FIRST MEETING HERE

National Civil Service Reform League to Convene This Week.

President Carl Schurz Will Deliver the Annual Address—Papers to Be Read at Afternoon Sessions.

On Thursday and Friday of this week the National Civil Service Reform League will hold its annual meeting at the Cosmos Clubhouse, although the address of President Carl Schurz, which is the chief feature of the annual meeting, will be delivered Thursday evening in Metzerott Hall. This will be the first time that the league has ever met in Washington, and the local Civil Service Reform Association, which invited it here, has made every possible arrangement to make the visit of the delegates agreeable and profitable.

The local association will give the officers and members of the league and invited guests a reception at the Arlington Hotel on Friday evening. Col. Rice, of the Civil Service Commission, will entertain the members of the league at luncheon, and so will the Rev. Dr. Alexander Mackay-Smith, first vice president of the Civil Service Reform Association of the District of Columbia.

The headquarters of the delegates will be the Cosmos Clubhouse, and there the business sessions of the general executive committees, as well as the league itself, will be held on the mornings of each day, while in the afternoon papers will be read and perhaps some brief addresses made on civil service reform, and these afternoon sessions will be open to those of the public who are interested on the subject. President Schurz is expected to deliver an interesting address, reviewing the progress of civil service reform during the year, and pointing out its course for the future.

Among the papers which will be read at the afternoon sessions of the league at Cosmos clubhouse, beginning at 2:30 each day, are the following:

"The Reign and Overthrow of an Office-holding Oligarchy," by Chales J. Bonaparte of Baltimore; "The Results of Recent Agitation of Civil Service Reform—Their Value—What Next?" by Jonathan A. Lane, president of the Boston Merchants' Association; "The Interest of the Workingman in Civil Service Reform," by Herbert Walsh of Philadelphia; "The Appointment and Tenure of Postmasters," by Richard Henry Dana of Cambridge; "Superannuation in the Civil Service," by William Dudley Foulke of Indiana; "The Recent Civil Service Reform Movement in Chicago," by John W. Ela of Chicago; "The State of Civil Service Reform Sentiment in the South," by Herman Justi of Nashville; "The Important Function of Civil Service Reform," by F. L. Siddons, secretary of the Civil Service Reform Association, of the District of Columbia, and Dr. E. M. Gallaudet, of the local association, will make some remarks on the subject of "Civil Service Reform as Related to Educational Institutions for the Deaf."

On Friday morning the league will elect a president and vice-president for the next year at an executive session. Besides the members of the league, there will be at the annual meeting, for the first time, by special invitation, representatives of all the municipal reform organizations of the country, and other similar societies affiliated to the National Civil Service Reform League.

NOT OF SOUND MIND.

Claim of Caveator in Contest of Michael Crone's Will.

The last will of Michael Crone, filed some time ago for probate, is being contested by decedent's sister, Mrs. Mary Sweeney, upon the grounds that the testator was not mentally able to make a will at the date of its execution, and also upon the grounds that undue influence was employed to divert the estate from his next of kin.

The bequests mentioned in the will are as follows: To Mary Sweeney, $1,000; to his aunt, Mary Murphy, $500, and to R. R. Perry, and the National Safe Deposit Savings and Trust Company, as trustees, $500, with which to properly maintain his cemetery lot in good condition. The remainder of his property, principally real estate, was bequeathed to St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum, St. Ann's Orphan Asylum, St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, and the Little Sisters of the Poor, in equal portions.

Counsel for Mrs. Sweeney stated their ability to prove that at the time of making the will Michael Crane, then seventy-five years old, was mentally incapacitated, and that while in his youth he was a Roman Catholic, he had eventually withdrawn his relations with the church. They would also show that from his youth up he had been peculiar and was the pet of his mother because of his supposed mental deficiency.

Mr. Perry, in his presentation of his side of the case, responded by stating that the will under which Michael Crane obtained his property from his brother, James Crane, had been attacked by the same party on the same grounds. He would be able to show, he said, that while the decedent, Michael Crane, had not been a frequenter of the church services, he had, nevertheless, in his younger days, been an ardent Catholic, and that in his old age he had returned to his old faith.

Mr. R. R. Perry is representing the trustees and Messrs. A. S. Worthington and H. W. Sohon appear for the contestants.

