# LOCAL MENTION.

## THE WEATHER.

**Forecast Till 8 p.m. Saturday.**

For the District of Columbia and Maryland, fair; preceded by local rains today or tonight; slightly warmer Saturday; northeasterly winds, becoming variable.

For Virginia, showers today or tonight, followed by fair Saturday; northeasterly winds, becoming variable.

**Condition of the Water.**

Temperature and condition of water at 8 a.m.: Great Falls, temperature, 83; condition, 36; receiving reservoir, temperature, 84; condition at north connection, 36; condition at south connection, 36; distributing reservoir, temperature, 82; condition at influent gate house, 36; effluent gate house, 36.

**Tide Table.**

Today.—Low tide, 9:38 p.m.

Tomorrow.—High tide, 3:27 a.m. and 4:06 p.m.; low tide, 10:30 a.m. and 10:36 p.m.

EVER TRIED DOVE BRAND HAMS? They're the sweetest, most delicious obtainable. We have 'em: J. B. Schroth, 456 C.M'k't.

NOW, HERE IS YOUR LAST CHANCE. Free's Books and Stationery Stock has been removed to 1413 G st. The entire stock must be sold in four days.

10c. Broom Day. Johnston's, page 9.

CALIFORNIA CLARET, ONLY $2.40 DOZ. Reduced from $3.50. Equals the imported. Deliciously flavored. Just the proper age. Single bot., 25c. DONNELLY'S, 14th & I sts.

FUSSELL'S ICE CREAM, Shipped anywhere out of town. 1427 New York ave.

25c. Brooms 10c. Johnston's, page 9.

When roaches, croton bugs, bed vermin or other household insects appear, kill them with DEATH DUST. 10 cents. All druggists.

For New York Roast Beef and Spring Lamb go to John R. Kelly, 9th st. wing, Center Market. Corned Beef a specialty.

Artificial Eyes, $5. Hempler's, 6th and ave.

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Johnston's prices groceries, page 9.

# CITY AND DISTRICT.

## AMUSEMENTS TONIGHT.

Butler's Bijou Theater.—Barlow, Dolson and Powers' Minstrels.

Columbia Phonograph Musical Palace, 919 Pennsylvania avenue northwest.—All the latest popular music.

John T. Hoffmann's Summer Garden.—9th street southeast, one block from Pennsylvania avenue cars.

## EXCURSIONS TOMORROW.

Marshall Hall.—Macalester leaves at 10 a.m., 2:30 and 6:30 p.m. River Queen leaves at 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

River View.—Samuel J. Pentz leaves at 9:45 a.m., 1:45 and 6:45 p.m.

Mount Vernon.—Macalester leaves at 10 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

Mount Vernon.—By Pennsylvania railroad every hour daily.

Bay Ridge.—Trains leave Baltimore and Ohio station at 9:15 a.m. and 4:28 p.m.

Colonial Beach.—Steamer George Leary leaves at 6 p.m.

Indian Head.—Macalester leaves at 6:30 p.m.

Indian Head.—Samuel J. Pentz leaves at 6:45 p.m.

Buena Vista.—Steamer leaves 6th and O streets at 10 and 11 a.m., and from 1 to 8 p.m. hourly.

Steamer T. V. Arrowsmith for Colonial Beach, Colton's, Piney Point and Yeocomico river at 5:30 p.m.

Steamer Wakefield for Nomoni creek, Leonardtown and St. Clement's bay and intermediate landings at 7 a.m.

Steamer Sue for Piney Point and lower river landings at 6 p.m.

Steamer Harry Randall for Chapel Point at 9 a.m.

Steamer Lady of the Lake for Norfolk, Old Point and Colonial Beach at 6:30 p.m.

**The Star Out of Town.**

THE EVENING STAR will be sent by mail to any address in the United States or Canada for such period as may be desired at the rate of fifty cents per month.

☞ But all such orders must be accompanied by the money, or the paper cannot be sent, as no accounts are kept with mail subscriptions.

**Knights of St. John.**

Lewis H. Lanman, organizer of the Roman Catholic Union, Knights of St. John, for the District of Columbia, has organized and installed the officers of St. Augustine's Commandery, No. 254. There are now five commanderies of the union in this District.

