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The Town Crier

The West Virginia Society of Washington will hold a business meeting at the Ebbitt House on Friday, October 6.

The Bloomingdale Orchestra, under the direction of E. J. Wrightman, will resume rehearsals for the season on Saturday evening, at Bethany Baptist Church, Rhode Island avenue, near Second street northwest.

Fifty members of the committee on membership of the Board of Trade will hold their fall outing Saturday and Sunday.

The Washington District Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church is to hold its annual meeting in Union M. E. Church Monday, October 2. Reports of officers and superintendents are to be presented and Bishop W. F. McDowell is to deliver the principal address.

Members of the Drill Corps of Kallipolis Grotto will hold a "hop" on October 31, at the New Willard Hotel. The Drill Corps will make special trips to Philadelphia and Alexandria as it has done to Baltimore, to personally invite members of the Masonic order to attend. The trip to Philadelphia will be made today.

The Biblical and Literary Society of Adath Israel congregation, under direction of Dr. Benjamin A. Grossman, will hold its next meeting in the vestry rooms, November 6, at 3 o'clock.

The permanent headquarters committee of the Wilson-Marshall Democratic League will meet at the New Ebbitt, tomorrow evening, to decide on local headquarters from which to promote work in connection with the campaign to elect the party ticket.

The first fall meeting of the North Capitol and Eckington Citizens' Association will be held in the Matthew G. Emery School, Lincoln road and Randolph place, next Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold its annual meeting in the Union M. E. Church on October 2. Bishop W. F. McDowell will give an address.

A housewarming at the new headquarters of the Hughes Club at Fifteenth and F streets will be held on Saturday night. Local business men will be invited, according to the report of the committee on housewarming, announced at a meeting yesterday afternoon.

The Ashlar Club of Master Masons will meet Saturday night in its club rooms, Old Masonic Temple, F and N streets northwest. The entertainment will include music by Cliff Stumph, soloist of Epiphany Church. There will be several lectures.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES CONFERENCE CLOSES

The National Conference of Catholic Charities of America closed its sessions at noon yesterday. The 700 delegates, representing all parts of the United States and Canada, left with a feeling that much had been done to forward the work of the Catholic institutions, but of philanthropic organizations generally.

Cardinal Gibbons was re-elected honorary president of the conference and Bishop Thomas J. Shahan, rector of the Catholic University, was re-elected president. Rev. William J. Kerby, of the Catholic University, was made vice president and Judge William H. De Lacy treasurer.

SOUTH WASHINGTON IMPROVEMENT URGED

The South Washington Citizens' Association, meeting last night in the auditorium of the Jefferson School, sixth and C streets, re-elected its present officers. L. L. Johnson presided. Heliga Murray, secretary, tendered his resignation on consideration of his re-election, but reconsidered when urged to do so, as there was no other candidate for the office.

Sectional improvements brought before the association by committees and approved will be recommended to the Commissioners: Abandonment of Ensigne House, No. 4, and the building of a new one. Additional policemen for the southwest section.

Sweeping of the streets three times a week in certain sections of the southwest. Suitable playgrounds for the children. Arc lights similar to those on Maryland avenue to be placed in C street between Seventh and Ninth streets southwest.

Quaker Village Breaks Record. Columbus, Ind., Sept. 20.—The staid old Quaker village of Anzels is near a peasant in the Law and Order League. The town has had no saloons and no jail and has had less than a dozen arrests since the war of '61.

SINKING OF KELVINIA STUDIED BY LANSING

Data Supplied by Americans on British Ship Considered.

Secretary of State Lansing yesterday began studying data in the case of the British freighter, Kelvinia, which was sunk, presumably by a German submarine, in the Bristol Channel September 2, with 28 Americans on board. Affidavits of 27 of the Americans declared a submarine was plainly seen.

No action will be taken by this government, however, until Secretary Lansing has received all the facts from the British Foreign Office, expected in a few days, in response to a request for the information forwarded last week.

