

NEWS OF THE CLUBS

The American Women's Legion began its official record Memorial Day, having by the courtesy of the War Department and the American Legion, been granted the privilege of decorating all the graves in Arlington of the dead of the great war. There are 5,500 graves of heroes whose next of kin are represented in the American Women's Legion.

The several units, with exception of two, were all represented. The members assembled at the residence of Mrs. James W. Wadsworth, Jr., at 9:30 a. m. Taking the Red Cross street house as a base, the legion women divided their force and within two hours every grave had received a token of remembrance. At noon a wreath bearing the red, white and blue and the emblem of the American Women's Legion was laid on the tomb of the unknown dead by Mrs. McCoy, acting president in the absence of Mrs. Finley. The women of that sacred privilege will be one of their yearly duties and they will endeavor to make their system more and more able with experience of practical detail. Mrs. Alexandra K. Anderson of the Anderson Unit and Mrs. Christopher Garnett, treasurer. The officers for the new year are: Mrs. William T. Glover, president; Miss Gordon, vice president; Miss Brush, secretary; and Mrs. N. Worthington Dorsey, treasurer.

The Evermay Literary Club of Georgetown, has closed a most successful season, with Mrs. David Greenleaf as president; Mrs. A. F. Haslam, vice president; Mrs. W. L. Dunlop, Jr., secretary; and Mrs. Christopher Garnett, treasurer. The officers for the new year are: Mrs. William T. Glover, president; Miss Gordon, vice president; Miss Brush, secretary; and Mrs. N. Worthington Dorsey, treasurer.

Constitution Chapter, D. A. R. held its May meeting at the home of Mrs. Ransdell. The following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. W. C. Sanford, regent; Mrs. H. B. Deunham, vice regent; Mrs. C. W. Allen, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Margaret Layman, recording secretary; Mrs. Luncan Ransdell, treasurer; Mrs. J. F. Little, registrar; Mrs. Daniel Roper, historian; Mrs. J. I. Parker, chaplain.

Mrs. Francis St. Clair, retiring state regent of the District, made a short address. Mrs. Hardy, the new state regent of the District read an article from a recent magazine on the beautiful arch of jeweled light erected on 17th street near the D. A. R. Hall at the time of the Armistice day celebration. Mrs. Hardy then presented the chapter, on behalf of Mrs. Ransdell, with a jewel, taken from the historic arch. A rousing vote of thanks was given Mr. Makahan, husband of the retiring regent of Constitution Chapter, for the large silk flag, mounted on a staff topped by a golden eagle, which he gave the chapter this year.

Capitol Society, Children of the American Revolution—Following an annual custom established many years ago, seniors and juniors of the society assembled in Statuary Hall of the Capitol May 30 at 10 o'clock. Under the direction of their president, Mrs. Henry Fenno Sawtelle, decorated the statues of four revolutionary heroes.

Phil Sheridan Woman's Relief Corps, No. 12, Department of the Potomac, on May 26 raised a flag on the Dawsonville, Md., school No. 15, district No. 3. The patriotic exercises were opened with prayer by Rev. Loudon, pastor of Barnstun Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Lida A. Oldroyd made the presentation speech and Mrs. Alice P. Boss of Chevy Chase, D. C., who was invited to present the flag to the school, gave a talk. All corps members made brief remarks. The school teachers, Miss Virginia Garrett, accepted the flag and Dr. Lewis, health supervisor, made an address. Patriotic songs and recitations were rendered and refreshments were served under the giant oaks.

Excelsior Literary Club—The final meeting for the season was featured by its annual picnic-supper at the home of Mrs. Mary Hill of Keele in Hyattsville. Contributions were made to the general federation clubhouse and the George Washington Memorial.

Readers' Club—Miss Anita Schade delighted a large audience at the last meeting of the club, of which she is a member, with the following numbers: "The Lovely Rose," old English poem, by Edmund Waller, to the music of MacDowell's "To a Wild Rose"; "Mother, the Young Prince is to Pass By," words by Sir Rabin-drath Tagore, music by Arthur Roerner; "The Hand-organ Man," and "Lullaby on the High Road," texts by Dana Burnett and music by A. Roerner.