**His Will Filed.**

The will of the late Dr. P. Tipton was filed with the register yesterday. It directs that all the real and personal property of which he died possessed be turned over to his mother, Rachel I. Tipton.

Judge Bradley ordered that the will be admitted to probate and that letters of administration be granted to Rachel I. Tipton upon her furnishing bond in the sum of $500.

**Sedgwick Command, U. V. U.**

At the last meeting of Sedgwick Command, No. 3, Union Veterans' Union, at Costello's Hall, Col. Frank T. Howe in the chair, the coming national encampment, at Rochester, N. Y., on the 21st, 22d and 23d of this month, was discussed, and credentials were prepared for the representatives of this command. It is expected that quite a number will attend the encampment, and as many subjects will be presented of great interest to the order, the sessions will be important. The Rochester people have made great preparations for properly entertaining the veterans, and there will be much pleasure combined with the business to be transacted. Remarks were made by Adjutant Chase, Lieut. Col. Wood, Dr. Warman, Chaplain Black and others. As the next meeting of the command would occur during the period of the national encampment, it was decided to omit that and not meet again until the first Tuesday in September.

**The Cable Line Stopped.**

A delay of fifty-five minutes in the 14th street and Georgetown cable car service was caused last night between the hours of 10:10 and 11:05 by the breaking of a strand in the 14th street line. One of the wires of the cable snapped and became entangled in the grip of one of the cars. The car was carried forward to the junction, where the broken strand tore itself away from the grip in which it was entangled. Word was hastily sent to the power house, and the engines were stopped until the break could be repaired.

**Grange Camp Exposition.**

The Grange Camp Association of Northern Virginia has leased Alexander Island and will hold there, from September 10 till September 22, its tenth annual exposition and agricultural fair. Alexander Island was the most available point having a fine track, grand stand accommodations for 2,000 people, stabling for 400 horses, shelter for 200 cattle and water works with an output of 30,000 gallons daily. The association has sent out its premium list and program, in which $15,000 will be offered in prizes and premiums. One of the interesting features is to be the permanent exhibition of those products of Virginia soil, factory and mine which are not perishable.

**What the Question Is?**

It is not a question of price, but what value you receive for your money. Those five-pound boxes finest butter produced, $1.50. James F. Oyster, 900 Pa. ave.—Advt.

**Steamer Sue Leaves Her Wharf Tomorrow**, Saturday, at 6 o'clock p.m., from Stephenson & Bros. wharf, foot of 7th street, direct to Piney Hotel. Leaves Piney Point Hotel on Sunday, at 7 o'clock p.m. Fare, round trip, $1.50. Board at hotel, $1.50 and $2 per day, including room. Good fishing and salt water bathing.—Advt.

# ALL KINDS OF MEN

## Found in the Procession Before Police Court Judges.

### Liquor the Cause of Many of the Charges—Four Commonwealers in the Toils.

Jennie Brown, a colored woman who rests her head on a pillow in a house in Freeman's alley when she is asleep, was a caller in Judge Taylor's court this morning, and Policeman Laurenceson complained that she was a vagrant.

The officer told the court that Jennie was a woman of evil life, and said she was drunk almost every day.

"She lives with a man to whom she is not married," said the officer, "and she is continually about the streets and does not work."

Lawyer Moss, who defended Jennie, questioned the officer concerning his knowledge of the woman, and he thought she might possibly work half an hour or an hour a day without his seeing her.

Jennie, in her own defense, denied the charge so far as it related to her habits, saying she was not a drunkard.

"Do you work?" asked her counsel.

"Yes, sir."

"When did you work last?" Judge Taylor asked her.

"Yesterday," was her response.

"Where?"

"At No. 1304 Rhode Island avenue," she answered. "I do chamber work in the house and work every day."

Lawyer Moss argued that the woman presented the appearance of being respectable, and he thought her evidence certainly showed her innocent of the charge.

"If she works every day, as she says," said Judge Taylor, "she surely is not likely to become chargeable to the District as a pauper."

Jennie was discharged.

George Curtis, a colored resident of 2d street southwest, got drunk last night, and when he went home he entered the rooms of other persons and played havoc with their effects.

"He broke my $6 lamp," one of the women told Judge Taylor, and she also said some of her other effects were damaged.

