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LONG LIFE THEIR SUBJECT. Academy of Forty Discusses a Theme of Universal Interest.

The regular September session of the Academy of Forty was held last night in the parlors of Washington, Mrs. Ruth D. G. Havens, manager, Mrs. Huddleston, director of the conversation. The topic was "Long Life."

Those who took part in the discussion were Mrs. Huddleston, Mrs. Garst, Miss Giffitt, Mrs. Goodwin, Mrs. Havens, Miss Williams, and Miss Harris. The flower of the Academy, Mrs. Alice M. Goodwin was appointed director for October.

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BEVERLY HURT BY TOUGHS

Fearfully Cut With Razors and Beaten With Fence Palings.

Disorder at Asbury Church Lawn Fete—His Assaultants Fled and Were Not Caught.

A murderous assault was made shortly before midnight last night upon Robert Beverly, the colored janitor of the Thompson school by a crowd of half-drunk negro toughs. There was a lawn fete in progress on the grounds of Asbury M. E. Church, corner of Eleventh and K streets northwest, and Beverly was called upon to preserve order.

Several men and women became engaged in a heated argument toward the latter part of the evening and as their conversation was both loud and profane, he told them to keep quiet. The negroes thought this an insult and proceeded to do Beverly up.

They chased him out of the yard, up Eleventh street and about midway in the square they caught him. Razors were produced, pieces of fences broken off, and stones picked up.

The crowd of six men jumped upon Beverly and beat and butchered him unmercifully.

Perhaps the only thing that saved Beverly's life was that the crowd saw a policeman at the corner and made their escape.

Another man, coming from work in his boot, and in his hand, ran to the corner of Eleventh and L streets, where the policeman was standing, and fell to the ground.

As the assault was made nearly a square away from the officer and Beverly made no outcry, the assaulters had no difficulty in making their escape. A call was sent to No. 2 station for the patrol wagon and Beverly was hurried off to the Emergency Hospital.

At the hospital it was found that he had been cut in five different places with a razor, one being over six inches long and so deep that it had severed one of the arteries in the back. Another deep cut was found in the top of his head, and his right eye was badly bruised and swollen.

Drs. Furlong, Sturdivant, and Johnson worked upon him over a half hour, and after twenty stitches had been taken in his back and six in his head and other injuries attended to, he was removed to his home, No. 435 Ridge street northwest. Beverly is not acquainted with any of the men who assaulted him, but the police think they can locate them and several arrests will very likely follow.

OUTING CLUB LADIES' NIGHT. Enjoyable Dancing Party at the Country House.

The members of the Washington Outing Club entertained their fair friends last night in their annual hospitable manner at one of the regular series of ladies' night at their delightful country club house, near Eckington.

The extensive grounds of the club and its comfortable home were the scene of the purpose of entertaining a large company and the attendance last evening was among the largest ever.

Dancing in the gymnasium was the feature of the evening's entertainment and was enjoyed by all.

The affair was well managed by the house committee, consisting of Messrs. Charles Wigington, Harry Rothchild and Louis Hirsch. Among those present were: Misses Amelia Strauss, Miss Amelia and Barbara Stern, Miss Bangemann, Miss Munnheim, Misses Margaret and Annie, Miss Hirsch, Miss Dreyfus, Miss Nordlinger, Miss Stella and Miss Warner, of Philadelphia; Misses Stella and Annie Heizerstein, Miss Bertha and Jose Goodman, Misses Carrie and Hattie Rothchild, Miss Herman, Mrs. Eschman, Miss Rothchild, Mrs. Furlong, Mrs. Furlong, Mrs. A. Cohen, Messrs. Strauss, Weil, Wolf, Rothchild, Furlong, Furlong, Wallach, Nattans, Baumgarten, Rosenberg, Wallach, Nattans, Wigington, Luels, Goodman, Howard, Hirsch and many others.

WILL FIGHT EVERY POINT. Col. Forney Will Meet Every Charge Against Him.

New York, Sept. 11.—The Forney court-martial held its second session today in the Brooklyn navy yard, and the session resulted in the development of the fact that Col. Forney intends to fight every point in the charges against him.

