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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS of the HALL ASSOCIATION of the G. U. O. of O. F. of the District of Columbia, for the election OF OFFICERS, directors, &c., will be held at hall, 1606 M st. n.w., Friday eve., Dec. 27, 1901, at 8 o'clock.
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DEUTSCHER CENTRAL VEREIN.

Local Association Expresses Sympathy With the Boers.

The annual meeting of the delegates to the Deutscher Central Verein was held last night at the Germania Maennerchor Hall, 827 7th street northwest. The reports of the various committees were adopted and a resolution was passed to admit individual members to the verein.

The recommendation of Mr. Herbert Putnam, librarian of Congress, to have the Congressional Library open Sunday afternoon and evening was heartily indorsed.

A petition to Congress expressing a strong sympathy with the Boers and urging "friendly offices and mediation" of the people of the United States through their government was adopted.

All the officers of the verein were reelected, viz: Wm. L. Elterich, president; W. Ruckdaeschel, first vice president; T. L. Schmidt, second vice president; Gustave Bender, secretary; George J. Bessler, treasurer.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following:

White—Daniel C. Fahey and Pearl E. Maltby; Martin Toole and Sally L. Robey, both of Burtonville, Md.; Carl Feldmann and Nellie Lawrence; S. J. Hoover and Callie P. Miller, both of Augusta county, Va.; Thomas R. Cooksey of this city and Carrie E. Powell of Loudoun county, Va.

Colored—W. B. Campbell and Annie Samuel; James E. Brown and Agnes Thomas; Sidney Lewis of Prince George's county, Md., and Ella P. Waters of this city; Henry Ward and Mary Tolson; John W. Matthews and Lucy E. Robinson.

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THE GRAND ARMY

The Boys in Blue to Assemble Here Next Year.

OVER 300,000 VISITORS EXPECTED

Suggestion Made Regarding Entertainment of Veterans.

COMMANDER STONE'S VIEWS

The coming of the Grand Army cohorts to Washington next fall on the occasion of the thirty-sixth annual encampment of the organization has awakened widespread interest. This will be the second opportunity given those who wore the blue to march down Pennsylvania avenue in grand review since the memorable war of the rebellion. In September, 1892, over 150,000 battle-scarred heroes assembled at the national capital and renewed old associations and camp ties. The grand pageant, which is now memorable in history, passed in review before the President of the United States, the late Benjamin Harrison, himself a survivor of the contest of the sections.

Notwithstanding that nearly ten years have elapsed since the last encampment of the Grand Army here and despite the fact that the ranks of the organization have been greatly depleted, the approaching conclave bids fair to equal, if not outclass, its predecessor. A great many members of the organization who were not present at the last encampment here promise to attend the next, and in addition a large number of the sons of the old veterans who have passed away will represent their sires in line, so that notwithstanding the havoc caused by death in the ranks there will be no appreciable diminution when the host of flag defenders assembles here next September.

It was not definitely decided that Washington was to again have the honor of entertaining the G. A. R. until last week, when the national executive committee of the organization, in special session at Chicago, decided the matter. Several other cities, including Denver, Col., and Atlantic City, N. J., made strenuous claims and offered many inducements to secure the coveted prize.

It was largely through the efforts of Israel W. Stone, commander of the Department of the Potomac, G. A. R., who worked hard and conscientiously to have Washington selected as the next place of encampment, that such a result was achieved. Commander Stone, in an interview with an Evening Star reporter today, said:

"I am more than gratified to know that the committee has decided upon this city as the place for the next encampment. It is now up to the citizens of Washington to arrange for entertaining the visitors. We won out at Chicago after a somewhat stubborn fight with Denver and Atlantic City, both of which places were more than anxious to secure the encampment. Our strength lay in the fact that we were able to guarantee better railroad rates and a larger fund for entertainment than our competitors.

Railway Rates.

"We have made arrangements with the railroads to offer such a cheap rate as will insure the attendance of thousands of people from all parts of the country. The central roads have agreed to bring organizations and visitors to this city during encampment week at the rate of 1 cent a mile, which I regard as remarkably low, and the trunk lines in this section of the country have met the problem by agreeing to transport passengers from any section contiguous to their lines at one fare for the round trip. I am not optimistic when I say that these arrangements ought to insure the attendance of at least 300,000 visitors here.