Notwithstanding continued unofficial statements that Germany's submarine warfare pledges to the United States were violated by the sinking of the Kelvinia, officials so far have put little credence in the statements. The character of the Kelvinia and other facts, about which information is sought, probably will lead the State Department to pass the incident without action.

Purely Personal

Mrs. David S. Barry and Miss Cora Barry spending a few days in New York City, stopping at the Wolcott Hotel.

Mrs. David Wooster Todd is in Atlantic City, at the St. Charles Hotel.

Mrs. Richard C. Parker, of Atlantic City, is visiting in Washington.

Thomas F. Ryan, of New York, is in Washington, stopping at the Shoreham.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hazelton have recently returned from a ten days' automobile trip to Pittsburgh.

Mrs. John W. Tillet and daughter, Anabel, have returned to the city from Rehoboth Beach, Del.

Miss Martha Codman has returned to Newport Sunday from Boston, where she made a short stay.

Mrs. William Thornwall Davis, who spent the summer in California, will return to Washington about October 1.

Mrs. Poe White is in her home on Florida avenue, after visiting Narragansett Pier, Jamestown, Newport and several other places.

Maj. C. W. Fenton, U. S. A., commandant at Fort Myer, and Mrs. Fenton returned on Sunday from Mackinaw, Mich., where they spent several weeks.

Miss Maude Foster has returned to her home in Massachusetts avenue, after spending several months in Atlantic City.

Mrs. Edward A. Buchanan, wife of Lieut. Buchanan, U. S. A., stationed at Fort Myer, is visiting relatives in Tennessee.

Dr. Little M. Benning has returned from Atlantic City.

Harry O. Hine, secretary to the Board of Education, has been granted a ten days' leave of absence and will go to Boston to visit.

Hooker A. Doolittle has been made commercial agent in the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. The salary is \$1,300.

Dwight M. Kyle has resigned as assistant in the Coast and Geodetic Survey.

John E. Petritz has resigned his position as a director in the playground department of the District to take a clerkship in the insurance department.

Leroy P. Raynor, of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, has resigned.

Mrs. Walter Allen Galt, of Chevy Chase, has returned from New Jersey.

William C. Miller, of Cleveland Park, has returned to Washington.

Count John S. de Mankowski, of Fort Lee, New Jersey, will visit here next week.

Lloyd H. Army has been provisionally appointed as fish pathologist at \$2,500 in the Bureau of Fisheries, Department of Commerce.

Niel McArthur has been temporarily appointed as clerk at \$900 in the Bureau of Navigation at Seattle, Washington.

John B. Sorensen has been provisionally appointed as mate at \$1,008 on light vessel No. 70.

Arthur J. Fecht has been provisionally appointed as laboratory assistant in the Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce, at \$1,300. John T. Fligata has been temporarily appointed as aid at \$600 and Thomas O'Brien has been provisionally appointed as laboratory helper at \$600.

The Department of Commerce yesterday announced that Albert G. Lauson, clerk in the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce at \$900, has been transferred to New York City and W. M. Strachan and Chauncey P. Carter have been promoted to commercial agents at \$1,000 and \$1,500, respectively.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John B. Rose, 27, and Alberta M. Jones, 23, both of Richmond, Va. Rev. H. T. Stevenson. George M. Condyke, 28, and Ethel Blackwell, 21, both of Richmond, Va. Rev. J. Alexander. Anthony L. Mayhew, 23, and Helen J. McLean, 21, Rev. A. J. Casey. Rev. J. A. Dennis. Rev. H. W. O. Millington. Amund Ponderlie, 23, and Anna M. Berthod, 20, Rev. H. D. Mitchell. William C. Quill, 21, and W. J. Tynan. Charles M. Bahr, 21, and Mary A. Linhouse, 20, both of Roanoke, Va. Rev. L. M. Chambers. John W. Pith, 45, and Rena O. Brooks, 20, Rev. C. H. Waters. Raymond W. White, 25, and Avey F. Bryant, 19, Rev. W. E. Davis. John C. Goode, Jr., 23, and Lena A. Todd, both of Manassas, Va. Rev. L. M. Chambers. Rev. J. A. Dennis. Hermann Katschmar, Jr., 42, and Anna C. Rogers, 45, Rev. J. A. Dennis. Thomas W. Dixon, 28, and Francis R. Fenton, 18, Rev. E. M. Southgate.