"This is all wrong," said George, "I never was in the room in my life."

There were two charges against him, and the fine was $20 or sixty days.

Nicholas Brooks, a man who has worked in a coal yard so long that his complexion is about the color of the fuel, got drunk last night and he also got arrested.

"I'm guilty," he answered, when arraigned, "but, judge," he added, "I'm a hard-working man with a wife and three children to support, and if you trust me till Monday I'll pay the $5. Last night, you know, I got a little off and got in trouble."

Judge Taylor told him he was not thinking much of his wife and children when he was drinking liquor. He gave him until Monday to pay the fine.

**Several Cases.**

Joseph Foley's general appearance indicated that he belongs somewhere outside of this city. He appeared at the bar of justice and said "guilty" when accused of having used bad language in Henry Park.

The usual fine was imposed.

William Thomas, a young negro, went to the fire last night, but he did not return home. He went with a little female cousin and Policeman Lee arrested him for profanity.

"We were locked arms," said the little girl, "but he didn't swear. I never heard him cuss a oath since I've been born."

But the policeman did hear him and the court imposed the usual fine.

There is something attractive about St. Paul's Catholic Church, for several times the unfinished edifice has been entered. This morning about 3 o'clock Policeman Doyle found a man in the church asleep on a pile of lumber. The man gave his name as John C. Rose, and told the officer that he was from Cleveland, Ohio.

Judge Taylor inquired of him where he belonged and he answered "Kentucky."

"What are you doing here?"

"I've lived in Kentucky on a farm and there was not much doing there," he answered, "and so I came here."

Judge Taylor released the man on his personal bonds.

**Four Commonwealers.**

Next came four men who came here because of the call of Coxey, the deserter from the commonweal army.

John Anderson, a German, was one of them. He came over from the Frye camp this morning and Policeman Lewis found him begging.

"When did you come over the river?" the court asked.

"I came over about 5 o'clock this morning," he answered. "There was nothing to eat over there, and I thought I would come to the city and get something to sustain life."

He said he came here from San Francisco, where he left his wife and two children.

"I never had to beg before," he said, "and if I could get transportation I would be more than glad to go home."

"If you had remained at home," the judge told him, "you would not have had to beg."

"I know that," said the man, with tears in his eyes, "but I'm not a tramp."

"You have made a tramp of yourself by coming here," the court said.

Then the man went on to say that he had read in the book of Moses where the Lord sent bread to eat, but Judge Taylor thought the bread was sent to a class of persons entirely different from the commonwealers of the present date.

The prisoner was sent down for thirty days.

Sergt. Kirby and Policeman Branson had three commonwealers in the procession. They were in a party of about three dozen men who arrived at Benning last night, and the officers were unable to catch any more of them. The prisoners declared that they had no idea of stopping here, but were on their way to Baltimore.

In consideration of this statement the judge took their personal bonds to continue on their journey.

**To Save Money on Footwear.**

Men can buy $5 and $6 Russets for $4; $4 Russets for $3. Ladies can buy $2.50 Oxford Ties for $2; $3 Ties for $2.50; $3.50 Ties for $3. Every shoe in stock is reduced. Hoover & Snyder, 1217 Pa. ave.—Advt.

**Furniture.**

Important sale of furniture at Shean's, 1407 G st., at 10 a.m. tomorrow. Goods now on exhibition, and everything will be found just as advertised in the auction columns.—Advt.

**Saturday Excursions to Seashore via Pennsylvania Railroad.**

Round-trip tickets will be issued by the Pennsylvania railroad from Washington to Atlantic City, Cape May and Sea Isle City Saturdays during August, good going on the 11 a.m. train on date of sale and for return on any regular train until the following Tuesday, at rate of $5. Transfer through Philadelphia in both directions is included in the ticket.—Advt.

**Personally Conducted Trips to Luray Cave.**

Thursday, August 14, via B. and O. Express leaves station, New Jersey avenue and C street, 8:30 a.m., allowing four hours at the cavern. Reserved seats in cars can be secured in advance, without extra charge, at ticket offices, 619 and 1351 Pennsylvania avenue. Tickets, $3.50.—Advt.