"Just what date the encampment will be held," continued Commander Stone, "has not yet been decided, but it will probably occur during the first week in October of next year. We will be somewhat guided by President Roosevelt's wishes in the matter. I called on the President yesterday and informed him of the purpose of the G. A. R. to meet here next year. He was delighted and promised to come from wherever he might be and upon whatever date we decided. I informed Mr. Roosevelt that although I knew he must have a good opinion of us now, he would naturally have a much better opinion when he gazed into the faces of over 150,000 loyal defenders of the Union.

"Washington was selected," said the commander, "by General Eli Torrance, commander-in-chief of the organization, and by other members of the national council. It is usually the custom to select the next place of meeting at the annual encampment, but this year while at Cleveland the untimely death of President McKinley upset all our plans in this respect, and we decided to let the matter of the next meeting of the organization rest with the national council, at a meeting to be held subject to the call of the commander-in-chief, hence the meeting in Chicago last week."

The Expense Fund.

General Stone said that the Grand Army would expect the co-operation of the Board of Trade and Business Men's Association of this city in formulating committees for raising funds and devising ways and means for the entertainment of the thousands of visitors who will be within our gates. It is thought that $75,000 will be required to defray necessary expenses, and it is Commander Stone's intention to raise this amount among the citizens of Washington without seeking congressional aid.

On the occasion of the last annual encampment here in September, 1892, over $150,000 was expended. Ninety thousand dollars of this amount was appropriated by Congress.

This is deemed more than sufficient for the present occasion, as it is said that there was a useless expenditure by the committee of $43,000 for barracks for the accommodation of veterans on the White Lot. These quarters were occupied by less than 5,000 men.

Commander Stone's idea for the coming encampment is to have the veterans housed in halls and vacant business houses, which he thinks can be rented for a nominal sum, thus reducing to a minimum the amount necessary to properly lodge and take care of the visitors.

It is believed that the Board of Trade will call a meeting immediately after the holidays, at which time committees of prominent business men will be appointed to act in co-operation with the local and national committees of the G. A. R., to insure the success of the next annual encampment.

Elections and Installations.

Capitol Chapter, No. 11, R. A. M., has elected and installed officers for the ensuing year as follows: F. F. Major, E. H. priest; John A. Moyer, king; Edw. H. Tompkins, scribe; Andrew K. Lind, secretary (reelected); Hirah F. Olmstead, treasurer (reelected); Luther F. Speer, captain of the host; William Mehn, principal sojourner; Arthur Carr, royal arch captain; Benjamin J. Wrightsman, master third veil; William G. Glenn, master second veil; William T. Richardson, master first veil; Ira G. Phillips, sentinel.

Myron M. Parker Lodge, No. 27, F. A. A. M., has elected and installed the following officers for the ensuing Masonic year: Wilburn R. Carver, W. M.; Robert I. Carr, S. W.; William G. Glenn, J.W.; Andrew K. Lind, secretary (re-elected); J. Eldridge Burns, treasurer (re-elected); Dr. Charles F. Whitney, S. D.; Samuel S. Galliher, J. D.; Benjamin J. Wrightsman, S. S.; Ralph W. Bowen, J. S.; John A. Moyer, master of ceremonies; Ira G. Phillips, tiler; William G. Glenn and Charles F. Whitney, delegates to Masonic board of relief; P. W. Smith, delegate to St. John's Mite Association; George Y. Hansell, trustee of life membership fund.

Deaths in the District.

The following deaths were reported to the health office during the twenty-four hours ending noon today: George Smallwood, 57 years; William Marshall, 50 years; John W. Haword, 45 years; Kate Specht, 37 years; Stella Brown, 30 years; Eliza Ann Simms, 26 years; James Haskins, 23 years; Leet H. Coursey, 5 years; William Penf, 2 months; infant of Estella Fitzhugh, 1 day.

A NEW YEAR GIFT.
MISS D. C.: "Thank you, it's just what I want!"

CLOUDY TONIGHT AND FRIDAY.

Probably Snow; Fresh North to Northeast Winds.

Forecast till 8 p.m. Friday.—For the District of Columbia, Maryland and Virginia, cloudy tonight and Friday, probably snow; fresh north to northeast winds.

Weather conditions and general forecast.—An area of high pressure of considerable magnitude has overspread the Missouri valley, the upper lake region and the extreme northwest. The area of low pressure central Wednesday morning in eastern Colorado has diminished greatly, what remains this morning being in southern Alabama.