The case is likely to consume several days.

CLUBS AND THE LIQUOR LAW.

Army and Navy Club Seeks to Recover Its License Fee.

The Army and Navy Club proposes to test the application of the excise law to social organizations, and has, therefore, through H. S. Woodward, its attorney, filed proceedings against the District for recovery of the $400 fee, which was deposited with the collector of taxes, under the stress, as alleged, of a coercive notification from the excise board, and for which it obtained a license November 3, 1895.

The club recites the character of its organization, and locates its clubhouse as on the southeast corner of Connecticut avenue and I streets northwest. It then admits the custom of keeping for the use of its members a stock of wines and liquors, the joint property of the club membership and which, it claims, is purchased out of the joint fund.

These wines and liquors, it is alleged, are dispensed only to its members and guests, the latter being persons to whom courtesies are extended upon invitation for a period of fifteen days in each case.

The courtesies are not permitted to be extended more than once within a period of six months to any person ineligible to membership, except by authority of the board of governors, and not more than once within a period of three years to any person eligible to membership.

The details under which the wines and liquors are dispensed are set forth at length.

The officers of the organization at the present time of making the application, filed a protest against the enforcement of the law as to them, upon the grounds that the club was not amenable to its provisions. The fee was declared to be paid under coercion of the notification, the club waiving no legal rights in the premises.

Interest is claimed upon the amount of the fee, dating from November 3, 1895.

POSTAL CLERKS MEET.

Despite Wilson's Order They Assemble to Discuss Proposed Legislation.

Railway postal clerks do not seem to be at all daunted by Postmaster General Wilson's recent order forbidding employes of his department to personally urge legislation in which they are interested.

Quite a well attended meeting of the clerks centering here was held last night to discuss the chances of Representative Linton's bill for the reorganization of the railway postal service. Technically this meeting was not a violation of the order, as the gentlemen participating did not come to Washington for that especial purpose. Neither did they go to Congressmen. What was better, Congress came to them in the shape of Representative Linton, who was present at the meeting.

They discussed the measure for their relief which will shortly be introduced, and it was the consensus of opinion that the chances for legislation along the lines desired are this session brighter than ever.

Incidentally the recent editorial in The Times under the caption "An Arbitrary Order," was brought up and its sentiment warmly commended.

BIDS FOR BATTLESHIPS.

Board of Bureau Chiefs Now Conferring Upon Them.

The various bids submitted to the Navy Department by the Cramp Shipbuilding Company of Philadelphia, the Union Works of San Francisco, and the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company for the construction of the two new battle ships authorized by the last Congress were considered yesterday at a session of the naval board on construction or board of bureau chiefs, with a view to making recommendations to Secretary Herbert to assist him in awarding the contract or contracts.

The plans furnished in conjunction with the bids are numerous and complicated, and the board realized its responsibility in the matter. In order to obtain all possible information to guide it to a conclusion, it was decided to obtain additional data, which will be given consideration today. On Wednesday Secretary Herbert will give a hearing to the three parties to the bidding to ascertain their reasons for claiming the right to construct.

WHAT CONGRESS COSTS.

Clerk Kerr's Report on Disbursements for the House.

The report of James Kerr, clerk of the House, which was presented to Congress on December 2, shows that from July 1, 1894, to June 30, 1895, he disbursed $801,832.86, and from July 1, 1895, to December 2, 1895, the sum of $189,780.89.

His report also contains a recapitulation of disbursements made by him during his term as clerk—December 8, 1891, to December 2, 1895—which payments represent the expenses of the House of Representatives during that period, except the salaries and mileage of members, which are paid through the sergeant-at-arms.

The disbursements from December 8, 1891, to December 2, 1895, include:

Clerk hire, members, and delegates, $474,146; salaries of officers and employes, $1,745,918; salaries Capitol police, $77,970; stationery, $243,153; miscellaneous items, $159,754, an aggregate of $2,865,987.54.

INJUNCTION ASKED FOR.

Mrs. Henning Brings Suit to Protect Her Husband's Estate.

Ellen Henning, the widow of James Henning, has brought suit in the equity court against James O. Henning and the Washington Safe Deposit Company to enjoin the defendant Henning from disposing of certain bonds belonging to her husband's estate which, it is alleged, the defendant has deposited with the defendant company in his own name. The value of the bonds is given as $12,000.