The committee for October by objecting to the court itself on the ground that it was not properly organized, there being but eleven members instead of thirteen.

FOR CUBAN LIBERTY. Jacksonville Board of Trade Urges Recognition of the Revolution.

Jacksonville, Fla., Sept. 11.—The Jacksonville board of trade today adopted resolutions declaring that the time has come for the United States government to recognize the Cuban revolutionists as belligerents and requesting the Florida Senators and Representatives to use every means to bring about such recognition as soon as possible after the assembling of Congress.

RECEIVED BY THE CZAR. Prince Hohenlohe, of Germany, Given a Most Pleasant Reception.

MGR. SATOLLI'S RETURN

Declares He Has Nothing to Do With the New Woman Question.

Catholic University Would Not Be Responsible to Him for Admitting the Weaker Sex.

Mgr. Satolli returned yesterday afternoon from St. Paul, whither he had gone to attend the dedication of the new Catholic seminary.

When asked what he could say about the opening of the doors of the Catholic University to women, he replied that all he knew about it was what he had seen in the newspapers.

"The subject is one with which I have absolutely nothing to do," said Mr. Satolli, "for it is a matter that would not come before me in an official capacity. The management of the university belongs to the board of directors alone, and they are responsible to no one but Rome."

"If they were to step outside the proper bounds, the Holy See would be the authority to which they would have to respond. Officially, therefore, I have nothing to do with the matter and nothing to say."

"It is a question for the board to deal with, and I have no doubt they will deal with it in a way that will result in the most good for the Church and the University."

Monsignor Satolli returns in good health and spirits. He is pleased with what he saw in the westward part of the country and expressed with the zeal and devotion found among the Catholics there.

Church matters are making commendable progress and the Monsignor is especially gratified over the erection of the new seminary which was made possible through the munificent gift of a non-Catholic.

Monsignor Satolli will remain in Washington for some time and will take part in the Eucharistic Congress to be held at the Catholic University the first week in October. This congress will be attended by hundreds of priests from all the dioceses of the United States and is to be devoted to the subject of the "Devotion of the Blessed Sacrament."

POLICE FORCE ANNIVERSARY.

Membership Has Increased From Fifty to Five Hundred.

Yesterday was the thirty-fourth anniversary of the organization of the Metropolitan police department, and although no official recognition was taken of the event, a great many of the older members of the force took occasion to swap reminiscences of the days when the present perfection of the police system was but a dream.

On the 11th of September, 1861, the department was organized under the superintendence of Miss Webb, with a complement of fifty men, and was at first a mere patrol force, originally formed under Capt. Goodard, and for a long time confined to the duty of every change of administration.

In thirty-four years the membership of the force has increased to five hundred, and the police facilities have also improved.

Practical Detective Frank Harrows has in his possession a list of names of all the men who have been in the force since its organization. One of the first sergeants in the force is now a closed Sunday to all except army officers.

He also has the list containing the general orders relating to the assassination and funeral of President Lincoln.

Only one man in the force answered to the roll call on the day the force was organized is still in active service. He is Vincent J. Kelly, who was in the force in 1861, and in spite of his advanced age he patrols his beat regularly with the youngsters of the force.

TILLMAN SPLITS HAIRS.

Refused to Take the Oath at the Constitutional Convention.

Columbia, S. C., Sept. 11.—The constitutional convention began its session this morning with another rump. President Evans announced his standing committee at the opening.

Senator Ivey is chairman of the committee on the constitution, and Senator Tillman is in charge of the committee on rights of suffrage, which means, of course, the re-organization of the constitution.

When four delegations had been sworn in and President Evans had read the constitution, Senator Tillman submitted that under the same constitution, if he took the oath he would have to take the constitution with all other leading United States officers, and the constitution would be a State officer.

After a lively running discussion, the convention referred the matter to the judiciary committee to report whether they should take an oath, or not, and, if so, to prepare a suitable one.

VERDICT AGAINST HOLMES.

