INAUGURAL CROWDS QUIT THE CAPITAL

Only a Few of the Visitors Remain This Morning.

ALL OF THEM HAD A GOOD TIME

Even Though the Weather Was Bad, Everybody Was in Good Humor, and a Majority of the People Regretted Their Departure—Governors and Organizations Depart.

Washington will awake this morning with only a few inaugural visitors remaining within her bounds. Those remaining either missed their trains or were persuaded to stay a few hours or days longer by persistent friends.

Nearly two scores of delegations left the city yesterday or in the few hours after midnight.

"We had the time of our lives" was the unanimous sentiment of the half hundred youngsters of the Boys' Brigade of Charleroi, Pa., also known as Tener's Brigade, having been organized by Representative Tener, of that State.

Representative Tener took them around to the Capitol and had them shake hands with Senator Penrose, and that made them forget the weather for a time at least. They got away along toward midnight.

Company K, Fifth Infantry, of the National Guard, of Atlanta, Ga., also known as the Atlanta Grays, and the machine gun battery of Company M, Fifth Regiment, Georgia National Guard, went away together about 9 o'clock, in the hope of spending to-day in the sunny Southland.

The Only Excitement.

The only excitement of the evening at the Union Station was started by the Americus Club, of Pittsburg, as it put in an appearance with its band.

It was the last inaugural music to be heard at the big structure until the passing of another four years. The Pittsburgers departed on their homeward journey about midnight.

"We had planned to start on Friday, but we stayed over for another day because we liked the Capital so well," said Capt. J. M. Richardson, of the Aiken Military Company, of Aiken, S. C.

The Carolinians had big, heavy service coats, and looked the most comfortable of any of the military companies that passed through the station. They left the city a little after 4 o'clock. About the same time the Young Men's Blaine Club, of Cincinnati, started on their homeward journey. The Garret A. Hobart Club, of Newark, N. J., got a train going north about the same time.

Several governors and members of staffs departed last evening, receiving little more notice than ordinary citizens. Among these were Gov. Eben S. Draper, of Massachusetts; Gov. Jared T. Sanders, of Louisiana, and Gov. Charles S. Deneen, of Illinois. The Utica Business Men's Club and the Sherman Scouts started for home in the afternoon.

Other organizations leaving the city in the afternoon and evening, either from the Union Station or from the side tracks where they were quartered, were:

Some of the Guests.

James McCleary Marching Club, Philadelphia, Pa.; Malone Militia, Malone, N. Y.; Company I, Whitehall, N. Y.; Armita Club, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; St. John's School, Manlius, N. Y.; Rhode Island Naval Battalion, Rhode Island; Springfield School, Springfield, Mass.; Miami Institute, Germantown, Ohio; Eighth Regiment, Massachusetts Volunteer Militia, Boston; Companies E and I, Massachusetts Militia, Athol and Northampton, Mass.; Bug House Hose Company, Jersey City; Phelps Guards, Paterson, N. J.; Company B, Minneapolis; Third Coast Artillery and Company F, Norwich, Mass.; Rhode Island State Militia, Providence, R. I.; Republican City Committee, Boston; John Marshall Republican Club, Jersey City; Companies G, H, I, and L, New York City, Tenth Regiment National Guard; Company D, Sixth Regiment, Massachusetts Volunteer Militia, Fitchburg, Mass.; Philippine Constabulary Band; George Mertser's Special, Jersey City; Company E, Sons of Veterans, Allentown, Pa.; Unconditional Marching Club, Jersey City, and the Maccabees and Newsboys' Band, Toledo, Ohio.

Shortly after midnight the teletescope that has been working day and night the last week ceased to announce the departure of trains. About the same time the information bureau quit doing business, and the emergency post-office closed, while other inauguration requirements also became things of the past. The Emergency Red Cross Hospital will continue in operation until to-night.

The Sale of Stamps.

About 200,000 1-cent stamps were sold at the emergency post-office in the Union Station. Visitors sent souvenir post cards to their friends at home. About half that number of 2-cent stamps were also sold. Other sales were 500 books of 1-cent stamps, containing twenty-five each; 2,000 stamped envelopes, 2,000 2-cent and 1,000 1-cent newspaper wrappers, $500 worth of money orders, and 2,000 1-cent postal cards.

Although all the hotels were comfortably filled last night, the lobbies and cafes lacked the excitement that existed Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday nights.

Lights Are Turned Out.

