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Wife Avers Young Teacher Stole Love of Aged Husband

Mrs. Jeanette Bernard Charges Spouse, 77 Years Old and Wealthy Official of Pencil Company, with Kissing Charmer While Walking in Street.

Special to The Washington Herald.

New York, Feb. 2.—Mrs. Jeanette Bernard, 61 years old today filed an application in the King's County Supreme Court for alimony and counsel fees pending her suit for separation from Louis Bernard, one of the wealthiest residents of Winfield, L. I.

Mrs. Bernard charges that after 24 years of married life, her husband abandoned her for a school teacher, 27 years his junior.

Mr. Bernard is 77 years old and is an official of the American Lead Pencil Company.

Mrs. Bernard asks $50 a week alimony, and $500 counsel fees. She asserts that the relations between her husband and Miss Jennie M. Thompson, a teacher in Public School No. 3., in Manhattan, "were a common scandal in Flushing."

She charges that "he kissed the teacher while they walked along the streets, and that he made her presents of paintings and other articles of value."

Mrs. Bernard calls attention to the fact that while Miss Thompson formerly lived in a "modest home," she now occupies a ten-room house in Flushing.

She says she has "been informed that her husband paid the expenses of the teacher's trip to Europe in 1912."

CONGRESS URGED TO BUY TORPEDO DEVICE

War Department Recommends Purchase of Hammond's Invention for Wireless Control of Explosives.

The War Department has asked Congress to purchase the invention of John Hays Hammond, jr., for wireless control of torpedoes for $987,000. Congress last year failed to appropriate the money for the same purpose, but Mr. Hammond refused to negotiate with foreign governments.

A joint board of the army and navy, consisting of Gens. Weaver and Crozier Admirals Benson and Strauss, and Capt. W. H. G. Bullard, held a meeting yesterday and considered plans for putting the proposed system of torpedo control from shore stations in force. The invention is regarded in army and navy circles as essentially one for coast defense.

Stations at all the big coast cities will be equipped with apparatus from which torpedoes may be launched and directed by wireless with unerring accuracy, contingent of course, on the consent of Congress to purchase the invention.

Confidence is felt that the appropriation will be provided. Representative Swager Sherley, of the Committee on Appropriations, is expected to make a favorable report on the recommendation to purchase the torpedo wireless director.

MANY WOMEN KILLED IN ZEPPELIN RAID

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culty in dropping bombs in the vicinity of the large buildings.

Missionary Killed.

"In a meeting house a mission for women was proceeding. A woman missionary was standing, Bible in hand, addressing 200 women and girls when a bomb dropped within twenty feet of the mission room, which was of wood. There was a blinding flash and then all was darkness.

"The missionary was struck by a huge fragment of shell and killed instantly. Another woman and a young girl were killed. Screams of the injured were heard and many were trampled in the confusion.

"A near-by church and the vicarage were partly wrecked, bomb splinters boring holes in the solid masonry.

"Some of the victims were killed as they hurried through the streets. A woman and her child lost their lives together. Both the legs of another woman were blown off.

"A man hearing the whirr of the engines was going to his garden to watch the airships when a bomb fell at his feet. A fragment struck his head and he died immediately. His child who was following him was also struck. The boy ran back to the house, crying to his mother:

"'They killed my daddy. Look what they done to me.'"

Boy's Arm Severed.

"The boy's left arm was severed as with a knife.

"A woman nursing a baby was buried up to her neck in debris, only her face being visible. She was badly crushed but alive. A heavy beam had fallen across her body, protecting her. The child was dead.

"A church and a congregational chapel were badly damaged, a parish room was wrecked and fourteen houses were demolished and a great number damaged.

"At two places, railway property was damaged. Two factories, neither of military importance and a brewery, were badly damaged. Slight damage was done to two or three other factories.

"The number of bombs discovered exceeds 300."

Exhibit Opens Tomorrow.

In an effort to interest the producers of the United States in the trade of South America, the Department of Commerce tomorrow will open an exhibit at the New Willard. The exhibit will contain the articles in greatest demand in South and Central American countries.

SLUSH DOES NOT MAR Y. W. C. A. CLUB PARTY

Fifty Young Women Travel Through Sleety Streets and Attend Birthday Event at Headquarters.

