

# THE BLOOMINGDALE CLUB

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## ACTING AS PRESIDENT OF DEBATERS OF THRIVING BLOOMINGDALE CLUB

The Bloomingdale Debating Society, organized now has eighteen members. A coach, Frederick Hennig, has been secured, and he will try to develop a team to meet outsiders. Challenges have been received from the debating Society of the North Capitol M. E. Church, the S. S. Pleasure Club, and other teams. Thomas White is the president, but during his absence in New York N. T. Worley is serving in that capacity.

The Bloomingdale Athletic Club held a business meeting recently at the residence of Edgar R. Isaker, 1400 North Washington. E. King and M. Middlecamp were admitted to full membership. Alexander Gill was made manager of the second team, and William Hammett captain. It was voted to hold an oyster supper about the 1st of March. The next meeting will be held at the residence of Robert Mills, 24 R street northwest, Saturday, February 24. After refreshments were served, Mr. Baker, assisted by Mrs. Baker and Miss Irma Baker, sang. Among those attending were: Albert L. Krey, Martin H. Middlecamp, John C. Young, Charles E. Tompkins, Lawrence Appelman, Lee T. Twinn, E. Benson, E. H. H. Houck, Arthur E. Birkin, Robert R. Mills, Harry A. Nichols, Raymond S. Tompkins, Bernard Coridan, William C. Hammett, Nathaniel T. Worley, Edgar R. Baker, Leigh Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Fennis Morris, and Miss Helen M. Morris.

Miss Miller recently entertained the Bethany Baptist Christian Endeavor class on the anniversary of the organization.

**Shoes Held Partners.**  
Miss Chaucery had a business meeting of her Sunday school class last Monday evening at the Rhode Island Methodist Church. When the young women went to supper they found a large white curtain, and beneath it a great many pairs of shoes. Each girl took a pair, and incidentally, her partner at supper.

The funeral of William J. Blakeney, who died last Monday, took place Thursday morning from his late residence, 1717 Sixth street northwest. Mass was said at the Church of the Immaculate Conception. Mr. Blakeney was a son of Thomas Blakeney, of the office of the auditor of the War Department.

John H. Leyham died last week at his residence, 4 W street northwest. Mr. Leyham was twenty-two years of age.

The eighteenth birthday of Irwin Pridgeon was celebrated at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. J. Fowler, 83 S street northwest. After games, the guests were served refreshments. Piano solos were given by the Misses Callahan and Bennett, and Harry Moore. Among those present were: Mrs. Moore, Frances Bennett, Eoline Edglin, May Edglin, Ida Hayes, Mary Sullivan, Elizabeth White, Mamie Hardell, Lillian Callahan, Margaret Boudren, Charlotte Seigel, and Ade Skinner. Benjamin Davis, William Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoffman, Joseph Anderson, John Mitchell, Thomas Barrie, and Mr. Hall.

The funeral of Mrs. Katherine J. Heany took place last Tuesday morning from her late residence, 307 R street northwest. Mass for the repose of her soul was said at the Immaculate Conception Church. Many relatives and friends attended the services.

Last Sunday morning at the service at the Central Presbyterian Church, when the Rev. Dr. Alexander W. Pitzer expressed the belief that he should retire from the active ministry on account of age, the entire congregation arose and presented the plea that the subject be dismissed at once.

Dr. Pitzer had just read the resignation of the Rev. L. C. Knight, the associate pastor of the church, who on account of ill health has been ordered by his physicians to take a long sea trip. This was accepted.

The funeral of F. Frank Johnson, Jr. took place last Tuesday afternoon from his late residence, 1314 N street northwest. He is survived by a wife.

A surprise party was given David T. Cooper. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Linthcum, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Storer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haladay, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Williams, Mrs. Walter E. Williams, Mrs. Laura T. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Saunders, Miss Carrie Hobbs, Misses May Hobbs, Lila Suter, and David F. Linthcum, Phil E. Striela, F. Fink, and George B. Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. David T. Cooper.

