

### UTILITIES COMMISSION CONDEMNED BY CITIZEN

Southeast Washington Association Says Board Has Not Fulfilled Duty.

Charges that the Public Utilities Commission has not given the results the public can reasonably expect, and that it has not done the things that it was mainly created to do, were contained in the report of the public utilities committee of the Southeast Washington Citizens' Association, which was read and approved at the meeting of the organization last night in Donohoe's Hall.

The report was read by A. P. Connor, chairman of the committee.

The association asks for more street lines in the southeast section of the city and for a change in the personnel of the Public Utilities Commission. This year, they claim, should be composed of one versed in law.

The following officers were elected: President, A. G. Herrman; first vice president, H. C. Emrich; second vice president, S. P. Ross; third vice president, H. Roberts; treasurer, Capt. William E. Muckett; secretary, A. P. Connor; sergeant-at-arms, William D. Cullen; delegate to the Federation of Citizens' Associations, Allan Davis, and alternate delegate, L. Fugitt.

### ELKS OBSERVE HALLOWEEN.

Hold First of Series of Monthly Dances in Clubhouse.

A Halloween "jollification" opened the series of monthly dances to be held this winter by the Elks in their hall at 911 N street last night. Dancing and a Dutch supper were the main attractions. The hall was decorated with lanterns, and the guests wore fancy costumes or head decorations.

Several hundred couples filled the building and gave no heed to the rain outside. The committee on arrangements included Walter E. Mack, Herman Richards, W. H. Woodcock, Harry Essex and Prof. J. J. Thomas.

An Austrian chemist claims to have invented a liquid coating for smoked meats that soon hardens and preserves them indefinitely.

### FOOD SOURING IN STOMACH CAUSES INDIGESTION, GAS

"Pape's Diapepsin" Ends All Stomach Distress in Five Minutes.

Wonder what upset your stomach—which portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in a revolt; if sour, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented into stubborn lumps; head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food; breath foul, tongue coated—just take a little Pape's Diapepsin and in five minutes you wonder what happened.

Indigestion today is a bad ailment. It is a result of a bad digestion. Pape's Diapepsin is a natural food that restores the stomach to its normal condition.

Take your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless relief is Pape's Diapepsin which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it digests food and sets things straight, so gently and easily that it is really astonishing. Please, for your sake, don't go on and on with a weak, disordered stomach; it's so unnecessary—Advt.

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### U. S. Coins Advertise Designers of P. ices

The administration does not object to whatever advertising artists may get by having their initials on coins designed by them.

Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo authorized the placing of "A. W." the initials of A. Weinman, on the dime which were just issued from government mints, and which were designed by him.

The designer of the new quarters, which are to appear soon, is Herman A. McNell, and his initials will be placed on them.

### HALLOWEEN DANCERS HAVE MERRY PARTIES

Kallipolis Grotto Ball at Willard Chief Event—Costumes Grotesque.

Halloween dancing began at noon yesterday when the little children of the Washington playgrounds held their ghost parades and ring games. From then until dark maskers and mummers were in evidence all over the city.

The one biggest costume ball of the night was that of the Kallipolis Grotto at the New Willard. Witches, goblins, black-faced comedians, mandarins from far-off China, and even Esquimaux mingled in the throng of dancers.

One of the features of the evening was the releasing of fifteen white doves, which flew about the room until captured by the ladies. Each dove bore a prize for its captor.

After the fifth dance jewels of the order were presented to Edward A. Schmid and Fred H. Kramer. Special prizes were given for the best costumes and the best dancing. P. V. Keating, captain of the Kallipolis Grotto Drill Corps, was master of ceremonies. Among the floor committee were J. L. Hinman, H. J. Simmons, Harry Taylor, A. H. Staples, Clarence I. Schmidt, W. M. Williams, James Holmes and Elmer C. Wood.

The Shoreham, Willard and Ebbitt hotels held dances. The Y. M. C. A., the Home Club of the Interior Department, the Elks' Club, and the United Spanish War Veterans likewise staged dances.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Fraternal Order of Eagles celebrated the occasion with a masquerade in the ballroom of Eagles' Hall.

Mrs. J. L. Wide was chairman of the committee in charge. Mrs. Peter White is treasurer of the organization, and Mrs. Max Meacher is secretary.