Monticello Chapter, D. A. R., held its final meeting this year Tuesday evening at the home of the corresponding secretary, Mrs. Hall. Mrs. Hammond invited the chapter to a party June 14, the anniversary of the founding of Monticello Chapter. Money was voted to renovate the boundary marker of the District donated by the chapter. The following officers were elected to serve during the coming year: Mrs. J. B. Hammond, regent; Mrs. A. E. T. B. Kistler, second vice regent; Miss Josephine Bedinger, recording secretary; Mrs. A. J. Hall, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Caroline F. Kirk, treasurer; Mrs. Edson Phillips, registrar.

The Women's Club of 16th Street held its regular meeting for the season Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lewis J. Battle, 1401 Kennedy street. Officers elected for the coming year were: Mrs. Arcturus L. Howard, president; Mrs. Pierre M. Bealer, first vice president; Mrs. Rose Stutz, second vice president; Mrs. Paul F. Grove, recording secretary; Mrs. Minott E. Porter, treasurer; Mrs. Lewis J. Battle, corresponding secretary.

The Argyle Study Club met at the home of Mrs. C. G. Morgan, 1209 Emerson street, Monday, at 1:30 p. m. Mrs. Morgan read a paper on "Noted Vocal Artists of Today."

Burnside Relief Corps met Wednesday night in Grand Army Hall, with Mrs. Rose E. Rennell presiding. Other officers present were: Mrs. Sene, senior vice; Mrs. Jacobson, junior vice; Miss Anna M. Clauser, secretary; Mrs. Anna S. Hamilton, press correspondent; Mrs. Grace Carter, treasurer; Mrs. Asenata Case, chaplain; Mrs. Warner, pianist; Mrs. Rittner, color bearer; Mrs. Dean, conductor; Mrs. Little Snyder, Mrs. Shelton, Mrs. Maxwell and Miss Bullion were initiated.

Our Flag Chapter, D. A. R., held its annual meeting Tuesday at the home of Mrs. John T. Sadler and Mrs. Thomas Ouellette in Chevy Chase. The regent, Mrs. Louis D. Carman, presided.

The following officers were elected: Regent, Mrs. Louis D. Carman; recording secretary, Mrs. A. Kaufman; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Edward M. Weeks; treasurer, Mrs. Laura C. O'Neil; registrar, Mrs. Samuel Polknhorn; historian, Mrs. A. Albert M. Walker; chaplain, Mrs. G. W. Treadwell.

Annual reports of officers were read and a contribution voted for flags for the Americanization School. An incident of the meeting was the presentation to the chapter by Mrs. John T. Sadler of a gavel made of wood from the Morse elm, a century old tree which stood at Pennsylvania avenue and 14th street. The chapter unanimously voted to give the gavel to the D. A. R. state historical committee, and Mrs. Nagle, state historian, received the gift with a speech of thanks.

Chas. A. Doyen Unit, American Women's Legion met Wednesday street, southeast, with Mrs. Mary E. Woodward.

Samuel Gorton Chapter, D. A. R., held the last meeting of the season at the College Women's Club, 1822 I street, with Mrs. Mary E. Woodward, regent; Monica Shearer, Miss Mary C. Nutt and Miss Doris Sawyer as hostesses. The following officers were elected: Regent, Miss Mary E. Smith; vice regent, Mrs. Walter Hicks; recording secretary, Miss Bulard; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Edna L. Stinebaugh; registrar, Miss Emily Clark; treasurer, Miss Helen Tucker; historian, Miss Eva Jackson; chaplain, Mrs. Ophelia Jones. Miss Blanche Pattisall gave a reading. Vocal solos were rendered by Mrs. Ormsby and Mrs. Helen Marshall, accompanied by Mrs. Hicks; a piano solo by Miss Jean Phillips and piano duets by Mrs. Hicks and Miss Alef Vann.