The precipitation of the last twenty-four hours has been confined to the Missouri and middle Mississippi valleys, the Ohio valley, Tennessee, eastern Colorado and the eastern portion of the gulf states.

The temperature has fallen sharply from Montana southeastward as far as northwestern Missouri. It is below the seasonal average from 10 degrees to 35 degrees everywhere east of the Rocky mountains.

Snow is indicated for tonight and Friday in the middle and south Atlantic states, except in southern Georgia and South Carolina, where the precipitation will be in the form of rain. It will also snow in eastern Tennessee, the Ohio valley and the lower lake region tonight and in the last named Friday.

Somewhat lower temperature will prevail generally throughout the Washington forecast district.

The winds along the middle and south Atlantic coast will be fresh north to northeast. On the gulf coast fresh to brisk northwesterly winds will prevail.

Steamers which depart today for European ports will have light northerly winds and cloudy weather to the Grand Banks.

Records for Twenty-Four Hours.

The following were the readings of the thermometer and barometer at the weather bureau for the twenty-four hours beginning at 2 p.m. yesterday:

Thermometer—December 18—4 p.m., 23; 8 p.m., 22; 12 midnight, 17. December 19—4 a.m., 16; 8 a.m., 19; noon, 21; 2 p.m., 22. Maximum, 23, at 4 p.m., December 18; minimum, 15, at 3 a.m., December 19.

Barometer—December 18—4 p.m., 30.15; 8 p.m., 30.21; 12 midnight, 30.25. December 19—4 a.m., 30.23; 8 a.m., 30.32; noon, 30.32; 2 p.m., 30.29.

Tide Table.

Today—Low tide, 8:02 a.m. and 8:44 p.m.; high tide, 1:37 a.m. and 2:10 p.m.

Tomorrow—Low tide, 8:54 a.m. and 9:43 p.m.; high tide, 2:26 a.m. and 3:05 p.m.

The Sun and Moon.

Today—Sun rises, 7:17 a.m.; sun sets, 4:37 p.m.
Moon sets 1:30 a.m. tomorrow.
Tomorrow—Sun rises, 7:18 a.m.

The City Lights.

The city lights and naphtha lamps all lighted by thirty minutes after sunset; extinguishing begun one hour before sunrise. All arc and incandescent lamps lighted fifteen minutes after sunset and extinguished forty-five minutes before sunrise.

Condition of the Water.

Temperature and condition of water at 8 a.m.: Great Falls, temperature, 34; condition, 1; receiving reservoir, temperature, 37; condition at north connection, 1; condition at south connection, 1; distributing reservoir, temperature, 37; condition at influent gate house, 1; effluent gate house, 1.

THE COURTS.

Equity Court No. 1—Justice Hagner.

Froerer agt. Froerer; testimony before J. H. Lichliter, examiner, ordered taken. Goodman agt. Goodman; testimony before Chas. F. Wilson, examiner, ordered taken. Floeckher agt. Lowdermilk; reference to auditor ordered. United States Mortgage and Trust Company agt. Godfrey; J. C. Gittings and A. A. Birney appointed receivers. Wade agt. Wade; divorce refused. Ellis agt. Ellis; divorce granted. Simms agt. Simms; divorce refused. Starkweather agt. Warner; rule on complainant returnable December 23, 1901, granted.

Equity Court No. 2—Justice Bradley.

Gilhuly agt. Gilhuly; pro confesso against certain defendant. Gaillard agt. Pearson; guardian ad litem appointed. Fenwick agt. Gantt's heirs; appearance of absent defendant ordered. Heine agt. Heine; contract of sale confirmed and trustee appointed to convey. Simpson agt. Brennan; pro confesso against defendants and reference to Edwin L. Wilson to take proof. McDaniel agt. McDaniel; final ratification of auditor's report. Lucas agt. Lucas; proof ordered taken before Fountain Peyton, examiner. Capital Syndicate Company agt. Lee et al.; final ratification of sale and directing conveyance. King agt. King; leave to file amended bill granted. Tenley agt. Tenley; proof before Arthur Colburn, examiner, ordered taken. Reissmann agt. Reissman; appearance of absent defendant ordered. Ohio National Bank agt. King et al.; sale of lot 32, sub. square 683, authorized. Starkes agt. Starkes; decree dismissing bill. Stone agt. Stone; do. Crenshaw agt. McCormick; do. Williams agt. Williams; divorce granted. Hamilton agt. Hamilton et al.; decree for sale; Geo. E. Hamil-

Circuit Court No. 1—Chief Justice Bingham.