**Cunningham-Heany.**  
At the Church of the Immaculate Conception Miss Anna Marie Heany, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Heany, of 1341 Third street northwest, was married to Ulysses G. Cunningham by Father Ambrose. A reception was held at the bride's home. On the return of Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham to this city, they will reside at 611 G street northwest. John J. Casey, best man, and the bridesmaids were Miss Margaret Heany and Miss Mary O'Connor. The ushers were P. J. Kieren, Thomas McCarthy, D. J. O'Connor, and E. J. Severy. The bride wore white lace over white silk. Among those present were Mrs. C. H. Williamson, Mrs. Betty, Mrs. Julian Payne, Mrs. Woods, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Bland, Mrs. Mary Anderson, Mrs. William Mooney, Mrs. George Murray, Mrs. Edith Anslinger, Lewis Perry, John Williams, Miss Mary Lewis, Ida Thomas, Mollie Lewis, Irene George, Florence Evans, Edith Foster, Earl Anderson, Walter Hoop, Isadora Rubin, Eva Springman, Helen Hunt, Esther Moore, Nellie Owens, and Gertrude Leimbach.

The Junior Card Club met recently with Miss Jeanne Bragg, Miss Mary Johnson, Margaret McCambridge, Elizabeth Mitchell, Jesse Robinson, Helen Hopkins, Edith Howard, Marie Johnson, Margaret McCambridge, Elizabeth Mitchell, Paul Brashears, John Dunbar, Harry Gauss, Allison Miller, Eugene Roberts, Edith Booth, Hubert Sylvester, and George Walker.

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N. T. WORLEY, Who Was Chosen to Lead New Organization in Absence of President Thomas White.

## Northeast Washington

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mitchell entertained the members of the X. V. L. Euchre Club at the regular bi-weekly meeting, Wednesday evening. The prizes were won by Mrs. Mitchell, Miss Lillian Burke, Harry Kern, and Clifford Ketter. Consolation prizes were awarded to Miss Edith Rabbitt and Charles Chambers. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The following were present: Miss L. Burke, Miss E. Burke, Miss Mitchell, Miss Poston, Miss Rabbitt, Miss Stalee, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Vierbuckner, and Messrs. Dunn, Chambers, Kettler, Lewis, Mitchell, Poston, and Vierbuckner.

Miss Gallaudet and her sister, Mrs. Kendall, will be at home at Kendall Green, Saturdays in February.

The police of the Ninth precinct have been asked to find Orin Maxwell, twelve years old, and Bernard Carrick, thirteen years old, who disappeared from their homes last week.

**Unity Council, No. 2.** Informal Order of the Sons of Jonadab, held a meeting Wednesday evening. The initiatory degree was conferred and several propositions for membership were received. The good of the order included songs by Messrs. Dennis Shields and J. J. Spellman, and addresses by Messrs. M. J. O'Day, Charles Dike, B. N. Wildman, W. J. Creamer, Philip Weber, J. E. Hartman, J. E. Rodgers, and others.

Mrs. Sterns entertained the members of the Excelsior Literary Club Tuesday evening. Essays were read by Mrs. Alexander and Mrs. Mitchell. The following were present: Mesdames Barward, Barringer, Bradley, Emerson, Frear, Fritson, Gordon, Hawks, McCreary, J. P. Phelps, Robinson, Seely, Stearns, and Webb, and the Misses Chamberlain, Culey, and McCree. Mrs. Gillette, of Chicago, was present as a guest.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Greenwell, of 1314 N street northwest, entertained a number of their friends at a musicale at their home, Thursday afternoon.

A number of intimate friends of Captain and Mrs. Shelley, of 616 G street northeast, were entertained by them at their home Thursday night. Refreshments were served. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. Nestler, Messrs. Charles and Frederick Nestler, Mr. and Mrs. Carter, Miss Jennie Callahan, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Athey and their son Leslie.

A. O. Bliss has transferred lots 21, 21, and square 318, E. D. street, northeast, between C and D streets, to G. W. Norris.

**Dance Washington's Birthday.**  
Invitations have been issued by the Rencoe Club for their February dance, which will be held at the Hotel Arlington, February 22.

