

OLD DOMINION MASONS FOREGATHER AT TABLE

Hold Annual Banquet as George Washington Memorial. THE HERALD BUREAU. Alexandria, Va., Feb. 2.—Five hundred members of the Masonic craft, among them many members of the seventh annual convention of the George Washington National Memorial Association, tonight attended the annual banquet of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, No. 22, held in Armory Hall in observance of Washington's Birthday.

Purely Personal

John C. Sullivan, of the Government Printing Office, has returned to his post after a few days' illness. J. H. Parrotter, of the west gun carriage section of the Navy Yard, has received a promotion. John J. Sweeney, of the Government Printing Office, is on leave of absence. Jacob Hillman has been transferred from the steamboat inspection service to the Fish Commission.

HIGH COST OF SEEING NOW HITS WASHINGTON

Imported Lenses and Optical Novelties Soar Upward with Food. What we eat costs a lot of money these days, and to make matters worse, in order that some of us may see what we are eating, we have to pay more. Not that it takes a pair of strong magnifying glasses to see what we get for our money, but because "blinkers," to be in style with everything else, had to advance in price. The regular old time eye glasses have not advanced a great deal, but the modernists who demand novelties, such as elaborate tortoise shell rims, with lenses large enough to use for finger bows, must hand out more cash to the optician.

SUFFRAGISTS READY TO SERVE COUNTRY

National Association Eager to Lend Aids, Prominent Official Says. Mrs. Pattie Rufner Jacobs, of Birmingham, Ala., the youngest woman on the board of the National American Woman Suffrage Association, and the only officer who comes from the far South, arrived in Washington yesterday to attend the meeting of the executive council of the National American Woman Suffrage Association, which convened yesterday morning.

BOY CYCLIST KILLED BY AUTO COLLISION

Race with Chum Fatal to Henry Holcer, Aged 14. Henry Holcer, 14 years old, 10 G street northwest, died yesterday afternoon at Casualty Hospital from internal injuries received when the bicycle he was riding collided with an automobile driven by W. F. Gains, 133 Tennessee avenue northwest, at New Jersey avenue and First street northwest.

DRINK HOT TEA FOR A BAD COLD

At a small package of Hamburg Brest Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Tee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacup full at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once. It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless.—Adv.

WOMEN, IN HUFF, QUIT

CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE. shall take no part in the inaugural parade. The harpists of State floats and automobiles by order of Col. Harper, chairman of the inaugural committee, has made this decision necessary. We shall continue all of the work at the National Women's Wilson Union headquarters, Fifteenth and Pennsylvania avenue, for the benefit of the public.

BANANAS A REMEDY FOR OLD H. C. OF L.

Can Bake 'Em, Fry 'Em, or Soak 'Em in Liqueur, Dealer Suggests. It doesn't make a bit of difference how high the price of other food soars, as long as bananas remain the same, according to a big local fruit company. According to this company, bananas are the real answer to what's to be done about the high cost of living. As proof, the following recipes are suggested:

"DRY" RULE UP TODAY

CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE. clause that was considered in the Senate. It was presented by Senator Underwood and defeated by a tie vote. There are many leaders of the House who favor the Sheppard bill, but insist that it must have the referendum clause, otherwise they will vote against it. The hope of the "wet" forces lies in the number of Representatives who take this point of view, since there is an overwhelming majority of the House in favor of the legislation.

MILLION ARMENIANS SLAIN

London, Feb. 22.—"The sufferings of the Armenians in the Ottoman Empire are known but it is doubtful if their true horror is realized," said former Premier Balfour, today. Of the 1,800,000 Armenians, who were in the Ottoman Empire two years ago, 1,200,000 have been either massacred or deported he said.

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The seventh annual convention of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association, which opened here yesterday, was brought to a close this afternoon with the re-election of the following officers for the ensuing two years: Gen. Thomas J. Shryock, Maryland, president; James R. Johnson, South Carolina, first vice president; James E. Dillon, Michigan, second vice president; George L. Schoonover, Iowa, third vice president; M. M. Johnson, Massachusetts, fourth vice president; Lawrence H. Lee, Alabama, secretary; John H. Cowles, Kentucky, treasurer.

Robert L. Davis, special agent of the Bureau of Labor Statistics, left last week for Birmingham, Ala., to investigate industrial housing and welfare work. Allen W. Lohr, of the Department of Commerce, has received appointment as laboratory apprentice. Charles A. G. Dawe has been appointed a clerk in the Department of Commerce.

Col. Harper read the statement given out by Mrs. Boggs and then poured more oil on the fire. "Mrs. Boggs has been too impractical," he said. "She has been talking about having 500 horsewomen from Virginia in the parade, and there are not that many women in Virginia who can ride a horse."

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The verdict for \$3,000 given in the District Court here in the suit of Virginia McGuinn against the Southern Railway Company, to recover \$5,000 for the killing of her husband January 12, 1912, has been affirmed by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals of Richmond.