Turner agt. King; jury out. Anthony agt. Waters et al.; on trial. McLennan agt. Gurley et al.; ordered on sale. Schaper agt. Schaper; do. Frazer agt. Central Dispensary Hospital; do. Jess agt. Ruth et al.; do. Saul agt. Wilkins; do. White Hentz & Co. agt. Costello; do. Murphy agt. Murphy; do. Chase & Co. agt. Woerner; do. Sanner agt. Towles; do. Luchs agt. Towles; do. Knickerbocker Ice Company agt. Willis; do. Walker agt. Towles, Ofenstein agt. Towles; do. Traders National Bank agt. Towles; do. Arata agt. Laurenzi; do. Paxton agt. Georgetown and Tenleytown railway; do. Jones agt. Bush; do. Emrich agt. Emrich; do. Mathews agt. Metropolitan Railroad Company; do. American Cement Company agt. Block; do. Taylor agt. Heinz; do.

Circuit Court No. 2—Justice Clabaugh.

Grimes agt. Andrews; juror withdrawn; leave to amend granted and case continued at plaintiff's cost for term. Hunt agt. Springfield Fire and Marine Insurance Company; plaintiff elects to stand on demurrer to pleas and judgment against plaintiff for costs; appeal and bond fixed at $100. Demonet agt. Selfridge; commission ordered to issue.

Criminal Court No. 1—Justice Anderson.

United States agt. Henry Gant; assault to kill; verdict, guilty. United States agt. Joseph Johnson, larceny from the person; verdict, not guilty. United States agt. E. Zeus Franklin, obscene literature; personal recognizance taken. United States agt. John Mahaney, assault to kill; on trial.

Criminal Court No. 2—Justice Barnard.

United States agt. Joseph Underwood, housebreaking; on trial.

Probate Court—Justice Barnard.

Estate of Maria M. Barringer; codicil partly proved. Estate of Lucie A. Brown; inventory filed. Estate of John W. Downer; order of publication. Estate of John McNamee; proof of publication filed. Estate of Geo. S. Pringle; order of publication. Estate of Georgia T. Lyles; will fully proved. Estate of Eliza M. Gregory; will dated August 9, 1897, filed, with petition for probate; commission ordered to issue and renunciation of executorship by H. S. Gregory filed. Estate of Louise Spraul; petition for letters of administration filed. Estate of Martha Becker; account passed. In re Dora Lee; do. Estate of Sarah J. Thomas; final notice issued. Estate of George C. Deno; summons issued. Estate of Harry L. Chew; will fully proved. Estate of Charles King; order of publication. Estate of Sarah C. Toel; letters testamentary issued to American Security and Trust Company, and order of publication. Estate of Mary A. Johnson; letters of administration d.b.n., c.t.a. granted to Washington Loan and Trust Company and order of publication. Estate of Frank S. Williams; do. Estate of John J. Shugrue; will dated November 25, 1901, filed, with petition for probate.

ADAMS MILL ROAD.

Proceedings to Be Taken for Widening the Thoroughfare.

Mr. William P. Richards, the assistant engineer in charge of street extensions, has called the attention of the District Commissioners to the fact that under date of June 27 last the marshal of the District was instructed to summon a jury of seven disinterested people for the condemnation of land necessary to widen the Adams Mill road between Columbia road and the entrance to the Zoological Park. By act of Congress, approved June 6, 1900, the Commissioners were authorized to widen the road to 100 feet. Action was suspended by the marshal at the request of the Engineer Commissioner because negotiations were begun for the purchase of additional land after the notice to the marshal was served, and for other reasons. There is still some land to be secured, however, and the assistant engineer recommends that the marshal shall now take such action as will hasten the condemnation of the pieces of property necessary for the proposed widening. Work on the road is now in progress.

AFFAIRS IN GEORGETOWN.

General and Personal Items Gathered West of Rock Creek.

An appeal has been made to the members of the congregation of Trinity Church for contributions of food, clothing and the like to be distributed to the poor of the town, under the supervision of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, attached to the church. Every year the society distributes a quantity of stores, furnishes many poor families with good Christmas dinners and gives clothing and fuel where needed.

