

Alexandria Gazette

MONDAY EVENING, FEB. 14, 1910.

LOCAL MATTERS.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:53 and sets at 5:36. High water at 12:10 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and warmer tonight. Tuesday partly cloudy with moderate temperature; minimum temperature tonight about 32 degrees; moderate southerly winds.

MASONIC CELEBRATION.

As heretofore stated Washington's birthday will be especially celebrated in this city on the 22d inst. by Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons and a large number of distinguished Masons from throughout the country, including many of the Grand Masters of the several states.

A handsome printed invitation has been sent out enclosed in a cover bearing a picture of the trowel which belongs to the lodge and which was used by General Washington in laying the corner stone of the Capitol of the United States.

The following is the invitation: Alexandria-Washington Lodge No. 22, A. F. & A. M., of Alexandria, Va., request the honor of your presence at its annual celebration on the birthday of our illustrious first Master, George Washington, Tuesday, February twenty-second, nineteen hundred and ten, and to assist in the organization of a National Association to erect a Masonic Memorial in his honor. Charles H. Callahan, Worshipful Master.

The following is the programme for the occasion:

9:30 a. m.—Meeting in Alexandria-Washington Lodge Room to form National Organization to erect a Memorial to "Washington, the Mason." To this meeting has been invited the Grand Masters of all the Grand Lodges of the United States and other Masonic dignitaries, representing various Masonic bodies; the Grand Master of Masons in Virginia will preside.

12:30 p. m.—Adjourn for luncheon. 1:30 p. m.—Visit by special train to Mt Vernon to place a wreath on the tomb of Washington.

4:00 p. m.—Conferring of degrees in Illinois form by a degree team constituted of Grand Lodge Officers, Grand Lecturers, and District Deputy Grand Masters, coming from Chicago for this purpose. 7:30 p. m.—Annual banquet of Alexandria-Washington Lodge, No. 22, A. F. & A. M., at Armory Hall. The speakers of the evening will be Hon. Champ Clarke, of Missouri; Hon. Jas. O. Dickinson, Secretary of War; Hon. Wm. F. Mann, Governor of Virginia; Hon. C. C. Carlin, of Alexandria; Hon. Jas. D. Richardson, of Tennessee; and Rev. John Wesley Hill, D. D., of New York.

Admission to all these exercises, except special guests or Alexandria Masons, will be by card only, and no one will be permitted to participate in the formation of the Memorial Association but the Grand Masters of the various grand jurisdictions, their personal representatives, or the heads of the supreme Masonic bodies of the country.

The Grand Masters and special guests, under escort of the Grand Master of Virginia and delegation from Washington Lodge will leave Alexandria at 1:30 p. m., for Mount Vernon to visit the home and place wreath upon the sarcophagus. It is expected that the Grand Masters of 55 states will be present.

VALENTINE DAY.

The valentines this year are mostly of the past card type. They are highly decorated, flowered and bedecked, and bear signs of poetry more expressive than elegant. The comics of previous years seem to have lost their one-time favor. Many of the cards, however, are of the comic variety. As is usual the mails today have been heavily laden with these social missives. It would take a small volume in which to give all the legends concerning the origin of Valentine's Day. Some people say that St. Valentine's Day in the early church simply coincided with a pagan festival of ancient Rome, and that the two holidays had nothing to do with each other. The Roman holiday which was most likely swallowed up in the saint's day was the festival of Pan, which came in February. Poor old Pan is well forgotten in the modern celebration of the day, and the whole affair has been put into the hands of Cupid, while even the good saint, whoever he was, is quite ignored.

THE PROPOSED NEW ROAD.

The committee of the Alexandria-Washington Highway Association appointed at the meeting in Washington last Wednesday night has gone to work with a will, and they are sanguine over the ultimate result of their labor. While the amount of money required to build a modern and substantial road between the two cities is large, the committee have no fears as to the outcome of the movement inaugurated toward the accomplishment of the plans of the association, as it is believed but little difficulty will be experienced in raising the necessary money from property-owners on the line of the road. About four miles of roadway will be constructed.

DAUGHTERS OF LIBERTY.

Friendship Council, Daughters of Liberty, will meet in regular session tonight. At this meeting business of importance will be transacted. Friendship Council is growing in membership and before the coming session of the state council in May it promises to be one of the strongest councils in the state. Several members of Hope Council, of Washington, and E. R. Boyer, of Virginia Council of Richmond, will be present.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Oriental Lodge, No. 6, Knights of Pythias, will hold a regular convention tomorrow night, at which 150 candidates, who were elected to membership last Tuesday night, will be received. Two applications for membership will be acted upon, and other business transacted. Sir, Knight John T. Herbert, of Annetonia, D. C., will deliver an address, and other visitors are expected to be present.

