



SOCIETY

University Heights, to Mr. Felix Garzilia, will take place next Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Sacred Heart Church, Fourteenth street and Park road, Washington. Dr. Meeks will perform the ceremony. Mrs. Garzilia will be at home, 1230 Quincy street, after April 23.

Miss Tessie Henry, of Washington, visited her friend, Miss Beattie Clarke, of University Heights, last Thursday and Friday.

Dr. Babbitt and wife, of Marion, Md., recently visited the home of Col. Lewis, of Twelfth street.

Mrs. Siltzman and children, who have been visiting in St. Louis for a number of months, returned to their home, on Monroe street, last week.

Mr. Plummer, of Newton street, who occupied the Lord house, adjacent to the Baptist church, has moved into the city.

Dr. Townner, who recently occupied the house donated by Mr. Lord for the Baptist church parsonage, has moved into his newly acquired home on Monroe street, just above Twelfth.

Mrs. Judson Hurd and Mr. Clarence Hurd and wife and little child returned last week to their home, on Newton street, after a lengthy visit with Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Hurd, of the Isle of Pines.

Mr. Clarence Hurd recently returned home to spend a short vacation with his parents on Newton street. Mr. Hurd has been employed for the last two years by the government of Peru.

Mr. W. B. Wesson, of the Johns Hopkins University, who recently visited Hiram and Leo Gallagher, has returned to Baltimore.

Mr. G. L. Clayton, who has secured a lease on the Stewart place, West Brookland, for a number of years, will use it as a government agricultural experimental station.

Wednesday evening the Phony Phelows' gave a minstrel show in the town hall. Attracted by their former entertainments, an unusually large crowd taxed the capacity of the hall. The "end men" and the "interlocutor" were the main attractions. They furnished the merriment of the evening, and cracked numerous jokes at the expense of the university students, their village, and other local questions. The end men in the minstrel were Messrs. Fred Tansil, Frank M. Hugh, Matthew G. Lepley, and David Westlake; interlocutor, D. E. Connell. Others who participated were Messrs. Ed. Hight, Joseph Marsden, Charles W. Hanna, J. J. Higgins, Joseph Noel, Ralph R. Malster, E. McDonald, Paul Hines, Pete Becker, and A. A. Carpenter. The accompanists were: Violin, Martin McHugh; piano, Walter B. Miller. The local talent displayed was a credit to Brookland.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Roebing have returned from California.

Mr. and Mrs. Dye, who recently occupied the Saltzman house on Monroe street, have moved to Seventeenth street and Brentwood road.

Miss May Henry, of Washington, has been the guest of Miss Berardine Woodward, of Monroe street, for several days.

The twin marriage of Miss Corinne Gove to Mr. Harry Criss and Miss Helen Gove to Mr. Edward Barnes took place last Wednesday at the home of the brides' mother.

Messrs. Charles Potter and Hugh Higgins, of Brookland, were recently appointed to government positions.

Miss Mamie Clarke, of University Heights, suffering from a slight attack of the grippe.

Mr. Paul Holland recently returned home.

Messrs. Charles Horner and Stanley Dyer, who spent their Easter holidays at their homes in Brookland, have returned to the University of Virginia.

Mrs. Criss and daughter, of Bethlehem, Pa., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gove, of Newton street.

A number of new members were initiated at the last meeting of the Brookland chapter of the Eastern Star, held at the town hall, last week. The entertainment committee made a good report.

At a recent meeting of the Brookland Athletic Club, the possibilities of a good representative baseball team were discussed. The following presented themselves as candidates for the team: Gus Tolson, W. Middleton, W. Sargeant, L. Shipley, B. Sargeant, J. Rodder, P. Watt, Jim Sullivan, A. Maroon, Paul Julien, Fred Tansil, Charles Horner, John Sullivan, and Louis Crook. Mr. A. D. V. Burr was elected manager, and Mr. Harwood, elected assistant. An invitation is promised the Brookland baseball enthusiasts to turn out a blue-ribbon nine. A purse will be subscribed for the team management.

ROCKVILLE NOTES.

The annual Easter ball of the Rockville Assembly was held in the opera house Tuesday evening. The committee or arrangements was composed of Messrs. Wilson S. Ward, Stewart B. Campbell, and John Anderson. The chaperones were Mrs. Richard H. Stokes, Mrs. William Dorsey, George Altmir, Robert G. Hilton, J. Alby Henderson, Eddie Green, Somerville and

Eddie Dawson, Stewart Campbell, Wilson Ward, Landon Hillard, William Preddy, Julian Whiting, Roy Warren, Abbott Beard, Stephen Guigley, Russell Brewer, John Brewer, Charles Jones, Lee Kemp, and Miss Florence Veirs, of Rockville.