Robert E. Lee Chapter, No. 64, held a dance at Confederate Memorial Home. The feature was the presence of twenty Confederate veterans and some of their wives.

The committee on arrangements included Mrs. Walter Hutton, Mrs. George S. Covington, Mrs. Bates Warren, Mrs. Archibald Young, Mrs. Belle C. Riley, and Mrs. James Mulcare.

### RUSH-HOUR CAR ORDER BECOMES LAW TODAY

Late last night at the car barns of the Capital Traction and Washington Railway and Electric Companies it was reported that no special orders had been issued looking forward to compliance with the order of the Public Utilities Commission restricting the number of passengers riding on cars during rush hours, which goes into effect today.

The order of the commission calls for seven square feet of floor space for each standing passenger during rush hours and a seat for every passenger during non-rush hours.

Just what effect this will have on the traveling public it is difficult to say. It is probable that the greatest difficulty in enforcing the order will come from the passengers who insist upon being allowed to board the cars, despite their crowded condition.

Margie P. Heath yesterday was granted an absolute divorce from Henry Heath. The husband is ordered to pay \$10 a month alimony and a counsel fee of \$75.

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Funeral services for Mrs. Mary E. Rigway, who died Monday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. E. B. Jackson, 525 Kennedy street northwest, aged 82 years, will be held at the Murray chapel, 2011 Nichols avenue, Anacostia, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Private interment will be made in Mount Carmel Cemetery, Upper Marlboro, Md.

Funeral services for Mrs. Lizzie G. Tunstall, who died Monday, will be held at the Sardo chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Arlington Cemetery.

Funeral services for Mrs. Charles Heilmuller, aged 67 years, who died on Monday, will be held at her residence, 1224 Fifteenth street northwest, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Funeral services for Frederick W. Pratt, who died Monday at his residence, 2015 Columbia road, in his 72 years, will be held at his residence this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment will be private.

A gold watch and chain and a locket attached, set with a diamond were stolen from the room of Samuel Clover, 235 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, yesterday. A \$10 bill was also taken.

Mrs. Thomas B. Moore, of Fontaine Court, was bitten on the leg by a dog belonging to Jacob Rhee, 2900 Fourteenth street northwest, while at Fourteenth street and Columbia road northwest, yesterday morning.

A large Angora cat belonging to Miss Mammie Dix strayed from 218 New Jersey avenue northwest.

A dark gray overcoat, a blue serge suit, and a pair of shoes, valued at \$40 and \$20 in bills were stolen from the home of Frank H. Brown, 202 Arthur place northwest, some time yesterday by a thief who entered the house with a duplicate key.

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### ELTING A. FOWLER DIES IN ROCHESTER

Head of Washington Bureau of New York Sun Succumbs Suddenly.

Newspaper circles and the political population of the Capital were shocked yesterday by the announcement of the death of Elting A. Fowler, head of the New York Sun's Washington bureau.

He left here six weeks ago complaining of illness, but his ailment was not considered serious, although he entered the Hahnemann Hospital, at Rochester, N. Y., for treatment. Within the last week he had written he was improving in health and would soon resume his active duties. His death followed an unexpected turn for the worse.

He was born in Caledonia, N. Y., in 1870, and was educated at Princeton, where he served as college correspondent for the Sun. Upon his graduation in 1892 he joined the Sun staff and became prominent through his stories of the insurance investigation, directed by Charles E. Hughes. He came to Washington as head of the bureau in 1912, and was one of those who accompanied President Taft on a nation-wide swing of the country, on which he endeavored himself to the former President's followers.

He was unmarried and is survived by his mother. The funeral will be held Friday at Caledonia, N. Y.

### ALEXANDRIA'S SALOONS BECOME MERE MEMORY

Liquor Houses Close as Old Town Clock Tolls Midnight Hour.

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crowded, many having come from the surrounding towns to witness the festivities. Hundreds were masked in a gorgeous array of colors. Horns, bells, whistles, and various other noise-making devices and contraptions were out in full force. A masked band was also in line to serenade police headquarters.

Thirty-eight saloons, included among them four hotel saloons, and one or two brewer, were put out of commission as a result of the State going dry. This is a loss in revenue to the city of \$12,500 annually.

Despite the crowds that appeared on the streets up to the time the rain set in, there was no serious disorder, and the police at midnight reported everything unusually serene.