Fifty young Washington business women dressed up in their best duds and trudged through the hail and slush last night to the headquarters of the Young Women's Christian Association to attend a birthday party.

It was a big celebration—that of the seventh anniversary of the founding of the Round Table Club, to which all fifty young women belong.

The club was presented with a handsome centerpiece by Mrs. Perry S. Heath. It was in the form of a candy rose, standing more than a foot high. At the close of the dinner, the young women ate the petals. Miss Albertina Cook is president of the club.

The golden jubilee celebration of the founding of the national association will be continued all this month. Members will be tendered a reception at the Congressional Club tomorrow afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock. Mrs. Robert Lansing, wife of the Secretary of State, will be in the receiving line. Mrs. Josephus Daniels, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, will preside at the tea table.

LIQUOR DEALERS FIRE SHOTS AT "DRY" BILLS

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saloon keepers of Washington having to put the sign "closed" on their doors.

In a short speech of introduction, Hugh F. Harvey, toastmaster, declared that without their aid prohibition, both for the District and nation, would have become a law. With their assistance, he said, the people of the District will have another breathing spell.

Other Representatives addressing the banqueters were Representatives Gordon, of Ohio; Coney, of New York; Gallagher, of Illinois; Holbert, of New York; McAndrews, of Illinois; McDermott, of Illinois; former Representative Hill, of Illinois; prominent members of the association, Clinton Wunder, manager of the publicity bureau of the National Wholesale Liquor Dealers' Association, and Levi Cooke, of the National Wholesale Liquor Dealers' Association.

Elimination of the cabaret, discontinuance of the bucket or "growler' trade, issuance of licenses only to American citizens of good character and a vigorous crusade on the part of wholesale and retail liquor dealers to resist prohibition, were urged in resolutions adopted at the session of the association at the New Willard yesterday.

The association also adopted resolutions looking to the improvement in the liquor trade. These resolutions include stoppage of objectionable practices, complete cleanliness and sanitation and refusal of service to habitual drunkards and intoxicated persons.

Resolutions condemning the Sheppard bill and the Hobson bill as being unconstitutional are expected to be presented and passed at the morning session of the convention today.

The members of the association voted unanimously to adopt resolutions looking to improvement in the liquor business calling for the suppression of any licensed business connected directly or indirectly with any disorderly or gambling house.

Ridicules Significance.

In a speech before the convention yesterday Clinton Wunder, publicity manager and representative of the National Wholesale Liquor Dealers' Association, declared that despite the fact that 19 States have prohibition laws, the official receipts from spirits during October 1915 were $14,574,710.08, as compared with $11,067,092.73 for the month of the preceeding year.

Fred Piel, president of the National Brewers' Association, addressed the convention yesterday afternoon.

Rifle Club Elects Officers.

The rifle club recently organized among employes of the State, War, and Navy Departments has elected these officers: W. H. P. Leitch, president; Michael D. Schaefer, vice president; W. A. Storm, secretary; and A. R. Hodgkins, treasurer.

TEACHERS MUST PAY JUST DEBTS

Board of Education Considers Rule and Refers Question to Committee.

Local public school teachers will be forced to pay their "just debts" promptly, if a recommendation offered yesterday by Henry P. Blair, president of the Board of Education, is acted upon favorably by the board.

A symposium on "dead beats" was held yesterday afternoon at the Franklin School at a regular meeting of the board. No particular complaints were cited nor were any specific cases of teachers having side-stepped debts mentioned. It was just a discussion in the abstract, but there was the intimation that the matter deserved serious consideration.

Colored Boys Can Use Armory.

Mr. Blair moved that the board use its power to force employes to "pay just bills for necessities." The matter was referred to the rules and by-laws committee for consideration.

The board of education received a report from the superintendent on the changes and transfers incident to the new plan of consolidation of buildings and school divisions inaugurated February 1.

The board adopted a recommendation of the military committee granting the colored high school cadets the board's authority to practice rifle shooting in the National Guard Armory. The drill will be under the supervision of school teachers and will be on Saturday nights. Announcement was made of the resignation of Frank Garner, member of the school's battalion of colored cadets, from the first lieutenancy.