According to the statement made to a Star reporter this morning by a well-known provision dealer, turkeys will be quite scarce this Christmas. Only a few birds are being received from the surrounding country of Maryland and Virginia, and these, it is said, will be insufficient to meet the demands. Shipments from remote sections may be made to partly supply the demand. Very few birds are offered for sale, some of the dealers being unable to get any at all. It was estimated this morning that there were not 100 birds to be found on sale in all of the West End stores.

Asphalt blocks for the improvement of 32d street are being shipped and piled in place, ready for paving. The improvement is not expected to commence for several days yet, or until a sufficient supply of the blocks are on hand to enable the paving to be kept up uninterruptedly. The cobblestones which have been in use on the street will be taken up, it is said, and used for gutter work on suburban roads.

Messrs. John F. Killeen, Stuart Ball and Timothy Shugrue left on a morning train for several days of hunting in the vicinity of Occoquan, Va.

Miss Jefferson, a nurse who serves among the poor in Georgetown, has left for her home in Canada, where she will spend the holiday season.

Messrs. John Allen and James Beall returned last evening from a successful hunting trip in Westmoreland county, Va.

At a meeting of the Men's Society of the West Street Presbyterian Church, held last evening, the election of officers was postponed until the meeting of next month.

Real Estate Transfers.

Seventh street northeast between C and D streets—J. Nathan Baker et ux. to Isabel H. Lenman, lot 61, square 864; $10.

New York avenue northeast between North Capitol and 1st streets—Empire State Realty Co. to David B. Moore, lot 35, square 670; $10.

Washington Heights—Wm. L. Lanning et ux. to Annie C. Robinson, lot 27, block 3; $10.

Bloomingdale—Lawrence O. Mallery et ux. to John D. Meyers, lot 49, square 7; $10.

Tenth street northeast between A and B streets—Julius A. Maedel, trustee, to Robert A. Kautz, lot 34, square 940; $5.

N street northwest between 30th and 31st streets—Augusta C. Miller et vir, John E., to Elizabeth Crowley, part lot 60, square 1233; $10.

Bloomingdale—Ray E. Middaugh and William Shannon to Louis T. Squire, lot 84, block 9; $10. Same to Ella P. Pike, lot 83, block 9; $10. Same to James A. Messer, lot 79, block 9; $10. Same to Louise W. and Edward W. Chatterton, lot 82, block 9; $10.

North Capitol street northwest between E and F streets—National Safe Deposit, Savings and Trust Company to Claudius B. Jewell, lots 157 and 158, sq. 628; $10.

B street northeast between 9th and 10th streets—Sarah P. W. Patterson et al. to Arthur A. Birney, lot 14, sq. 940; $100.

N street northwest between 17th and 18th streets—Julia Poindexter et vir to Mary I. Robeson, part original lot 7, sq. 158; $10.

H street northeast between 3d and 4th streets—Jos. Reading et al. to George W. Drew, lot 49, square 777; $5.

Mount Pleasant—Wm. W. Souder et ux. to Patrick J. Walshe, lot 2; $10.

P street northwest between 30th and 31st streets—Jesse H. Wilson et al., trustees, to Theodosia Rohrer, part lot 196, square 1257; $2,750.

Cleveland Park—Joseph H. Bradley, administrator, to Albert C. Murdaugh and Joseph H. Bradley, lots 3 to 10, block 5; $5.

For Ensuing Term.

At the regular meeting of Scott Council, No. 458, National Union, held Monday evening, December 16, 1901, at Spanish War Veterans' Hall, 612 E street northwest, the following were elected for the ensuing term: President, Geo. S. Livingston; ex-president, Jas. N. Sparks; vice president, Dr. E. D. Thompson; speaker, W. E. Clapp; secretary, John H. Bell; financial secretary, B. F. Chase; treasurer, W. W. Case; chaplain, G. A. Gilliland; usher, Jas. D. Boyd; sergeant-at-arms, R. L. Whitcomb; doorkeeper, W. H. Hessick; trustees—Geo. M. Moore, Henry Weber, Jas P. Matthews; delegates to cabinet—Jas. M. Sparks, Geo. S. Livingston, John H. Bell, W. W. Case; delegate to Immediate Relief Association, Chas. Reed; delegate to D. C. F. B. societies, W. Wilhite.

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