ANOTHER CHANCE.

The Baltimore Salvage Company has disposed of much of the stock of clothing, including goods, etc., in the store conducted by Mr. R. Lee Field, 612 King street, and the remainder is to be disposed of at unusually low prices. Read their advertisement elsewhere in this Gazette.

THE CASE OF HENRY SMITH.

A letter from Governor Mann to Commonwealth's Attorney S. G. Brent and the substance of the latter's reply concerning the case of Henry Smith, colored, who is sentenced to be electrocuted on Friday for participating in the murder of Walter F. Schultz, were published in the Gazette a few days ago. The governor also sent a letter similar to the one received by Mr. Brent to Judge Bireley. The following is the judge's reply: February 12th, 1910.

To his excellency, William Hodges Mann, Governor of Virginia, Richmond, Virginia. Sir:—I received your communication of the 10th inst. on yesterday regarding me to send you my views with reference to the cases of the Commonwealth vs. Calvin Johnson, Eugene Dorsey, Richard Pines and Henry Smith, who stand convicted of murder in the first degree and sentenced to be electrocuted. Inasmuch as there is only one of the above cases which is immediately pressing I will take that up with you now and discuss it, postponing my reply in the other cases for a later date.

Henry Smith has been sentenced to be electrocuted on the 18th of this month for the murder of Walter F. Schultz, on the 8th of last March. It was upon the confession and testimony of Henry Smith very largely that the Commonwealth established its case against Johnson, Pines and Dorsey, all three of whom were tried some months before Smith, were tried some months before Smith, and but for such confession and testimony on the part of Smith the cases against the other three would not have been established. Smith claimed that he had been forced into the participation in the murder of Schultz at the point of a pistol, and stuck to this story up to the time of his own conviction. Smith was tried at the December term of the Corporation Court of this city, and his case was submitted to a jury summoned from the city of Charlottesville. The jury evidently did not believe Smith on the question of his participation in the crime, but took it that he was equally guilty with the others, and my opinion is that the jury were thoroughly justified in their conclusion. I consequently overruled the motion for a new trial and sentenced him to death. I believed then and believe now that Smith participated in the commission of this crime equally with the others, and, therefore, know of no extenuating circumstances to justify me in recommending executive clemency in this case, unless it be that by reason of Smith's confession and his evidence in the trial of the three other cases and his assistance to the Commonwealth in other ways in helping it to establish its case against Johnson, Pines and Dorsey that it should appeal to you that he has rendered the Commonwealth such great assistance as to merit executive clemency to the extent of commutation of his sentence to life imprisonment. This question, however, I take it is one which must be left to your wise discretion. I am, with highest esteem,

Very respectfully yours, LOUIS C. BARLEY, Judge of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, Virginia. Mr. Frederick P. Russell, counsel for Smith, expects to go to Richmond tomorrow and request Governor Mann to commute Smith's sentence.

OLD DOMINIONS OUTCLASSED.

In a game of basketball at the Armory Hall Saturday night the Y. M. S. L. "Speed Boys" defeated the Old Dominion quint by the score of 30 to 10. The Lycemites played better than at any previous time this season, their team work being especially creditable. During the first half they managed to pile up 18 points on their opponents. The "Speed Boys" had all the better of the contest in the second half, outplaying their opponents in every angle. It would be hard to mention the real stars as all the Lycemites played a fast game of ball. Jones, for the Old Dominions, played a good game, scoring 8 points out of his team's 10. The line up and summary was as follows:

Table with 4 columns: Name, Position, Old Dominion, Y. M. S. L. Positions. Lists players like Jones, Entwisle, Hayes, etc.

FINED TWENTY DOLLARS.

James Self entered Lucien Davis's saloon on Cameron street, between Fairfax and Royal, last Saturday night, and the bartender having refused to sell him liquor, the would-be customer picked up a beer bottle and threw it at the attendant's head. The bottle missed its mark and smashed a looking glass valued at \$35. Chief Goods and Officer Bell arrested Self and he was brought before the Police Court this morning and fined \$20.

A white man, charged with being drunk in the street, was fined \$20, and another, charged with a similar offense, was sent to jail for ten days.