Transfers and Changes.

The superintendent's report on transfers and changes was adopted as follows:

Consolidation into a school group of the Jefferson School and the Amidon School, eighth division, to be known as the Jefferson-Amidon School, eighth division.

Consolidation into a school group of the Henry School and the Polk School, fourth division, to be known as the Henry-Polk School, fourth division.

Consolidation into a school group of the Wallach School and the Towers School, seventh division, to be known as the Wallach-Towers School, seventh division.

Appoint G. W. Hodgkins, teacher, temporarily.

Detail G. W. Hodgkins, teacher at the Eastern High School, temporarily.

Detail Miss E. E. Green, teacher at the Central High School, temporarily.

Appoint Dorothy Kalb teacher at the Wilson Normal School.

Appoint M. B. Crans teacher at the Central High School.

Grant leave of absence for one year, for educational purposes, to E. M. Hill, teacher at Central High School.

Appoint J. H. Hildebrand, teacher at the Central High School, temporary.

Promote N. A. Aitcheson, teacher, second to third grade, and transfer from the Ludlow to the Wheatley School, sixth division.

Transfer M. G. Humphreys, teacher, from Hayes to Ludlow School, sixth division.

Appoint H. D. West, teacher second grade, Hayes School.

Transfer R. D. Standiford, teacher Wheatley School, sixth division, to S. J. Brown School, eighth division.

Transfer O. L. Allen, teacher S. J. Brown School, eighth division, to Cranch School, ninth division.

Appoint Edyth Gilbert teacher Wheatley School, sixth division.

Transfer S. L. Pulizzi, teacher Adams School to Force School, first division.

Transfer Ada Burgdorf, teacher Force School, first division, to Grant School, eighth division.

Transfer H. W. Merriam, teacher Grant School, eighth grade, and transfer from Grant School to

Promote A. A. Clarke, teacher fourth grade, to fifth grade, Elizabeth V. Brown School, first division.

Promote S. B. Desses, teacher of second grade, to third grade, Elizabeth V. Brown School, first division.

Grant leave of absence for one year for purposes of study, to Loraine MacFarlane, teacher John Eaton School, second division.

Transfer M. L. Coon, from Takoma School to John Eaton School, and promote from kindergarten assistant to kindergarten principal.

Appoint L. D. Crittenden, kindergarten assistant, Takoma School.

Promote S. R. Craighill, teacher seventh grade to eight grade, and transfer from Grant School to Henry-Polk group.

Promote E. M. Crook, teacher sixth grade to seventh grade, and transfer from Weightman School to Grant School.

Promote F. C. Mortimer, teacher seventh grade to eighth grade, and transfer from Dennison School to Wallach-Towers group.

Promote J. L. Langille, teacher sixth grade to seventh grade, and transfer from Petworth School to Dennison School.

Promote Frankanna Connolly, teacher fifth grade to sixth grade, and transfer from Monroe School to West Point.

Transfer B. A. Yoder, teacher Edmonds School to Monroe School.

Promote R. M. Harrison, teacher fourth grade to fifth grade, Edmonds School.

Promote E. Baker, teacher first grade to third grade, and transfer from Henry-Polk group to Edmonds School.

Appoint L. B. Hellen teacher first grade, Henry-Polk group.

Appoint Ruth Hutson teacher first grade, Takoma School.

Promote A. A. Nevitt, teacher fourth grade to fifth grade, and transfer from West School to Brightwood School.

Promote Mary McEntyre, teacher third grade to fourth grade, and transfer from Woodburn School to West School.

Promote Jane Meiklejohn, teacher first grade to third grade, Woodburn School.

Transfer A. L. Richardson, teacher at Brightwood Park to Woodburn School.

Transfer Isabel Clark, teacher at Grant School to Brightwood Park School.

Transfer M. E. Bowen, teacher at Gage School to Petworth School.

Promote M. H. Craig, teacher fourth grade to fifth grade, and transfer from Gales School to Gage School.

Grant leave of absence for one year for educational purposes, to Pauline Mueden, teacher sixth grade, Madison School.

Transfer E. M. Clark, teacher Bowl School, to Madison School.