Stephen Herd, 25, and Rosie Dunbar, 22, Rev. W. J. Tynan. Lewis Smallwood, 24, and Nettie Brown, 22, Rev. H. D. Mitchell. James Redford, 21, and Pauline Austin, 21, Rev. W. D. Battles.

BIRTHS REPORTED.

Samuel L. and Lonnie B. Shanks, girl. Conrad and Eva Schroeder, girl. Frances D. and Pannie F. Scott, boy. Julian and Josephine M. Fouget, girl. Frank G. and Alice M. Metz, boy. R. E. and Lillian P. S. Hall, girl. Charles G. and Marie G. Harper, boy. George W. and Edith M. Gray, girl. Albert H. and Winifred Reakins, girl. Jas. A. and Catherine Curtis, boy. Joseph and Mitche Demers, girl. Walton G. and Raymond J. Carroll, boy. Robert J. and Minnie M. Butt, boy. William and Rebecca Strothers, boy. George W. and Rida Smith, girl. Harry and Bessie McPherson, girl. George H. and Annie Lee, boy.

WELCH, BOOKED IN 3 HOUSES, PLAYS AT ALL

Famous Jewish Comedian, Victim of Mistake, Makes It Good.



BEN WELSH, Comedian.

Ben Welch, the popular Hebrew comedian, who is playing his annual burlesque engagement at the Gayety this week, has a pleasant surprise in store for the patrons of burlesque who have seen him for many years past in his straight Jewish characterizations.

In the present show at the Gayety, Welch has introduced a dramatic sketch with a cast of ten people, which is very much like the Grand Guignol performance of France. This sketch is given as an added attraction to the usual Welch monologue.

The career of this burlesque headliner proves the fact that burlesque in recent years has reached a much higher plane than heretofore. Welch, although he plays an annual season of forty weeks over the Columbia Circuit, is very much in demand for vaudeville engagements during the summer season.

A record achievement for consistent performance that has seldom been excelled was made by the comedian during the past season. Through a mix-up in the booking offices in New York, he found himself booked simultaneously at three vaudeville houses, the Palace, the Alhambra and the Colonial. When the managers of these houses discovered the mistake they were at considerable loss to know how to remedy the situation.

Welch suggested that he play all three houses. Although the suggestion was scouted at first, he convinced them finally that it was possible, and proceeded to get away with it. A few weeks later he repeated the performance in Chicago.

Welch's act, as he terms it, is quite different from that of the usual Hebrew comedian. There is a certain human pathos that at times makes them take a pathetic aspect, and a genuineness that always gets under the comedy climax more vital.

He is very proud of his long-distance feat of the past summer, and the fact that his repeating it assures that it was a flash, makes it all the more gratifying.

CARRIER PIGEON FOUND EXHAUSTED IN CAPITAL

While walking through the Agricultural Department grounds yesterday morning Harvey Cote, an engraver employed in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, found a carrier pigeon helpless from hunger and thirst. The bird was taken to the government establishment, where it was fed. The pigeon, a blue check, was evidently on a long flight. On one of its legs was a band marked "A-5224," possibly being registered in some far-away city, as the Washington numbers are much higher.

Cote and others workers in the engraving division will keep the bird until it recovers, provided the owner is not found. Later the bird will be freed to continue its journey.

ARRESTED AS PURCHASER OF GIN FOR MINORS

While inspecting saloons in southwest Washington yesterday, Andrew J. Cummins, chairman of the Excise Board, arrested Edward Smallwood on a charge of furnishing liquor to minors. It is alleged that Smallwood procured a bottle of gin for two colored boys from the saloon of M. Sullivan, 73 I street southeast.