The congregation of the Nativity Protestant Episcopal Church, which since its organization in November, 1903, has occupied a storeroom at 1700 East Capitol street, has been moved to the southwest corner of Seventeenth and East Capitol streets. The rapid increase in membership of both Sunday school and congregation, under the leadership of the Rev. Enoch M. Thompson, has caused the change. The last services in the old chapel were held last Sunday, and there was rejoicing among the members that on the following Sunday afternoon they would have much larger accommodations.

Miss Katherine Erney, of Capitol Hill, has been engaged as soprano soloist of the church, corner Third and E streets, northeast. She sang there for the first time two weeks ago, and greatly pleased the music lovers.

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**Miss Johnson's Birthday.**  
Miss Ethel Johnson celebrated her sixteenth birthday anniversary Thursday evening at the home of her parents, 325 First street northeast. A large number of her friends were present. The Misses Hazel Verlander and Edith Cannon rendered piano selections during the evening. Games and dancing were enjoyed until a late hour. Refreshments were served. Among those present were the Misses Mamie Smith, Susie Gates, Sarah Gantley, Helen Gantley, Nora Gladden, May Moran, Aggie Miller, Hazel Payne, Katie Weiss, Mamie Weiss, Marie Nelson, Mrs. Brown, Edith Leessitzer, Maggie Leessitzer, Messrs.

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A permit has been granted to Arthur Carr to build a two-story brick dwelling at 1338 G street northeast. The architects will be Spieder & Spieder. The cost is estimated at \$3,000.

**Delightful Valentine Party.**  
Miss Rosa D. Barr entertained a number of her young friends at a Valentine party given Wednesday afternoon at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Daniel D. Barr. Games were played until after 5 o'clock when refreshments were served in the dining room, which was tastefully and appropriately decorated. The following were present: Mildred Davis, Madeline Diers, Virginia Wallis, Marian Lishear, Virginia Barr, Frances Dry, Margaret Roome, Pauline Martin, C. Ramsay, Stanley Allen, Oscar Harris, Fred Stickle, Fred Stickle, Harold Seferth, Leonard Chapman.

In honor of the birthday anniversary of her sister, Miss Mabel Evans, Mrs. Harry Walsh entertained a number of her friends at her home Tuesday evening. Instrumental and vocal selections were rendered by Mr. Wright, Mrs. H. Sanford, Mrs. E. Dane, and Mrs. Phoebe. After refreshments had been served dancing was enjoyed until a late hour. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. Aspada, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hill, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Gately, Mrs. Phoebe, and Mrs. William Kirby; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wright, Mrs. Deane, Mr. and Mrs. Sanford, Mrs. Littleton, Mrs. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walsh, Miss Mabel Evans, Miss Marie Gately, Miss Ethel Phoebe, Miss Katherine Gately, Miss Katharine Gately, Miss Katherine Aspada, Mrs. Julia Washington, William Borst, Charles Wright, Keefe Grahn, William Wright, D. Strother, and Joseph Nighthingale.

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Mrs. H. Hampton Garver, of Grant City, Mo., is visiting her parents, Dr. and Mrs. George Woolridge, of 129 C street southeast.

**Washingtonians Meet.**  
The "Washingtonians" met at the home of Miss A. Harman, 119 Sixth street. Several piano solos were rendered by Miss R. Luskey and Frank Meyers. Master Willie Harvey entertained the members by singing a number of songs. Among those present were Misses A. Saxty, J. Ireland, R. Luskey, E. Ireland, E. Harding, E. Harman, E. Appleby, E. Burruss, L. Sinton, J. Burgess, and L. F. Young. P. Meyers, R. R. Ross, M. Leaman, J. O. Burgess, H. W. White, E. Leaman, M. Appleby, C. N. Phelps, and Master William Harvey.

Miss Keesh, assisted by Mrs. Bland, entertained St. Mark's chapter, Daughters of the King. Those present were Mrs. Browning, Mrs. Mattingly, Mrs. Graves, Mrs. Banes, Mrs. Chase, Miss Margaret D. Miller, Miss Carrie Jenkins, Rev. Dr. W. L. Devries, Miss Robinson, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Myrtle Mrs. Stahl, Mrs. Henry Selden, Mrs. Rose Keech, Mrs. Baynard, Mrs. Coffin, and Mrs. Sewell.