The electrical display along Pennsylvania avenue, which has been the principal attraction in the last week, came to an end last night. Hundreds of persons visited the court of honor.

One of the features which attracted sightseers was the illumination of the dome of the Capitol by two powerful searchlights. Another attraction was the fountain at the foot of the Peace Monument.

To-day Washington will have returned to its normal state.

LONG WAY FROM HOME.

Leroy Jones, of San Francisco, Came Here to See the Soldiers.

Patriotism and a strong desire to don the uniform of a soldier is the cause of Leroy Jones, twelve years of age, of San Francisco, Cal., being held a prisoner at the House of Detention in this city, 3,000 miles away from home and parents.

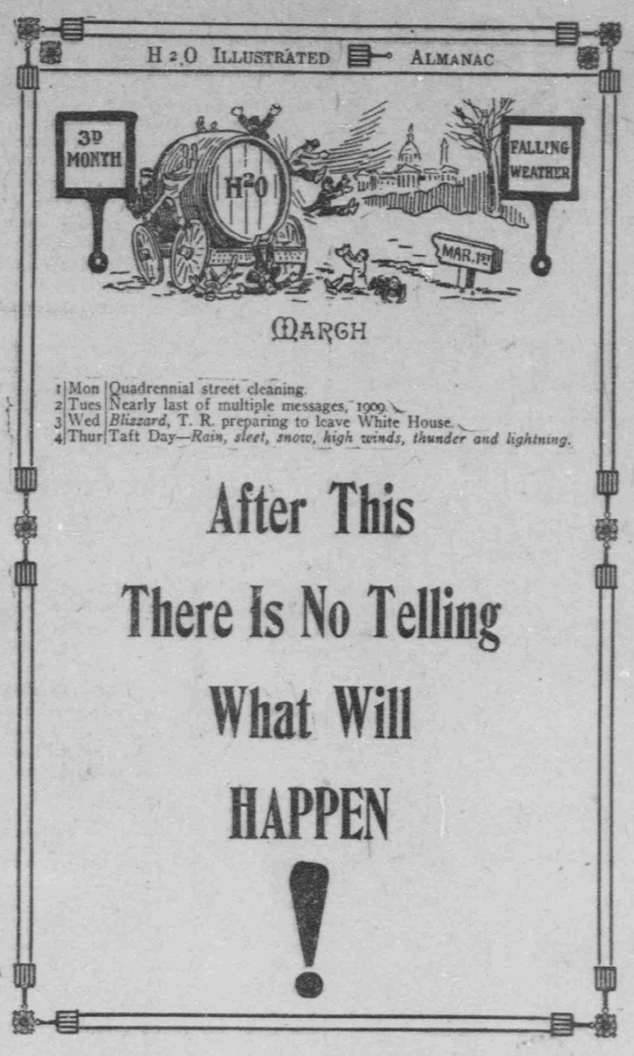
According to the police, the boy was placed in charge of several friends of the family in the depot at San Francisco one day last week, who were on their way to this city to see the inaugural ceremonies. They arrived the 3d of the month.

The boy arrived here safely, but evaded his guardians before they could carry out the mother's request. Leaving them at Union Station, he followed a detachment of soldiers, and, telling them he had no home and no place to sleep, they took him with them and kept him in their quarters for three days.

When you have lost or found anything, telephone an advertisement to The Washington Herald, and bill will be sent you at 1 cent a word.

FROM THE GRIDIRON CLUB ALMANAC.

(JANUARY DINNER.)



ORDERED TO TURN ON GAS

Mrs. Barnard Says She Is Deprived of Light and Heat.

Justice Anderson Issues Order and Fixes To-morrow to Hear Charges.

George Speidel, a clerk in the War Department, who lives at 2309 First street northwest, has been commanded to turn on the gas and heat in an apartment rented by him to Mrs. Alice Barnard by an order signed yesterday by Justice Anderson and fixing to-morrow to hear the charges brought by the tenant against her landlord.

Mrs. Barnard declares that she has an infant child who was taken ill with diphtheria in the latter part of February, and that on March 1 her apartment, at 2309 First street northwest, was quarantined. She states furthermore that on that date she was notified by Speidel that she would have to pay additional rent during the period of quarantine.

On the day following, she avers, she tendered him the usual rental, which he refused, and he thereupon cut off her gas and heat connections, which she says she is entitled to under the provisions of her lease.