The court is also asked to appoint a receiver for the estate with power to take custody of the bonds.

The Washington Safe Deposit Company is made defendant because of its present custody of the bonds, and the court is asked to restrain that organization from permitting its co-defendant to open or remove the box or its contents from deposit.

TWO ARMY OFFICERS RETIRED.

Major Vickery and Captain Walker Placed on the List.

Capt. J. W. Bubb, Fourth Infantry, has been relieved, at his own request, from duty as acting Indian agent at the Colville agency. A civilian will be appointed to succeed him.

Major Richard S. Vickery, surgeon, U. S. A., has been placed on the retired list in accordance with law.

Capt. Freeman V. Walker, assistant surgeon, has been wholly retired from the army. A retiring board found that he was incapacitated for active service on account of disability, not the result of any accident. His name will henceforth be omitted from the Army Register.

REVISING THE REGULATIONS.

Naval Board Preparing Them for Publication.

A board consisting of Capt. Samuel C. Lemly, judge advocate general, Lieut. Commander Richardson Clover and Mr. Benjamin Micou, chief clerk, Navy Department, assembled at the Navy Department yesterday for the purpose of revising, codifying the navy regulations and preparing for publication a new issue.

It is not intended that the board shall make new regulations, nor alter those in existence, except where it is obviously necessary to do so.

Real Estate Transfers.

American Security and Trust Company to J. Paul Smith, lot 38, square 960, in Grupe's sub., $3,026.58. Theo. W. Birney and Leon Tobriner, trustees, to Patrick Fagan, land in Georgetown, described by metes and bounds, also part lot 10, in Holmead's addition, $2,255. Jas. A. Beall et ux. to Louis J. Smith, lots 10, 11, and 12, Anacostia, $10. Allen C. Clark et ux. to George E. Terry, original lot 16, square 1095, $10. George H. Corey and John D. Croisant, trustees, to John Fritz, lots 32, 33, 34, and 35, block 18, in Corey et al. sub, American University Heights, $6,000. Henry A. Griswold et ux. to John H. Scott, part lot 126, in Griswold's addition, Anacostia, $600. Charles J. Kelloog to John T. Doyle, an undivided one-tenth interest in lots 10 to 14, block 29, subject to trust $2,620, suit claim, Brightwood Park, $250. James H. Merriwether et ux. to Alexander H. Semmes, lot 163, in Hopkin's sub., square 69, subject to trust $5,500, $100. Isaac Neuman to James A. Cahill, lot 12, in Boss sub., square 558, $10. Alexander W. Russell and Frederick L. Moore, executors, to Martha V. Moore, parts of original lot 1, square 461, $26,500. Louis J. Smith to James C. Leonard, James A. Beall, Charles R. Dodge, Albert L. Richards, , and William E. Jordan, lots 10, 11, and 12, Anacostia, $10. Alexander H. Semmes et ux. to James H. Merriwether, parts lots 17 and 18 and part of the Bomford Burial Site, block 3, Kalorama Heights, subject to trust $11,300, $10.

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Dr. Walker's offices are centrally located on the second floor of his well-known sanitarium, 1411 Pennsylvania avenue northwest. Office hours, 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.; Wednesdays and Saturdays from 7 to 8 p. m.; Sunday, 10 to 12.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

ANACOSTIA FREE TRANSFERS—Citizens' meeting, Tuesday evening, December 10, 7:30, H. A. LINGER'S residence, Harrison street. de9-2t-em

SPECIAL NOTICE—To all friends of organized labor, greeting. This is to notify that the difference pending between Journeymen Butchers' Union, No. 6341, and Edward G. Schneider, pork butcher and sausage manufacturer, on Seventh street road, has as yet not been settled. de9-1w

HELP WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—One boy, 16-18; also one first-class salesman outside. WHITE STAR TEA CO., 705 4 1-2 st. sw. 1t

WANTED—Married farmer; unincumbered; Northerner preferred; references. 614 13th nw. 1t

WANTED—Boy 16 years, to work in store, stable and house; small wages and good home. Call 628 3d st. ne. 1t