From now on the authorities will be on the lookout for "bootleggers." Conviction for the first offense is punishable by the imposition of a fine of from \$50 to \$500 and from one to six months in jail.

Representatives of J. Sidney Peters, prohibition commissioner, are in Alexandria looking for those who might be tempted to engage in the illegal sale of whiskey. Henceforth those dealing liquid refreshment will be compelled to go to Washington. A majority of those who had the price, however, have already stored away considerable quantities of liquor and are prepared for a rainy day.

Those who live in Virginia cannot, without violating the prohibition laws, have shipped to them more than once a month more than a quart of liquor, or three gallons of beer or a gallon of wine.

Clubs and fraternity houses cannot store or give away ardent spirits.

### Nutshell News

The funeral of Frederick W. Pratt will be held from the family residence, 2015 Columbia road northwest, this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Herbert Scott Smith, of St. Margaret's Episcopal Church, will officiate. Interment will be private in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Word has been received in Washington of the death of Rev. Francis Gannon, S. J., in Philadelphia. Rev. Gannon was for five years pastor at St. Aloysius Church here. Death was due to paralysis.

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### Hose Play on Capitol; No Blaze, Just a Bath

The Capitol is having a bath. Sightseers approaching from Pennsylvania avenue yesterday saw firemen directing a stream on the Senate end of the building in a business-like way. A fire engine pumping the water from the main cistern heightened the effect of a big blaze in the home of overheated and calm statestemen.

There was no fire, however. Now and then it becomes necessary to clean the outside of the building.

### LEW KELLY TELLS HOW HE CREATED PROF. DOPE

Gaiety Star Says He Was Forced to Invent Something Original.

LEW KELLY.



The real Lew Kelly, the Lew Kelly that audiences have never met, the Kelly that laughs and is the very antithesis of Prof. Dope, so long popular in burlesque, revealed himself in an interview yesterday in a dressing room at the Gaiety Theatre, where "Hello, New York," is delighting many old and new friends this week.

Lew Kelly, as many already know, became Prof. Dope from necessity; for he found from experience that there were so many perverts of the "fast comedy" that in order to do more than the ordinary, something entirely different had to be evolved, and he created Prof. Dope.

But dating way back to his school days, Kelly was of a happy nature, the kind of youth that found no joys in the pages of books on history and mathematics, but rather in telling jokes and "doing the clown."

He tells of his experience as an office boy in the law offices of E. Thomas, a distinguished lawyer, lawyer and later Senator from Colorado. His employer once sent him on an errand and he was gone so long that on his return the boss was inquisitive as to "what Kelly was up to."

Now that he is a successful actor, he says that his chief joy is vacationing at the Lights Club in Freeport, L. I., which is the summer home of about 600 stage folk.

The "Lights" derives its name from a large lighthouse erected alongside the clubhouse, with which, by government permit, the club illumines the ocean and the landscape for miles around. The club was founded by Lew Kelly, Victor Moore, the movie star, and some others in a back room and grew to unexpected proportions, now being housed in a \$50,000 clubhouse.

### OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY OF LUTHERAN DECREE

Lutherans of Washington celebrated the 39th anniversary of the calling by Martin Luther of his ninety-five theses against papal indulgences on the porch of the Cathedral Church in Wittenberg, Germany, at the Trinity Lutheran Church, Fourth and E streets northwest, last night.

Rev. William Dale, of Pittsburgh, delivered the sermon. He told of the world-wide celebration that was being planned by the Lutheran churches for next year on the 400th anniversary of the event which marked the beginning of the Protestant reformation.

### BRITISH ISSUE CASUALTY LIST.

London, Oct. 31.—An official casualty list issued today gives the number of British killed, wounded and missing during October at 108,255. The foregoing figures bring the British losses during the past four months up to 414,200. The average daily loss is estimated at about 3,375 in killed, wounded and missing.

### FEW FOLKS HAVE GRAY HAIR NOW

Well-Known Local Druggist Says Everybody Is Using Old-Time Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur.

Hair that loses its color or luster, or when it fades, turns gray, dull and lifeless is caused by the lack of sulphur in the hair. Our grandmother made up a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to keep her locks dark and beautiful, and thousands of women do today. It is a beautiful dark shade of hair which is so attractive, use only this old-time recipe.