Not content with this, she says, on March 3 the landlord caused the doors leading from her flat to be locked, and she was compelled to call upon the police to release her.

LOVING CUP FOR MR. LOEB.

Retiring Secretary to President Given Token by Associates.

A handsome silver loving cup was presented to William Loeb, jr., the retiring secretary to the President, yesterday afternoon by his friends in the clerical department at the White House.

The cup is nine inches high, and bears the following inscription:

Hon. William Loeb, jr.,
With loving remembrance
from his associates
in the offices of
the President
of the
United States
1901 1909

Mr. Loeb called at the executive offices late in the afternoon to thank the President personally for his commission as collector of customs at New York. He spent half an hour with the Chief Executive, and then was ushered into the office, where the cup was presented.

Mr. Loeb will go to New York to-morrow afternoon and take up his new duties the following morning.

WILL NOT LOSE SIGHT.

Charleston Dentist Who Was Struck by Waiter Is Improving.

Physicians at the Episcopal Ear and Eye Hospital who are attending Dr. Lonnie Robson, the Charleston (S. C.) dentist who as the result of an altercation with a negro waiter named Kelley had to have one of his eyes removed, and had the sight of the other seriously impaired, say that the patient is recovering rapidly. He will not lose his sight entirely.

Dr. Robson came here to attend the inaugural ceremonies with Company D, Second Regiment, National Guard of South Carolina. While dining in Harvey's restaurant, Twelfth and Pennsylvania avenue, with several friends it is said he became involved in an argument with the negro waiter, who struck him with his fist. The doctor was wearing glasses, several pieces of which were driven into his eyes.

The negro made his escape, and has not yet been arrested.

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The Great Family Liniment
For Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sprains, Bruises, Sore Throat, Cold in Chest, Asthma, Bronchitis, Difficult Breathing, Cold in Head and Catarrh. A simple rubbing with Omega Oil is often all that is required to stop the worst pain.

BISHOP DEDICATES CHAPEL.

New Institution Connected with the Episcopal Hospital Opened.

Right Rev. Alfred C. Harding, Bishop of Washington, dedicated on Friday the chapel established in connection with the Episcopal Eye, Ear, and Throat Hospital, in Fifteenth street. Assisting Dr. Harding were the chaplain of the hospital, Rev. Taylor Snyder, rector of the Church of the Incarnation, and Rev. Charles E. Buck, of Rock Creek parish, with Miss Helen Gilliss at the organ.

The presentation was made by Dr. W. D. Fox, of the hospital medical staff. In the remarks which followed the regular dedication service of the Episcopal Church, Bishop Harding emphasized the growing need for co-operation between physicians and the clergy, and expressed the hope that neither ministry would cross the lines of the other.

After the service Bishop Harding held a brief reception, and was introduced to the new superintendent of the hospital, Miss Grace Hodgson, late of St. Luke's Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio.

The dedication was preceded by the regular monthly meeting of the board of lady managers, presided over by Mrs. Charles E. Buck.

STATE SOCIETY MEETS.

Pennsylvanians Give a Programme in Pythian Temple.

About sixty Washingtonians, former residents of Pennsylvania, met at Pythian Temple last night for an evening of literary and social enjoyment, it being the regular monthly meeting of the Pennsylvania Society.

A musical programme had been arranged, consisting of several numbers, after which refreshments were served. S. R. Strattan presided.

W. F. Eckbert, jr., made a few remarks about "Pennsylvania," and A. G. Casonova spoke on "Washington in Pennsylvania." Others on the programme were Miss Ella Raner and Miss Irene Hardesty, violin and piano, and vocal solos by Miss Louise Zimmerman.

A recitation by H. C. Fithian was cleverly given, while a vocal solo by B. Frank Meyers was so well received that he responded with an encore.

MANY THEFTS REPORTED.

Police Believe Gang of Pickpockets Is Operating in Capital.

A band of pickpockets is operating in Washington. The police were notified of several thefts committed yesterday, and investigation of complaints by detectives leads to the belief the pickpockets are professional thieves.

Daniel Laffin, of 645 Eleventh street northeast, was relieved of a roll of bills containing $35 while in a saloon at Florida avenue and Twelfth street northeast yesterday morning.

While in a crowd near the Peace Monument yesterday morning, Mrs. O. J. Moat, of 1311 K street northwest, was robbed of a purse containing $6, a round-trip ticket to Baltimore, some cards bearing the name of Mrs. Asa H. Welsh, and a blank check.

