# Fraternities

## MASONIC.

LODGES.

Monday—Dawson, No. 16, 6 p.m., F. C.; 7:30, E. A.
Potomac, No. 5, special, 7:30 p.m., M. M., by Marine Corps team.
Stansbury, No. 24, called off.
Joppa, No. 35, F. C.
Tuesday—Takoma, No. 29, F. C.
Wednesday—Harmony, No. 17, called off.
St. John's Mite Association.
Thursday—Naval, No. 4, special, 7 p.m., M. M.
The New Jerusalem, No. 9, called off.
Geo. C. Whiting, No. 22, called off.
Temple-Noyes, No. 32, called off.
Friday—St. John's, No. 11, called off.
Hope, No. 20, called off.
Saturday—Masters' Association.

ROYAL ARCH CHAPTERS.

Monday—Mount Vernon, No. 3, called off.
Tuesday—Mount Horeb, No. 7, called off.
Potomac, No. 8, Royal Arch.
Wednesday—Washington-Naval, No. 6, Called off.
Thursday—Washington, No. 2, called off.
Wm. R. Singleton, No. 14, called off.
Friday—Eureka, No. 4, called off.
Capitol, No. 11, called off.
Mount Pleasant, No. 13, called off.

ANCIENT AND ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE.

Tuesday—Evangelist Chapter, Knights Rose Croix, called off.

LMAS TEMPLE of the Mystic Shrine is preparing for a big remonial session the latter part of ptember or the early part of Octo- r. Potentate Henry Lansburgh, nce his return from his western p, has isssued a call to all the its of the Arab Patrol, the brass nd, the drill team, the oriental nd, the floor team and the glee ub, as well as the drum corps, to art rehearsals without delay inas- uch as the interpolated ritual for is session will be of an exceptional aracter in order to start the fall tivities aright.

A series of base ball games has en arranged between the teams of mas and Boumi Temple of Balti- ore, to be played alternately in ashington and Baltimore, the first ing scheduled for the American ague Park here on September 3. is proposed in this way to bring e nobles of Boumi and Almas into ser association, with an ultimate ject in view. Andy Walker and J. ed Huber are in charge.

August 13, which means next Sat- day, the Arab Patrol will leave ashington on the 1 p. m. train for altimore, where it will be met and tertained by the nobles of Boumi emple prior to its departure from altimore on its annual "bay trip" Washington. Nearly a hundred bles of the patrol are enrolled for is trip and this number is expected be considerably agumented. Capt. rl E. E. Flather is supervising the tails of the trip.

August 25, the annual frolic of the trol to Marshall Hall will occur d much ingenuity has been exer- sed in devising novelties for one of e unique events of the shrine year. e patrol generally carries on its olics its social friends and patrons its winter dances and balls, in ad- tion to a large aggregation of as- stant funmakers, and plans to do is this year.

Saturday and Sunday, August 20 d 21, will be "patrol days" at the me of the Almas Temple Automo- le Club, on West River, and great eparations have been made for the casion. The auto club will enter- in the patrol, and it is expected the pacity of the clubhouse will be xed to its limit, for this is a stag rty.

"Call Me Henry" is having the ne of his life explaining to the bility a certain mysterious arrest eceding a banquet in his honor in rtland, Oregon, recently, by Mayor ker and others and also why he ose the Canadian route for his re- rn to Washington instead of the re patriotic and dryer route via the ited States. It is a well-known t that Henry is both a prohibition- and law abiding, and the patrol ys are not permitting those facts stand in the way of the joshing potentate is receiving.

Almas Temple has launched its mmediate Relief Association" with tentate Henry Lansburgh as chair- n ex officio, Wuzdom D. Brown as e chairman, F. Lawrence Walker secretary-treasurer and J. Harry nningham, Edward S. Brashears d A. E. Steinem as members of its ard of directors. A feature is said be a mysterious prayer to the ack Camel to amble on his way by e other route.

