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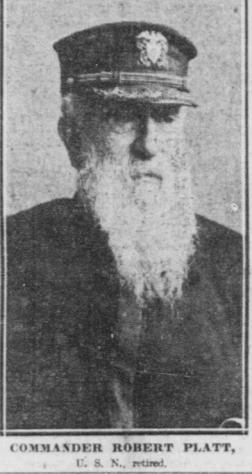
NAVAL OFFICER DEAD

Commander Robert Platt Is Victim of Apoplexy.

ONLY DAUGHTER AT BEDSIDE

Stricken on November 13, Aged Officer Sinks Rapidly and Death Was Not Unexpected—Funeral Services to Be Held from Home Tomorrow, Rev. W. L. De Vries Officiating.

AGED NAVAL MAN DEAD



COMMANDER ROBERT PLATT, U. S. N., retired.

MRS. JAMES M'KINNEY DIES

Unconscious Since Stroke of Apoplexy Last Thursday.

Mrs. Mary McKinney, wife of Representative James McKinney, of the Fourteenth Illinois District, who was stricken with apoplexy in the street last Thursday, died at the Emergency Hospital at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Commanded for Bravery

When hostilities began in 1861 the vessels of the Coast Survey were turned over to the Revenue Marine Service and became an auxiliary force of the navy.

Pedro Domecq's Amontillado 1878 Christian Xander's FAMILY QUALITY HOUSE, 909 7th Street.

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STUART RE-ELECTED HEAD OF SCHOOLS

Given Three-year Term by Board of Education.

DATE SET FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Christmas Vacation Begins December 23 and Ends January 2—Formation of Parents' Associations Approved—Delay in Paying Teachers Due to Mass of Bookkeeping.

Alexander T. Stuart was re-elected superintendent of the Washington public schools yesterday afternoon.

"I need only to look back upon the days of chaos which preceded his superintendency," said Capt. James E. Oyster, "to convince myself that Mr. Stuart merits a re-election to his present position."

The board also decided that the Christmas vacation period would begin on Friday, December 23, and end on January 2.

A proposal from Superintendent Stuart that fathers and mothers be invited to visit the schools on a certain day, and that home and school associations be formed, met with the cordial approval of the board.

On recommendations of certain supervising principals and teachers, the board adopted a resolution protesting against the distribution of free tickets to moving picture shows among school children, a practice which has increased to an alarming extent in the last few months.

SCHOOL CHANGES ANNOUNCED

The following announcements were made: APPOINTMENTS. Miss C. G. Williams, teacher fifth grade, Fane School.

PROMOTIONS

Miss A. F. Gause, first second grade, Woodburn School to John Eaton School.

RESIGNATIONS

David McCullough, janitor, Phelps School.

MISCELLANEOUS

Place name of Miss Margaret R. Taylor on list of substitutes in high schools on mathematics and English.

Indiana Society Meeting Postponed

The Indiana Society of Washington, which intended to hold its monthly meeting to-night in Pythian Temple, has postponed it until next Thursday night, December 15.

Wheatley Funeral To-morrow

Funeral services for Col. Joseph R. Wheatley, who dropped dead at Emergency Hospital Monday, will be held to-morrow morning at St. Patrick's Catholic Church. Burial will be in Mount Olivet Cemetery.

DEATHS REPORTED

Joseph C. Auth, 49 years, Bladensburg road ne. Laurence I. McArthur, 21, 211 18th st. ne. Giovanni Foresta, 22, 729 Navy place se.

BIRTHS REPORTED

Joseph and Katie Lomardo, boy. Albert E. and Robena Meninger, girl.

SCHOOL HEAD RE-ELECTED

ALEXANDER T. STUART. HEAVY GRIST OF BUSINESS

Commerce Chamber Discusses Southern Trade Extension.

Directors Get Offer of Co-operation from Baltimore in Securing Panama Celebration.

A largely attended meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce put through a long programme of business yesterday afternoon, with William F. Gude presiding.

A delegation from the Travelers and Manufacturers' Association of Baltimore, was present to offer the co-operation of their body with the Chamber of Commerce in securing the Panama Canal Exposition for Washington.