Promote L. W. Irvine, teacher fourth grade to fifth grade, and transfer from Wheatley to the Blow School.

Promote Ethel Browne, teacher third grade to fourth grade, and transfer from the Webb to the Wheatley School.

Promote G. V. Johnston, teacher first grade to third grade, and transfer from Blow School to Webb School.

Appoint E. C. Rupprecht teacher first grade, Blow School.

Promote I. H. Childress, teacher third grade to fourth grade, and transfer from the Gage to the Blake School.

Transfer A. L. Willis, teacher Blake School to the Gales School.

Promote M. D. Jack, teacher second grade to third grade, Gage School.

Appoint Rose Brill teacher Gage School.

Transfer M. Edna Morgan, from the Webster to the Thompson School.

Transfer M. F. Marsden, teacher Emery School to the Eckington School.

Transfer M. J. Strudley, teacher, Tyler School to the Emery School.

Appoint L. A. Green teacher first grade, Tyler School.

Transfer S. K. Hollingsworth, from Corcoran School to Fillmore School, and promote from the fifth to the sixth grade.

Transfer Florence Hayden, teacher at ddison School, to Corcoran School.

Promote A. E. Murphy, teacher fourth grade to fifth grade, and transfer from the Jackson to the Reservoir School.

Transfer E. E. Michaelson, teacher Reservoir School, to Jackson School.

Appoint E. F. Sleman teacher Central High School.

Transfer E. E. Green, teacher Central High School, to Grant School.

Terminate temporary appointment of F. T. Moore, teacher Grant School.

Promote E. E. Green, teacher class three to class 5, temporarily.

Appoint, temporarily, F. T. Moore, teacher Grant School.

Accept resignation of M. A. Green, teacher Congress Heights School.

Transfer H. M. White, teacher, from Cranch School to Congress Heights School.

Promote H. B. Masson, teacher first grade, to third grade, Cranch School.

Transfer V. L. Cator, teacher, Tyler School, to Cranch School.

Transfer Marian Larner, teacher, Cranch School, to Tyler School.

Promote M. E. Wood, teacher sixth grade, to seventh grade, and transfer from Buchanan School to Cranch school.

Transfer J. F. Dugan, teacher, Randle Highlands School, to Buchanan School.

Promote M. D. Riggles, teacher, fifth grade, to sixth grade, and transfer from the Lenox School to the Randle Highlands School.

Promote B. H. Pyles, teacher, fourth grade, to fifth grade, and transfer from the Van Buren School to the Lenox School.

Promote S. V. Owen, teacher, third grade, to fourth grade, and transfer from the Lenox School to the Van Buren School.

Promote H. W. Morsell, teacher, second grade, to third grade, and transfer from the Orr School to the Lenox School.

Appoint Marjorie Emory, teacher, second grade, Orr School.

Transfer M. L. Smith, teacher and principal, Amidon School, to Blow School.

Transfer M. W. Cameron, teacher, seventh grade and principal, Henry School, to teacher, eighth grade and principal, West School.

Transfer Mary Lacker, teacher and principal, Polk School, to Dennison School.

Transfer H. W. Draper, teacher and principal, Monroe School, to Henry-Polk Group.

Transfer Blanche Beckham, teacher and principal, West School, to the Monroe School.

Transfer A. P. Stromberger, teacher and principal, Towers School, to Adams School.

Close class in mathematics at the McKinley Night School.

Discontinue services of James O'Connel, teacher of mathematics, McKinley Night School.

Close class in electricity at the McKinley Night School.

Discontinue services of Dr. A. D. Holmes, teacher in electricity, McKinley Night School.

Appoint D. A. Macdonald, teacher of typewriting, Business Night School, temporarily.

Appoint E. C. Peyton teacher, Cardoza School, temporarily.

Transfer D. A. Bundy, teacher, Cook School, to Langston School.

Transfer K. McAmbler, teacher, Slater School, to Cook School.

Transfer L. M. Murdock, teacher, Langston School, to Slater School.

Grant leave of absence for four months to Miss Ellen Truman.

Accept resignation of William Tolliver, caretaker at the Armstrong and M Street High portables.

Appoint J. R. Haywood caretaker at the Armstrong and M Street High portables.