The above were the only cases before the Police Court this morning.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Pamela Rebecca Rothford took place from Saint Mary's Church this morning. A number of relatives and friends of the deceased attended. The services were conducted by Rev. Father Kelley and the pallbearers were Messrs. E. S. Leadbeater, C. J. W. Summers, W. H. Sweeney, M. Hanrahan, P. F. Downey and M. Aheran.

The funeral of the little Mary N. Desmond took place yesterday evening from her home on Duke street. The services were conducted by Rev. Father Kelley. The remains of the late J. B. Carle Jett arrived in this city from Wilmington, Del., this afternoon when the funeral took place. The interment was in Bethel cemetery and the services were conducted by Rev. W. F. Watson.

Miss Madeline Byrne, daughter of Mr. Joseph H. Byrne, had one of her eyes painfully, if not seriously, injured about noon today. She was on her way from school when a boy, who was engaged in snowballing, threw a piece of ice which struck her squarely in the eye. The injured girl was attended by Dr. Gorman.

The Begal Shoe for men in all the new laces can be had of John A. Marshall & Bro., 422 King street.

PERSONAL.

Mr. Courtland Lukins who has been quitted at his home in Fairfax county is able to be out again.

Mrs. Leroy Barkley, of Markham, Fauquier county, is visiting Mrs. O. C. Carlin, and will be her guest during the next few days.

The many friends of Capt. William M. King, of the Bluemont Division of the Southern Railway, will be pained to learn of his continued ill health. He left his home last week for Asheville, N. C., with a hope of recuperating his fallen energy. Capt. King has been in the railway service for many years and is one of the most popular conductors of the Southern system.

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Smoot have returned from a visit to North Wilkesboro, N. C., and have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Webb, of Baltimore.

Mrs. Edmund P. Dandridge, who has been the guest of her parents, Bishop Osojdjur at Anur Seldon Lloyd and Mrs. Lloyd on north Alfred street, left today for her home in Lewisburg, W. Va.

Miss Marion Lane, of East Orange, N. J., and Miss Portia Baldwin, of Barryville, are the guests of the Misses Lloyd at her home on north Alfred street.

Rev. August Crawford, dean of the Theological Seminary, will preach at St. Paul's Church tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. The music will be by the brotherhood choir of twenty boys assisted by the Chapter of Praise.

Messrs. G. L. Bothe and Carroll Pierce have returned from a business trip to St. Louis.

Mr. C. B. Swan is confined to his home on south Washington street by indisposition.

WEST END NOTES.

Mission week services will begin tonight in St. John's Chapel in West End, the services tonight being led by Mr. G. J. Wood, a student of the Theological Seminary. The ensuing services during the week will be in the charge of the senior class at the Seminary.

A number of water pipes have been taken into "heat" for the purpose of supplying water to the new building of the Emerson Pump Company. The building has just recently been completed.

Mr. Frank, a student of the Theological Seminary has returned from a prolonged visit to Richmond.

Persons living in the vicinity of the tollgate had their attention attracted early last night to a bright light in the early western sky. It was thought to be a burning barn though.

COLD WAVE COMING.

A general storm followed by a cold wave which promises to be rather severe is the weather Bureau's prediction for the coming week. The storm will approach over the Pacific States within the next two days across the Rockies, plowing its way and central valleys during the middle days of the week and reach the Atlantic seaboard by Friday. The cold wave will overpass the north Pacific States by Tuesday morning and reach the Atlantic seaboard by Friday or Friday night. The weather conditions cold and the river ice over again last night. A little of the snow has melted since Saturday.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The church's were all fairly well attended yesterday.

The annual meeting of M. D. Orse Camp, Sons of Confederate Veterans, for the election of officers will be held tonight.

Mrs. Elizabeth D. Cullin, widow of the late Charles W. Cullin, of St. Paul, Minnesota, died in Washington on February 8.

Seminole Tribe of Red Man will hold their next meeting on the 15th instead of the 22d of February, which is a holiday.

A fight took place in the northeastern section of the city about noon today between two white men. The police arrested one of the combatants and they are out on the lookout for the other.

Luther Keith, employed at the Potomac railroad yards, fell this morning and sprained his back. He was brought to this city and taken to the Alexandria Hospital where he was attended by Dr. Smith.

John Ogan and William Williams, both colored, were arrested today by Officers Roberts and Roland on suspicion of stealing carpenter's tools from J. D. Edgar, contractor, at Dal Ray, Alexandria county, last Saturday.