Mrs. Rosamond C. Clark, of 134 U street northwest, was robbed of a purse while on a car in Pennsylvania avenue, between Sixth and Seventh streets northwest.

Mrs. L. P. Waller, of 457 Clinton avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., was the third woman to report the theft of her purse to the police. Mrs. Waller says she was robbed while in a crowd of persons near Pennsylvania avenue and Ninth streets northwest.

Samuel Dibberman, proprietor of a lunchroom at 455 H street northwest, reported the loss of $75. Dibberman said he went into a rear room in the cafe to eat supper, and when he returned the cash register had been opened and robbed.

DEATH OF AGED CITIZEN.

Capt. Marvin Fisher, of Bureau of Engraving, Is Stricken.

Capt. Marvin Percival Fisher, for more than forty years an employe of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, died at his home, 315 Eleventh street southeast, last night at the age of eighty-seven. He was one of the oldest employes of the bureau.

At the outbreak of the civil war Capt. Fisher was one of the first to offer his services, and distinguished himself in battle. He was rewarded by several promotions. At the close of the war he was mustered out as a captain.

He was a member of the G. A. R. and a Mason.

He is survived by four children—Walter E. Fisher, Harriet V. Fisher, [illegible]tha C. Fisher, and William E. Fisher.

Funeral services will be announced later.

NEGROES PRESENT CUP TO FORAKER

Former Senator Is Tendered an Ovation.

URGES CONFIDENCE IN TAFT

Makes Brilliant Address, Paying Tribute to the New President, and Declaring that He Had No Selfish Thought in Pursuing His Fight on Behalf of the "Black Battalion."

"I am satisfied from what I know of the President of the United States that he will uphold the law. He will bring peace, happiness, and prosperity to the country. Take this as my parting word—give him your confidence. If you need help, go to him; let him know your desires.

"I believe he has an honest purpose. You will find him alert to do all he can for you. His inaugural address gave me a great deal of satisfaction, and I believe he is making progress in the right direction."

In these words, former Senator Joseph Benson Foraker, of Ohio, paid a tribute to his old-time friend, President Taft, last night in accepting a loving-cup from the colored citizens of the District of Columbia. An ovation was tendered him in the Metropolitan A. M. E. Church as a mark of appreciation for his services in fighting for the "black battalion" of Brownsville against ex-President Roosevelt and all the forces of his administration.

Cheers for Foraker.

When the distinguished Ohioan arrived wild, mad cheers broke out, and the edifice fairly shook with the stamping of feet and the clapping of hands. The church was densely packed, and hundreds were unable to gain admittance.

The occasion was meant as a show of affection for Mr. Foraker just following his retirement from public life.

Several speakers, representing the colored citizens of Washington, declared that his devotion to the cause of the Brownsville soldiers had cost him his Senatorial seat, and predicted that Ohio would not long permit his retirement. The former Senator himself re-enforced this view by saying:

"Although I am out of the Senate, I am not out of commission."

The loving cup was presented to him by Armond W. Scott with a vigorous address. The cup is a large silver vessel, three-handled, and of graceful, artistic lines. It was designed by Berry & Whitmore.

"It will be cherished in my family forever," said former Senator Foraker. "It is a beautiful gift.

"When I sum up my twelve years in the Senate, I find that everything holds a subordinate place in my heart to Brownsville. I waged that fight without stopping to consider the consequences. If the people of Ohio do not want that sort of man to represent them in the Senate, then let them get another man. They have already done so. Unless they change their minds, I shall be a private citizen from this time forward.

The Penalty Paid.

"'God moves in a mysterious way his wonders to perform.' I never had a selfish thought in regard to that Brownsville matter. I never had a thought of embarrassing anybody. It was proclaimed, at the time, that the penalty I should pay for my action would be elimination from public life. I am eliminated, but I go knowing I have been rebuked for an action I shall never regret.

"Mr. Roosevelt finally signed the Brownsville papers, and accepted our original proposition of having a court of inquiry. 'Now, O Lord, let thy servant depart in peace.' I take to myself the satisfaction that I was the humble instrument of Providence in compelling him to do this just act. Now I think the sunshine of Oyster Bay will be even more enjoyable. To make two happy, where only one was happy before, is true of this act of ex-President Roosevelt's, at least.

"I am clearly convinced that not a man in that black battalion was guilty. The government of this mighty nation has spent $15,000 in payments to detectives to pursue these men. They have failed to produce convincing evidence.