Secretary of War Baker has been elected honorary member of the Georgetown Citizens' Association. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Brooke have returned to this city after a visit to Philadelphia. Jeremiah O'Leary has been elected to membership in the Central Citizens' Association.

"Women are by no means barred from the inaugural parade, but on the contrary, we have persistently encouraged their participation and are still anxious for them to take part, but they must conform to necessary and well-established rules, the same as we require of the men."

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Funeral services for Mrs. Rebecca Tabb Brent, wife of Samuel G. Brent, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at her late home, 15 North Columbus street, and conducted by Rev. W. J. Morton, rector of Christ P. E. Church. Burial was made in St. Paul's cemetery.

Members of Fitzgerald Council, No. 43, Knights of Columbus, at 3 o'clock this morning attended the annual memorial mass for members of that council at St. Mary's Catholic Church. Rev. L. F. Kelly, assistant pastor of that church and chaplain, was celebrant.

"The question now is whether all the bodies of women who have planned to enter the parade—bodies from the government departments, from various cities, from suffrage and anti-suffrage headquarters, and others—will abide by the decision of Mrs. Boggs."

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Washington's Birthday was observed here by a suspension of business. Flags floated from many buildings on King street. Hundreds of tourists went to Mount Vernon and many stopped off in this city on their return trip and visited points of historic interest.

The horse, to which a buggy was attached, was frightened by an automobile at Eleventh street and Pennsylvania avenue, and ran up Pennsylvania avenue. At Seventh street the occupants of the buggy, Joseph Cooksey, 303 McLean avenue southwest, and Frank Vernon, 3128 Georgia avenue northwest, were thrown to the ground.

"Mrs. Boggs is quite certain they will follow her committee, but Col. Harper thinks that she is badly mistaken."

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Arrangements have been made by the members of Martha Washington Chapter No. 42, Order of the Eastern Star, for a reception to be tendered next Wednesday evening in the Masonic Temple to Henry Knox Field, the newly elected grand master of Masons of Virginia.

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"I think the action of Mrs. Boggs is a perfect outrage," she said. "She is simply a private member of the main inaugural committee, and has simply usurped any power she claims to have. She has actually believed that she was to ride in a carriage at the head of the inaugural parade, and in her egotism she has given out newspaper statements to this effect."

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The tremor began at 1:18 and continued for 40 minutes. The quake was believed to be a point from 1,500 to 2,000 miles from Denver but the observer could not tell the direction.

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"I have had headquarters at the Ebbitt, simply as a member of the main inaugural committee, and I have arranged with different bodies of women to march in the parade, and I am quite sure that they will," she said. "There will likely be scores of bodies of women coming to Washington and there isn't the slightest thought of their not being in the parade."

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Thoroughly Cleanse the Liver and Keep Well WHAT TO EAT!



(By Dr. L. H. WATSON.) The much slandered cabbage, and sauerkraut. Stimulate the liver into a thorough housecleaning at least once a week, by taking a purely vegetable laxative made up and extracted from May-apple, leaves of aloe, root of jalap, into a Pleasant Pellet, first made by Dr. Pierce nearly fifty years ago and sold by nearly every druggist in the country. To keep the kidneys clean, drink plenty water between meals; also, if you wish to "escape half the ills" which cause early deaths from kidney disease, affections of the heart, rheumatism and gout, drink a pint of hot water a half hour before meals. This with regular outdoor exercise, sensible food, and occasionally Anuric (double or triple strength) after meals for a few weeks at a time, and there is no reason why a man or woman should not live to be a hundred. This Anuric stimulates the kidneys, causing them to throw out the poisonous uric acid which causes us to have pains in the back, lumbago, rheumatism or gout. Anuric always benefits and often cures the cause of kidney disease, as well as rheumatism and gout. Sold by druggists, or send 50c. to Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., or 10c for trial package.

A Southerner Says It—It's True

He Speaks It - Writes It - and Thinks It -

It seems somehow that the love of truth is inborn—in every Southerner and it sticks right close to him for all his days—just like a life-long friend. That's why, friends, when I hear people praising me all over the South—saying "SOVEREIGN is King of Them All"—well, it is true—that's all. For example, I heard one gentleman say the other day:—"Here is the finest cigarette I ever smoked. I never buy any other. The finest product of Virginia and Carolina tobacco, in all its mildness, and sweetness and mellowness." Yes—it's great to be a SOVEREIGN. It's fine to have real breeding back of you, to be brought up in a fine, white, healthy home,—and to hear so many nice things from so many friends down South here among you all. And the reason is just this—it's because— You Folks of the South KNOW good blood! You Folks of the South KNOW good tobacco!

No doubt of it all. Good breeding does count. Quality does tell. So, let's you and me be the real friends that we ought to be. And, here is something more for you to think about—

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