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING—Large rooms, 1st-floor; furnished complete; cooking utensils; dishes; gas; heat; bath; $15 per month. 810 6th sw. 1t

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms; good home table. 226 N. J. ave. nw. dec10-5t

FOR RENT—$1.50 and $2.50 week, newly furnished front rooms; bath, gas, heat; private family. 806 B st. nw. 1t

FOR RENT—Large fur. rooms, including heat and gas; in good locality, at reasonable rate. Inquire 1413 8th st. nw. 1t

FOR RENT—1616 E st. se., 7 rooms; 2 latrobes and range; in good repair; rent $16.50; key next door. de10-6t

ROOMS for rent, signs 5c each at JOHN F. SHEIRY, 623 D st. nw. no26-1-1mo

FOR RENT—Unfur., 2 good, well-lighted, sunny, 2d-floor rooms, for housekeeping; bath, closets, gas and heat; $10 in advance; refs. exchanged. 329 Spruce st., Le Droit Park nw. 1t-em

FOR RENT—2 fur. rooms on 1st floor and 3 fur. or unfur. rooms on 2d floor. 1530 29th st. nw. 1t-em

FOR RENT Two nicely furnished communicating rooms in excellent neighborhood; with or without board. 1735 13th st. nw. de9-3t,em

FOR RENT—First-floor parlor, dining room and kitchen and bedroom on 2d floor, with gas; small family; no children. Rent $18 per month. 109 F st. ne. 1t-em

FOR RENT—Nice large unfurnished room; reasonable. $55 Pa. ave. nw. de9-3t-em

$14 per month for two rooms en suite; first floor; heat, gas, hot, and cold bath. MRS. FREY, 467 G st. nw., opposite Pension Office. dec8-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished front room; heat; light and bath. 912 8th st. nw. dec6-5t

FOR RENT—2 handsome rooms; rosewood furniture; private family. 722 11th st. nw. de7-7t

FOR RENT—Nice furnished room, with excellent table board; few rates. M. MURRAY, 606 H st. nw. de4-7t

FOR RENT—New England family, 916 15th st. nw., rooms with board; half square from Arlington Hotel. de7-7t-em

FOR RENT—Fur. rooms on 2d floor front at 809 12th st. nw. dec7-3t-em

FOR RENT—Fine fur. rooms; board if desired. 420 3d st. nw. de4-7t

WANTED—POSTAGE STAMPS.

$74.50 paid for $5 State Department stamps; same proportion paid for all other department stamps used or unused, in any quantity; also for collections of U. S. and foreign stamps. C. F. ROTHFUCHS, 359 4-2 Pa. ave. no24-tf

BOARDING.

WANTED—$13.50 per month for best table board at Berkeley Dining Room, 467 G st. nw., opposite Pension Office. dec8-7t

WANTED—Boarders at $4 per week, at 1022 14th st. nw. dec8-3t

Auction Sales

THOMAS DOWLING & CO., Auctioneers, 612 E st. nw.—Dead Letter Office Sale.

Catalogue of articles accumulated in the Dead Letter Office to be sold at auction. By order of the Postmaster General.

Bernard Goode, Superintendent Dead Letter Office.—Post-Office Department, November 30, 1895.—The sale will commence on Monday, December 16, 1895, and will be continued daily at 10 a. m. and 7 p. m. until the whole is disposed of. Terms: Cash on delivery. de10-7t

UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S SALE—By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Clerk's Office of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia and to me directed I will sell at public sale for cash in front of the Court House door on Tuesday, December 24, 1895, at 11 o'clock a. m., all the right, title, claim and interest of William Story in and to original lot 2, in square 766, together with the improvements thereon; seized and levied upon as interest of William Story in said land and sold to satisfy execution No. 38888 in favor of Wm. O'Donoine.

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UNITED STATES MARSHAL'S SALE OF A LARGE STOCK OF DRY GOODS, UNDERWEAR, &C., AT NO. 1502 SEVENTH STREET NORTHWEST.

