

LOCAL MENTION.

Amusements Tonight. National—Held in "Mile. Innocent." 8:15 p.m.

Sherlock the Monk



High School Students Sight-Seeing Tour

Party of Two Hundred in Washington From New England Cities.

New England high schools have turned loose a small army of students who are in Washington for a three-day look-around.

ANACOSTIA.

Citizens of Anacostia have decided to request the superintendent of public buildings and grounds to again place Logan Park in Anacostia in good condition.

ESSAYS READ AT ST. JOHN'S.

Observance of Maryland Day at the College.

Much enthusiasm prevailed in the student body of St. John's College today on the occasion of the reading of the essays prepared for the contest.

RECEIVE PAPAL BENECTION.

First Week of Mission at St. Joseph's Church Comes to a Close.

The first week of the mission at St. Joseph's Catholic Church came to a close yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Veteran of Civil War Returns to Washington After 47 Years.

The Second Baptist Church, 4th and Virginia avenue southeast, was the scene of an unusual incident last night.

"POLITICAL PORTRAITS" TOPIC.

Dr. Radcliffe Defends Right of Ministers to Discuss Politics.

A minister of the gospel has the right to discuss national questions where morals are involved, and politics involve moral principles, declared Rev. Dr. Radcliffe.

Fisk Jubilee Singers Here.

In the interests of the Fisk Jubilee Singers, the Fisk Jubilee Singers will sing plantation melodies at the First Congregational Church tonight at 7:45 o'clock.

BLAZE IN PIANO STORE CAUSES LOSS OF \$1,000

Fire Department Responds in Public Address, Senator Works Recalls Hearing on Excise Bill.

Three alarms of fire sounded between 8:15 and 8:45 o'clock this morning claimed the attention of the fire department.

WORKMEN DISCOVER SMOKE.

Smoke coming from the room in which several pianos and hundreds of rolls of music were kept attracted the attention of workmen in the rear room.

Small Fires Elsewhere.

A pile of trash left near the furnace in the cellar at the drug store of Augustus C. Taylor, Maryland avenue and 2d street, northeast, tonight had a short fire.

BENEFIT INCREASED.

Larger Payments to Family of Deceased Member by Typo. Union.

At the meeting of Columbia Typographical Union, No. 101, in a large hall, yesterday, it was decided to make a change in the mortuary benefits of the union.

Large Party From Maine.

The party in charge of Miss Eva I. Phillips of Lewiston, Me., includes students from Skowhegan and Corey high schools.

REVIVAL WILL CONTINUE.

Nightly Services at Vermont Avenue Christian Church This Week.

Evangelistic services will continue nightly this week at Vermont Avenue Christian Church, where Dr. R. W. Aberley of Cincinnati, Ohio, and William Leigh, soloist, have been conducting meetings for the past two weeks.

SAENGERBUND CHORUS HEARD.

Large Audience Enjoys Concert at the Clubhouse.

Assisted by Mrs. Robert Patt and Miss Mary Sherrier, sopranos; Mrs. Esther Gumprecht and Miss Annie C. F. Rogers, contraltos; Joseph Whitmore, tenor; Thomas A. Murray, baritone; and J. Frank Dugan, basso, Director Gumprecht, with the Washington Saengerbund chorus, gave what many considered the best concert of the Saengerbund season in the clubhouse last evening.

SAYS MINISTER DEFENDS LOCAL LIQUOR TRAFFIC

Senator Works of California yesterday denounced the representative of "one of the great churches in the District" who, he said, appeared before the Senate subcommittee considering proposed amendments to the liquor traffic of the District.

NEWS OF ROCKVILLE AND THE COUNTY

Special Correspondence of The Star. ROCKVILLE, Md., March 25, 1912. Maryland day exercises, commemorating the landing of Calvert in 1634, were held in the public schools throughout Montgomery county today.

Raps Organized Labor.

Senator Works also criticized organized labor in the District, whose representative, he said, also appeared before the committee in opposition to a change in the District excise laws.

Corruption in Politics.

Referring to corrupt politics in Ohio, Illinois and other states, he said: "Why is there such a deplorable condition in our country? It is because elections in this country are controlled by greed and managed by money."

SEVERAL THEFTS REPORTED.

Driver Says Man to Whom He Gave Ride Robbed Him.

Benjamin Hawkins, 643 Navy place southeast, employed as driver of an express team, complained to the police that he was robbed of \$25 Saturday night by an unidentified colored man.

FAREWELL SERVICE GIVEN.

Mr. Wrightson Resigns Directorship of Foundry Church Choir.

A farewell service was conducted by the choir of Foundry M. E. Church last evening, under the direction of Sydney Lloyd Wrightson, the choirmaster.