**Bay Ridge on the Chesapeake.**

Salt water bathing. Excellent meals. Trains leave B. and O. station, 9:15 a.m., 4:28 p.m. week days, and 9:35 a.m., 1:30 and 3:15 p.m. Sundays. Round-trip fare, 75c.—Ad.

Mr. Louis J. Ferber won the gold medal offered by the Crescent Benevolent Association to the member selling the largest number of tickets for the recent excursion of the organization.

Dr. Ruffin's horse ran away near 13th and N streets yesterday. The horse was injured and the buggy shaft broken.

Mrs. G. A. Hunter, who lives at 19th and H streets, and is employed in the government printing office, was painfully injured yesterday by falling just as she was about to get in a hack. The accident happened near the office in which she is employed and she was sent home in a cab.

Last night during the storm lightning struck No. 9 engine house, on U street northwest, near 14th street, and damaged the roof. The flagstaff was broken and the frame work caught fire. The flames were soon extinguished.

Edmund Herbert, a colored man, who had been out of the city returned a few days ago. He had a pistol in his pocket, and a policeman arrested him. Judge Mills today fined him $50 or sixty days.

## THE GARBAGE BILL.

### A Measure Which the Commissioners Are Anxious Should Be Passed.

The Commissioners are now fully alive to the garbage situation, and will do their utmost to get Congress to pass a bill which will relieve the situation that becomes more serious every day.

Several days ago The Star printed the bill which the Commissioners had prepared. Yesterday afternoon they supplemented the bill with the following letter to Senator Gorman:

"The Commissioners of the District of Columbia herewith transmit and recommend the early enactment of a draft of a bill for the collection and disposal of garbage and dead animals in the District of Columbia. The necessity for an immediate appropriation as proposed in the bill is imperative. Heretofore the garbage has been removed from the District by transportation down the river, except during a brief period, when it was disposed of by reduction by means of superheated steam, the works for which were destroyed by fire shortly after they were put in operation. The disposal of the garbage by transportation down the river has become such a nuisance to the residents of the shores it passes as to raise an opposition which has practically prohibited that means of removing the material. The authorities are therefore obliged to resort to some means of destroying or treating the garbage within the limits of the District. This would involve a greatly increased expense, which they cannot reasonably expect the garbage contractor to bear under the rates provided in the existing contract. The quantity of garbage and dead animals collected daily is about 100 tons, and inasmuch as it is no longer possible to dispose of the material by transportation beyond the limits of the District, the Commissioners respectfully recommend and urge that provision be made at once for its destruction within the District, in order to prevent the creation of a nuisance that will seriously endanger public health.

"The Commissioners are informed that the state authorities of Maryland and Virginia have protested against a continuance of the practice of landing this offensive material within their respective territories, and as this is the only method of disposal at the present time, they are confronted with a serious problem, involving the health and comfort of the Washington public."

## THE ENGINEER CORPS.

### Company C Has Started for Its Camp at Ocean City.

Company C, engineer corps, left today at 12:05 p.m. for Ocean City. They were due in Baltimore at 1 o'clock; were to march through the city from the Calvert street station to the wharf, where they were to take the boat for Clayborne about 4 p.m. Then another transfer, and the final ride is by rail, arriving in Ocean City about 10 o'clock tonight. The tents will not be pitched tonight, but the men will sleep at the hotel, Congress Hall, on their cots.

The special car had on both sides of it a long piece of white canvas, with letters of heavy black, and large enough to be easily read, telling all who beheld that the soldier boys inside were company C, engineer corps, D. C. N. G.

A detachment of the Mt. Pleasant Drum Corps went with the company, and will try to woo the boys awake about 5:45 every morning.

Lieut. W. E. Harvey, quartermaster of the engineer corps, was not able to go with the company, much to the regret of the whole company. Sergt. Maj. G. G. Dennison was also prevented from going. Col. Fava's regiment of engineering students failed to show up, too, but in spite of these absentees, it was a goodly company—upward of fifty tickets having been purchased. There were only about thirty in uniform, however.

## AMUSEMENTS.

The Bijou Theater.—The Bijou Theater opened its doors last night under new management. Barlow, Dolson and Powers' Minstrels were the attraction, and before the curtain went up every seat and available inch of standing room in the cozy theater was filled. Manager O. H. Butler has spared nothing to make the theater first class in every respect, and everything was as neat and clean as money could make it. During the time the theater has been closed carpenters and painters have been at work and the interior shows numerous changes.