By virtue of ten writs of fieri facias, issued by Lewis I. O'Neal, justice of the peace, and to me directed, I will sell at public sale for cash, at No. 1502 Seventh street northwest, on Tuesday, the 10th day of December, A. D., 1895, at 11 o'clock a. m., the large stock of dry-goods, underwear, &c., seized and levied upon as the property of Sol Perser, and sold to satisfy executions Nos. 18225 to 18234, inclusive, in favor of Isaac Garner, Natalie Perser, Chas. Friedlander, Ray Dux, Emanuel Dux and Adolph Fishel.

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WANTED—HOUSES.

WANTED—Suburban house within 10 miles of city; rent must be low; for winter; and have modern conveniences; permanent tenant. GARDEN, this office. 1t

CHURCH NOTICES.

MRS. AMANDA SMITH, the colored evangelist, will hold meetings at 2:30 and 8 o'clock p. m., every evening this week at the Metropolitan A. M. E. Church, M st., bet. 15th and 16th, sts. nw. 1t

FOR RENT—SUBURBAN.

FOR RENT—Suburban, at Brookland, D. C., 2 blocks from cars, 7-room frame; cellar, bath and attic; latrobe, range; hot and cold water. Inquire I. S. HOLLINGER, care Sates & Co. dec8

FOR RENT—STABLES.

FOR RENT—Cheap—Possession December 15, a fine stable, 25x80 feet; two apartments; every convenience; five stalls, with plenty of room for more; adjacent to 900 Eleventh st. se., where apply; can rent connected eight-room dwelling on front street if desired. dec4-7t

HELP WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—A mantlemaker; help to coats. A. GLAUZMAN, 2638 7th st. nw. 1t

WANTED—Reliable, energetic agents can make good money selling building and loan stock; first-class contracts that will insure a permanent business; will be given good workers. NATIONAL SAVING, LOAN AND TRUST COMPANY, 617 F st. nw. de10-10t

WANTED—Two hustling, reliable insurance solicitors; salary and commission, with no lapses. Call on EDWARD T. BENTON, JR., Room 2, 1311 F st. de10-2t

WANTED—A boy that can be useful in restaurant. H. HARTEN, 24th and G sts. nw. 1t,em

WANTED—Young colored man to clean up and help around market store. Address MARKET this office. 1t

WANTED—Reliable, industrial insurance men; plans and terms unequaled. Call between 9 a. m. and 12 a. m., Room 32, Lawrence Building, 615 Fourteenth st. nw. dec8-3t

WANTED—For the marine corps, boys, as apprentices to learn field music (drum and trumpet); must be between fourteen and sixteen years of age; of good moral character and sound health, and able to read and write; consent of parents or guardians necessary. Apply to the COMMANDING OFFICER, Marine Barracks, 8th st. se. no27-1mo

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—Girl between fifteen and eighteen, to attend small store during day; small salary; room and board; call from 4 to 7. 924 8th st. nw. 1t

WANTED—Good cook; go to New York; fare paid; references. 614 13th nw. 1t

WANTED—A young girl about 15 to do light housework and help in a store. Call at 67 Myrtle st. ne. 1t

WANTED—White girl to assist in housework in private family; small wages, but good home. Call Brightwood Post-office bet. 12 and 1 or 3 and 4 o'clock Tuesday. 1t

WANTED—White parlormaid and waitress; good wages; small family. 614 13th nw. 1t

WANTED—Neat colored woman; general work; stay nights; wages $1.50 week. 1706 F st. 1t

WANTED—A good cook and a white girl for chambermaid and nurse. 211 Pa. ave. nw. 1t,em

WANTED—An expert bundle wrapper; no other need apply. DEXTER Steam Laundry, 344 Pa. ave. nw. de7-3t-em

WANTED—Custom shirt operators and buttonhole worker; none but first-class need apply. Apply MAYER'S, 943 Pa. ave. de9-2t,em

WANTED—Immediately, a woman competent to cut, fit and finish skirts and know something of general sewing. Call 1100 18th st. 1t,em

WANTED—White woman as cook. Call 2825 M st. de9-2t,em

WANTED—First-class white cook; reference required. Apply at 1737 Riggs Place, between 10 and 3. de9-3t,em

WANTED—White cook, and general worker; family of two. 614 13th nw. 1t

SITUATION WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—By young man place to drive milk or delivery wagon. Address ARTHUR TOWNSEND, 622 7th ne. dec10-2t

WANTED—A meat cutter and grocery clerk wants position. Address TIMES, this office. 1t