"Morever, these detectives deliberately fabricated testimony. I have a right to make this statement, because I have proof of it. Much of the testimony bears the earmarks of fraud, not to use a shorter and uglier word. It was the overwhelming proof of this, I think, that led the former President to sign the Brownsville bill.

Growing Race Prejudice.

"Now, I wish to say a word about the great and growing prejudice against the black man in our country. The nation gave him physical freedom, and now I want to see it also give him political freedom. No one of you need be concerned over the question of social equality. There is no such thing among white people, and I do not think it exists among blacks.

"I was rather alarmed about Mr. Taft's speech at New Orleans, in which he told the people of the South that they were a great deal better qualified to deal with the problem than anybody else.

"I have been in the Senate with Senator Tillman for twelve years, and I take it that he accurately represents the Southern attitude toward the negro. He is the frankest and sincerest of all of them. His solution of the problem is the stripping of all political rights from the negro. We don't want that.

"But now I'm not a servant of the public. I'm a sovereign. I'm ready to give orders now, not to take them. I'm ready to do my share toward making all our public servants toe the chalk line—yes, even the President of the United States."

Archibald H. Grimke made the introductory address of the evening, declaring that Senator Foraker was one of the great benefactors of the colored race.

Armond W. Scott, in making the presentation speech, declared that colored soldiers at San Juan Hill saved the life of the very man who afterward struck them down.

The chairman of the evening was J. W. Cromwell, and the executive committee in charge was composed of Samuel E. Lacy, Frank Byron, Louis G. Gregory, Napoleon B. Marshall, James L. Neill, Charles J. Pickett, Armond W. Scott, Willis B. Mitchell, Daniel Murray, William T. Ferguson, Thomas A. Johnson, F. H. M. Murray, J. T. C. Newsom, Oliver Randolph, and Joseph H. Stewart.

1840 Vintage of Madeira.
—$12 gal., $3 full qt.
One of the few casks existing in England of the precious 1840 vintage of Madeira has been secured by
Christian Xander's Quality House.
'Phone Main 274. No branch houses. 909 7th St. N. W.

ARMY OF LINEMEN WORK HEROICALLY

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about the same area. The Postal has three lines to Baltimore, one over the Pennsylvania road, one via Sandy Spring, and one via Conway. All three are destroyed, and it will probably be three or four days before direct communication with Baltimore is established by this company. Several gangs of Postal men were working also on the lines to Alexandria and Manassas.

Yesterday afternoon seventeen wires were established to Richmond. Six wires are in operation to Birmingham, Ala., through which the company sends its messages North via Western routes.

The Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone forces worked at high pressure all day yesterday and succeeded in getting a line to Baltimore via Westminster. They are rapidly reducing the number of city subscribers who have been disconnected, and last night the lines of most of the hospitals and doctors had been re-established.

All three companies will not only keep all of their men working to-day, but they expect to receive considerable re-enforcements both in men and material.

Train Service Improves.

Considerable improvement, but room for much more, describes the condition of the train schedules at the Union Station late last night. Incoming trains over the Baltimore and Ohio and Pennsylvania roads averaged about an hour late, although conditions on the Baltimore and Ohio were somewhat better than on the other road.

Trains from the South were very irregular, some of them from six to eight hours late. The inconvenience due to the lateness of incoming trains was much aggravated by the fact that the time of their arrival could not be announced beforehand, owing to the entire lack of telegraphic communications.

By 10 o'clock last night most of the outgoing trains which were made up in Washington departed practically on scheduled time.

Visual Signals.

Between Baltimore and Washington, as well as for a considerable distance north of Baltimore, the trains were run by visual signals established by placing men with flags and lanterns along the lines and allowing from ten minutes to half an hour interval between trains. Each train was supplied with men, so that whenever the speed slowed down below that which was supposed to be maintained they alighted and signaled to the engineer following.

In this manner the trains were run without the usual automatic block signals or the aid of operators, and by midnight last night the vast majority of the inaugural visitors had been started toward home.

Rumors of wrecks were plentiful, as they were on Friday, but the rumors did not materialize, and as far as known no accident has marred the great exodus from Washington which followed the inaugural ceremonies.

DR. LUCAS HONORED.

Former Curator of National Museum Given Honorary Degree.

