attractions for to-morrow which will draw mothers and relatives toward their store as the attraction of egg rolling draws the children toward the White House lot.

OLD TIMER IS GONE

Augustus DeGrummond Was Picturesque Character.

met many ups and downs Known as "Public Well Digger" in the Days of the Shepherd Regime. Noted as a Pumpmaker Then—Won \$15,000 in a Louisiana Lottery Drawing at an Opportune Moment.

GREER DOUBTS TROOPS' GUILT

Lieutenant Takes Stand in Brownsville Inquiry.

Declares That on Night of Shooting Negroes Could Not Be Distinguished from White Men.

Fourth of July Victim.

One of the misfortunes which overtook Mr. DeGrummond, some fifteen years ago, happened on the Fourth of July. Several little boys and girls were shooting off fireworks near his home, and while sitting in his yard watching them and sharing their sport, he pretended to fall asleep in his chair.

He Draws \$15,000.

After "hooking it" into Norfolk, he got hold of a daily paper, and in looking over the drawings of the lottery for that day it was discovered that Mr. DeGrummond's ticket had drawn \$15,000. From friends in Norfolk he is said to have borrowed sufficient to pay his expenses to New Orleans, went there and collected the premium in person, while his friends were waiting at a hotel in Norfolk.

MT. SIDE CATTERY EXCLUDED.

Fountain Head of Angora Felinae Barred from Malls.

The Mount Side Cattery, an institution doing business in Waterville, Me., that guaranteed to supply Angora cats, with kittens and small cats, at \$3 per head, and fine silky Japanese spaniels at the same price, has been denied the use of the malls by order of Postmaster General Meyer.

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SUNDAY MORNING CHAT

THE BIRTHDAY OF DR. EDWARD EVERETT HALE—A STORY OF SENATOR HOAR—BAD RUM AND BIGOTRY.

On the 31 of April the Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale will celebrate his eighty-first birthday, and all Washington will unite in wishing him the days to come, and give him earnest, loving thanks for the intellectual and spiritual treats with which he has favored us as he has come and gone from time to time. The friendly relations between Dr. Hale and Washington began when he was only twenty-three years old. In his charming "Memories of a Hundred Years" he tells of his first visit here, and his account of it proves that the strange gracious spirit was his in youth that so pre-eminently belongs to him to-day. He says: "The matchless hospitality of Washington asserted itself then, when Washington was a hill of Virginia, and in a mudhole, as it does now when Washington is one of the finest cities in the world."

BEVERIDGE HAS HOPES.

Senator Beveridge expects to pass his child-labor bill next winter. Senator Beveridge expects to pass his child-labor law, before the middle of the next session of Congress. This was the purport of a letter sent by him to J. L. Feeney, of the legislative committee of the local Central Labor Union, several days ago. The letter was also one of congratulation on Mr. Feeney's report of his work before Congress as printed in the local Trades Unionist. In his report Mr. Feeney invited a serious and earnest effort to Washington ever since that time, and he now has an especial right to claim him as our very own.

DELTA CHIS MEET TO-MORROW

Annual Convention of Fraternity Will Be Held in Washington.

Georgetown Chapter Makes Elaborate Preparations for Entertainment of the Delegates.

Combining pleasure with business, the annual convention of the Delta Chi Fraternity will begin in Washington to-morrow.

The meeting will last three days and will be brought to a close Wednesday evening with a banquet at the Raleigh Hotel. Vice President Fairbanks, Secretary Cortelyou, District Attorney Baker, and the Cuban Minister are among the prominent Delta Chis of the National Capital. The Delta Chi house, at 2223 N. street, is the largest chapter house maintained by a Greek letter fraternity in Washington.

DAILY COURT RECORD.

DISTRICT COURTS.

Equity Suit. No. 2081, Sarah A. Griffin vs. Matilda Brown and John N. MacPherson, injunction. Complainant's solicitor, Archibald King.

Court of Appeals.

Assignments for Tuesday, April 2, 1907. Special calendar—No. 1. Story vs. Story, Appellant's attorney, S. K. Keady-Smith.

Equity Court No. 1.

Equity Court No. 2.

JUSTICE GOULD.

Griffin vs. Dawson; temporary injunction, returnable April 2. Complainant's solicitor, Archibald King.

Circuit Court No. 1.

Circuit Court No. 2.

JUSTICE ANDERSON.

Assignments for Monday, April 1, 1907. No. 519, Fletcher vs. Anacostia and Potomac Railroad Company, Attorney, H. T. Doyne, J. J. Derhagen.

Criminal Court No. 1.

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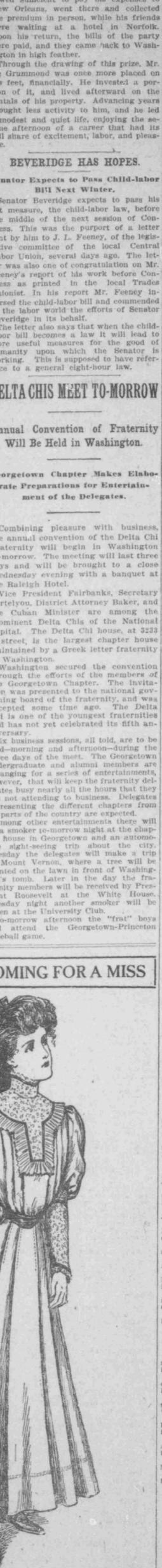
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