Appoint W. F. Magruder substitute teacher in the colored elementary night schools.

Appoint Miss C. G. Smythe substitute teacher in the colored elementary night schools.

Appoint Mrs. C. G. Tompkins substitute teacher in the colored elementary schools.

Appoint Mrs. C. G. Tompkins substitute teacher of domestic science in the colored high and vocational schools.

DAKOTA SOCIETY ELECTS.

Association of North State Natives Plans for Annual Banquet.

John M. Hancock, paymaster U. S. N., was elected president of the North Dakota Association of the District of Columbia at a general meeting of the association in the Senate Office Building last night. Other officers chosen were James Thompson, vice president; Joseph Miller, secretary and treasurer.

The society, which is one of the oldest in the District, made plans to hold its annual banquet at the New Ebbitt Hotel on the night of February 22. In addition to addresses by members of Congress from North Dakota, there will be a musical and literary program.

SEEK DELAY ON HEATING PLANT

Commerce Chamber Directors Think Giant Stacks Will Mar Capital's Beauty.

A resolution condemning the "unsightliness" of the proposed government heating and lighting plant, at Fourteenth and Water streets southwest, and asking Congress to hold up work on the building until a new location has been selected or the design of the structure has been changed, was adopted last night by the board of directors of the Washington Chamber of Commerce.

The resolution declares the proposed plant, with its four stacks, each 195 feet in height, will mar the beauty of the Mall, the views of Washington from the Capitol, the Virginia shores, and will detract from the beauty in general of such structures as the Lincoln Memorial, Washington Monument and departmental buildings. In addition, the smoke from the stacks probably would destroy or injure the foliage of the Mall and Potomac Park, says the paper. The resolution was introduced by Architect Glen Brown.

The directors voted to appropriate $100 for the Charities Endorsement Committee. A challenge from the Tax Reform Association for a joint debate on the single tax was tabled.

The directors were enthusiastic about a campaign to increase the membership of the organization.

President Moran announced these committee chairmen for the year: Louis Ottenberg, membership; Isaac Gans, buildings; Joseph Berberich, manufacturers; R. J. Earnshaw, wholesale trade, Joseph Strasburger, retail trade; A. Leftwich Sinclair, law and legislation; H. H. Glassie, municipal legislation; Albert Schulteis, Ancostia Flats; A. P. Clark, jr., building industries; W. T. Galliher, charities; H. B. F. McFarland, District finance; John F. Slaven, House committee; John G. Capers, parks, highways and bridges; R. P. Andrews, publicity; Dr. Lewis J. Battle, public health; Charles W. Clagett, public schools; John L. Newbold, transportation and freight rates.

REPLY FROM GERMANY EXPECTED HERE TODAY

Answer in Lusitania Case Will Not Be Known, However, Until Wilson Returns.

Germany's final answer to the American demands in the Lusitania controversy is expected to reach Washington today. Whether the answer is to lead to a formal settlement or to a break in the diplomatic relations between the United States and Germany is expected to be known definitely after President Wilson returns to Washington tomorrow and has opportunity to examine it.

On the eve of the arrival of the new memorandum German Embassy officials profess confidence that it will meet the wishes of the United States. In the light of the President's continued warnings in the Middle West concerning the possibilities of America being soon involved in the world war, officials of the State Department are making no predictions. They are somewhat puzzled over the press dispatches yesterday afternoon from Berlin containing the text of what purports to be a semi-official announcement made in Berlin.

According to this announcement, Germany admits that, according to advices which the Berlin foreign office received from its Ambassador in Washington last Saturday, the friendly verbal exchanges between the two governments had up to that time failed to reach a mutually satisfactory adjustment; but that yesterday the foreign office had transmitted instructions to Count von Bernstorff "which give reasonable hope for a positive understanding."

Two Killed in Explosion.

New Brunswick, N. J., Feb. 2.—Two persons were killed and four injured in an explosion of one of the boilers in the engine room of the Howe Rubber Company's plant here today. The explosion set fire to the building.

SAYS HYPHENATED WOULD HELP U. S.

Representative Kahn Tells Loyal Legion Foreign Born Would Respond to Call.