The management declares it will have the best attractions on the road during the season, and the start made last night was certainly a step in the right direction. Every theater goer knows Milt. G. Barlow, the leading spirit in the new minstrels. For years he has been the best exponent of black face comedy, so it was to be expected that he would get together a first-class company. And he has. The first part of the program, without which no minstrel show would be complete, introduces some able artists. There are Frank Cushman and Tom Mack, whose only object in life seems to be to make people laugh; Howard Powers, the pleasing tenor, formerly of the "Eight Bells" company, and James Davis, another clever songster. Milt. Barlow gives one of his clever interpretations, the Higgins brothers, Schofield, Musical Ravens, the mystifying Zella and Clayton and Jenkins with their trained mule Jasper complete the entertainment. Again tonight.

**Garbage Complaints.**

Garbage complaints received at the health office do not show that the collectors are making tri-weekly trips, for some of the persons who request the health officer to have their garbage collected report a failure of the man to appear more than once in two weeks. Yesterday there were sixty-four complaints received and recorded at the health department, nine of them coming through the police department. Repeated complaints have been received from the neighborhood of 13th and Clifton streets, and the report of Inspector Howe shows that only one cart is employed in the service east of 18th street and north of Florida avenue. This territory includes Le Droit Park, Mount Pleasant, College Terrace and a number of other thickly populated suburbs, so Health Officer Woodward told a Star reporter, and he expressed the belief that one cart could not do the service. He said he would write a letter to the sanitary company concerning the matter and direct that a tri-weekly service be given the persons living in the territory mentioned.

**Ask for "Quaker Bread."**

It is the finest that can be produced. The newest on the market. If your grocer does not have it, telephone me. Chas. Schneider, 413 I street.—Advt.

**Friday and Saturday Excursions to the Seashore—$5.00.**

The B. and O. R. R. Co. will sell round-trip excursion tickets every Friday to Atlantic City for Royal Blue express trains, leaving 10:00 a.m. and 12:00 noon, and to Cape May and Sea Isle City, for 12:00 noon express, valid for return on regular trains until following Tuesday, inclusive; rate $5.

**Niagara Falls and Watkins Glen via B. and O., $10.**

Personally conducted tour leaves Washington via Royal Blue Line express, Thursday, August 16, at 3:05 p.m. Through Pullman sleeping cars to Niagara Falls. Berths reserved in advance at B. and O. ticket offices, 619 and 1351 Pennsylvania avenue. Round-trip tickets, good ten days, ten dollars.—Advt.

14434 Wins The Watch. Who has it?

Cooper's "Hair Success."

The loss of the hair is often due to its neglect. Cooper's "Hair Success" will do everything but produce hair on bald heads. It stimulates the hair follicles, curing all diseases of the scalp, itch, dandruff, surf, and produces a luxuriant growth. It will not change the color of the hair.

50c. Bottle.

It is worth walking a mile just to get a glass of our delicious, well-served Ice Cold Soda Water.

MERTZ'S Modern Pharmacy, 11 & F. au9

# AFFAIRS IN GEORGETOWN

## Canal Boats Coming in and Some Repairs Projected.

### Many Notes of General Interest—Among the West Washington Churches.

Eight laden canal boats arrived in town yesterday, viz.: The Emma Waters, Rosie B., Jas. Goddard, Mable, No. 118, Three Brothers, No. 117 and E. M. Guinnevan. There left Cumberland on the 7th for Georgetown the Oak Springs, Capt. Magruder; P. Hain & Co., Capt. Mertins; No. 107, Capt. Smith; No. 101, Capt. Eichelberger; Sibbie, Capt. Shaw; Here I Am, Capt. Smith; E. B. Barley, Capt. Johnson; New Alexandria, Capt. Renner; Anteos, Capt. Chaney; J. K. Cowen, Capt. Jackson; S. B. Agnew, Capt. Whitebank; A. Greenlees, Capt. Bryan, and Mattie Haslett, Capt. Myers.

