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DRUNKEN CHILDREN IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

A dispatch from Passaic, N. J., says Mayor George N. Segor has ordered an investigation into the fact that 81 children in the Passaic school were found to be intoxicated during the year. The Mayor has discovered that this note was made at the foot of the annual report of the truant officer. "I never heard of such a thing," the mayor gasped, and called upon the truant officer for an explanation. The latter declared that at one time or another during the year 81 children had come to school drowsy and inattentive or boisterous or quarrelsome and in each case investigation established the fact that they were under the influence of liquor. It was said that most of the children were of the foreign population of the city and that in some instances their alleged intoxicated state could be traced to light wine with which they had been served at dinner in their own homes.

We are told that one feature in the course of education of Spartan children years ago, was an object lesson imparted by slaves, who were made to drink themselves drunk in order that the scholars could behold with horror the disgraceful plight of men who allowed an enemy to steal away their brains. According to the Passaic dispatch, such object lessons in our day are given by scholars in the glare of the civilization of the twentieth century.

WASHINGTON AWAKE AT LAST.

In consequence of the reports of attacks of negroes on white women in the District of Columbia, which are increasing in frequency, Congress is likely to take action soon, looking to an investigation and to remedial measures. A Senate investigation is a possibility.

Senator Poindexter, of Washington whose sister-in-law, Mrs. Jorgenson, was recently attacked while walking along a much-frequented street, is said to be giving the subject attention.

Not only Senator Poindexter, but other Senators are giving thought to the matter. Just what course it will take is not yet settled. It is learned that members of Congress are getting information that there have been a number of such attacks recently which apparently have been kept more or less under cover.

It will not be surprising if a resolution is put into the Senate soon calling for full information from the district Commissioners about the prevalence of crime in Washington.

One Senator calls attention to the fact that S. S. McClure had presented figures to show that murders in

Washington had increased from ten in 1902 to thirty in 1912. He said this was unusual as compared with other cities. Even in London, he pointed out, there were but twenty murders last year and it has 7,000,000 people. This a well-known fact that Washington has been a rookery for vicious negroes since the days of the Freedmen's Bureau, and the increasing number of attacks on white women will doubtless cause drastic action on the part of Congress.

The confessions of the Wall street "wolf" don't hold a candle to the statements of a London suraette who posed as a dutiful wife, during the daytime and a leader of the arson squad at night.

As long as those New York gunmen must be shooting somebody it's just as well that they practice on each other.

The barber who hanged himself because his wife objected to his belief in socialism did two good things at once. He gave his wife a chance to marry somebody more rational and spoiled a socialist vote.

COMING EXCURSION.

Enjoyable Time Anticipated by Elks' Dancing Club, July 22nd.

One of the best family picnics or all day outings promised this season is the one to be given by the Elks' Dancing Club, