PLAN TO EXTEND CHESAPEAKE LINE TO DRUM POINT

Moffat Executors Will Follow Out His Wishes.

NEW FIELD TO BE OPEN

Road Sixty Miles Long Will Have Terminus Here.

Electrification of Chesapeake Beach Railway and Completion of Lauterbach Road South Will Give Land Route to Excellent Harbor—Cost Will Not Be Excessive and Territory Opened Is a Rich One.

Executors of the estate of David H. Moffat, Western empire builder and owner of the Chesapeake Beach Railway, will carry out important negotiations pending at the time of his death, whereby Washington will be placed directly in touch with one of the deepest and safest sea harbors in the world.

PLANS TO GO FORWARD.

Plans for the electrification of the Chesapeake Beach line and its extension to the harbor at Drum Point, on the lower tip of Maryland, will go forward as an item of the several great railway projects which the Colorado millionaire was pushing when heart failure brought an end to his activities on Saturday in New York. William G. Evans and Fred G. Moffat, of Colorado, the likely executors of the Moffat interests, have examined the undertaking from end to end, and have pronounced in favor of its feasibility and its practicability. Mr. Moffat, some time before his death, ratified the scheme of equipping the Chesapeake Beach Railway with electricity and running its trains into the heart of Washington. Negotiations were on foot with Edward Lauterbach, the New York lawyer, who owns a graded line and right of way from the Chesapeake Beach locality to Drum Point, to combine interests in such manner that Washington would be accorded a useful freight line running sixty miles south to the famous harbor, which is capable of holding the entire navy fleet, and where the largest ocean vessels may dock with ease.

Planned Trip to Washington.

Paul Y. Waters, secretary, treasurer, and general manager of the Chesapeake Beach Railway, said yesterday that David H. Moffat had been planning a business trip to Washington, and that possibly within the coming two weeks, had he lived, orders would have been issued for the rehabilitation of the road owned by Mr. Moffat, which has been under steam operation for twelve years.

"There is no reason to believe that Mr. Moffat's plans will be laid aside," said Mr. Waters. "As soon as his estate is settled, I look for the prosecution of the Moffat railroad interests here as in Colorado. Mr. Evans and Fred. Moffat, the son of David H. Moffat, were in Washington not long ago. If they are given charge of the interests of the late railroad builder and banker, I feel certain that their familiarity with the project, both as regards the application of electricity to the Chesapeake Beach line and its extension to Drum Point, will lead them to advise the expenditure of the funds to place the whole system on the broad basis which has been considered for a long time."

It is estimated that an expenditure of between $350,000 and $400,000 will completely equip the present line of railroad with the facilities for operating its trains by electricity, and allow them to run direct to the Treasury Department. The building of powerhouses has not been included in the estimates, as it is planned to use current supplied by the Potomac Electric Power Company in Washington, which concern also supplies the electricity for the Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis line.

Expense Not Great.

Concerning the project of connecting Chesapeake Beach with Drum Point, there is an estimate of $200,000. The grading from a station six miles north of Chesapeake Beach to Drum Point was completed several years ago. The building of bridges and the laying of rails is all that is now necessary to be done in order to connect with the harbor.

A group of capitalists inspected the Drum Point line within the last two weeks, and it is known that ideas were being advanced by the Lauterbach people as to the best method of combining the two interests. A purchase of the Lauterbach property was considered by Mr. Moffat, also a scheme to form a combination of the two concerns and issue bonds.

It is believed that the establishment of direct communication between Washington and Drum Point will at once lead the government to establish a coaling station there. The Navy Department for several years has been considering the advisability of recommending the expenditure of funds for this purpose, but the absence of land transportation placed a damper on the project. The navy, however, has found use for the harbor at various times. It is recalled that the famous dry dock Dewey was towed there from Sparrows Point, where it was built, and there given its trial submergence in the deep, placid waters of the harbor.

Almost Landlocked.

Drum Point Harbor is almost completely landlocked, thus affording splendid protection from storms. The shore descends with such abruptness that the deepest draft vessels may come to dock.

W. F. Jones, formerly of Washington, president of the Chesapeake Beach Railway, was with Mr. Moffat when he died. It is recognized that through his efforts and those of General Manager Waters, the line has been gradually increased in value and paying facilities until Mr. Moffat came to recognize it as a property well worth holding and one which bore promise of a prosperous future.

Thomas Bradley, manager of the real estate branch of the Washington Loan and Trust Company, is a director of the Chesapeake Beach Company. Mrs. Thomas Bradley and Mrs. Grace M. De Lashmutt, of Washington, are nieces of the late David H. Moffat.

GO TO "SPOTTING" PRACTICE.

Secretary Meyer and Party Leave for Lower Potomac.

Secretary of the Navy Meyer left from the Washington Navy Yard at 9 o'clock last night to witness the spotting practice on the Lower Potomac to be held this morning, with the San Marcos, formerly the Texas, as the target. Secretary Meyer went down the Potomac on board of the Dolphin, having with him a party consisting of Senator Clapp, Rear Admiral Wainwright, Representatives Roberts, Loud, and Gregg, and Commander Andrews. The party will be back in Washington late this evening.

The Atlantic fleet of battle ships left Hampton Roads yesterday afternoon and are anchored in the vicinity of Tangier Island, where the ships are expected to engage in gun practice to-day. The San Marcos preceded them to the firing ground.

Accompanied by thunder and lightning a torrential rain fell at Norfolk last night. The sea is calm, the wind from the southwest light. It is warm and the indications are that conditions to-day will be favorable for practice unless there should be an early dense fog.

SEEN ON BROADWAY.

Walking costume that made the Broadway Johnnies' eyes bulge. The young lady who wore this late style of garment, commonly known as the harem skirt, is Miss Marie Walter, chorus girl in a New York production. She was accompanied along the Gay White Way by her bondsman, in case a policeman should decide to take her along. Of course, she was the center of a curious crowd, who followed her until she disappeared into the manager's office. It was not to gain notoriety or publicity that she donned this freak garment. No, indeed! Take her word for it, she simply wore it because she believes in sensible dress for women.

SPRING DUE TO BE USHERED IN WITH "RAIN AND COLDER"

Arrives Wednesday, According to Almanac, but Prof. Moore Promises Unseasonable Weather.

Spring, the alleged inspiration of many lines of good, bad, and indifferent poetry, and the known cause of varying degrees of colds, from "sniffles" to pneumonia, makes its annual debut Wednesday, according to the almanac.

But as Weather Prophet-in-Chief Willis Moore refuses to be bound by almanac rules and as, apparently, his unruly subjects, the winds and rains that sweep over the United States, have proved even less amenable to rules and precedents, the promise of the almanac may be taken for what it is worth.

For almanac, desires, and rules to the contrary notwithstanding, Prophet Moore's forecast for the coming week holds out slight glimmer of hope for the gentle zephyr's cooing caresses and the sun-kissed newly awakened grasses and the foliage about which poets enthuse in order to keep a fire in the stove during the spring.

If spring should, in truth, unfold its temperate embrace for the enjoyment of all from Wednesday on, seemingly this is to be a backward season. True, one can find green grasses now—one also is liable to find steam pipes near by. And the weeping willows around the Tidal Basin have long since begun to "send forth tender shoots of green"—trees and shrubs are quite as often deceived by that fickle Miss Spring as are people.

And Prof. Moore—but it is said he has carefully put aside optimism since March 4, 1909—does not beckon out spring hats or advance season sartorial displays.

A rise in temperature is coming for a short wet visit about Thursday. It will bring with it unsettled weather—rain for this section and snow for northern points, "and will be followed by a change to considerably colder weather," saith the report for the coming week.

GOVERNMENT RENEWS WAR ON HARMFUL CONCOCTIONS

Approach of Summer Season Leads to Renewed Activity of Pure Food Agents.

As the time approaches when the Washington public will have to forego the "warming" drinks for the no less necessary "cooling" ones, the government is renewing the war against soft drinks containing cocaine or caffein or any other dangerous drugs.

At the Bureau of Chemistry there is a list of beverages found by analysis conducted by Dr. Lyman F. Kebler, chief of the division of drugs, to contain caffein and extract of coca leaf, and condemned as harmful. This list has never yet been sent out, in bulletin form, but is still in manuscript in the bureau. There are forty preparations which are said to contain coca leaf and twenty which are in the caffein list. Not many of the drinks thus scheduled are known in Washington, but the fate of practically all of them depends upon the result of the suit which the government has instituted in Chattanooga. Chemical Expert Matthews went to that city Saturday afternoon to take part in the case.

It is but just to say that there is no way by which one may decide which drugs are now harmful, as what may be found to contain cocaine to-day might be discovered to be entirely free of that drug to-morrow, and vice versa. It keeps the government inspectors on the alert every minute, it is said, and it seems to be a never-ending problem.

It is said at the Department of Agriculture that it is not uncommon to find persons addicted to the use of medicated soft drinks, and that many factory employes, stenographers, typewriters, and others subject to mental or nervous strain spend a large part of their earnings for drinks of this character. It is also stated that life insurance companies are considering the status of soft-drink habitues as future risks.

Dr. F. L. Baldwin, who is acting chief during the absence of Dr. Wiley, is of the opinion that more of the alleged harmful soft drinks are used in the South than are consumed in the North and East. "Though," he added, "the medicated soft drinks are used everywhere."

MAN'S DUTY TO SOCIETY.

Rev. Paul R. Hickok Addresses Gathering at the Y. M. C. A.

Addresses by Rev. Paul R. Hickok and Myron J. Jones, educational director of the Y. M. C. A., marked the exercises held at the association building yesterday afternoon, followed by the usual strangers' tea, when visitors to the association were welcomed.

Pointing out the duties of man to society, Rev. Mr. Hickok declared that "if a man is a Christian he dares not separate himself from society." He warned the members against living in seclusion, and urged them to look out not only for their own social development but that of their neighbors also.

Mr. Jones pleaded for more active participation in church prayer services by the laymen.

Mrs. Clara R. Crook Buried.

Funeral services for Mrs. Clara R. Crook, who died Thursday night at her home, 1473 Park road northwest, were held yesterday. Dr. R. L. Wright, of Hagerstown, Md., officiated at the home, and the services at Glenwood Cemetery were under the direction of Naomi Lodge, Order of the Eastern Star.

ALUMNI TO HONOR FOUNDER OF G. U.

Statue Will Be Erected to Archbishop Carroll.

UNVEILING NEXT JANUARY

Memorial Will Be Placed in Front of University Building and Expense Borne by Graduates Scattered in All Parts of Country. Sculptor to Be Decided Upon Soon.

The memory of Archbishop Carroll, founder of Georgetown University, will be commemorated by a statue to be erected in front of the University Building. While complete arrangements have not been made, it has been decided to erect a bronze statue with a marble base. The expense will be borne by the alumni association, and the contract let to the lowest bidder.

It is expected the statue will be unveiled by January 21, 1912, which is founders' day and the birthday of Archbishop Carroll. Hope was expressed last evening that funds will be raised within a short time, and the sculptor will be decided upon then. Alumni all over the country are interested in the movement.

Prominent Among Statues.

Charles J. Murphy, secretary of the committee which is in charge of the plans, said last night: "We confidently expect the statue to be prominent among the statuary of the Capital, and not only do justice to, but honor the memory of the subject."

Arrangements have been made to place the statue in the most prominent spot on the university grounds, directly in front of the main building. A small round plot near the north door of the building has been selected.

Archbishop Carroll was a leading figure in the United States when he started the movement for the founding of Georgetown University, at which time Georgetown was a thriving port, and the plans for the city of Washington had not been made. A member of the famous Carroll family of Maryland, which had a great part in the affairs of the nation after the republic was formed, Archbishop Carroll had the distinction of being the first bishop to be appointed in Baltimore to the Pope.

The officers of the committee in charge consist of Rev. Joseph J. Himmel, S. J., president of Georgetown University, chairman; George E. Hamilton, vice president; Rev. John A. Conway, S. J., treasurer, and Charles J. Murphy, secretary.

BAND CONCERTS TO-DAY.

By United States Marine Band Orchestra, William H. Santelmann, leader, at barracks, 3 p. m.

PROGRAMME.

Overture, "Mignon" ..... Thomas
Unfinished symphony, in B minor ..... Schubert
(a) Allegro moderato.
(b) Andante con moto.
Waltz, "Gold and Silver" ..... Lehar
Flute solo, "Good Night, Sweet Child" ..... Popp
Musician Robert E. Seel
Obligato for cello, flute and cello ..... Massenet
(a) Dream of the Virgin, the Crusaders.
Symphonic poem, "The Spinning Wheel," Saint-Saens

By United States Soldiers' Home Band, John S. M. Zimmermann, director, Stanley Hall, 3:30 o'clock.

PROGRAMME.

Overture, "Stradella" ..... Flotow
"A Dedication," melodie in Ab ..... Zimmermann
Grand selection, "La Gioconda" ..... Ponchielli
Patrol, "The American" ..... Meacham
Excerpts from "The Fair Co-Ed" ..... Leidera
Finale, "International" ..... Roberts
"The Star Spangled Banner."

CHURCH HAS BIRTHDAY.

Rev. G. Ellis Williams Thanks Members for Their Co-operation.

Services in celebration of the first anniversary of Lincoln Avenue M. E. Church were held yesterday, when large congregations heard W. E. Andrews, Auditor of the Treasury, deliver a sermon last night, and Rev. Henry N. Couden, Chaplain of the House of Representatives, at the morning service.

Mr. Andrews made a vigorous appeal for "Leadership," urging the congregation to learn the value of individual life as exemplified by Washington, Lincoln, and McKinley along the truly great Christian lines.

Rev. G. Ellis Williams, pastor of the church, in a brief address, thanked the congregation for their co-operation and support.

At the morning service Rev. Mr. Couden preached a strong, practical sermon, appealing to the congregation to make the church the whole object of their pride and zeal.

AGED TREASURY CLERK DIES.

Waldemar E. Bendz Will Be Buried Near Beltsville, Md.

Waldemar T. Bendz, aged seventy-six years, a clerk in the Treasury Department, died at his home, near Beltsville, Md., yesterday from neuralgia of the heart. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at St. John's Episcopal Church, Beltsville, and burial will be made in the church graveyard.

Mr. Bendz was born July 22, 1836, at Copenhagen, Denmark, and came to New York City when eighteen years old. He enlisted in the First New York Volunteer Infantry at the outbreak of the civil war, and after the expiration of his term entered the government service. For over forty-six years Mr. Bendz has been law and docket clerk in the office of the Solicitor of the Treasury.

He is survived by one son, Waldemar E. Bendz, jr., and two daughters, Mrs. Samuel Beall and Miss Flossie Bendz.

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CHESS TOURNEY WINNER.

JOSE R. CAPABLANCA.

Youngest contestant in the international chess master's tournament at San Sebastian, Spain, who captured the first prize of 5,000 francs by drawing his game with M. Vidmar, of Prague, in the final round. It was a stirring encounter, in view of the fact that chief honors depended upon the outcome, for, by winning it Vidmar would have snatched the prize from Capablanca. The young champion is a Cuban, and holds the chess championship of his native land.

POLICE SEARCHING FOR INCENDIARIES

Chief Wagner Asks that the Guilty Parties Be Caught.

Four plain clothes men of the Fifth precinct, together with the usual squad of policemen, are scouring the southeast section of Washington in an effort to apprehend the person or persons responsible for many small fires in the last two weeks.

Capt. Mulhall spent several hours last night in trying to obtain a clew to the firebugs who have worked between the hours of 8 and 10 o'clock in the evening, but his efforts were of no avail. Three small fires occurred in that section Saturday, and all of them were started from the outside. The flames were confined to sheds, and little damage was done.

Chief Wagner said last night that the fires were the source of much annoyance to the department, and that the police had been asked to catch the guilty parties.

"The fires were all of incendiary origin," said Chief Wagner. "The fact that the fires started from the outside is sufficient for us to say they were set on fire with a purpose, but when men are seen running from the place it makes it doubly sure the fires were the work of firebugs."

WILLIAM S. ALLEN DEAD.

Brilliant Young Attorney Will Be Buried This Afternoon.

William S. Allen, aged thirty-eight, a lawyer, died Saturday night at 912 S street northwest, the home of his father-in-law, Clarendon Smith.

His home was in Parkersburg, W. Va. He had been city attorney of that city, and was a protege of the late Senator Elkins. He was a rising young politician, and considered a possible candidate for Congress from his district. During the last campaign he was chairman of the Republican State central committee. He had practiced before the Supreme Court, and spent much time in Washington. He was a graduate of Columbian University Law School, this city; College of Oratory, Toronto, and of the University of West Virginia, Morgantown.

Mr Allen was married six years ago to Miss Julia Smith, a prominent young society girl of Washington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarendon Smith, of 912 S street northwest, the latter an active worker in the D. A. R.

He had suffered for years from diabetes, which caused his death. The funeral will be from the Smith residence this afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Mr. Allen divided his time and practice between Washington and Parkersburg. He had been an active politician for years, and made an enviable reputation for himself as an orator.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Washington, Monday, March 19, 1911—8 p. m.

Attending a trough of low pressure which extended at 8 p. m. Sunday night from the Middle States to Northwestern Ontario, rain or snow has fallen over New England and the Middle States, and rain is also reported from the South Atlantic and East Gulf States, with some scattered snow flurries over the Lake region; elsewhere the weather has been generally fair. Thunderstorms have been reported from the South Atlantic and East Gulf States. There has been a general rise in temperature over nearly all districts.

Local Temperature.

Midnight, 38; 2 a. m., 38; 4 a. m., 36; 6 a. m., 36; 8 a. m., 35; 10 a. m., 39; 12 noon, 36; 2 p. m., 37; 4 p. m., 36; 6, p. m., 36; 8 p. m., 36; 10 p. m., 35. Maximum, 38; minimum, 34.

Relative humidity, 8 a. m., 75; 8 p. m., 89. Rainfall (8 p. m. to 8 p. m.), 0.22; hours of sunshine, 0; per cent of possible sunshine, 0.

Temperature same date last year—Maximum, 66; minimum, 33.

Temperatures in Other Cities.

Temperatures in other cities, together with the amount of rainfall for the twenty-four hours ended at 8 p. m. yesterday, are as follows:

	Max.	Min.	8 p. m.	Rainfall.
Asheville, N. C.	54	44	52	0.22
Atlanta, Ga.	60	56	56	0.50
Atlantic City, N. J.	46	32	44	0.42
Bismarck, N. Dak.	42	24	30	....
Boston, Mass.	42	32	36	0.04
Buffalo, N. Y.	40	34	34	....
Chicago, Ill.	32	28	48	....
Cincinnati, Ohio	60	36	54	....
Cheyenne, Wyo.	62	34	58	....
Davenport, Iowa	54	36	50	....
Denver, Colo.	66	34	62	....
Des Moines, Iowa	58	34	56	....
Galveston, Tex.	70	60	68	1.20
Helena, Mont.	62	44	60	....
Indianapolis, Ind.	56	36	50	....
Jacksonville, Fla.	78	60	66	0.14
Kansas City, Mo.	64	36	62	....
Little Rock, Ark.	70	46	66	....
Los Angeles, Cal.	62	54	58	....
Marquette, Mich.	44	30	40	....
Memphis, Tenn.	68	44	64	0.20
New Orleans, La.	70	64	64	0.32
New York, N. Y.	42	34	42	0.38
North Platte, Nebr.	70	28	64	....
Omaha, Nebr.	66	34	62	....
Pittsburg, Pa.	48	32	44	0.01
Portland, Me.	36	32	36	....
Portland, Oreg.	70	42	70	....
Salt Lake City, Utah	56	38	54	....
St. Louis, Mo.	52	40	46	....
St. Paul, Minn.	34	32	32	....
San Francisco, Cal.	56	48	52	....
Springfield, Ill.	56	34	52	....
Tacoma, Wash.	56	—	56	....
Tampa, Fla.	80	60	70	....
Toledo, Ohio	52	38	48	....
Vicksburg, Miss.	68	38	66	0.36

Tide Table.