The French Club met at the home of Miss Helen Randall, 304 A street southeast. Miss Louise Hellen played several vocal selections on the piano. Miss Sewell read a poem by Francis Macomber. Mrs. Wells sang the well-known flower song from Gounod's "Faust," and responded to an encore with a serenade by Massenet. The program was concluded with an amusing one-act play by Miss Jeanne Martin.

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**Reception for Guest.**  
In honor of Miss Florence O'Connor, of New York, the Misses Nelson, of 227 Seventh street northeast, gave a reception at their home last Tuesday evening. Among those present were Misses Olive Nolan, Jennette Nolan, Lena Dhill, Helen Beach, Florence Stevens, Gertrude Nolan, Mamie Wilson, Lottie Brown, and Flora Mertz, and Messrs. Hill, H. C. Meizer of Baltimore, Noble Thomas, W. Harris, John Rodgers, Bradley Ewers, Clifford Stevens, Edward Hartley, F. Traino of New York, Mrs. Beach, and Mrs. Nolan.

**Jolly Veterans' Euchre.**  
The regular meeting of the Jolly Veterans' Euchre Club was held at the home of Mr. Hazard Wheeler, 20 K street northeast, Friday evening. Prizes were awarded to George Ferguson and Mrs. H. Mary Exley. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Fishers, Mr. and Mrs. A. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. George Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Exley, Mr. and Mrs. Hazard Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. M. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Worden, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Calhoun.

The Commissioners have ordered that a sewer be constructed along the north side of I street northeast, between Seventh and Eighth streets, and along the west side of Eighth street northeast, from I to a point eighty feet north of the north line of I street.

Miss Jeanette V. Nolan entertained a number of her friends at her home, 325 Seventh street northeast, Monday evening. Mr. Fox, of Baltimore, rendered several piano and violin solos during the evening.

Isabella Rothert has transferred the property at No. 238 Tenth street northeast to A. R. Townsend.

Miss Dorothy Miller entertained a number of her friends at a Valentine party Wednesday evening. Euchre was played during the evening, and dancing followed. Among those present were the Misses Mamie Smith, Susie Gates, Sarah Gantley, Helen Gantley, Nora Gladden, May Moran, Aggie Miller, Hazel Payne, Katie Weiss, Mamie Weiss, Marie Nelson, Mrs. Brown, Edith Leessitzer, Maggie Leessitzer, Messrs.

## HEATER OFFERINGS

Two seasons was starred in David Belasco's "Heart of Maryland." Other well-known players are Thomas Coffey, "Coke" Hope, Latham Grant, St. Clair, Mary Clowes, Dorothy Crane, and Albert Brown.

## Academy—Harry Clay Clancy in "The Boy Behind the Gun."

The character of Willie Live as portrayed by that clever and jovial comedian Harry Clay Clancy, is doubtless, the most widely known, in nowadays popular-priced theatricals. For six consecutive years it has laughingly appealed to millions of theater goers throughout the country in that stirring play, "Across the Pacific." Notwithstanding that Mr. Clancy has secured a new play in "The Boy Behind the Gun," written expressly for him by Charles E. Blaney, the well-known character of Willie Live will continue on in the new piece, passing through many more startling adventures and hair-raising incidents, where pluck and courage, so characteristic of the true American, is the chief stock in trade.

## Coming Attractions.

On Monday evening, February 26, at the Belasco Theatre, Ketch, the distinguished Roumanian actress, will make her first appearance in Washington. In Maurice Maeterlinck's dramatic masterpiece, "Monna Vanna." The coming of this actress, who has recently won such enthusiastic approval in New York, has awakened wide interest among local playgoers. The production of the play by Maeterlinck is regarded with no less interest than the appearance of the new star. Madame Kallich's preparation for her impersonation of the heroine, Giovanna, has been complete. She has played roles of every description in foreign classic plays, and in Giovanna she finds a character well calculated