Predicting that it will not be long before Congress will be obliged to pass legislation increasing the strength of the army and navy, and defending hyphenated Americans from the charge of disloyalty, Representative Julius Kahn, of California, speaking at the thirty-fourth banquet of the District Commandery, Military Order of the Loyal Legion, at Rauscher's last night, declared that it is man's nature to fight and that no man can say when war will come.

The speaker was constantly interrupted by applause and when he declared that "now, as in the past, Americans will rush to enlist if this country is ever in danger" and that "every hyphenated American will respond to the call and shed his heart blood for his adopted country," he was greeted with a prolonged outburst of enthusiasm.

"Man is a fighting animal" said Representative Kahn. "This is manifested in the smallest children. Place two of them on the floor and give one of them a toy and the other one will try to take it away from him. Eventually the toy will stay with the stronger of the two.

"It is the same in the animal world. The birds of the air prey on one another. It is the same with the creatures of the sea and crawling, creeping things. You will not have the millineum until you change human nature and it is the duty of every loyal American to be prepared for war.

Speaking of hyphenated citizens, Representative Kahn said:

"I have no fear of the hyphenated citizen. In the first place, he did not hyphenate himself. The politician hyphenated him. Human nature always asserts itself. We Americans wouldn't care a snap of our fingers for an Englishman who didn't have a spark in his heart for his mother country engaged in this terrible struggle across the sea. Every hyphenated American will respond to the call if America is ever threatened and shed his last heart's blood in the defense of his adopted country."

Senator Wesley L. Jones, of Washington responded to the toast, "The Soldier's of the Republic" and pictured over again the achievements of the defenders of America in past wars.

The speechmaking was inaugurated with the presentation of the colors to Brig., Gen. Edward A. Godwin, U. S. A., commander; Rear Admiral Colby M. Chester, U. S. N., senior vice commander; Second Lieut. Stanton J. Peelle, U. S. V., junior vice commander; First Lieut. Thomas H. McKee, U. S. V. recorder; Lieut. William B. Thompson, U. S. V., treasurer; Lieut. Col. George Robinson, U. S. A.; "The Council, Passed Assistant Engineer John T. Smith, U. S. N.; Second Lieut. Sheridan Ferree, U. S. V., second class; Arthur A. Birney, Capt. Howard L. Prince, U. S. V., and Second Lieut. Francis B. Wheaton, U. S. V.

MIDDIES WHO "FLUNK" ASK TO BE REINSTATED

Many of 260 Students Failing in Mid-Year Exams Plead for Another Chance.

Frankly admitting that their downfall came about by reason of their inability to get hold of any advance "dope" on the questions to be asked, large numbers of the 260 midshipmen who failed to pass their mid-year examinations at the Naval Academy have appealed to Secretary Daniels for another chance to make good.

Secretary Daniels has left their fate to a special board of officers, now making an investigation at the Academy, but members of Congress who have carried the appeals to him are hopeful that he will find a way to give the more deserving boys another opportunity.

Many of the Senators who have visited him have taken the position that, inasmuch as the Navy is in need of more officers, the Secretary should give every consideration to the fact that the recent examinations were the first at which the advance "dope" sheets were not available.

Abolition of the "dope" system was brought about as a result of the "gouging" scandal at Annapolis last spring, when a number of cadets, some of them members of the graduating class, were found guilty of having made improper use of the "dope." Previous to that, many of the instructors had indicated to the boys in advance of examination the general character of the questions to be asked.

At the Navy Department yesterday afternoon it was stated that the examinations were on a par with those of last year.

NEGRO "HYDROPLANES" AUTO INTO MID-CANAL

Workmen Fish Driver Out of Water, After Which He's Pinched for Running Car While Soused.

An attempt to convert an automobile delivery truck into a hydroplane ended unfortunately in two ways for Harry Strother, colored, 23, yesterday. Strother and the truck landed in the middle of the Chesapeake and Ohio canal in ten feet of water, following which police of the Seveth precinct arrested him on a charge of operating an automobile while intoxicated. The truck was still in the canal at a late hour last night.

Strother was operating a delivery car for R. Lee Horton, a grocer at 7232 M street northwest. In the road along the canal opposite College pond, near Georgetown University grounds, he crashed through the barricade at the water's edge.