St. John's Lodge will devote itself excursional pleasures at Marshall ll tomorrow. John J. Barnes, jr., chairman of the general committee d William E. Poulton, jr., vice airman. In addition to two series athletic events scheduled for 1 and p.m., respectively, there are to be a g of war for married and single en, a nail-driving contest for young omen, a pie-eating contest and a real contest, with prizes ranging m a sleep-wooer to something less an a grand piano, all to be awarded rictly within the law, however. A ottle race" for Master Masons only exciting curiosity, notwithstanding e assurance that it is not that kind a bottle.

Eureka Royal Arch Chapter of this risdiction and James F. Allen Chap- of Maryland are to have a joint d-fashioned picnic on the Rockville, L. fair grounds Saturday. The band Kallipolis Grotto will furnish all rts of music for the occasion and e general committee is straining its ts in devising new forms and fea- res of entertainment for the oc- sion. Special cars will leave 14th eet and Pennsylvania avenue north- st at 2 p.m. Saturday to carry the nic participants directly to the fair ounds.

Grand Visitor and Lecturer Lucien ng will officiate in the Royal Arch gree in Potomac Chapter, No. 8, esday, with Rolen E. Painter of reka Chapter as principal so- rner.

The New Jerusalem Lodge will not et again until August 25, when de- ee work, to be announced in the ge building, will be the chief ture.

Joppa Lodge tomorrow evening, in dition to degree work, will discuss idea of a carnival in aid of its lding fund.

The Ionic Club of the Treasury De- rtment gave its annual excursion to rshall Hall a week ago Saturday d had every bureau in the depart- nt represented. A track meet be- een Capital City Athletic Club and nic Club members was a feature.

Monarch Castleman P. Boss of Kal- olis Grotto is arranging for a siness meeting of the grotto in Sep- nber and a full-form ceremonial in tober, with a very large class of ndidates.

"Wednesday is the day, August 10 e date, and Chesapeake Beach the ace," is the reminder to all prophets the annual family outing and otto excursion. Chairman Henry Gompers has everything well in nd and he is sanguine in his pre- ction that this year's outing will the best ever. Valuable prizes the women, children and prophets ll be awarded in the athletic con- sts, the Grotto Band will furnish a ncert, and a moving picture film ll be made of the day's activities. in all, it will be a day of fun and olic, free from dull care and worry.

Thursday evening Past Monarch arles D. Shackelford, captain of the otto drill corps, was the guest of drill corps at an informal dinner recognition of his efforts in behalf that auxiliary. During the even- Past Monarch Charles A. Stev- , on behalf of the grotto conven- n committee, presented the drill rps with a handsome silver loving p as a prize for its showing at lantic City during the Supreme uncil session. After the cup had en received by Past Monarch Shack- ord, Past Monarch E. W. Libby, in name of the drill corps, presented n with a beautiful silver service—gift from the members of the drill corps—in appreciation of the masterly and harmonious manner in which he has presided over and trained the corps since he became its leader.

The Grotto Drum and Bugle Corps, now in process of organization, is reported to be making great progress. The members are undergoing intensive practice and are in the hands of competent instructors. It is expected they will be in condition to take their place with all comers at the next annual convention of the Supreme Council.

The Caravan Club luncheon on the Washington hotel roof Friday, showed what personal work will do in other things than religion. One hundred and Six diners were present, and thirty of them nobles who had not been present for some time, but who had been "reminded." Representative Parrish gave the boys a fine talk, and a letter from "Bush" Washington, who is in the hospital at Oteen, N. C., was listened to with more than passing interest. The program in general was good and was received with enthusiasm.

## EASTERN STAR.

Harding Chapter Thursday at 8 p.m., in Masonic Temple, after business will have music by the choir. A garden party is contemplated. Mrs. Ethel Huguely is the chairman. The date will be announced later. Preparation is being made for another class for initiation August 25, with an attractive program of music, by Harding Chapter Choir. July 28 a large class was initiated, and a musical program was rendered by the choir. Refreshments were served. Mrs. Charles Shreve presented the chapter with a silver cup, which will be used in the ceremony of initiation.