He Will Be Directly Charged With Murder of Fitzpatrick.

Indianapolis, Sept. 11.—Coroner Carter, of this (Marion) county, will return a verdict of murder in the case of Howard Evans and will charge H. H. Holmes directly with the crime.

He says the evidence taken in this county is to him conclusive, and that the circumstances, Mrs. Pitzel and her daughter, whose testimony completed the chain of evidence, are so convincing as to render a verdict of murder in the case of the defendant a foregone conclusion.

She said she would not go back satisfied if she did not see the premises. She and the daughter were accordingly driven to the scene this afternoon.

PLEADED FOR HIS LIFE.

Angry Pittsburgers Tried to Lynch Guyton Ferraro, Four Years Old, Was Beaten by an Electric Car at Sharpshooters.

SCHOOL NOT SANITARY

Dr. Woodward's Report on the Miner Building.

PETITION TO COMMISSIONERS

They Will Ask That the Repairing of the Stevens Building Be Postponed Until Next Summer, and the School in the Meantime Used by Colored Pupils.

The West End League, formed to prevent the use of the Miner building, at Seventh and Madison streets, by the colored schools from the Stevens building, while the latter is being repaired, met at the Cairo last night with fifty leading citizens in attendance. Col. Robert Christy presided, and Mr. F. M. Evans acted as secretary.

Dr. Woodward's report, condemning the Miner building as unhealthy, was read. It was decided to send a petition to the Commissioners.

The report of the committee appointed at the last meeting, consisting of Messrs. Boyd Smith, Lewis Davis, George E. Edmondson, Frank M. Evans and Dr. Charles W. Filler, was submitted and adopted.

This report stated that the committee called on the Commissioners. They found the Miner building had been rented from Mr. Ormond Wilson, of the Miner trustees, upon an agreement that the latter should make an appropriation to pay the rent. Building Inspector Brady said if repairs on the Stevens building were commenced now it would not be ready before March, but if they could have possession June 1 next, repairs would probably be finished by the opening of school.

KONEY STILL AVAILABLE. Auditor Petty said if the Commissioners should enter into a contract to repair the Stevens building as late as June 20 next, the appropriation for the work would not lapse.

The Commissioners had read in the presence of the committee a rough draft of the report of District Chemist Hird, made Friday last, in regard to the building, but as it was unsigned would not give them a copy. The signed copy, it is understood, is locked up in the desk of Commissioner Ross, who is away.

The Commissioners had directed Health Officer Woodward on Monday last to inspect the Miner building for gas, and to advise them of its condition. His report, dated yesterday, says the plumbing is in the basement and yard, is of old style and in many cases defective. The floor of the basement shows dampness throughout.

An attempt has been made to heat the building by the steam system, but as the building has not the structural features usually introduced for the system, a satisfactory result is unlikely. The fires were not lighted and no practical test could be made. The air furnished through one fresh air opening from a grate formerly trapped with coals and goes into a fresh air trap with damp, unwarmed floor.

There was a bad odor throughout the entire basement, which communicates directly with the school rooms with nothing to prevent the foul air from going into them.

DR. WOODWARD'S REPORT. "Should not, in my judgment, be used as a school building until the plumbing work is torn out and replaced by that of a modern type, the closets in the yard being abandoned and new ones provided in the basement or better in a new building immediately adjoining the school building and separated from it by a cross-ventilated corridor. The floor of the entire basement should be removed and a new one laid.

"When these changes have been made this building will be as suitable for school purposes as are most school buildings erected twenty years ago."

The committee also voted with additional powers, and directed to proceed with their work including submission to the Commissioners of a petition.

This petition states that the League has found that the remodeling of the Stevens building can be judiciously postponed to the fall of the year, and that the school without loss of appropriation. This will allow the use of the Stevens building this year, and avoid the transfer. Also the reports of the chemist and health officer condemning the building as unhealthy and unwholesome are made, which the Commissioners cannot legally make.

The League will meet again at 8 p. m. Saturday next at the Cairo.

AFRAID OF LOSING OFFICES.