To-day—High tide, 11:37; low tide, 6:03 a. m. and 6:42 p. m.

To-morrow—High tide, 12:27 a. m. and 12:39 p. m.; low tide, 6:48 a. m. and 7:28 p. m.

CONCERT BEST EVER

Saengerbund Scores Hit of Its Existence.

BOY VIOLINIST WINS HONORS

Elias Breeskin, Russian Youth, Earns Hearty Applause—Solo Parts Well Executed—Arion Gesangverein to Give Concert To-night Under Direction of Karl Holer.

Last night's second public concert of the Washington Saengerbund at the New National Theater shaped itself into a glorious finale to one of the most successful and artistically best arranged and conducted seasons this organization has experienced since its foundation over sixty years ago.

Music and song are the divine attributes of the human soul. They are a prayer and a benefaction, and it is for these reasons that the rules of Lent did not in the least interfere with the attendance, which was most flattering, so far as size was concerned, and was also in a most happy temper.

The programme was composed of numbers by such masters as Niels Gade, Beschnitt, Wieniawski, Bellini, Engelhardt, Vieuxtemps, Delibes, Johann Strauss, David, and Paganini, and their song and tone poetry was interpreted by the male chorus of seventy of the Saengerbund, assisted by the Washington Symphony Orchestra, each member of which well-known organization is an artist and musical genius, and the solo parts were sung by Mr. Macfarlane Brockett, tenor, Mr. Thomas A. Murray, barytone; Mme. Norelli, the famous soprano of the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, and Master Elias Breeskin, the violin prodigy, had been specially engaged for special numbers. The concert was under the direction of Prof. Heinrich Hammer, the musical director of the bund.

Breeskin Wins Applause.

Unstinted praise should be bestowed upon the art and genius of Elias Breeskin, a fifteen-year-old boy in knickerbockers, whose violin solos were gems of inspiration and specimens of technical perfection. Appearing rather ill at ease and with a countenance which did not in the least betray any emotions, this young Russian played some of the most difficult numbers with an ease and grace and depth of understanding, as well as correctness of interpretation, seldom heard on any concert stage in this city. He was enthusiastically applauded, and responded with a number of encores.

Mme. Norelli, nothwithstanding that she suffered with cold, sang her numbers highly satisfactorily. She has a sweet and cultured voice, and masters most difficult parts with truthfulness of tone and splendid execution. Mme. Norelli made a favorable impression, especially with the "Bell Song," from "Lakme," by Delibes. She responded with an encore.

The work of the Washington Symphony Orchestra hardly needs any words of encomium. This organization is sufficiently well known to the concert-going public of this city as to need no further comment.

The Saengerbund chorus, under the direction of Prof. Hammer, has experienced a great improvement so far as its singing is concerned. Its harmonies are beautiful, shading and phrasing is well nigh perfect, and enunciation and interpretation are greatly improved.

The solos of Mr. Brockett and Mr. Murray were sung in a beautiful manner.

The Programme.

The following programme was presented:

Nachklange an Ossian, overture ..... Niels Gade
Orchestra.
Ossian ..... Beschnitt
Washington Saengerbund.
Soloists: Mr. Macfarlane Brockett, tenor, and Mr. Thomas A. Murray, barytone.
Concerto in D minor ..... H. Wieniawski
Master Elias Breeskin and Orchestra.
"Casta Diva, from "Norma" ..... Bellini
Mme. Norelli and Orchestra.
Mutterzähre ..... Engelhardt
Washington Saengerbund.
Barytone solo, Mr. Thomas A. Murray.
Andante fantasia appassionata ..... Vieuxtemps
Etude in E major ..... Paganini
Master Elias Breeskin and Orchestra.
Bellsong, "Lakme" ..... Delibes
Mme. Noedelli and Orchestra.
An der schonen, blauen Donau, valse ..... Joh. Strauss
Washington Saengerbund and Orchestra.