The Brooklyn Daily Standard-Union of February 14 contains the following notice: "Frederic A. Lucas, curator-in-chief of the Brooklyn Institute of Science and Arts, received the degree of doctor of science from the University of Pittsburg on Friday evening. This was bestowed because of his notable work in the advancement of science, particularly in paleontology."

Dr. Lucas was curator of the department of comparative anatomy in the United States National Museum from 1893 until May, 1904, when he resigned. He was also a member of the government commission to investigate the condition of the fur-seal herd in Bering Sea. Dr. Lucas was twice elected president of the Biological Society of Washington, and his many friends among the scientific men of this city will be gratified by this formal recognition of his work.

MARINE BAND CONCERT.

A concert will be given at the United States Marine Barrack to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock by the Marine Band Orchestra, William H. Santelmann, leader. The programme:

March, "Russe".....Ganne
Overture, "Merry Wives of Windsor".....Nicolai
Valse caprice, "Rose Mousse".....Bose
Grand fantasia, "Lohengrin".....Wagner
Waltz, "The Beautiful Blue Danube".....Strauss
Suite, "Peer Gynt".....Grieg
(a) Morning.
(b) Ase's death.
(c) Anitra's dance.
(d) Dance of the imps in the halls of the Mountain King.
March, "Lincoln Centennial".....Sanford

DR. NORTHROP TO SPEAK.

Los Angeles Pastor Will Give Address at Y. M. C. A.

Dr. Stephen A. Northrop, of California, is announced as speaker in the new Masonic Auditorium this afternoon under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association. The topic is, "Five feet-eight of living Christianity." As minister in the First Baptist Church of Los Angeles, Cal., Dr. Northrop has had an exceptional experience and success in addressing large audiences of men.

This is the second of the "Temple Series" of meetings for men. The prelude by association orchestra opens at 3 o'clock. The address is at 3:30. All men are cordially invited, especially strangers in the city.

SMOKING BY WOMEN DEPLORED

Northwest Auxiliary of W. C. T. U. Holds Interesting Meeting.

At the last meeting of the Northwest Auxiliary of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union the exercises were opened with the singing of "Rescue the Perishing," the devotional exercises being in charge of Mrs. Ritter. Mrs. Dr. Kress prayed that each may do her best. Mrs. Moore reported gifts of flowers and jellies to many sick persons, and that fifteen carried cake and ice cream to the almshouse, much to the delight of the inmates.

The tobacco-smoking habit among women was greatly deplored.

Mrs. John Langdon Dudley gave many pleasant incidents of the happy days spent with Miss Willard at her early home in New York, near Niagara Falls; in Boston, and other cities. Mrs. Bradley had a very spirited report to give of her success in obtaining a fine American flag for the home.

Several new members were received. Mrs. Emig and Mrs. Olney were visitors from other unions. The June meeting will be held at the Sanatorium in Takoma.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Cecil Robert Grabill, 23, of New Market, Va., and Evelyn R. Phillips, 25, of Winchester, Va. Rev. W. H. Ballinger.

John J. Stock, 41, of Peoria, Ill., and Lona Richmond, 22, of Omaha, Nebr. Rev. D. C. MacLeod.

Hamilton W. Swing, 21, and Minnie Schoengauer, 18. Rev. F. A. B. Wunnenberg.

Otto Kroll, 24, and Bertha Kroll, 20. Rev. George Brothage.

James E. Redman, 22, and Edna E. Lockwood, 20. Rev. Robert M. Moore.

While you think of it, telephone your Want Ad. to The Washington Herald, and bill will be sent you at 1 cent a word.

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100 pieces 21-inch Colored Messaline, in all the new and wanted colors. We will show them Monday in shades of light blue, pink, mais, nile, ashes of roses, old rose, wistaria, catawba, taupe, smoke, slate, pearl, cardinal, garnet, reseda, myrtle, hunter's green, mode, paon, apricot, gold, navy, national, canard, peacock, golden brown, seal, white, ivory, cream, and black. A $1.00 value for..... 65c

DRESS GOODS SALE
OF VAST IMPORTANCE.