## JR. O. U. A. M.

Mount Vernon Council, No. 10, had as a guest recently National Representative Smithen. A report of the proceeding of the National Council at Los Angeles, Calif., was received. The council is making plans to attend the reunion at Pen Mar Park, Md., August 18. The next social and ladies' night will be held September 28. The Stag Club will meet Wednesday in Mount Vernon Hall, 3d street and Pennsylvania avenue southeast. A social will follow the meeting; refreshments and smokes will be served.

The Reptile Oriental Court, No. 10, at its last meeting conferred a degree upon six candidates. Prince H. E. Hoffman of Scorpion Court, No. 1, was a guest. Scorpion Court is to give an excursion to Chesapeake Beach August 19.

Anacostia Council, No. 16, Monday admitted 10 candidates to membership. A committee reported that new paraphernalia would be made by September. It was announced that John L. Burnett Council, No. 4, located at 820 26th street northwest, has the support of all the loyal councils of this jurisdiction. John D. Simpson was elected degree master and Gus. Tourney his assistant.

The annual excursion to Chesapeake Beach will be given by Cootie Oriental Court, No. 1, August 24th. The general chairman is W. E. Flynn; ticket committee, J. E. Flynn; publicity committee, George Prender; fun committee, M. H. Wooden; committee on the entertainment of wounded soldiers, S. Oliveri, and committee on chances, A. D. Teeple.

The progress made by each committee was reported by the respective chairmen last Sunday. After the reports a tentative program was drafted and discussed, but held over for final action until after each chairman has had a meeting with his committee.

Plans to carry down to the beach a large party of wounded soldiers from Walter Reed Hospital and to entertain these soldiers royally were agreed upon. Among the features that will delight the boys are a large band, athletic and fun games, cracker contest, watermelon contest, beauty contest, fireworks at night and last but not least a big dinner—"a la cootie."

## B. P. O. ELKS.

The reunion of the Maryland state convention of the order will be held at Hagerstown, Md., August 15 to 17. Washington Lodge will be represented 500 strong, including a band of sixty-one pieces, a clown band of nine, and the Elks base ball team of the Fraternal League.

Wednesday, 105 candidates will be initiated in Washington Lodge.

The Virginia State Elks Association has invited Washington Lodge to attend the state convention at Charlottesville, Va., August 9 and 10. The entertainment will include a trip to Monticello and an old-fashioned Virginia barbecue.

Harry Givin, leader of the clown band, has as his associates William H. Simons, W. N. Wood, Bernie Corrigan, Mr. Flatoe, Frank Kendrick, Charles Dietz, jr., Baby Charles, and Arthur A. Riemer.

## KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

A base ball game is scheduled at Union League Park for tomorrow afternoon between the Knights of Pythias and Odd Fellows teams.

Home Lodge will meet tomorrow evening.

Amaranth Lodge Monday evening, during the social hour, through Past Grand Chancellor John C. Yost, presented a fifty-year veteran jewel to J. M. Harr. A membership drive will be inaugurated soon and teams or committees have been selected for the campaign.

Webster Lodge was assisted Tuesday evening by Capital and Excelsior lodges in conferring the esquire rank. The following pages were presented: Excelsior Lodge, G. H. Jacobs; Webster Lodge, Lieut. Harry Woodhouse; Capital Lodge, J. W. Tucker, Clarence McClure, Oscar L. Hoheim and F. W. Becker

Lodges that contemplate joint visitations this fall have been urged to complete their arrangements as early as possible and notify Grand Chancellor Gray The first visitation will be to Myrtle Lodge, October 4.

## IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN

Seneca Tribe had a substantial increase in both members and finances the first six months of this year. A special program for each meeting from July 1 to December 31 has been arranged. Past Sachem W. C. Smoot is reported seriously ill.

Mineola No. 14, the third largest tribe as to membership in the District, also made a large increase the first six months of the year. At its last meeting some of the great chiefs spoke in a complimentary way of the success of the tribe.

Sioux Tribe No. 18 reports having received fifty-seven candidates for its ceremonial to be held August 31. The following are in charge of arrangements: Frank Foer, Ira L. Parks, Henry J. Gompers, Samuel Feldman and Jacque Heidenheimer. A past sachem's certificate has been presented to the retiring sachem, Samuel Feldman.