The Southern Commercial Congress was represented by G. Grosvenor Brown, managing director, who read an interesting paper on the relations of Washington to the expansion movement which the society is conducting to promote southern commerce.

Mr. Brown pointed out the peculiar difficulties that confronted the local Chamber of Commerce in its efforts to advance the commercial welfare of the city, and advocated the concentration of their work upon securing permanent residents, rather than visitors, encouraging industries in the outlying adjacent towns, and in the development of Chesapeake Bay and its estuaries.

A. Lisner, treasurer of the Chamber of Commerce, presented his report, showing a balance of \$2,353.90 on hand, and reported that the \$25,000 contribution by the Chamber to the convention fund has been subscribed.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Washington, Wednesday, Dec. 7-8 p. m.

The storm that has prevailed over the eastern districts since Monday has passed northward to the Maritime Provinces, and has been followed by clearing weather.

Local Temperature

Midnight, 2; 2 a. m., 3; 4 a. m., 5; 6 a. m., 3; 8 a. m., 7; 10 a. m., 28; 12 noon, 31; 2 p. m., 33; 4 p. m., 35; 6 p. m., 33; 8 p. m., 31; 10 p. m., 28.

Temperatures in Other Cities

Temperatures in other cities, together with the amount of rainfall for the twenty-four hours ended 9 p. m. yesterday, are as follows:

Table with columns: City, Max., Min., 8 p. m. Fall. Includes Asheville, N. C., Atlanta, Ga., Baltimore, Md., Buffalo, N. Y., Chicago, Ill., Cincinnati, Ohio, etc.

Tide Table

Today—High tide, 12:45 a. m. and 12:27 p. m.; low tide, 6:30 a. m. and 6:29 p. m.

Condition of the Water

Special to The Washington Herald, Hagers Ferry, W. V., Dec. 7.—Both rivers clear.

GETTING A START Capital and Profits Over \$1,750,000. An easy matter in our banking dept. Any amount from ten cents upward received on deposit.

NEWS OF ALEXANDRIA

Councilmen Selling Goods to City Not Affected.

LAW ON CASE IS REVIEWED

Opinion of Corporation Attorney Fisher Settles Wrangle—Charge Made Against Constable Payne to Be Heard in Court To-day—Many Attend Elks' Charity Ball.

F. Clinton Knight, 225 King street, Alexandria, Va., is authorized agent and carrier for The Washington Herald. The Herald will be delivered daily and Sunday to any address in Alexandria for 40 cents a month.

WASHINGTON HERALD BUREAU, 225 King Street, Alexandria, Va., Dec. 7.—According to an opinion announced to-day by Corporation Attorney Samuel P. Fisher on the legality of members of the city council selling goods to the city, the average councilman is not affected by the present law.

"Therefore, I am of the opinion that a member of council, whether a merchant or an artisan, who in the ordinary course of trade, and not pursuant to an understanding or a contract, sells materials or performs work for the city is not a contractor, and that he is in no wise affected by the said act."

A charge preferred by William Ferguson, a negro, who alleges that A. J. Payne, a constable of Fairfax County, fired three shots at him Saturday night at Royal and Wilkes streets, is slated to be investigated in the Police Court to-morrow morning.

About 100 couples danced for sweet charity's sake this evening at the annual charity ball of the dancing club of Alexandria Lodge of Elks.

Four criminal cases will be presented to the grand jury in the Corporation Court Monday, among them Adolphus Robinson, a negro, charged with stealing \$231 from George W. Petty.

R. E. Lee Lodge, No. 418, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, has elected these officers to serve for the year: E. L. Payne, president; R. C. Carter, vice president; H. A. Lipscomb, secretary; M. P. Kerrick, treasurer; C. E. Simpson, collector; Hugh Croft, business manager; L. D. Mellon, delegate to the convention; and Dr. S. B. Moore, medical examiner.

A fine pair of sorrel horses, weighing 1,400 pounds each, has been purchased for the Columbia fire engine by Fire Warden M. L. Price and Dr. Dunn while in Richmond. They cost \$650 each. They will shortly be given a trial trip before being put into service.