Satin-stripe Suitings, $1.49.
56-inch new Imported Satin-stripe Suitings, in all the new spring shades, such as apricot, old rose, catawba, tapestry, china and navy blues, taupe, pearl, smoke and silver grays, reseda, tans, black, &c.; this is one of the very newest and most dressy materials for spring wear; these are our own importation, which are exclusive styles. Per yard..... $1.49

New All-wool Batiste, 69c.
Colors are wistaria, old rose, cream, wood rose, taupe, smoke, reseda, mode, tan, banana, bronze, brown, navy, plum, &c.; full 42 inches wide; Batistes drape well. See these to-morrow sure, for the scarce shades will go quick. Per yard..... 69c

$1.25 Imported Black Voile, 89c.
42-inch all pure wool French Voile, in a beautiful raven black, with a wiry and crisp finish and an even mesh; the kind that does not crush; wear guaranteed. At this price you can get this voile for Monday only, per yard..... 89c

$1.25 Fancy Suitings, 79c.
56 inches wide, in herringbone, chevron, and neat stripes, checks, and plaid of cream, white, blue, brown, green, gray, wistaria, and black grounds of contrasting color combinations; remember you are not getting regular 79c quality—you are getting $1.25 values at the greatly reduced price, per yard..... 79c

Silk-warp Lansdowne, $1.25.
Colors are black dubonnet, cream, wood rose, cadet, raspberry, de cindre, marguaux, navy, fox, wistaria, old rose, smoke, canary, mahogany, and a host of other new shades. Lansdowne is 40 inches wide. Wear is guaranteed. Restricted price is, per yard, only..... $1.25

Lupin's Fancy Voiles, 69c.
10 pieces $1.25 and $1.50 French Voiles, in satin stripe, lace stripe, and plaid effects; 44 inches wide; strictly all pure wool and the very best blacks. At this price you are buying them at one-half and less than the original price. Special, per yard..... 69c

White and Colored Wash Goods.

White Linen Special.
60c Handkerchief Linen - - - - 39c
36 inches wide Superior Grade White Handkerchief Linen; sheer quality and every thread pure Irish flax; a chance to get a waist or dress for almost half regular price; at this price what we have will hardly last a half day, so be on hand early. To-morrow's price, a yard..... 39c
White Goods Dept., Eighth St. Annex.

40c Mercerized Batiste, 25c.
45 inches wide White Mercerized Lingerie Batiste; permanent luster; a most beautiful white fabric for waists and dresses; only a limited quantity at this special price. To-morrow, yard..... 25c

15c Steam-shrunken Cannon Cloth, 12½c.
33 inches wide, fine count, good weight, with a perfect Irish linen finish; for suits, skirts, and waists, in white and colors. This lot, a yard..... 12½c

50c Dyed Linen, 39c.
36 inches wide, splendid weight, all pure linen, in all colors; for suits, separate skirts, &c. To-morrow, yard..... 39c

White Crepe Cloth.
This is one of the popular fabrics for the spring and summer for waists and dresses; needs no ironing; an 18c value, for..... 12½c

39c Imported White Persian Lawn, 19c.
40 inches wide, extra superior grade White Persian Lawn, for waists and dresses; the like in quality never offered for such a low price. For this lot, a yard..... 19c

25c Check White Lawn, 15c.
Superior, fine, sheer quality; in a dozen styles; suitable for waists, dresses, &c.; a regular 25c kind. For to-morrow only, yard..... 15c

40-in. Wide Fine Dress Batiste, 15c.
In a good variety of best styles; made for season 1909; not a yard of last season's stock; all brand-new, and more than 250 styles to select from; just the material for dainty dresses for women and children; color absolutely fast. Yard at..... 15c

SIGMA LAMBDAS GATHER.

Central High School Girls Make Merry at the Shoreham.

Fifty girls, representing the Sigma Lambda Chapter of the Central High School, gave their fourth annual banquet in the yellow room of the Shoreham Hotel last evening. The tables were handsomely decorated and the girls attractively gowned. All are well known, and represent the younger "smart set" of Washington.

Mrs. John A. Logan is an honorary member of the chapter, but was unable to attend. Mrs. Lena Kidwell, president of the chapter, was present, and Mrs. Omie Galloway acted as toastmistress.

The address of welcome was delivered by Miss Ethel Clark. Miss Belle Meyers gave a recitation entitled "Our First," and was followed by Miss Grace Middleton, who spoke on "Riding the goat," in which she told of the humor connected with an initiation. The chapter and its work was discussed by Miss Charlotte Ryan, and Miss Mary Minnix gave a toast, "To our matrons." Because of the absence of Mrs. Seyboth, who was to have delivered the response, her place on the programme was filled by Mrs. Kidwell. Miss Anita Ballinger concluded the toasts with one to Sigma Lambda.