Strother and the automobile were submerged. About half-way between the banks, Strother climbed out. Workmen along the bank pulled him ashore with a rope.

Want No Garden Seeds But Vote for Defense

Representative Gordon, who is an outspoken opponent of President Wilson's national defense bills, has just received the following telegram from Harold A. McNitt, of Cleveland, Mr. Gordon's home town:

"We don't want your garden seeds, but we would like to see a little evidence of statesmanship. If your unpatriotic stand against preparedness continues, we shall kick you out of public life, and kick you so hard you will never even think of trying to get back."

CHINESE HAVE NEW YEAR.

Celestials Here Observe Day in Unostentatious Way.

So quitely that the event was known to but few in Washington, the Chinese citizens of the District yesterday celebrated the birth of another year. The unostentatious celebration was in sharp contrast to the roaring "death of Tongs" celebration of a few years ago.

A soft spoken "Gun ne fa' toy" and the response "Ho fay ki la," meaning "Happy New Year" and "Good luck," as the men and women passed each other, and the unusual scurrying from one abode to another was the only outward manifestation of the passing of the old year.

BRANDEIS FIGHT GROWS BITTER

Formidable Opposition to Confirmation Expected Before Judiciary Committee.

A vigorous fight on the nomination of Louis D. Brandeis, nominated by the President for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, will begin today at 11 o'clock before a subcommittee of the Senate Judiciary Committee. The opposition to the confirmation of Mr. Brandeis has assumed formidable proportions. The charges, although not specific and formal, are direct and apparently serious.

Several accusing persons are already in Washington prepared to go before the committee and make charges that affect the professional work of Mr. Brandeis as an attorney. Senator Lodge turned over to the subcommittee yesterday several letters and telegrams received from responsible persons in New England suggesting lines of inquiry for the subcommittee. Senator Weeks admitted that he had received many protests of like character.

Most of the charges against Mr. Brandeis question his conception of professional ethics. One of the most specific and formal charges yet lodged against Mr. Brandeis is that of Clifford Thorne, a member of the Iowa Railway Commission, who is now in Washington and will be before the committee tomorrow. Mr. Thorne charges Mr. Brandeis with bad faith while representing the Interstate Commerce Commission in opposition to the appeal of the Western railroads for a 5 per cent increase in rates.

It is expected that upon the showing made by Mr. Thorne will depend the attitude of most of the Northwestern Progressive Senators. One of the Republican Senators who has been keeping close watch on the developments on the Republican side said this afternoon that the progressive Republican support of Brandeis had dwindled to two—Senators La Follette and Clapp and that he doubted if more than three Republican Senators would vote for confirmation.

The attitude of several Democratic Senators is still doubtful and their votes will depend, they say, upon the showing that can be made on behalf of Mr. Brandeis in refutation of the charges being showered upon the Judiciary Committee.

INQUIRY STARTED INTO MARSHALL IMPEACHMENT

Subcommittee of the House Judiciary Body Holds First Meeting to Probe Charges.

The first meeting of the subcommittee appointed by the House Judiciary Committee to inquire and report on the charges made against United States Attorney H. Snowden Marshall, of New York, and embodied in the impeachment resolution offered by Representative Buchanan, of Illinois, was held yesterday.

The Buchanan charges were grouped, and Mr. Buchanan's advice as to their relative importance was sought. After going over the matter with Robert Hill, his counsel, Representative Buchanan will prepare a statement outlining the charges in brief and indicating the relative importance of his allegations. He will also name the witnesses whom he would have appear before the subcommittee.

The subcommittee will hold most of its hearings in Washington. So far it has made no plans to go to New York, and will not do so unless it finds that the work of inquiry can be expedited by such a journey.

J. J. KEADY DIES SUDDENLY.

Lifelong Resident of Georgetown Succumbs to Heart Disease.

John J. Keady, life-long resident of Georgetown, and well known as a liquor dealer and active local Democrat, died suddenly yesterday afternoon of heart disease while in the office of Dr. Michael J. Ready, 3325 N street northwest.

Mr. Keady had been troubled with heart disease for some time and had been suffering greatly for about a month. Yesterday afternoon, while riding in his automobile, he was seized with an attack and hurried to the physician's office, where he died shortly after 5 o'clock.