Dr. Holmes to Preside at Dinner.

Dr. J. A. Holmes, director of the bureau of mines, will preside at the second annual dinner of the University of North Carolina Alumni Association, to be held at the Hotel Shoreham next Wednesday evening.

Rev. Dr. Drew Principal Speaker.

Rev. Simon P. W. Drew was the principal speaker at a meeting held at Cosmopolitan Baptist Church yesterday, under the auspices of the National Baptist Evangelical Convention of America, which is in session here.

Benefactors

Some time ago I had the heavens, which laid me on a couch of pain; it is a malady that leaves you broken down in wind and brain.

FUNERAL TOMORROW OF RETIRED YACHT BUDDER

William McAllister Saw All the Races for America's Cup.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock at the undertaking establishment of J. William Lee, where the body will be cremated.

WASHINGTONIAN BUYS FARM.

Thomas Armat Owner of Mountain Tract—News of Leesburg.

DELTA SIGMA BETA BANQUET.

Seventh Annual Reunion of the Alpha Chapter.

DEFENSES COLONIAL BEACH.

Dr. M. B. Groshon Denies That the River Town Has Polluted Oysters.

Christian Xander's Family Quality House of 325

Wines and Distillates

Periodicals BOUND

HODGES' Have You Written an Ad for the Leese Contest?

GOOD advertising

develops new business and keeps old business from drifting away.

Star Ad Writing Bureau.

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SCHOOLS SELL DEGREES IN DISTRICT, IS CHARGE

Annual Report of Carnegie Foundation Bears Out Bureau Allegations.

Educational systems of the present day, according to the statements contained in the sixth annual report of the Carnegie foundation for the advancement of teaching, just made public, are in the direction of state boards and commissions.

Real Estate Investments.

Moore & Hill (Inc.), 1420-22 H St.—Advt.

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CITY ITEMS.

Big Demand for Cypress Hot Bed Sash at the low price we quote. Glass 6x8 and 8x10. Eisinger Bros., 2109 7th.

Heurich's Beers Are Your Protection

From the type of brews that produce biliousness and other ill effects. Pure, dew-aged from six to ten months. 2 doz. Macon or Sebaste, \$1.75. 2 doz. Lager, \$1.50. Bot. rebate, 5c. Tel. W. 1900.

Something New Under the Sun.

No broken collars. Stairboard Laundry, office, 2304 14th st. Col. 718.

Pyrometers. Fred A. Schmidt, 719 13th.

"A Peep Behind the Scenes."

Stupendous circus picture, 4 reels, today. Virginia, 9th, F. G.

Shower Baths. Star Hotel, 608 9th. Great.

4 Cans Corn, 25c; 4 Cans Soup, 25c;

Plenty Fine Hard Crabs Now Every Day

at Schneider's, Line 238.

Kramlets Are a Sure Relief for Indigestion, constipation and uric acid ailments.

Phonograph. Phonograph, 2140 Main 2140.

FAILS TO RETURN CHANGE.

Luncheon Proprietor Reports He Was Robbed by "Obliging" Patron.

HEALTH CANDLES 100% PURE.

Gift Novelties

Easter Baskets

The Fruit & Nut Shop, 1231 G St.

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By Gus Mager

MY HUSBAND HAS BEEN DONE AWAY WITH BY BURGLARS THAT SURPRISED HIM IN HIS ROOM—QUICK!

LOOK! I WAS DOWNSTAIRS WAITING FOR MY HUSBAND TO FINISH DRESSING FOR THE OPERA WHEN I HEARD THE NOISE OF THE STRUGGLE. I TOTTERED UPSTAIRS THERE WAS NO ONE TO BE SEEN!

EVIDENTLY HE PUT UP A FIGHT!

A MORE DARING ROBBERY WE NEVER INVESTIGATED. EH SHERLOCKO?

ROBBERY? THAT ROLL OF BILLS IN PLAIN SIGHT ON THE BED SHOWS THAT THIS WAS NO ROBBERY!

—AND THIS RECENTLY BROKEN COLLAR BUTTON—YOUR HUSBAND WILL RETURN SAFE AND SOUND—THE ATTACK FROM WHICH HE SUFFERED WASN'T OF THE KIND THAT YOU SUSPECTED!

AH, GROUCHO, HERE YOU ARE NOW! THAT ATTACK OF RAGE WHICH PROMPTED YOU TO KICK OVER THE FURNITURE JUST BECAUSE YOUR COLLAR BUTTON BROKE

WELL, I'D BEEN WRESTLING WITH THE COLLAR FOR 10 MINUTES AND I WAS ONLY STUPID ENOUGH TO KICK OVER THE FURNITURE NOW!

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