The officers of the Saengerbund are: President, Albert Leiger; vice president, H. A. Schoenemann; corresponding and financial secretary, A. Brauner; recording secretary, R. Brauner; treasurer, Frederick Gerk; musical director, Heinrich Hammer; librarian, William Bannerman; directors, Charles H. Bauman, J. P. Redeker, G. H. Schultze, John Waldman, Dr. L. A. Walker, and Karl Xander.

The Programme.

The Arion Gesangverein, under the direction of Karl Holer, will give the following programme at its concert, followed by a ball, this evening in the National Rifles Armory:

Mrs. Roma Dewsnne Hempstead, contralto; Mr. Richard Lorleberg, violoncellist; Mr. Thomas A. Murray, barytone.
PROGRAMME.
Choruses, (a) "Staedtlein Trauf" (Bergmueller); (b) "Mie Mutter mag mi nit" (Folk Song)
Arion Gesangverein.
'Cello solos, (a) Albumblatt (Henriques); (b) Saltarello (Lindner), Mr. Lorleberg.
Contralto solo, "Ah, Love, but a Day" ..... Beach
Mrs. Hempstead.
Barytone solo, recitative and aria from "Don Carlo" ..... Verdi
Mr. Murray.
'Cello solos:
(a) Nocturne ..... Chopin
(b) Vito ..... Popper
Mr. Lorleberg.
Contralto solos:
(a) "Nur wer die Sehnsucht kennt" ..... Tschaikowsky
(b) "Chanson d'Amour ..... Holman
Mrs. Hempstead.
'Cello obligato: Mr. Lorleberg.

Seif-el Din Improving.

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DIED.

BRUMMELKAMP—On Saturday, March 18, 1911, at 2 a. m., at her residence, 1103 Seventeenth street northwest, DAISY R., beloved wife of Harold J. Brummelkamp, and daughter of Lyman P. and Minnie G. Sterne.

Funeral from her late residence, Monday, March 20, at 2 p. m.

BURGESS—On Saturday, March 18, 1911, at 7 a. m., at his residence, 206 W street northwest, CHARLES H., aged twenty-three years, beloved husband of Nellie Burgess (nee Sussan).

Requiem high mass at St. Martin's Church at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning. Friends and relatives invited.

Gone in the best of his days;
Blighted in manhood's bloom;
Torn from the hearts that loved him
To sleep in the silent tomb;
From the wells of our hearts arise
tears of regret,
Though he sleep 'neath the sod, we
can never forget.
—By his mother, sister, and brother.

COSTELLO—Suddenly, on Saturday, March 18, 1910, at 10:30 a. m., ELIZABETH, beloved wife of Thomas A. Costello.

Funeral will take place from her late residence, 12 H street northeast, on Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock, thence to St. Aloysius' Church, where requiem mass will be said. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

GEOGHEGAN—On Sunday, March 19, 1911, at 10:35 p. m., at his residence, 111 Fourth street northeast, SAMUEL P., beloved husband of Phoeta A. Geoghegan (nee Belbin), aged sixty-four years.

Interment private. No flowers.

QUACKENBOSS—On Saturday, March 18, 1911, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. C. Edward Beckett, 2806 Eighteenth street northwest, Washington, D. C., ANNIE E., widow of Louis J. Quackenboss, of New York City.

SCHOEN—On Sunday morning, March 19, 1911, at 7:30 o'clock, at his residence, 1510 H street northwest, IRA D., beloved husband of Dora F. Schoen, in his twenty-seventh year.

Funeral services from Mount Royal station, Baltimore, Tuesday, March 21, at 10 a. m. Interment private. (New York Sun and Herald please copy.)

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