The Rockville Woman's Club held its regular bi-weekly meeting Thursday afternoon. The programme rendered included responses from "The Last Days of Pompeii," a paper on "The Perfection of Greek Art," by Mrs. Otto Talbot; a paper on "The Woman's Club Movement," by Miss Anna M. Ferghat, and an interesting round table on "Maryland History," which was in charge of Miss Sophia C. Higgins. Mrs. Harry A. Dawson sang a solo.

The Mission Guild of Christ Episcopal Church, Friday evening, gave a colonial reception at the home of Mr. John L. Dawson. It was under the direction of the young ladies of the church.

Miss LeClair Bosley, of Baltimore, is the guest of the Misses Dawson here.

Miss Bessie Green has as her guest Miss Kathleen Thomas, of Roanoke, Va.

Miss Margaret Moore, of Berryville, Va., is spending a few days with friends in Rockville.

Miss Maud Stalnaker, of West Virginia, is visiting Miss Rose Armstrong at this place.

Mr. Samuel L. Phillips has returned to his home near Rockville, after spending the winter in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren R. Choate are occupying their Rockville home after spending several months in Washington.

Mr. Charles Norman Bouie, who has been ill for the past two weeks of a rheumatic affection, is said to be improving slowly.

Mr. William W. Welsh, who recently underwent an operation in a Washington hospital, has returned to his home and is slowly regaining his strength.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Gleason and children, of this place, are spending a few days with friends in Washington.

ALEXANDRIA.

Judge and Mrs. Louis Barley have returned from Old Point Comfort, where they spent Easter.

Mrs. Marshall McDonald has returned from a ten-day visit to relatives in Berryville.

Miss Alice Crawford, of Seminary Hill, is spending Easter week at the University of Virginia.

Miss Ida Henckel has returned to her home, in Charlottesville, after a short stay with her sister, Mrs. Marshall King.

Miss Helen Norris Cummings has cards out for afternoon tea Tuesday, April 9, from 4 until 6, at her home, 606 Cameron street.

Mrs. Gilbert Cox has as her guests her sister, Miss Blanche Murphy, her cousin, Miss Mamie Murphy, and Miss Janet Latane.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leadbeater spent Easter with relatives in Sandy Springs, Md.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Julian T. Miller, U. S. N., and Mrs. Miller, will arrive in this city in a few days, as Dr. Miller has been ordered to the Naval Medical College in Washington.

Mr. James R. Caton has returned from a trip through the South.

Miss Janet Childs is the guest of Miss Margaret Micon at her home on Seminary Hill.

Mrs. Samuel Johnston, her daughter, Miss Elsie Johnston, and Mr. Richards Johnston, of East Orange, N. J., spent Easter week with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Robinson, on North Washington street.

Mr. and Mrs. James William May have returned from their wedding trip and are at home on North Washington street.

Mrs. George E. French and Miss Georgie McC. French have returned from an extended trip through California.

Mrs. Branch Rozell, of Tennessee, is visiting Mrs. Lawrence Washington, on Cameron street.

Mrs. William J. Norton has returned from Berryville, where she was called by the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Samuel McK. Taylor.

Miss Lucy Douglas and Mr. James Douglas were among the dancers at the Hunt ball in Warrenton this week.

Miss Kitty Barrett was the hostess at a beautifully appointed luncheon on Wednesday at her home, on Duke street. Miss Barrett's guests were Miss Hattie Douglas, Miss Elizabeth Jones, Miss Jean Brent, Miss Lou Washington, Miss Mary Phillips, Miss Laura Darenhorst, Miss Mary Snowden, and Miss Dorothy Gatewood, of Washington.

Mrs. Cyrus McCormick, of Berryville, Va., has returned to her home, after spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Elliott C. S. A., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ross Elliott, on Cameron street. Lieut. Elliott is stationed in the Philippines, and is on a three-month furlough.

The date of the stereopticon lecture to be given by Miss Richards at Lee Camp Hall has been changed to Friday evening, April 12, at 8 o'clock. The subject of Miss Richards' lecture will be "Paris to Oberammergau, the Play of David." This will be a rare treat to Alexandrians, and it is hoped that many will avail themselves of it. Miss Richards was fortunate enough to witness the play of David two years ago, as it is only given once in thirty years.