The old foreway, or shoot, which in years gone by carried water from the canal to Robertson's mill, near the Independent Ice house, is to be closed, the mill for a long time having been in disuse. The frame work will be taken away and the opening in the bank filled in level to the towpath. The work will be done on Sunday, when the water can be drawn off the Georgetown level without affecting the operating mills.

**Church Matters.**

Rev. J. B. Stitt of the Dumbarton Church begins his period of rest next Monday. He will go to Newark, N. J., and Asbury Park. Sunday after next the Dumbarton pulpit will be occupied by the Rev. E. O. Eldridge of Douglass Memorial Church. In the evening Rev. Luther B. Wilson, presiding elder of the Washington district, will preach. On the second Sunday of the pastor's absence the Rev. G. W. T. Wright, who is still a powerful speaker, will represent Mr. Stitt. Mr. Wright is of Washington.

The Rev. Geo. Elliot, who resigned the pastorate of Dumbarton Church to accept that of the Spring Garden Church of Philadelphia, has been granted a leave of absence by his new congregation until the fall on account of the poor condition of his health.

The Rev. W. R. Graham of Congress Street M. P. Church, with his family, is on his vacation. They will spend one week at the Mt. Airy camp, western Maryland, and then go to their old home in Chestertown, Kent county, Md.

The Congress Street pulpit will be supplied regularly in Mr. Graham's absence.

"The Pecks" of the Peck Memorial Chapel athletic contingent yesterday met and defeated in a hotly contested game of base ball the Rockville Athletic Club. The score was 14 to 9. The Pecks begin a tour of some of the cities of Maryland and Virginia today, where they will meet teams of their class. A week or ten days will be spent in this way.

**Linthicum Students.**

The "Linthicum Students" held their first business meeting of the season of '94 and '95 last night in the institute hall. There was a full attendance. The report of the treasurer, Mr. Weill, was read, one play adopted for the season's repertoire and others put under preliminary discussion. Selected poems and random newspaper gems in prose were read and appreciated. "The Demon Violin," a story of thrilling interest, from the London Figaro, was submitted and accepted as a recitation. Committees were appointed to purchase and submit to the organization new plays. At the next meeting the annual election of officers will take place.

**Notes.**

Fireman C. E. Harper of No. 5 is recreating on Smith's creek, Maryland.

Foreman J. D. Kurtz of No. 5 will leave on his vacation in a few days. He will go in the same section.

Dr. Louis Mackall, sr., and wife leave today for Capon Springs.

Albert Lucas was arrested yesterday on a charge of assault and battery. George Johnson is the complainant in the case.

The funeral of Miss Hannah J., daughter of the late David Jackson, took place this morning. The interment was in the family lot at Oak Hill cemetery.

**For Sale—**

500 upholstered cots, 75c. each. Wash B. Williams, 7th and D sts. p.w.—Advt.

**Distress in the Stomach**

"I had trouble with my stomach for a long time and could not get anything that would do me any good. Last February I had inflammation of the stomach, and was so bad for a week, that even light food would cause

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and vomiting. The doctor's medicine did me no good, and so I thought I would try Hood's Sarsaparilla. When I had taken two bottles I could eat anything without having the least bit of distress. I have only taken five bottles and my general health is much better." ED. CHAMPLIN, Groton City, New York.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures**

HOOD'S PILLS should be in every household.

WHITE SPOTLESS ARMS,

Soft white hands, shapely nails, an unblemished skin and luxuriant hair are produced by the celebrated CUTICURA REMEDIES when all others fail. In facial blemishes, or the severest humors and diseases of the skin and scalp, with loss of hair, even when scrofulous or hereditary, they are equally successful. Sold everywhere.

GET THIN.

DRINK OBESITY-FRUIT SALT.

In a recent article published in the Boston Globe, Dr. Wm. H. Holmes, Massachusetts General Hospital, writes: I use Dr. Edison's Obesity Pills one day and the Obesity Salt the next, and obtain excellent results. I am losing a pound a day, almost twice as much as I did using the pills alone. The Fruit Salts are just what my system requires to reduce fat. I analyzed the salts, and found them to be the best material and like the formula on the bottle. Your remedies are all right. I hear of several physicians prescribing the Fruit Salt as a flesh reducer and a delightful hot weather beverage for old and young. It prevents fevers and cures summer complaints.