Livelihood of American Pen Women—A literary surprise comes from the national headquarters of the league, when the position of Little, Brown & Co., the authorship of Thy Son Liveth, published anonymously in 1920, is made known for the first time, the author being Mrs. Louis N. Geldert, national president of the League of American Pen Women, unanimously elected to that office at the recent Pen Women convention in Washington. Rumors as to the author of this widely read book created a buzz among the writers in Washington at that time, but no official announcement was made.

Mrs. Geldert, a former president of the Chicago Woman's Press League, and author of over a dozen other books, has, with her national executive board, established a national policy which creates a market for the writing women of America. Not only the writers themselves but the publishers, editors and booksellers are taking the keenest interest in this united stand of all pen women for all pen women. The interests of the professional woman writers of the country have been concentrated into a foundation such as they have never known before, upon which the young writer may base her hopes of support and recognition, and the established writers build the literary America of which they all dream. Paramount in importance is the simultaneous release to the fifteen hundred members of the organization of the notice of the publication of new books, plays, scenarios, magazine stories or other work or honor stories of members of the organization.

Mrs. Geldert has been invited to outline the policies of the new administering before many clubs this summer, the studies to be made at the General Federation of Women's Clubs' convention, to be held in Chicago, N. Y., June 22.

The Housekeepers' Alliance will hold its annual meeting Tuesday at 3 o'clock at the College Women's Club, 1822 I street.

Miss Florence P. Spofford will read "Pilgrim Mothers." After the election of officers there will be tea in the garden, with Mrs. William E. Chamberlin, Miss Ellen A. Vinton and Mrs. Chauncey C. Williams, hostesses, assisting the president, Mrs. F. L. Ransdell. All clubwomen are welcome.

Chapter friends of Mrs. Conden, ex-regent, gave a luncheon in her honor Wednesday at the National Women's Foundation, Mrs. Sanford, the present regent of the chapter, Mrs. Deunham, vice regent, and Miss Elizabeth Pierce, one of the chapter founders and a former national chaplain of the D. A. R., made short addresses.

Livingston Manor Chapter, D. A. R., on Wednesday was entertained by Mrs. A. B. Lacey of Washington (Grove, Md.) Mrs. Helene P. McIntosh, the regent, presided. Being the last meeting until fall, annual reports were given by the chairmen of committees. Mrs. McIntosh gave a resume of the year's work done by the chapter, which showed a year of activity, the chapter having contributed to patriotic, Americanization and other educational work.

There was a general discussion of plans for the coming year, the chief topic being the Lincoln Memorial College. It was decided to contribute to this fund. Contributions to the Victory memorial fund were made by Mrs. Helene P. McIntosh, Mrs. Gains M. Brumbaugh, Mrs. A. B. Lacey and Mrs. Alan B. Morehouse. The chapter voted to change the regular meeting day from the last Wednesday in the month to the last Tuesday in each month the coming year.

The North Capitol W. C. T. U. was at home to its members Friday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. W. R. Hessel. The president, Mrs. Helen B. Hall, and vice president, Mrs. Ada Easton, assisted the hostess in receiving the guests.

Seven new members were enrolled: Mrs. Sylvia Donaldson, Mrs. M. Mens Harmon, Mrs. Jessie Palmer, Mrs. Harry Gilligan, Mrs. B. C. Conley and Mrs. Daisy Schance.

Mrs. Richard Graham gave a talk to the "new members." Mrs. Stimpson, accompanied by Mrs. Smallwood, with Mrs. Briggs, accompanied by Mrs. Goodwin, entertained "an hour with music."

The next meeting will be held June 19 at Riverdale, Md., with the treasurer, Mrs. Emily Gottwals.

Cold Desserts.

Hot days are soon coming, and with them the desire, if not the necessity, for cold desserts. This does not, of course, mean frozen desserts. There are many kinds of cold desserts that are not frozen, but simply chilled by being placed in the refrigerator. And they are almost as satisfying as warm-weather desserts as the frozen ones.