Cards have been issued by Mrs. Llewellyn Hoxton for the marriage of her daughter Annie to Mr. George Stuart, pastor of the Episcopal High School, Washington, which will take place at 8 o'clock in the chapel of the Episcopal Seminary.

Miss Carrie Wise gave an afternoon tea on Tuesday in honor of her guest, Mrs. James Rector Smoot, at her home, on Seminary Hill.

Misses Hulda and Nannie Fairfax have returned from a visit to Strasburg.

Christ Episcopal Church was the scene of a pretty but very quiet wedding on Wednesday at noon, when Miss Mary Slater became the bride of Mr. Clyde C. Lemond, of Takoma, D. C. The bride is the daughter of the late John Slater, of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Berryman Green, of the Theological Seminary. Those desiring special mention are: Ereckson Severe, May Sehorn, Master Ollie Bowers, Eddie and Causie Morris, Paul Blundon, Raymond Severe, Ruth Chase, Misses Mabel and Emma James, Louise Chamblain, and Ellis McMillan and Aubrey Knowles.

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BOND ISSUE PLACED

Masonic Temple Construction Fund Provided For.

TAKEN BY TRUST COMPANIES

The Union Trust Company and American Security and Trust Company Agree to Underwrite Venture.

Construction from Foundation to Roof Complete in One Contract.

President J. Henry Small, Jr., of the Masonic Temple Association, reported to the association at its quarterly meeting last night that bonds issued to pay for the construction of the new temple had been placed.

"The Union Trust Company and American Security and Trust Company, of this city, have agreed to underwrite the issue of \$200,000 of bonds authorized at the last special meeting of the temple association," said Mr. Small, "and the construction will be completed in one contract, from foundation to roof."

Mr. Small also said that he had a number of inquiries from prospective investors about the bonds, and that in order to meet the demands of persons who may want to place a small amount in that way, arrangements would be made to issue some of them in denominations of less than \$100.

President B. F. Smith, of the Masonic Temple Association, announced to the Fair board of control, at the meeting of members of the board last night that a contract for construction work in Convention Hall, other than the decorations and booths, had been awarded to Thomas C. Henderson, of this city. Mr. Henderson will have a force of men in the hall on next Friday, when the hall is turned over to the fair managers, and everything will be in readiness for visitors on Monday night, April 15, when the fair is opened to the public.

Masonic Fair News. Philander C. Johnson, chairman of the editorial board of the official paper, the Masonic Fair News, has completed the assignments of members of that board. Mr. Johnson will be editor-in-chief, and many of the best known newspaper men in Washington will assist him. It is the purpose of the board to have the fair paper of this year brighter and better in every respect than at previous fairs. It will contain news paragraphs of interest to workers and visitors, anecdotes, cartoons of well-known members of the fraternity, and other interesting matter. Following are the men who will assist Mr. Johnson to fill the paper with good reading, with the latest of their assignments:

- April 15-E. A. Keeler, Charles E. Kern, and H. H. Hazard.
April 16-J. J. Karger, Carl D. Sheppard, A. E. Heiss, and G. L. Kern.
April 17-B. H. Hazard, L. C. Norwood, and L. G. Wilson.
April 18-E. C. Snyder, Alex. Wolf, F. A. G. Hand, and Charles Keeler.
April 19-E. L. Kern, W. W. Price, Al. Mosher, W. Hamilton Smith, and G. J. Karger.
April 20-E. A. Keeler, A. J. Dodge, and Carl D. Sheppard.
April 21-E. A. Keeler, Charles E. Kern, and H. H. Hazard.
April 22-G. J. Karger, Carl D. Sheppard, A. E. Heiss, and G. L. Kern.
April 23-B. H. Hazard, L. C. Norwood, and L. G. Wilson.
April 24-E. C. Snyder, Alex. Wolf, F. A. G. Hand, and Charles Keeler.
April 25-E. A. Keeler, A. J. Dodge, and Carl D. Sheppard.

The musical musical tea given at the Lee Camp Hall last evening was a pretty affair. The children of the Ann Ransay Chapter of the C. A. B. assisted in serving refreshments and were dressed in costume. Some of those in costume were Misses Julia and Judith Boswell, Fannie Slaughter, Emma Carter, Lotie Ashton, Nellie Uhler, and Katharine Walker.

BOYDS SOCIAL NOTES.

Special to The Washington Herald. Boyds, Md., April 6.—Mrs. Mary Howe Totten, of Washington, visited here yesterday her summer home, "Winderbourne," where she has been spending the summer the past twenty years.