Surgeon John H. Lincoln, Cunard Line, writes: "I can prescribe your Dr. Edison's Obesity Pills and Salt to all of my friends who are too heavy, as I have reduced my weight 68 pounds in 23 weeks. The Fruit Salt is the best summer drink I ever used. Everybody uses your Fruit Salt."

MISS GOLET, NEWPORT, R. I., WRITES: My physician, Dr. Barstow, 5th avenue, prescribed your Obesity Pills and Obesity Fruit Salt for corpulency. I have lost nineteen pounds in twenty-four days on one bottle of pills and half a bottle of Fruit Salt. I do not suffer any more from the heat while using the salt. It is sweet and delicious, and lowers the temperature of the body. I see everybody using the Fruit Salt as a drink. I wish you had introduced it sooner.

Our goods may be obtained from

G. G. C. SIMMS, Cor. New York ave. and 14th st.

MERTZ'S MODERN PHARMACY, Cor. 11th and F sts., Keep a full line Obesity Bands, Pills and Fruit Salt in stock.

Sent by mail on receipt of price. The Bands cost $2.50 up; the Fruit Salt $1 per bottle, and Pills $1.50 per bottle, or 3 bottles for $4. Address LORING & CO., 42 West 22d st., Department No. 74, New York, or 22 Hamilton place, Department No. 4, Boston. je6-3m

DO YOU SUFFER FROM BRIGHT'S DISEASE—DIABETES—INSOMNIA—or any LIVER or BLADDER complaint?

Stafford Water

Will CURE when other remedies FAIL. Used in five hospitals in D. C. Prescribed by physicians. Sold by druggists. Accept no substitute. jy7-3m TRY IT. Depot: 1420 N. Y. ave.

**Death of Arthur L. Keene.**

Mr. Arthur L. Keene, a popular and progressive resident of Brightwood, died at his home yesterday of heart failure following a month's illness from typhoid fever. He was the secretary of the Brightwood Citizens' Association, and had been an earnest worker in the advancement of his section, and was in the thirty-sixth year of his age. He was an officer in several secret orders, being past master of Stansbury Lodge, No. 24, F. and A. M., with which organization he had been connected for six years; was principal sojourner of Brightwood Chapter, No. 9, R. A. M., and L. S. to the noble grand of Takoma Lodge, No. 24, I. O. O. F. He had been for several years principal of the Monroe public school, opposite Schuetzen Park. He was unmarried. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at Emory Chapel, in Brightwood, and the remains will be interred with Masonic honors at Rock Creek cemetery.

At a meeting of Takoma Lodge, No. 24, I. O. O. F., held last evening, resolutions were unanimously adopted regretting the death of Mr. Keene, in which it was stated: "Takoma Lodge has lost one of its most valued members, in whom we recognized in the truest sense of the word a brother—one who was ever active in every good word and work." It was also resolved "that as a mark of respect the charter of our lodge and the chair of the office occupied by our late brother be draped in mourning for the space of thirty days." Sympathy with Mr. Keene's family was expressed, and it was decided that the lodge should meet tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock and attend the funeral in a body. "That a committee of three be appointed by our noble grand to draft suitable resolutions expressive of the high regard in which we held Brother Keene, and of our sympathy with his family in this, the time of their sorrow and bereavement.

**Sudden Death of Dr. Michener.**

Dr. Charles B. Michener, a veterinary surgeon of this city, was found dead in bed at the American House, Pennsylvania avenue near 7th street northwest, yesterday afternoon. Dr. Michener returned to Washington at a late hour on Wednesday night from a visit to Maryland, and it being too late to take a car for Takoma, where he resided, went to the American House. As he did not appear yesterday, a servant was sent, between 5 and 6 o'clock last evening, to arouse him. The door was forced open and the body of the doctor was found on the bed stiff and cold. Its appearance indicated that the man had been dead for several hours. Coroner Hammett expressed the opinion that death had resulted from apoplexy.

Dr. Michener was a native of Doylestown, Pa., and came to Washington about six years ago. During the administration of President Harrison, Dr. Michener was chief of the bureau of animal industry in the Department of Agriculture. He was also ex-president of the National Veterinary Association, and held honorary positions in many veterinary organizations.

**C. and O. Personally Conducted Tours, August 6, 20, September 3, 17.**

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