Bavarian cream is a good dessert under this head. Here is a recipe for it that is reliable: Heat one cup of cream or milk in a double boiler, and then add a cup of sugar and a pinch of salt, which has been soaked in a couple of tablespoons of cold water and dissolved in a little boiling water. Add a beaten egg mixed with half a cup of sugar and as soon as it begins to thicken, remove from the fire. Cool, and then add one cup of cream whipped solid. To make a good chocolate Bavarian cream add two level teaspoons of cocoa powder to the sugar. For a good coffee cream start out with a cup of very strong coffee and milk to begin with. Then add the mixture in a hot cream. There are some delicious cold hot-weather desserts made with fruit—various fruit jellies. And with fresh berries crushed and sweetened you can always make an easy dessert by adding them to whipped cream and serving over little sponge cakes, slices of plain cake or lady fingers.

Caramel Charlotte is a dessert without fruit. To make it dissolve half an ounce of gelatin in half a gill of cold water. Brown three tablespoons of sugar, add a cup of milk and stir. Mix the yolks of five eggs and three tablespoons of sugar, a teaspoon of vanilla and two tablespoons of cold milk. Add a little of the hot milk and then add the egg mixture to the hot milk and stir until it is thick. Add the gelatin and stir till it is dissolved. Strain and cool. Beat a pint of cream stiff and when the caramel mixture begins to thicken add it slowly to the cream, beating all the time. Line a mold with lady fingers or slices of sponge cake. Fill with the Charlotte. Put the mold on the ice until it is wanted, then turn on a dish and garnish with candied flowers.

For walnut Charlotte, line cups with lady fingers at bottoms and sides and fill with the following mixture: Dissolve a quarter of a box of gelatin by soaking it first in half a cup of cold water and then stirring it over hot water. Turn into a tureen a cup of milk and two-thirds of a cup of sugar and strain. Then fold in a pint of cream whipped stiff and half a cup of chopped English walnut meats. Place the bowl containing the mixture in a bed of ice and stir until it begins to thicken. Then set the spaces left in the cups with the Charlotte and leave until it is firm. In place of the gelatin a cup of custard may be made with three-fourths of a cup of milk, two eggs and the sugar given above.

Recent investigations made by the United States Forest Product Laboratory indicate that timber cut from insect or fire killed trees is just as good for any structural purpose as that cut from live trees of similar quality, providing the wood has not been subsequently injured by decay or further insect attack.

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Pure silk; seamed backs; mercerized tops. Included also are silk and fiber hose. In all you have choice of black, white, nude and gray.
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Just in—and they won't linger! Sale! Hand-made & hand-embroidered gowns & envelope chemise



Beautiful materials and beautifully made. Fine nainsooks, cut over American patterns, and hand-embroidered as only our Islanders know how.

Necks and sleeves are hand scalloped, with ribbon trimmings at neck. All full cut and finely finished. Richly and lavishly embroidered in solid and eyelet embroidery combined with French knots.

Sizes in gowns, 15 to 17
Envelope chemise, 36 to 44
\$1.89—ready at 9 A.M.
(The Hecht Co., lingerie, second floor.)

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Pique dresses, 95¢

Pleasant and practical for girls of 1 to 3 years. One-piece style, with machine embroidery and scalloping around neck, sleeve and hem.

White, with rose or delph-blue embroidery. Will launder like a handkerchief.

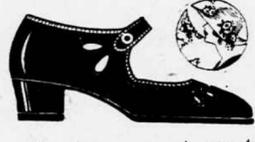
Tots' garden sets, 79¢
Apron With Bonnet.

The material is linen; plain rose, open or gold, trimmed with flowered cretonne—apron and bonnet. Sizes 2 to 6.
(The Hecht Co., third floor.)



Sketched Pique, 95¢

HANAN shoes for women \$12.75



A new cut out sandal, \$8. This patent leather pump, with cut-out vamp and side, fastens over instep with button strap. Turn sole; low leather heel.

Continuing! Sale Women's shoes, \$4. Black, white, tan and combinations, in one, two and three strap pumps, oxfords and novelties.
(The Hecht Co., first floor.)

Sale women's rain or shine Silk umbrellas, \$3.95

Covered with a firmly woven, deep-bodied silk, with tape edge. Black, navy, purple, green, red. Stub bottoms, white or novelty tips. White and other fancy handles; some leather trimmed; some with rings.
(The Hecht Co., first floor.)