Chief of Records Brady of Herndon, Va., has requested that a committee for the District of Columbia be appointed to meet with the committee from Virginia for the out-of-doors class adoption to be held some time this month. It is the intention to have a regular camp so that those who attend will spend an enjoyable time. Great Sachem Robert S. Strobel has the request in charge.

The finance and other committee on returns and reports will meet today at the great chief of records office at 3 p.m. to examine the accounts and reports of the great council for the term ending June 30.

## SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF LIBERTY.

Hope Council, No. 1, Tuesday night held a package party. Plans are being made by this council to entertain the National Council, which convenes in this city in September. Mrs. Florence J. Trunnell has been elected as a representative to the National Council convention. Reunion day will be celebrated at Glen Echo. August 13.

## ODD FELLOWS.

LODGES.

Monday—Union, No. 11, and Langdon, No. 26, social; Beacon, No. 15, first degree.
Tuesday—Washington, No. 6, Golden Rule, No. 21, and Amity, No. 27, first degree; Excelsior, No. 17, second degree.
Wednesday—Eastern, No. 7, initiatory degree; Harmony, No. 9, and Friendship, No. 12, degree; Covenant, No. 13, first degree.
Thursday—Columbia, No. 10, first degree; Salem, No. 22, initiatory degree; Phoenix, No. 28, social.
Friday—Central, No. 1, Metropolis, No. 16, and Federal City, No. 20, social.

ENCAMPMENTS.

Monday—Mount Nebo, No. 6, degree.
Wednesday—Columbian, No. 1, degree.

REBEKAH LODGES.

Monday—Esther, No. 5, social.
Wednesday—Mount Pleasant, No. 9, degree.
Thursday—Martha Washington, No. 3, degree.

Grand Master Wolfe is absent from the jurisdiction and will not return until after the session of the Sovereign Grand Lodge at Toronto, Canada, the week of September 19. During his absence his office will be in charge of Deputy Grand Master Harry L. Andresen. Previous to his departure the grand master arranged for L. E. Eliff of Amity Lodge, No. 27, and Mrs. A. E. Chaffee of Esther Rebekah Lodge, No. 5, to have charge of the press department.

It is estimated that more than 5,000 will be in attendance at Pen-Mar, Md., Thursday, when members from Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia will join in an annual reunion. The day's outing will be featured by base ball games, field sports and picnic parties. Representative Frank Crowther from New York, a past grand master and past grand representative from New Jersey, will be the orator for the occasion. He will make the trip with Grand Representative Ernest W. Bradford by auto.

Grand Patriarch William W. Adams will be in attendance at both ensampments this week, Mount Nebo tomorrow evening and Columbian, Wednesday.

Assembly President Henrietta Werner announces Tuesday, August 23, as Rebekah day at Marshall Hall. The general committee in charge includes Laura E. B. McChesney, chairman; Emma T. Strobel, secretary; Mary Baurman, treasurer; Rosana Teates, Maggie King, Margaret Hellmuth, Bertha Nichols and Susie Eckloff.

Vice Grand Beulah Douglas will head the official line in the degree at Mount Pleasant Lodge Wednesday evening. Noble Grand Emma D. Wolfe will be absent from the jurisdiction during August and September.

Esther Lodge, for the summer season, has provided electric fans and extra equipment in the banquet room for the comfort of the membership, and each meeting night will be devoted to socials and entertainments.

Mrs. Josephine Dailey will officiate as noble grand in the degree at Martha Washington Lodge Thursday evening, following which the entertainment committee announces a surprise. This is the home lodge of Past President Mollie E. Edmonston.

The Noble and Vice Grands' Association will meet Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, in lodgeroom No. 1, I. O. O. F. Temple. Ernest A. Admire, manager of the team in the Fraternal Base Ball League, will make a report.

Consideration of by-laws and new legislation to be submitted to the Supreme Orient, which convenes at Cleveland, Ohio, Thursday, will be taken up at the session of Mithras Sanctorium, O. O. R. and P., Saturday evening. It is announced that fezes are ready for distribution. The sanctorium will give a forty-mile moonlight excursion on the Potomac the evening of Friday, August 26.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

Columbia, the new national monthly magazine of the Knights of Columbus, has made its initial appearance. The first issue is said to contain a message from President Harding praising the record of the order in the world war.