Nowadays we get this famous mixture improved by the addition of other ingredients by asking at any drug store for a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which darkens the hair so naturally, so evenly, that nobody can possibly tell it has been applied. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears. But what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair, it also brings back the gloss and lustre and gives it an appearance of abundance.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is a delightful toilet requisite imparting color and a youthful appearance to the hair. It is also intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.—Advt.

### RECORD COLLECTION OF PAPER EXPECTED

Pupils' Activities Today Probably Will Net More Than 22,000 Pounds.

The collection of old papers in the public schools today is expected to exceed the record collection of last Wednesday, when 22,119 pounds were contributed for the benefit of the playgrounds and other school activities.

The schools to be visited today are the Johnson, Hubbard, Petworth, Cooke, Wheatley, Ross, Moore, Wilson, Normal, Park View, Madison, Mott, Pierce, Ludlow, Bruce, Taylor, Webb, Minor, Wilson and Blow.

Interest in the campaign, while it has lagged in a few of the schools, is improving on the whole, and the school authorities predict general increases rather than decrease in the total collection, although one or two schools may fall below their previous standards.

With a little enthusiasm and a little more rivalry the venture of the school children into the business will be extremely valuable to them from a standpoint of the instruction they will receive in co-operation and from the pleasure they will derive from the purchases made with the fund.

### EXCISE BOARD PRUNES LOCAL LIQUOR HOUSES

Twenty-One Retail and Ten Wholesale Licenses Rejected.

What hope Alexandria saloonkeepers might have had of locating in the District was dashed aside yesterday when the Excise Board refused to issue licenses on the hearings of protests to applications.

The board granted 269 and refused 31, one having been withdrawn.

Ten of the 36 applications for wholesale licenses were refused.

This pruning of the number of saloons leaves little hope for the Alexandrians who had been contemplating making applications. There are 300 licenses allowed by law, but the granting of them is a matter for the board's discretion.

The bitter fight waged by the Anti-Saloon League against clubs and hotel licenses was unsuccessful, since all clubs, with the exception of the Jolly Fat Man's Club, were granted licenses.

The list of barroom licenses rejected by the excise board follows:

August H. Pinger, 1317 Seventh street northwest; Frank P. Hall (original), 1000 Seventh street southwest; Alexander A. Davis, 102 E street northwest; John P. Schreiner, 20 Fourteenth street northwest; Patrick J. Dalr, 625 Four-and-a-half street southwest; John J. Brown, 506 Four-and-a-half street southwest; Joseph Schiada (original), 125 Woodson avenue northwest; Herman O. Ewald, 64 Pennsylvania avenue northwest; Francis M. Goode (original), 147 H street northwest; Martin J. Burke, 527 Four-and-a-half street southwest; James O. Holmes (original), 216 Four-and-a-half street southwest; Bernard Doherty, 315 I street northwest; Jolly Fat Man's Club Incorporated, William McGuire, president, 833 D street northwest; Denis P. McCarthy (original), 370 L street northwest; Cairn Apartments House Company, Incorporated, Thomas F. Schneider, president (original), 1615 Q street northwest; Frederick E. Albrecht (original), 23 Pennsylvania avenue southeast; Jeremiah E. O'Connor, 124 Fourteenth street northwest; Louis G.

Wright, 1236 E street northwest; Martin Roth (original), 43 H street northwest; Robert Wolfe (original), 50 New Jersey avenue northwest; Barroom licenses withdrawn—Hugh F. Barry, 1313 Pennsylvania avenue northwest.

Wholesale applications refused—German Brewing Company, Incorporated, Charles T. Smith, agent, 401 West street northwest; First and I streets southeast; Harry C. Dalbert (original), 104 Twelfth street northwest; Benjamin Kora, 199 Sixth street northwest; Howard J. Martin (original), 23 N street southwest; James Hebron (original), 300 Third street northwest; Margaretha Isachai (original), 136 O street southeast; Harvey S. Byrd, trading as Byrd & Barry Distributing Company, 30 G street northwest.

### CHILD GETS SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH IF CONSTIPATED

"California Syrup of Figs" Can't Harm Tender Stomach or Bowels.

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

"Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

A thorough "inside cleansing" oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."—Advt.

Open 8:45 A. M. Close 5:30 P. M