U. S. mosquito tents, 79¢

The U. S. Gov't paid \$5.75 for these canopies. Large enough to cover a double bed; fine for campers and tourists, or for kiddies' play in the yard.

Some housekeepers find it profitable to buy these for the 12 yards of marquisette in them. Large sections, easily ripped apart, make fine curtains, drapes, etc.

Laundry Bags 29¢

Best bag Uncle Sam's experts could devise for storage, laundry, utility. White canvas or colored denim, with brass eyelet and rope.

Window shades, 44¢

Water color and oil shades—slight "seconds" of much higher-priced goods. Mounted on strong spring roller—3x6 ft.—with fixtures complete. White, cream, ecru and olive green.

Gray wool blankets, \$2.25

U. S. Army blankets, average about 4 pounds in weight, and are warranted to contain 75% pure or worked-over wool. Ideal blankets for campers or tourists. 66x84 inches.

CRETONNES: a sale!

Several thousand yards of closely woven cretonnes for every drapery and cover purpose. Bird, flower, lattice, striped patterns. Three lots:

- 19¢ Screen doors, \$1.95—Hardwood frame, black mesh wire.
- 29¢ Cross-striped portieres, \$2.50—A pleasing maras, in green, rose or blue stripes.
- 39¢ Pillowcases, 22¢—White cotton, linen finish. Size before hemming, 42x36 inches.
- Bed Sheets, \$1.25—Double-bed size; snow white; deep hems. 81x90 inches.
- 44¢ Towels, 10¢—A closely woven, deep bodied huck towel that absorbs with free absorbent qualities. 18x36 inches. Snow-white.
- Window awnings, \$1.85—6-ounce duck on strong frame. 30, 36 and 48 inch sizes. Complete.

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Several more hundred blouses in all, most of them the few-of-a-kind styles; so wide choice is assured. Theorgettes are trimmed with real Filé and Irish laces. White and flesh. The crepe de chine are heavily steel beaded. Navy and colors. Sizes 36 to 46.
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BLUE serges for dress wear Tweeds and cheviots for everyday Panama cloths for hot weather

Upward of 500 suits for every occasion. An all-wool serge for graduation or commencement exercises; mixed tweeds and cheviots for dress and everyday wear, and the cool Panama cloths for summer.

Norfolk and semi-Norfolk models, tailored as good clothes should be, and PRICED DOWN to a point where you will take them away or we'll put them away. Ages 7 to 16.

khaki blouses, 79¢
Sport style with short sleeves; or collar-attached styles with long sleeves. Cut full and free. Ages 7 to 16.
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Complete Golf Outfit, \$13.85

Good outfit for old-timers or beginners. One 3-stay bag; choice of five imported Scotch clubs, one ball. The clubs alone are easily worth \$13.85.

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Scotch clubs—drivers, brassies, irons, mashies, putters, etc. Most unusual at \$2.45.
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Boys' tennis sport shoes \$1.69

White or brown canvas high shoes, with rubber soles and heels; great for tennis or base ball. Brown trim and side patches. Sizes 11 to 6, for boys 6 to 14.

Children's sandals & play oxfords, \$1.19

ALL-LEATHER outsoles, inner soles and counters. All leather, so you are sure of the wear. Repeat, all leather inner soles, outer soles and counters. Moreover, the soles are GUARANTEED not to rip. Light tan and mahogany brown. Sizes 5 to 2; for kiddies of 2 to 11 years.
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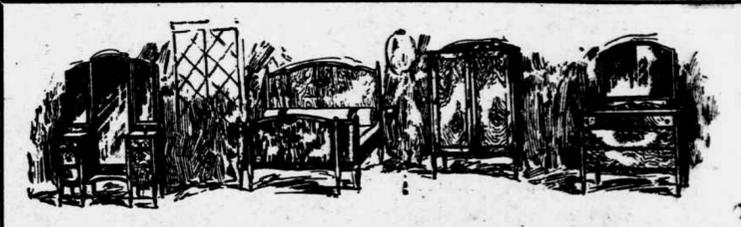
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