The Lady Macabees has elected these officers for the year: Mrs. Zachary, past commander; Mrs. Mollie Watley, commander; Mrs. Ross Leake, lieutenant commander; Mrs. Annie V. Bladen, secretary; Mrs. Amy C. Weech, treasurer; Mrs. J. H. Mansfield, lady-arms; Mrs. Eliza Miller, sentinel, and Mrs. Fannie Jones, picket.

Hilary A. Herbert, former Secretary of the Navy, will Monday evening deliver an address entitled "Reminiscences" before members of the Cameron Club at Lee-Camp Hall.

John Dix, janitor of Armory Hall, had his eye injured Monday night by the spatter from a cartridge during practice. He went to a Washington hospital to-day for treatment.

ABE MARTIN SAYS:



Chief of Police Goods is in Chester, Pa., attending the trial of William Firth, Jr., which commenced in that city to-day. Firth was with Ethel May Pierce, who committed suicide here several months ago, when she was about to be taken in custody by the police.

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MAY DETER NIGHT OPENINGS.

Retail Merchants Working in Interests of Employees.

Acting upon a motion of T. C. Dullin, the Retail Merchants' Association is making an effort to postpone the opening of stores in the evening until Friday, December 16, in the interests of the overworked employees, who suffer seriously from long hours and the heavy work of Christmas shopping.

The National Style Show, an underlying organization of the National Tailors' Association, which will hold an exhibition at the Arlington Hotel on December 13 and 14, received indorsement of its enterprise.

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DIED.

AUTH—Washington Aerle, No. 125, Fraternal order of Eagles, will hold a special meeting at its Home, Friday, December 9, at 7:45 a. m., to attend the funeral of our late brother, JOSEPH C. AUTH, R. L. Montague, President; J. D. Britt, Secretary.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART will reopen to the public on TUESDAY MORNING, December 13, 1910. There will then be on public view the THIRD EXHIBITION OF CONTEMPORARY AMERICAN OIL PAINTING.

OFFICE OF THE LANSTON MONOTYPE Machine Company, Philadelphia, Pa.—The Board of Directors has this day declared a quarterly dividend of five per cent on the capital stock of this company, payable on the 30TH DAY OF DECEMBER, 1910, to stockholders of record at the close of business December 23, 1910. J. SELLERS BANCROFT, Treasurer, Philadelphia, December 6, 1910. 468-10.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of the United States Trust Company will be held at the company's office, 1605 G st. n. w., in the City of Washington, District of Columbia, on TUESDAY, the 20th day of January, 1911, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. JAS. TRIMBLE, Secretary. 468-5.

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C. G. SLOAN & CO., Inc., Auctioneers, 1607 G St. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON SATURDAY, December 10, 1910, at 10 a. m., within the rooms of C. G. Sloan & Co., Inc., 1607 G st. n. w., there will be sold at public auction, to enforce liens for storage charges, etc., due and unpaid, all furniture and effects stored in the rooms of Edward McGee, Currier, Washington, and John T. Banks, BIRMINGHAM FURNITURE SHOP, 204 11th st. n. w., at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting. JAS. TRIMBLE, Secretary. 468-5.

Half the Xmas Money You expected to spend will buy fine leather gifts at our sale. COPELAND'S, 89 11th.

VIATSI SCIENCE OF HEALTH, NATURAL NONSURGICAL, 489-20th St. N. W. Apply by mail, 915 Colorado Bldg. Free lecture for women Wednesdays at 2:30 p. m. 266-7.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

SMITH—Suddenly, on Tuesday, December 6, 1910, at his residence, 1838 Mintwood place, Rev. JOSEPH EDWARD SMITH, D. D., LL. D., in his eighty-first year.

Funeral services at Foundry M. E. Church Friday, December 9, 1910, at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

PLATT—On Wednesday, December 7, 1910, at 4 p. m., at his residence, 412 B street northeast, Commander ROBERT PLATT, U. S. N., retired. Announcement of funeral hereafter.

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