Plans have been made for the improvements on the Carroll Institute building 10th street northwest near K. Builders and contractors in the order have been invited to get in touch with the architect and present bids. It is stated the new building will be ready for occupancy about October 1.

Maurice J. McAuliffee, state deputy for the District; James A. Sullivan, Michael D. Schaefer and Redmond De Vaney will return to Washington this week from the Supreme international convention held last week at San Francisco. Charles W. Darr, master of the Fourth Degree, also was present at the Supreme convention.

## NATIONAL UNION.

Government Printing Office Council at its last meeting at Typographical Temple had many of the older members present. After the business the speaker, Philip Nachman, with his social committee, furnished a sea food lunch and smoker.

A joint excursion of all fifteen councils of the order in this city was held at Chesapeake Beach July 27. A large number of members and their families and friends enjoyed a perfect day and a program of athletic events. There was also a bathing beauty contest. This excursion was held for the benefit of the National Union hospital service. The committee on extension is making its plans for another big event in the fall.

## UNITED SPANISH WAR VETERANS.

Commander Tred A. Royse has called a semi-monthly muster of Col. James S. Pettit Camp for Tuesday evening in Perpetual Hall for the purpose of mustering recruits. This camp has been very active in recruiting and has added several names to the rall recently. Comrade Worthy F. Wise will take up the duties of adjutant at this meeting.

The United Spanish War Veterans Band will hold rehearsals every Friday night at the National Guard armory, 5th and L streets northwest, where Bandmaster Jones will receive applications from comrades who desire to become members of the band.

A special session of the council of administration was held Thursday night. Important matters were considered relating to retainment of veterans and special legislation protesting same. Comrade Cox offered a resolution, which was adopted. Department Commander McCaffrey explained in full the joker and rider in preference law of 1912. H. R. bill No. 283 was not indorsed by the council of administration because of its defects and covering no protection to the veterans.

The Military Order of the Serpent is getting everything in shape for its big crawl. Companions Gallagher and O'Brien say a large list of candidates are waiting for the date, which will be given out in a few days. Election and installation of new officers for the Grand Lair will take place.

Olliver's "American Review" from overseas will be staged on the Union Station plaza beginning September 5 (Labor day) and ending September 19, under the auspices of the United Spanish War Veterans, Department of the District of Columbia. The United States Producing Company is putting on the "big show." A meeting of the department entertainment committee was held Monday night and perfected arrangements for putting on the shows. The following committees have been appointed to manage the shows:

Executive committee—J. E. Wilson, chairman; Charles W. McCaffrey, Charles J. P. Weber, C. A. Belknap, treasurer; G. E. Rausch and Edward A. Oliver.

Ticket—C. A. Belknap, chairman; F. Zulch, vice chairman.

Program—Harry F. Patterson, chairman; F. A. Royse, vice chairman.

Order—J. E. Wilson, chairman; John Gallagher, vice chairman.

Concessions—A. H. League, chairman; John Gerken, vice chairman.

Riding device—C. N. Walker, chairman; John Forme, vice chairman.

Amusement—Albert Michaud, chairman; P. C. Huhn, vice chairman.

Refreshment—E. Dolman, chairman; J. H. Ford, vice chairman; Samuel Silverman.

Dancing—Harry Coulter, chairman; H. M. Knight, vice chairman.

Committees to act in conjunction with the executive committee were appointed by the departmental commander, each camp commander acting as chairman of a subcommittee from his camp composed of six comrades.

Sergt. Maj. Williams is acting department adjutant during the absence on furlough of Adjt. Claiborne S. Close.

Department Quartermaster Clarence A. Belknap has moved his family from Hastings, Neb., to join him in this city. Past Department Commander William L. Mattocks has been in attendance at the several department encampments held in nearby states.

A regular meeting of Gen. Nelson A. Miles Camp was held Tuesday evening. Commander Fred Zulch received reports of Comrade A. E. Davis being in Soldiers' Home Hospital awaiting an operation, return of Comrade Moriarity from hospital at Denver, Col., and Past Commander Petus from California, ready for duty.