Members of the South Carolina Convention Refuse to Take the Oath.

Columbia, S. C., Sept. 11.—The only feature of interest in today's session of the constitutional convention was a little snarl as the members of the convention refused to take the oath.

The convention first decided that its members should take the customary oath for officers of the State, and that the members had been sworn when the point was made that membership in a convention was not an office, and that the members would be constituted officers and such of the officers of the State as would have been elected by their oath, as the constitution does not allow a man to hold two offices.

The convention then decided its officers should be elected by the members, and that the members would be constituted officers and such of the officers of the State as would have been elected by their oath, as the constitution does not allow a man to hold two offices.

OMAHA POLICE MUST WAIT FOR A SUPERVISOR. Omaha, Neb., Sept. 11.—A majority of the members of the Omaha city council have voted against allowing the pay of the police force to be increased until a supervisor is elected.

They give as their reason that since the supervisor is yet to be elected, the pay of the police force should not be increased until the supervisor is elected.

Close of the Registration in the Tenth Georgia District. Registration for the Congressional election in the Tenth Georgia district, closed today.

Augusta, Ga., Sept. 11.—Registration for the Congressional election in the Tenth Georgia district, closed today.

Black Will Lead. The annual dash of the Fourth of July, which was held in the city of New York, was a success, and the parade was led by the Black Legion.

Stole a Shotgun. Mr. Charles E. Tull, of No. 623 F street southwest, reported to the Fourth precinct station house last evening that he had been robbed of a shotgun.

Colored Newboys Arrested. Arthur Sylvester and William Lewis, colored newboys, were arrested last night by Policemen Bann and Baker at the Fourth precinct, for violating the police regulations in jumping on and off the electric cars on Four-and-a-half street southwest.

Return to Philadelphia. \$4.00 Hail Return to Philadelphia and Return via Pennsylvania Railroad.

Needs One Used on Him. Edward Davenport, a twelve-year-old negro, was locked in No. 8 station last night for the lack of a package of singles valued at 20 cents from Charles W. Lewis.

Souvenir

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Mrs. Anna M. Harbour's Promise Business of Locals.

Cement Workers' Assembly, No. 1173, R. of L., met in regular session last evening at Harris' Hall, corner of Seventh and D streets northwest.

A committee from the Cigar Makers' Union was present to distribute a list of the names of dealers who handle unclean cigars exclusively.

A committee from the National Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees visited several of the local labor organizations in placing Allen's Grand Opera House on the list of places to be boycotted.

The Mount Pleasant Citizens' Association last night voted to recommend to the Commissioners the appointment of Mr. N. L. Cole, the attorney, brother of Judge C. C. Cole, to be trustee for the white schools for the county. They also recommended several items for the Commissioners' consideration.

Their executive committee, consisting of President J. W. Somerville, and Messrs. Ellis Spear, T. M. Exley, T. A. Harding, E. W. Woodruff, F. L. Campbell, N. E. Young, J. R. Buckalew, and J. B. Sieman, will call on the Commissioners at noon today. Mr. Chapin Brown, of the committee, is away.

It was the regular meeting of the association, and Dr. A. H. Baker acted as secretary in Mr. Exley's absence.

Chairman Woodruff reported on sewers that the drainage from Hoffman's bakery made an unendurable stench on Pine and Grant streets. The difficulty was lack of sewer.

Mr. Hoffman was ready to put up a \$10,000 house at his place if a sewer were built. Mr. Hoffman pays \$150 a year taxes and has never got even a sidewalk in return.

RELIEF FOR A WHILE. He said some temporary relief might be obtained by having sewer pipe laid near the surface.

At present the drainage is on surface. Mr. Sieman urged immediate action, as the Commissioners are making up their estimates.

The committee was instructed to draw a strong protest against the present condition of the streets named and present it to the Commissioners. Their negligence in the matter was pronounced really criminal.

Judge F. Campbell, from the committee on streets, reported in regard to the improvement of Lowell avenue, or Pierce Mill road, by widening, taking in the ground to be matted by Ingleside. He had done a request from the people of Ingleside asking the Commissioners to include in their estimate an item of \$4,000 to widen and grade Lowell avenue. This action was approved.