Mrs. Totten has decided not to occupy the house this summer, but will leave with her daughter, Miss Edith Totten, April 13, for Europe, to be gone until September 1, when she will come here and remain until late fall. Her sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles Totten, will occupy "Winderbourne" throughout the summer, taking up her residence here, possibly, this month.

Miss Maud Ashton, of this vicinity, left yesterday for Baltimore to be gone several weeks.

Mrs. Upton D. Nourse, of Dawsonville, left here Thursday to visit friends in Baltimore and Washington.

Miss Belle Gott, of Washington, was this week a visitor with her mother, Mrs. Rebecca Gott.

Miss Mary Price, of Hyattstown, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Washington, returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Sarah R. Urner, of New Market, Va., who has during the past three months been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joseph T. White, here, returned home Thursday.

Mr. Austin Morris, who has lately been making his home here, returned to Delano, N. J., Thursday.

Mr. Horace D. Waters, of Germantown, who has been seriously ill, is much better and will recover.

Mrs. Mollie Young, of Washington, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Marcellus E. Wade.

Rev. W. C. Smith, pastor of the several churches in the Clarksburg circuit of Southern Methodist churches, will be assigned to Coleville circuit, this county. He will be succeeded by Revs. E. F. Neel and J. H. Dulaney.

Rev. D. B. Switzer was returned to his charge at Pooleville, much to the gratification of the congregation of that church.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mortimore Ceel celebrated the fortieth anniversary of their wedding. Gathered about them were their children, twelve in number, with their sons-in-law and children. The children present were Mrs. Lily Wolfe, of Washington; Mrs. Cora Cashell, of Redland, Md.; Mrs. J. T. Burch, Boyds; Misses Alice, Ella, and Daisy Ceel, and Messrs. William, Charles, G. Remington, G. Minor, Arthur, and Lawrence Ceel, of Washington. The wedding trip, after which they were Messrs. J. T. Burch, of Boyds; Garrett D. Wolfe, of Washington, and Hanson G. Cashell, of Redland, Md.

School Children Entertained. Special to The Washington Herald. Hyattsville, April 6.—Masonic Hall was crowded last evening, the occasion being an entertainment by the pupils of the Riverdale public schools to raise funds for a library. Those deserving special mention are: Ereckson Severe, May Sehorn, Master Ollie Bowers, Eddie and Causie Morris, Paul Blundon, Raymond Severe, Ruth Chase, Misses Mabel and Emma James, Louise Chamblain, and Ellis McMillan and Aubrey Knowles.

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PORTO RICO DESCRIBED.

Miss Julia H. Hoffman Entertains Unity Club with Address.

Overflowing parlors and one of the most pleasing programmes in its recent history, characterized the meeting of the Unity Club at the W. C. T. U. rooms Tuesday evening. President Holden, quite recovered from his illness, presided.

"Life in Porto Rico" was graphically depicted by Miss Julia H. Hoffman. Her address was highly interesting and instructive, to which her ease and fluency of diction gave additional charm. She closed by singing the "Porto Rican national anthem" and the natives in honor of Washington, both in Spanish, interpreting the words beforehand. Urged to continue her talk ten minutes longer, Miss Hoffman, after describing the Porto Rican holidays and festivities gave some incidents of President Roosevelt's visit to the school children at the island where she was residing. The President made a speech of about twenty minutes, in which he said: "The harvest that pleases me most is to see this large harvest of children growing in the shadow of the cross."

A Spanish costume dance was given by Senior Miss Beattie Dunn and Beulah Figs. to the piano music of Miss Marie Becker. Its graceful rendering and closely interwoven love story, told in pantomime, carried one on the wings of imagination back to that land of romance and chivalry.

Mr. Charlton Howarth, a recent acquisition to the musical ranks of this city, from England, won tributes of applause in his rendering of the "Queen of the Earth," and his encore, "My Pretty Jane," the song that made the fame of Miss Reeves, England's greatest tenor.

Miss Frances Johnson's charmingly sang "Love's Sorrows," and for an encore, "In the Palace of the King," both of these singers being skillfully accompanied on the piano by Miss Marie Becker.

AMERICAN PENWOMEN.

Famous Writers Hold Monthly Meeting at Public Library.

The regular monthly meeting of the League of American Penwomen was held in the study room of the Public Library, Monday evening, with the president, Mrs. Virginia King Frye, presiding.