The new mailing roster shows 344 members in good standing and the camp strong financially.

The camp indorsed the recent speech in Congress of Representative Hamilton Fish, who urged the veterans to retire congressmen and senators opposing the interests of veterans. A resolution was adopted instructing the grievance committee to take up with Secretary Denby the discharge of Comrade Shea from the Washington navy yard. In vitriolistic speeches Junior Vice Department Commander Royse, Past Department Commander Samuel G. Mawson and Chaplain Tell Turner condemned the administration on its attitude toward veterans and the scrapping of the preferential act of August 23, 1912.

The department adjutant reports receipt of new mailing lists from Miles, Lawton and Harden camps and hopes to hear from the other camps soon.

## WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.

Alpha camp Friday evening took initial steps to organize a company of the uniform rank. All officers' commissions in the former organizations have been revoked and when the individual companies have been formed anew they will elect their captains. Battalions and regiments will be built up, and an army formed such as existed before the outbreak of the war. Over three thousand well drilled Woodmen of the World gave their lives in the war, it is said.

Thursday night's convention of Elm Camp was notable for the interest shown in the reorganization of Company of the U. R.

National camp decided at its last meeting to put a team in the W. O.W. bowling league. The captains of last years teams will meet at National Camp's hall Thursday.

## WOMAN'S BENEFIT ASSOCIATION—MACCABEES.

Victory Review tomorrow evening will have a class initiation followed by a social.

Mrs. Agnes Sheahan will give a lawn fete August 19 at her home, 622 G street southwest, for the benefit of the Union Guard team. Dancing will be a diversion of the evening.

# ALEXANDRIA.

ALEXANDRIA, Va., August 6 (Special).—The boys from this city who went to Camp Rust, near Leesburg, Va., and spent the past ten days are home again, having returned yesterday afternoon. They were under the direction of K. E. Wallace of the Y. M. C. A. of this city. All report having had a most enjoyable time. The camp was on the place of D. N. Rust.

Four colored men in the police court today settled a board bill alleged to amount to $290 owing to Alexander Spottswood, colored, of 607 North Henry street, for exactly $35, this representing all of the money the quartet had with them when taken in custody. This settlement was satisfactory to both Spottswood and the court and the men were acquitted.

Miss Jennie Roxbury, formerly a teacher in the public schools of this city, last Tuesday, while in Charlottesville, Va., fell and broke an arm and leg. She is a patient in the hospital at that place.

Alfred Werteim, a violinist, will play at the 11 o'clock service tomorrow morning at Trinity M. E. Church.

Miss Emeritta Warnock, daughter of Thomas Warnock, and Frederick Earnshaw, both of Washington, were married last night at the parsonage of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Rev. L. F. Kelly, assistant pastor, officiating. The couple will reside in Washington. They left for Atlantic City, where they will spend their honeymoon.

Services at the Second Presbyterian Church tomorrow will be conducted by Rev. Hugh R. Murchison, D. D., of Columbia Theological Seminary, Columbia, S. C.

The standing of the Sunday schools in the attendance campaign being conducted under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., in their respective order, follow: Second Baptist, St. Paul's Episcopal, M. E. South; First Baptist, Trinity, M. E.; Second Presbyterian.

# FORTUNE TELLER HELD.

### Merchant Charges She Caused Roll to Shrink $365.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

FROSTBURG, Md., August 6.—It cost Edward B. Baltzer, aged eighty years, flour and feed merchant of Shanksville, near the mining town of Berlin, just $365 to have his fortune told.

Mrs. Peter Adams, a gypsy connected with a carnival company, is charged with larceny. She dropped into the store and found Baltzer at his desk. She informed him he had some money and told him to produce it; that it was necessary for him to have it in his hand in order that she might tell his fortune.

Baltzer produced a roll containing $495. She took the money and placed it under a colored handkerchief. After a short pow-wow, she returned the bills and told him to put them in his vest pocket.