The boys are Richard and Harry Porter, 15 and 14 years old. With Smallwood they were taken to the Fifth precinct police station and will appear in court tomorrow.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

District of Columbia, Eastern Pennsylvania New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland—Fair and warmer Thursday. Friday overcast, possibly with showers; moderate to fresh wind from Virginia and North Carolina—Fair and warmer Thursday. Friday fair; moderate variable winds. LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Midnight, 63; 2 a. m., 62; 4 a. m., 62; 6 a. m., 61; 8 a. m., 60; 10 a. m., 59; 12 noon, 58; 2 p. m., 57; 4 p. m., 57; 6 p. m., 56; 8 p. m., 55; 10 p. m., 54. Relative humidity: 8 a. m., 86; 2 p. m., 83; 8 p. m., 84. Rainfall (8 p. m. to 8 p. m.), 0. Hours of sunshine, 12.7. Per cent of possible sunshine, 100. Temperature same date last year—Highest, 83; lowest, 61.

OTHER TEMPERATURES.

Ashville, N. C., 46; 48; 48. Atlantic City, N. J., 58; 58; 58. Baltimore, Md., 62; 62; 62. Boston, Mass., 74; 48; 62. Chicago, Ill., 80; 80; 80. Denver, Colo., 50; 50; 50. Detroit, Mich., 74; 62; 72. Galveston, Tex., 84; 72; 80. Jacksonville, Fla., 84; 72; 80. Madison, Wis., 66; 66; 66. New York, N. Y., 72; 50; 64.

DEATHS REPORTED.

Mary M. Kelly, 18 yrs., 511 8th st. se. Albert L. Jewell, 46 yrs., Soldiers Home Hospital. George T. Prewitt, 58 yrs., Sibley Hospital. Volatile Stratiotes, 30 yrs., Casualty Hospital. Michael Stratiotes, 30 yrs., St. Elizabeth Hospital. Daniel W. Perkins, 77 yrs., 1839 Colum. rd. nw. Honore F. J. Drake, 74 yrs., 336 Holmdel rd. nw. Albert L. Mills, 62 yrs., 1222 K st. nw. Agnes D. Lynch, 16 yrs., 668 Md. ave. se. Thomas E. Sanders, 78 yrs., 234 P st. nw. Frederic Harnden, 80 yrs., 1445 Mass. ave. se. COLORED. Dennis Johnson, 75 yrs., 1528 3rd st. nw. Wm. R. Gilbert, 64 yrs., 1312 2nd st. nw. James Thurston, 80 yrs., Wash. Asylum Hosp. J. Alonso Purvis, 30 yrs., Casualty Hospital. Albert Campbell, 30 yrs., 2005 Columbia Ter. Charles Warren, 37 yrs., St. Elizabeth Hospital. Andrew Walla, 54 yrs., Wash. Asylum Hosp. Elizabeth Laws, 72 yrs., Washington Asylum. Margaret Hall, 67 yrs., 445 S st. se. Wm. G. Heavner, 17 yrs., 18 14th st. se. George Thomas, 27 yrs., Tuberculosis Hospital. Edna Campbell, 25 yrs., Wash. Asylum Hosp. Wm. A. Newman, 22 yrs., 2 Sumner road se. Ernest A. Cousin, 17 yrs., Deauwood Heights, D. C. Dosey Becker, 28 yrs., Wash. Asylum Hosp.

WAR COLLEGE CLERKS HOLD SOCIAL SESSION

Annual "Get Acquainted" Meeting for Army Employees.