Miss Mabel Louise White read letters from Mr. William A. Ashbrook, of the Jamestown Exposition board, stating that the National Editorial Association will meet on June 30, with President Roosevelt as the orator of the day, and that June 11 has been made a special day for the League of American Penwomen.

It was also reported that the District of Columbia Federation of Women's Clubs has appointed Mrs. Evelyn Clark Morgan (former president of the L. A. F. W.) as delegate to the National Arbitration and Peace Congress, to be held in New York City April 15-17. Besides Mrs. Morgan, representing the Washington personnel of the league, Mrs. Grace Thompson-Seton and Miss E. Marguerite Lindley of New York City, and Mrs. Mary E. Wilkins Freeman of Methuen, N. J., have been selected to represent the league at the Congress.

The corresponding secretary was instructed to write letters, expressing the sympathy of the league to two of its members, Mrs. Grace MacGowan Cooke and her sister, Miss Alice MacGowan, the celebrated novelists, who sustained injuries in the fire at Helicon Hall, the residence of Mrs. Cooke, in the city of New York, near Englewood, N. J., on March 15.

Miss Elizabeth A. Hyde having regained her health, has resumed her duties as corresponding secretary. Mrs. Evelyn Clark Morgan being obliged to resign her duties on account of her illness during a year's sojourn. Mrs. F. Carl-Smith extended a cordial invitation to the league to hold the month-meeting at her home, 1725 Seventeenth street, on the 24th of April, which was accepted with hearty thanks.

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ABRACADABRA CLUB ELECTS.

Members Listen to Instrumental Trios During Balloting.

The annual business meeting of the Abracadabra Club was held Wednesday evening at 20 Q street northeast, Mrs. Charles A. Abbot presiding. Several guests, as well as twenty members, were present, and the president, Dr. James McKee, was in the chair. With the exception of one member, who gave a nature poem, the responses to roll call took the form of names of nature writers, and included an interesting variety, from Mother Goose to Van Dyke. As both the nominations and elections of officers were carried on by written ballot, the voting proved a lengthy process, although at times a very merry one. This ponderous business was interspersed with musical trios by W. Packard, the piano, Mrs. Abbot playing the cello, and one of the guests a flute.

The following officers were elected: President, Auresst S. Perham; first vice president, Charles G. Abbot; second vice president, Mrs. Perham; secretary, Mrs. Charles G. Abbot; treasurer, Mrs. Harold T. Dougherty; corresponding secretary, Mrs. James Vickers; chairman executive committee, Mrs. Harold T. Dougherty. The four additional members appointed to serve on the executive committee were: Mrs. Charles G. Abbot, Mrs. G. M. Brumbaugh, Maj. and Mrs. George C. Potwin, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Baker, and Mrs. Emerson.

At the close of the business meeting Mrs. Abbot favored the club with a vocal solo, and Mr. Harold T. Dougherty read a paper on "Walks in the District of Columbia."

The following members were present: Mrs. Charles G. Abbot, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Baker, Mrs. Penelope B. Brock, Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Brumbaugh, Mr. S. A. Clark, Miss Emily Deoherty, Mr. and Mrs. Harold T. Dougherty, Dr. Charles G. Abbot, Mrs. Jennie Stern, Mr. Myron L. Story, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Williams.

Heptasopha's Initiation Wednesday. On Wednesday evening, April 10, the several convalesces of District No. 19, Improved Order Heptasopha, will have a joint initiation at Pythian Temple, 102 G street northwest. The initiatory ceremonies will be conducted by the degree team of Zeta Conclave of Baltimore. The speakers of the evening will be Supreme Archon Morris B. Cohen, of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Hon. Olin Bryson, supreme convalescer, Baltimore, S. D.; Tattersall, supreme secretary, Baltimore; J. W. Cruett, supreme organizer, Baltimore, and Hon. M. S. Decker, assistant secretary, Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, D. C. The presence of every member in this district is desired on that evening, as the entertainment is

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Bargains in Used Pianos. The big demand for Bradbury and Webster Pianos during the past season has resulted in our accumulating a number of slightly used Upright pianos of all high-grade makes which were taken in exchange. These instruments, together with a number of pianos returned from rental, have been thoroughly overhauled by our factory experts and are offered now at genuine bargain prices in order to close these pianos as soon as possible. In the lot are such well known makes as the Knabe, Chickering, Miller, Fischer, Wace, Steingway, etc. The prices and terms are such as to make it well worth your while to visit the warehouses of the F. G. Smith Piano Company, the big Bradbury Building, at 1225 Pennsylvania avenue, at your early convenience.