The proceeding was amusing to Baltzer, but a short time later he decided it might be well to take account of his cash. The roll had shrunk considerably and an inventory disclosed that it was $365 short. Chief of Police Shaw of Berlin was put on the trail and the woman was arrested on the carnival grounds. She furnished $900 bond for court.

# FORCE NEGROES TO LEAVE

### Resort Burned at Dixon, Ill., After Yank Is Shot.

DIXON, Ill., August 6.—A number of negroes were driven out of town last night by a band of several hundred men from Dixon and Polo, former home of William Coffey, world war veteran, who was shot to death in a negro resort east of town Monday night. Demonstrations were staged by the crowd in front of negro tenements here and later a small band of men fired a negro resort on the outskirts of the town.

Three negroes have been held for the grand jury in connection with the slaying of Coffey.

# ASPIRANTS LINE UP FOR PRIMARY BOUT

### State Controller and Legislators to Be Elected in Maryland in Fall.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

BALTIMORE, August 6.—With the closing of the lists two weeks off, candidates for places to be filled at the primary on September 9 are beginging to file with the board of election supervisors. All indications are that the democrats, on both sides, will have full slates before the last bell is rung. But the candidates for places on the state central committee seem to be in a bigger hurry to get their names in than are the candidates for other places on the tickets of either party. Up to today no woman candidate had filed for anything, even though the democratic women in at least three legislative districts have agreed on candidates for the state central committee.

**Political Apathy Disappearing.**

The general apathy which has been so marked in Maryland politics since the election last November, due to a large extent to the fact that this is an off year in politics, is gradually giving way and both parties are waking up to the fact that a state controller, house of delegates and half a senate are to be elected this fall.

Controller E. Brooke Lee of Montgomery county has positively announced that under no circumstances will he be a candidate for re-election, and no other democrat of prominence has appeared to make the run for the office. So far William S. Gordy of Wicomico county is the only man who has announced his willingness to try for the office, and unless somebody else gets into the limelight he will get the nomination by default. The republicans have a candidate in the person of State Senator Oliver Metzerott of Prince Georges county, and the G. O. P. bosses seem to be delighted that he wants to run. He already has the nomination.

**Outlook in the City.**

In the city the prospects are that there will be another fight between the Mahon and Kelly factions, just as there was two years ago. At that time harmony efforts were strong, because the state ticket of the party was imperiled. Now, as there is no governor to be chosen, there is not the same incentive for peace making, and both factions appear to have made up their minds to go to the mat for a show-down in the primaries.

The women of both parties appear to be more active than the men in picking candidates for the state central committees. While the democratic party is the only which has so far openly invited women by grahting them equal representation, it is a foregone conclusion that they will be treated equally as well by the republicans, and, as a matter of fact, the women of the latter affiliation already have practically agreed upon their candidates who will be named next week.

# AERONAUTIC SCHOOL AT RESEARCH COLLEGE

### Lectures Also to Be Given on Various Subjects at University.

Plans for the new school of aeronautics at Research University were brought nearer completion last week by several conferences of officials of the institution with aviation experts. A sufficient number of students is expected at the opening of the fall quarter, September 19, to organize a ground school of aviation.

President Rapeer of the university is giving a course of lectures on "Efficiency and Personality," which is open to the public. The lectures are given at 5 o'clock every Thursday afternoon.

Prof. W. E. Mickey, A. B., of Harvard has been promoted to the deanship of the School of Secretarial Science. Dean Mickey is a specialist on office organization and scientific management, and is a special investigator in the bureau of efficiency.

The deans of the various schools and colleges of the university are now at work on the catalogues for the coming year, which will come from the press during August.

Dean Hall of the College of Commerce is giving courses in statistics and public speaking during the summer at the university and is cooperating with the National Service School for Women by teaching courses in community organization and improvement.

Dean Fagin of the School of Literary Arts will give two lectures this week on Meredith's novel, "The Egoist." These lectures will be given on Monday and Thursday evening at 7:10 o'clock at the university and will be open to the public.

President Rapeer has announced that a book on rural school hygiene, for which he has been making researches for several years will soon come from the press. He has published several other books on the general subject of educational hygiene.