WANTED—Situation of any kind, by a young German not afraid of work. Address BRUNA FISHER, 516 6th st. ne. dec10-2t

WANTED—Situation as driver, hostler or porter. 1762 K st. nw. 1t

WANTED—Situation by young man and wife, butler or house man, chambermaid or nurse. 1834 L st. 1t-em

WANTED—An well acquainted with city, would like outdoor position. ALEX B., 1015 L st. nw. 1t,em

WANTED—By man, situation of any kind; best ref. JOHN BECK, 907 11th st. nw. de9-2t,em

WANTED—By experienced meat cutter, position as clerk in grocery store; not afraid of work; best ref. Address O. K., this office. de9-2t,em

WANTED—Situation—Registered drug clerk; twelve years practicable experience, as family druggist. Address HARRY T. SMITH, 127 F st. ne. dec8-3t

WANTED—Situation—By a young man not afraid of work. Please address F. S., this office. dec8-3t

WANTED—Free! Free! Free! Mechanics of any kind furnished by us; also we have a few men suitable for driving a team or something similar; best of refs. furnished. WORKINGMEN'S LIBRARY AND BUREAU OF LABOR. Tel. 260. 600 13th st. nw. M. D. SHENK, Clerk. tf

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—Light housework by young woman. Address L. M. C., 637 Md. ave. sw. 1t

WANTED—A lady of refinement would like a place as housekeeper for widower or parties in office. Address M. E. H., this office. dec10-3t

WANTED—By a respectable white girl, a situation as chambermaid and waitress; can give city refs. Address Box Z., this office. 1t

WANTED—By widow lady, a place with religious lady for company. 41 H st. nw.; call all week 1t

WANTED—By colored girl, place to do general housework; city ref. 431 Washington st. nw. 1t

WANTED—Place as cook in private family by young colored girl. Address 1333 Cedar st. nw. 1t

WANTED—A situation with a first-class dressmaker or ladies' tailor; best references. DRESSMAKER, this office. de10-2t

WANTED—By white woman, place as chambermaid; good ref. Call at 102 K st. nw. 1t

WANTED—By colored woman, place to do general housework; good ref. 719 N. Cap. st. 1t

WANTED—A young lady with three years' experience in office work wants employment. Address TYPEWRITER, this office. 1t,em

WANTED—By a respectable colored woman, washing to do at home. 411 Franklin st. nw. 1t,em

WANTED—By competent young lady, position as bookkeeper or cashier; temporary or permanent. Address GRADUATE, this office. 1t,em

WANTED—Office work of any kind; typewritten and filmograph work done at lowest rates. Address INPELICE, this office. no19-tf

HELP WANTED—MALE AND FEMALE.

WANTED—Fifty young ladies and gentlemen who can dance; expert dancers preferred. Apply Tuesday and Friday evening at 8 o'clock at CALDWELL & SMITH DANCING ACADEMY, 5th and H sts. nw.

WANTED—Canvassers to sell goods on easy payments. Apply before 12 m., 473 Maryland ave. sw. 1t

WANTED—First-class vest makers, male or female. Address GOOD WORK, this office. de9-2t

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—To buy cheap, one huckster's license. 1514 Grant st., Mount Pleasant. 1t

WANTED—A good small or medium sized horse; will pay for it by the month. Call 628 3d st. ne. 1t

WANTED—A good coffee mill at once. Address PRIEST BROS., 98 Center Market. 1t

WANTED—Pneumatic bicycle by a 14-year-old boy; good repair and cheap. Apply 1023 20th nw., after 6 p. m. 1t

WANTED—Fixtures for grocery store at once. Address H. L., this office. 1t

WANTED—Christmas gifts, 50 cents down. See personals. 1t

WANTED—To buy a milk route. Address R. Z. A. T., this office. 1t,em

WANTED—By young lady, writing to do at home. Address 200 11th st. ne. 1t,em

WANTED—Health protectors, rubber sole; we put them on ladies' and gents' shoes, at J. M. HALL'S, 1331 F st.; also rubber boots. de7-3t-em

WANTED—Girls to be self-supporting; married ladies to lessen dressmaking bills by learning to cut by Merchant Tailor Square; particulars at school, 718 12th st. se14-tf

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