Employees of the Army War College will henceforth hold an annual social meeting for the purpose of becoming better acquainted outside their professional contact, it was decided at the first annual meeting of the clerks, with Frank B. Essex, Miss Swart, Mrs. Brandes, Miss Reese, Miss Sengstack, Miss Young, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. Capt. E. W. Fullam, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Fletcher, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Wolf, Mrs. Deffer, Mrs. McCleery, M. Bartow Mercer, Gen. C. H. Chittenden, Capt. E. W. Fullam, Frank B. Essex, Julian P. Green, Harry Sigourney, Mr. Brandes, Carroll Gray, Lee Turner, George C. Billard, Mr. Morris, Edgar Baker, William Jacob, W. Tonkin, Mr. Giles, Miss N. Eardoll, M. Cook, Joseph Bishop, A. B. Williams, Messrs. Fletcher, Miller, Martin, Wolf, Harry Deffer, Whallen, John Shields, Chaney, Eisenberg, House, Amelung, McCleery and W. Grey.

The gathering was marked by a banquet, brief talks by invited guests, and a dance. Major Andrew Moses, secretary of the Army War College division of the General Staff, and Major Palmer E. Pierce, welcomed the clerks with army officers. Their talks were devoted to consideration of social relations among the employees.

A feature of the meeting was the presentation of an embossed set of resolutions to Mr. Mercer, who has been connected with the Army War College since its establishment in 1902.

The guests were: Maj. Andrew Moses, Maj. Palmer Pierce, John Tonkin, Mrs. M. Bartow Mercer, Miss Margaret Orand, Mrs. Julian P. Green, Mrs. Frank B. Essex, Miss Swart, Mrs. Brandes, Miss Reese, Miss Sengstack, Miss Young, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. Capt. E. W. Fullam, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Fletcher, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Wolf, Mrs. Deffer, Mrs. McCleery, M. Bartow Mercer, Gen. C. H. Chittenden, Capt. E. W. Fullam, Frank B. Essex, Julian P. Green, Harry Sigourney, Mr. Brandes, Carroll Gray, Lee Turner, George C. Billard, Mr. Morris, Edgar Baker, William Jacob, W. Tonkin, Mr. Giles, Miss N. Eardoll, M. Cook, Joseph Bishop, A. B. Williams, Messrs. Fletcher, Miller, Martin, Wolf, Harry Deffer, Whallen, John Shields, Chaney, Eisenberg, House, Amelung, McCleery and W. Grey.

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HOROSCOPE.

"The stars incline, but do not compel." Thursday, September 21, 1916.

According to astrology this is not a lucky day. Mercury and Saturn are inimical during the early hours. In the evening the sun is in benefic aspect.

Business affairs involving estimates or financial contracts of any sort should be delayed.

Writers come under a rule that is temporarily discouraging, owing to changes in the magazine field. Editors and publishers may be conservative in accepting material.

Under this way it is wise to set a guard on the speech, which is likely to be hasty, owing to a tendency toward the making of petty worries.

Women should be especially careful during this planetary government as the stars incline toward the exaggeration of their personal grievances.

It is a sinister rule for the signing of contracts or deeds.

There may be a tendency toward diseases of the stomach and digestive tract. Persons who have large risks at stake should beware of depression and misgivings, which deceive concerning real conditions.

Women again are warned that the stars show an excess of selfishness and egotism for those who have been blessed with either talents or charms.

Aggression in love affairs and independence of bearing may mark the conduct of women who represent progressive thought, but these traits are read as assurances of reaction toward domestic interests.

The death of a famous actress may have far-reaching results, the seers declare.

The rise of a new statesman, destined to be renowned in history, is predicted for the near future.

Germany may have an unexpected event which will alarm this country next month.

Persons whose birthdate it is may have rather a trying year. They should take care of the health and watch writings of every sort. Young widows will have offers of marriage.

Children born on this day are likely to ment and should not attempt executive good best when in some one's employ.

high-strung and idealistic. They should initiate. (Copyright, 1916.)

A. O. H. Elects Officers.

At a convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians at Eagles' Hall, Monday night, the following officers were elected: Vice president, Thomas McGrath, Division No. 3; District financial secretary, M. E. Buckley, Division No. 7; District treasurer, John D. O'Connor, Division No. 5; District chaplain, Rev. J. Walter Daily, Division No. 3, and delegate-at-large, M. Raymond O'Meara, Division No. 6.

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