Students who received degrees at the last commencement and students who won scholarships for the coming year will have their photographs taken this week to be presented as group photographs to the university. Plans for an alumni association have been formed, and the alumni are talking of presenting to the school as their graduating gift a large flag in the university colors and bearing the university seal, to hang in front of the building at 20 Jackson place.

## HOLD UP JEWELRY STORE.

ST. LOUIS, August 6.—Two bandits today held up the jewelry store of Herman Stone, in the business district, and escaped with jewelry valued at $6,000.


$10 a Month
Buys This Player-Piano

Kurtz
88-Note Mahogany
Player-Piano
(Used)
Extra Special at
$285
Arthur Jordan Piano Co.
G Street at 13th
Homer L. Kitt, Sec.-Treas.


# SOMERSET COUNTRY CLUB EXPECTS HARDING VISIT

### Invitation to Play Golf Answered by Statement of President's Hope of Acceptance.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

CUMBERLAND, Md., August 6.—President Harding may visit Somerset county, Pa., just north of here, in the near future, and play a round of golf on the links of the new Somerset Country Club.

Learning that the President will be the guest of Secretary Mellon some time this summer, President Charles F. Roy of the Somerset Country Club sent Mr. Harding an invitation to include Somerset in his itinerary upon the occasion of his visit tl Ligonier and be the guest of the club.

Secretary Christian, for the President, replied that it would give him great pleasure to visit the Somerset Country Club and play a round of golf.

This will have been the first visit of a President to Somerset since the death of Willian McKinley, who occasionally spent a week or two with his brother, the late Abner McKinley, then a resident of Somerset.

The prospect of a visit from President Harding is causing a rush in the work on the new clubhouse and links.

## GLASS WORKERS REFUSE.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., August 6.—Joseph Gilhooley of Toledo, Ohio, vice president of the American Flint Glass Workers' Union, declared at the conclusion of a three-week conference with the operators that the men had refused to accept wage reductions because they could see no good reason for a cut.

# OLD VIRGINIA CHURCH, BUILT IN 1710, TO BE RESTORED BY EPISCOPALIANS

Special Dispatch to The Star.

FREDERICKSBURG, Va., August 6.—Before the revolutionary war the vast British colony of Virginia became the home of a large number of the good old English families who felt that it would be impossible for them to be true to the long-established religion of their forefathers if they were to neglect to built worshipful houses of God. Records show that as many as one hundred and thirty churches existed, of which now there are only twenty which have survived destruction or alienation.

Lambs Creek, built in A.D. 1710, is in the upper portion of King Georges county, eleven miles southeast of Fredericksburg.

The splendid condition of the walls and the possibility of reaching a number of unprovided children with religious teaching turned the attention of the Rev. Byrd T. Turner to the reconstruction of the church. In 1907 the Restoration Association was formed and has continued its work until now. General substantial repairs to the building, restoration of the original Bible (Vinegar Bible) and prayer book, gift of a silver communion service and gift of a fireproof iron safe—these are some of the things that have been accomplished up to the present. The nation-wide campaign of the Episcopal Church is endeavoring to restore to the perfect original form as many of the old churches as in their opinion form strategic spiritual centers. Old Farnham, in Richmond county, and Christ Church, in Middlesex county, already have been taken in hand, and now it is understood to be the turn of old Lambs Creek. The executive committee will take over this church on August 8 and begin by exciting the spiritual interest of all concerned by a readjustment of its services.

# DIES AS CAR OVERTURNS.

### Former Grafton Woman in Fatal Slide Over Embankment.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

CUMBERLAND, Md., August 6.—Mrs. J. W. Hughes, forty-six years old, sister of Mrs. Harry H. Wageley, 14 East Laing avenue, this city, was killed when an automobile in which she and her husband and two children were riding overturned near Erie, Pa. Her body was brought to Grafton, W. Va., her former home, last night, and the funeral was held today.

The Hughes family was returning from a two weeks' trip, and had almost reached the house, when the machine was driven too close to the edge of a narrow road to permit an approaching car to pass, and slid over the embankment. Mrs. Hughes is survived by one brother, Clyde G. Turner of Grafton, and one other sister, Mrs. E. L. Sawyer of Grafton.

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