He renewed his recommendation that streets be graded and sidewalks laid in school street and Grant street for use of the children; also for flagging for crossings at Fourteenth and Park streets, Fourteenth street and Howard avenue, Center street and Howard avenue, Brown street and Howard avenue, Sixteenth street and Howard avenue and Seventeenth street and Howard avenue; also that the pavement be raised at Fourteenth street and Howard avenue and on the north side of Kenesaw avenue all along west of Fourteenth street.

Mr. Woodruff asked that the north side of Park street, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth, be graded and this was added to Judge Campbell's report.

TRUSTEE FOR THE COUNTY. Mr. F. P. Davis, on a school, said the white trustee for the county had been from Mount Pleasant for ten years while the colored trustee had been named from the Mount Pleasant section. It might be the turn of Mount Pleasant now.

Dr. Baker said he was heartily in favor of the proposition and thought some name ought to be suggested to the Commissioners. The committee was directed to retire and select a name.

President Somerville objected to the Columbia Heights' Association claiming credit for getting fire alarm boxes for this part of the city. These were secured by the Mount Pleasant Association.

A letter was read from Mr. Chapin Brown, of the committee on railroads, saying that the Metropolitan Street Railway Company was ready to extend its line to Mount Pleasant as soon as the streets are made.

The school committee returned and Mr. Campbell reported nominating Mr. W. L. Cole, chairman of the committee, for trustee for the county. Mr. Cole said he was very busy. The association insisted and Mr. Cole finally consented to allow his name to be presented.

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TRUSTEE FOR THE COUNTY

Mt. Pleasant Citizens' Association Nominates Mr. N. L. Cole.

TO URGE HIS APPOINTMENT

Committee Appointed to Call on the Commissioners—Offensive Drainage From Hoffman's Bakery—Protest Against the Present Condition of a Number of Streets.

HEB CLOTHES CAUGHT FIRE. Philadelphia Girl Fatally Burned and Her Mother Aterly Dead.

Philadelphia, Sept. 11.—Miss Helena Riggs, aged nineteen years, was so badly burned by her clothes catching fire at her home, 730 North Fortieth street, this evening, that the doctors say she will die before morning.

15 attempting to extinguish the flames, her mother sustained injuries from which she died shortly afterwards.

Miss Riggs was ironing in a third story room and used a gas stove to heat the iron. The light summer dress she wore was ignited by one of the jets of flame but the girl continued her work for several minutes before she discovered that she was ablaze.

Then she ran down stairs, screaming with terror and her mother caught her in her arms. Instantly the young woman's clothing burst into flames.

Her heartrending screams caught the ears of a passer on a street car and he ran into the house and with difficulty smothered the flames. Mrs. Riggs was burned about the lower part of her body but death was mainly the result of her having inhaled the fumes. The flesh was burned almost from head to foot.

The victims were the wife and daughter of Robert Riggs, the prominent clock maker and jeweler.

VENGEANCE WAS QUICK. Murderer of an Arkansas Woman Lynched by a Mob.

Osceola, Ark., Sept. 11.—Mrs. Rhea, living near here, was murdered and robbed yesterday by two negroes.

Will Caldwell was plowing in a field near her house, and was approached by an old negro, who told him that Mrs. Rhea had a sum of money in the house and to go and kill her and return to work and he would get the money.

Caldwell went to the house, murdered the woman with a club, and then returned to his work. The other negro went to the house and secured the money.

This morning a young white man, W. A. Bush, also an employe of Mrs. Rhea, went to the house and saw Mrs. Rhea lying in a pool of blood. Caldwell was soon arrested and became frightened and confessed. He was taken from the deputy sheriff and hanged to a limb and then riddled with bullets. The old man was arrested, but it is probable that by this time he has been lynched.

MURDERER HOLMES INDICTED AGAIN. Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 11.—The Marion county grand jury this afternoon returned an indictment against H. H. Holmes for the murder of Howard Pitzel at Irvington.

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