The Washington-Alexandria highway project was introduced on Saturday by the board of directors of the Washington Chamber of Commerce, who met to receive a special committee from Alexandria, representing those who are in favor of the undertaking. After endorsing the project the board appointed a committee to cooperate with the Alexandria committee in devising ways and means of putting the project into execution. It is estimated that the highway will cost about \$54,000.

As heretofore stated, the Elks Dramatic Club will tomorrow evening go to Frederickburg, where they will present the play, "A Modern Ananias." The club will be accompanied by a number of members of the order.

The man with a personality is the man who gives the orders. There's an old saying that a king and a pig are both made of the same clay. But when the pig lacks the king has personality. You can dress a swine in purple cloth with crown of gold; unto the end 'twill be a squealer' as of old. You don't have to dress those irresistible delinquents Ansh and Wagner in fancy products in fancy array. Be big made from pure, clever, healthier meat that have a personality that makes 'em popular. You can eat 'em and eat 'em and never get sick. Sullivan Roundhead, The Ansh Stand and The Ansh Market.

Best Elgin Creamery Butter, 35c lb. Good Country Roll Butter, 25c lb. Guaranteed Eggs, 30c dozen; seedless Raisins, 6c lb.; 3 lbs. Best Evaporated Peaches, 15c; 3 lbs. Large Prunes, 25c; 4 cans Best Tomatoes, 25c; 4 cans Sugar Corn, 25c; 4 cans Sing Sing Beans, 25c; 3 cans Fish Roe, 25c; 3 cans Singapore Pineapple, 25c; 3 large cans Peas, 25c; 3 large cans Apples, 25c; Sweet Florida Oranges, 15c dozen; Walnut kernels, 30c lb.; Fresh Florida Tomatoes, 12c lb.; 3 cans Early Java Peas, 25c; 7 lb. Pure Buckwheat, 25c. W. P. Woolfs & Sons, Royal and Wolfe streets.

Standard Army Shoes for men. The most comfortable and durable shoe made can be had at J. A. Marshall & Bros., 422 King street.

After lying undiscovered in a cave-in Fairmount Park Philadelphia, for a week, the body of Wilbur Allison, a young law student who committed suicide, will be sent to the home of his father, Rev. T. J. Allison, in Charlotte, N. C., today. The body of the young man was found in the cave by two boys. Bound about Allison's head were three overcoat, coat and vest, and underneath a rag saturated with chloroform with which he had ended his life.

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Boy Murderer. New Haven, Conn., Feb. 11.—Local authorities today declare that their belief that today is hereditary and "his in the family" is greatly strengthened, following word of the arrest of Irving Hanchett, a New Haven boy in Glycerol, yesterday for the murder of Mary Todd, fourteen years old. The boy's father, George A. Hanchett, committed suicide in Providence during March, 1908, and that his 10-year-old brother, William, was arrested here only a few weeks ago on a burglary charge. Irving was arrested twice in New Haven, the first time at the age of nine for vandalism and again in 1905 for truancy, when he was committed to the boys' school of correction at Meriden.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES. Fifteen cases of smallpox were today found to exist in the village of Taleri, two miles north of Allen town, Pa. Colonel William H. Love, secretary of the Baltimore board of trade, a noted archaeologist, and one of the foremost authorities on Maryland history, died this morning. The British Rhine arrived at New York today from Trinidad, brought Captain Griffin, and six men from the schooner J. S. Hopkins, and on board last Tuesday off Cape Hatteras.

Steamer Pounding to Pieces. AUSTIN, Ohio, Feb. 14.—According to the captain of the British steamer Hildesheim, which arrived here today with 205 of the passengers and crew of the British steamer Lima, which went on reef in Humboldt Passage in the strait of Magellan, there is little hope that any of the six ships racing to the scene will reach there in time to save the 33 persons who were left on board the Lima when the storm forced the Hildesheim to discontinue her relief work. The captain said that the Lima had a strong list to starboard when last seen and her port quarter was under water. There were 17 feet of water in her engine room, and she was rapidly pounding to pieces.