Seven members of the Beta Chapter of Philadelphia were in attendance. Others present were:

Misses Alice Rea, Anna Heider, Bessie Copenhaver, Grace Middleton, Clara Stack, Anita Ballinger, Gretchen Schmidt, Irene Meyers, Marguerite Hall, Christine Hudson, Florida Booth, Ethel Clark, Margaret Strawn, Helen Durnin, Mary Minnix, Jeane Appledorn, Charlotte Ryan, Ethel Cooke, Belle Meyers, Helen McCambridge, Booth Lang, Leona Kidwell, Elizabeth Cunningham, Hattie Snow, Mary Endicott, Louise Endicott, Mabel Thompson, Mrs. Thomas E. Conody, Mary Louise Endicott, Lillie Alexander, Edna Hess, Rose Carroll, Naomi Galloway, Nellie Heald, Flora Appledorn, Gertrude Mann, Eva Margerum, Mrs. Charles A. Flagg, Helen O'Brien, Jane Gardner, Agnes Porter, Esther Swett, Ulrica Swett, and Mrs. Leona Kidwell.

CONGRESS MEETING FAILS.

Bad Weather Results in Postponement and Disappointment.

A public meeting, to have been held in old St. Matthew's Church last night to further the interests of the Southern Commercial Congress, was postponed on account of the inclement weather.

Senators Johnston, of Alabama; Gore, of Oklahoma, and Smith, of South Carolina, had promised to make addresses on the new phases of the industrial movement in the South and its plan of establishing a national headquarters in the city of Washington. It was expected that many Southerners who had come here for the inauguration would attend the meeting. E. Grosvenor Dawe, managing director of the congress, was to have presided, and he had prepared a statement of the progress of the movement.

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BROOKS—Departed this life Friday, March 5, 1909, at 5:45 p. m., at the residence of her niece, 343 D street southwest, COLUMBIA BROOKS (nee Parker), beloved wife of the late Harry Brooks.

Funeral Monday, March 8, at 2 p. m., from Zion Baptist Church, F street, between Third and Four-and-a-half streets southwest. (Harrisburg and Carlisle, Pa., papers please copy.)

CALLAHAN—On Thursday, March 4, 1909, at 4:05 p. m., ANN, widow of John Callahan, and beloved mother of W. H., E. F., and E. J. De Lacy, and Mrs. B. F. Locraft.

Funeral Monday, March 8, at 9:30 a. m., from her late residence, 45 Rhode Island avenue northeast. High mass of requiem at St. Martin's Church. Relatives and friends invited. Please omit flowers.

CASEY—On Friday, March 5, 1909, CATHRINE CASEY, beloved mother of Mrs. Joseph Dierken.

Funeral from her late residence, 42 I street northwest, Monday, March 8. (Poughkeepsie, N. Y., papers please copy.)

FISHER—On Saturday, March 6, 1909, at 8:40 p. m., at his residence, 315 Eleventh street southwest, Capt. MARVIN PERCIVAL FISHER, beloved husband of Mary Elizabeth Fisher.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

HOLMES—On Thursday, March 4, 1909, at 6 p. m., at his residence, 1918 Twelfth street northwest, PHILIP HOLMES, husband of Sarah Holmes and brother of Mrs. Mary Washington and Mrs. Bettie Pollard.

Funeral from Vermont Avenue Baptist Church Sunday, March 7, at 2 p. m. Friends and relatives respectfully requested to attend. (New York, Richmond, and Philadelphia papers please copy.)

LENOIR—On Thursday, March 4, 1909, at Norfolk, Va., CHARLES E. LENOIR.

Funeral from the residence of his mother, 1248 Four-and-a-half street southwest, Monday, March 8, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. (Alexandria papers please copy.)

McCAULEY—On Friday, March 5, 1909, at her residence, Canal road, D. C., ANNIE M. McCAULEY, aged forty-six years.

Funeral from chapel of George W. Wise, undertaker, 2900 M street northwest, on Monday, March 8, at 2 p. m.

MERRICK—On Thursday, March 4, 1909, at 11:30 p. m., CHARLES B. MERRICK, beloved son of James and the late Elizabeth Merrick.

Funeral from his late residence, 700 Thirteenth street southeast, on Sunday, March 7, at 3 p. m. Friends invited to attend.

UHLER—Suddenly, on Saturday, March 6, at 2 a. m., at his late residence, 717 Tenth street northwest, JOHN F. UHLER.

Funeral services Sunday, March 7, at 3 p. m. Interment private.

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