Mr. Keady was about fifty-six years old and lived all his life in Georgetown. For many years he had a saloon at 3314 M street northwest. He was a member of the Costello faction of the Central Democratic Committee. He was a long-time member of Trinity Catholic Church, where requiem mass will be celebrated.

Funeral arrangements will be announced this morning. Mr. Keady leaves a widow, Mrs. Mary Keady; a son, John J. Keady; and three daughters, Misses Irene and Anna Keady and Mrs. Joseph Kuhns.

HURT IN AUTO CRASH.

E. H. Dashback, 23, of 1910 S street northwest, was seriously injured in an automobile accident at Eighteenth and S streets northwest at midnight last night.

Dashback was riding in an automobile operated by John B. Burns, 2019 R street northwest, whose automobile, going east in S street, collided with an automobile operated by George Bowie, 1657 Wisconsin avenue, going north in Eighteenth street.

Dashback was taken to Emergency Hospital, suffering from concussion of the brain and contusions.

Morgenthau on Unique Trip.

Constantinople (via Amsterdam) Feb. 2.—Henry Morgantheau, the United States Ambassador to Turkey, is the first United States official to travel on the new Berlin-Constantinople Express which has just been put in operation through the Balkans by the Germans.

British Troops Shifted Quckly.

Athens, Feb. 2.—It is officially stated that British forces were landed at Trikeri, at the entrance of the gulf of Volo, on Tuesday, but subsequently were withdrawn.

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DISPLAY MEN PLAN TO GIVE BANQUET SOON

Section of Retail Merchants' Association Adopts Emblem and Provides for Rules.

The display men's section of the Retail Merchants' Association met last night in the rooms of the association, in the Star Building, and voted to give a banquet, to draw up a set of working rules and arranged for the distribution of a button emblem to the members.

Chairman J. M. Carroll named the following committees: On banquet, O. J Grimes, Howard Q. Keyworth and J. F. McCarthy; on rules, W. R. Oyster, B. F. Stang and W. A. Gentner.

At a special meeting Wednesday the date for the banquet will be selected.

The display men's button adopted bears an imprint of the Capitol and the words, "Display Men's Section, Retail Merchants' Association."

Among those present were W. B. Stang, J. M. Carroll, Howard Q. Keyworth, J. F. McCarthy, W. A. Gentner, Henry Leibel, O. J. Grimes, George L. Draeger, W. B. Ryan, Lewis Detterer, Lawrence Bell, Julius Richards, W. R. Oyster and Secretary Charles J. Columbus.

SODALITY RETREAT CLOSES.

Annual Devotion at Sacred Heart Church Draws Large Attendance.

Despite inclement weather more than 1,000 women parishioners each morning have attended the annual retreat of the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin of the Church of the Sacred Heart, Park road and Fourteenth street. Rev. Ignatius Smith, O. P., of the Dominican College, Catholic University, conducted the exercises.

The retreat closed last night with benediction and the reception of 350 new sodality members. Father Smith was the celebrant, Father Eckenrode the deacon, and Father Hurney the subdeacon. The officers of the sodality are: Spiritual director, Rev. Francis J. Hurney; prefect, Miss Marie Barker; assistants, Misse E. Dodson and C. Graham; secretary, Miss Katherine Connor; organist, Miss Elizabeth Bogan.

Claims Against Liner Denied.

Boston, Feb. 2.—Federal Judge Hale today denied all claims for damages against the North German Lloyd steamer Kronprinzessin Cecelle, for abandoning her voyage to Europe.

Lines Cut in Mexico.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 2.—Railway communication between El Paso and Chihuahua City has been cut eighty miles south of Juarez by followers of Francisco Villa.

Assaulted in Home by Burglar.

Paul Benton, 4125 Ninth street northwest, was assaulted by a burglar in his home early yesterday. Benton reached his dwelling about 2 o'clock, and noticing a front window raised slightly, he sensed a burglary and cautiously entered. He searched downstairs and upstairs, and returning downstairs, had not found the burglar. He then entered the kitchen, where he met the intruder, who knocked him down and escaped. Benton's injuries are not serious.

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