Wholesale Prices of Produce. Flour Extra..... 575 a 600 Family..... 625 a 675 Fancy brands..... 650 a 700 Wheat, longberry..... 123 a 125 Mixed..... 121 a 123 Damp and tough..... 100 a 105 Corn, white..... 67 a 67 1/2 Mixed..... 67 a 67 1/2 Yellow..... 67 a 67 1/2 Blue..... 67 a 67 1/2 Oats, mixed, new..... 60 a 65 White, new..... 60 a 65 Clover Seed..... 60 a 65 Timothy..... 175 a 200 Hay..... 2100 a 2200 Elgin Print Butter..... 63 a 65 Butter, Virginia, packed..... 61 a 65 Dried Peaches, per bushel..... 120 a 120 Apples, per bushel..... 68 a 69 Pork, per 100 lbs..... 950 a 1050 Bacon, country hams..... 07 a 08 Best sugar-cured hams..... 07 a 08 Breakfast Bacon..... 07 a 08 Sugar-cured shoulders..... 06 a 07 Bulk shoulders..... 02 a 03 Dry Salt sides..... 013 a 013 1/2 Sugar..... 010 a 015 Oil A..... 015 a 015 Coffee—Rio..... 011 a 012 Laguayra..... 011 a 012 Java..... 015 a 016 Molasses B. S..... 015 a 016 C. B..... 017 a 018 New Orleans..... 020 a 045 Porto Rico..... 023 a 035 Salt-G. A..... 060 a 065 Fine..... 085 a 099 Wool—long, unwashed..... 028 a 029 Dried Peaches, per bushel..... 028 a 029 Marrow, unwashed..... 028 a 029 Do, washed..... 024 a 025 Herring, Eastern per bushel..... 67 a 750 Sugar Syrup..... 40 a 010 Potomac family mol..... 1300 a 1400 No. 3 medium..... 1400 a 1450 Plaster, ground, per ton..... 450 a 500 Ground in bags..... 550 a 650

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FARMER'S WIFE HAD HEAP TO DO Mrs. Shepherd Was in Bad Shape When She Could Not Stand on Her Feet.

Durham, N. C.—"I am a farmer's wife," writes Mrs. J. M. Shepherd, of this city, "and have a heap to do." "Four months ago I could not stand on my feet, to do anything much, but at this time I do the most of my work. I took Cardui and it did me more good than all the doctors.

"You don't know how I thank you for the Cardui Home Treatment. I wish that all women who suffer from womanly trouble would treat themselves as I have." Ladies can easily treat themselves at home, with Cardui, the woman's tonic. It is easy to take, and so gentle in its action, that it cannot do anything but good.

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STATEMENT Citizens' National Bank of Alexandria, Va., January 31, 1910. OFFICERS: President, Edward L. Daingerfield; Vice President, Richard M. Green, Cashier, E. E. Payne, Asst. Cashier. DIRECTORS: J. C. Smoot, Edward L. Daingerfield, Jas W. Roberts, Worth Hulfish, Carroll Pierce, M. A. Ahern, Urban S. Lambert. RESOURCES: Loans \$687,951.44; U. S. Bonds to secure circulation 100,000.00; Bonds to secure U. S. Deposit 1,000.00; Other Bonds and Stocks 49,986.56; Banking House & Real Estate 52,856.97; Cash 46,441.96; Due from Banks and Reserve Agents 99,132.71. Total \$1,037,369.64. LIABILITIES: Capital \$100,000.00; Surplus 100,000.00; Undivided Profits 18,049.91; Circulation 95,850.00; Deposits 722,467.73; U. S. Deposit 1,000.00. Total \$1,037,369.64.

Rosenfeld SATISFACTION OR MONEY BACK. For This Week 4 styles of our best 50c Corsets to close out at . . . . 29c A Pair The only thing the matter with them is they have no hose supporters. We have them in all sizes. ROSENFELD'S 518-20 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

Men's Sweater Coats at Cost for This Week. Some Great Bargains. We have about fourteen left over of Pure Wool, and 1 1/2 dozen per wool. R. E. KNIGHT, 621 KING STREET. YOU NEED A RELIABLE TIME-KEEPER. You can't afford to depend on a watch that runs fast or slow or runs only half the time. Some day you'll wish your watch kept the correct time. Why not guard against the future? Get a good watch now. We want to show you the watches in this store, all standard movements, in a large variety of sizes, styles and prices. Come in and we'll show you a watch that will fit your pocketbook. The style is not completed when you pay us, as we guarantee the watch to keep accurate time and we'll see that it does. R.C. Acton & Sons Jewelers and Silversmiths. We are showing the newest designs of the celebrated Libby and Hawkes Cut Glass Why buy cheap glass when the best costs no more than the inferior. THE annual meeting of the stockholders of THE WOODLEY APARTMENT HOUSE COMPANY, incorporated, will be held at the office of Gardner L. Boothe, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY AFTERNOON, February 22nd at 2:45 o'clock. B. W. PARKER, feb14 1\*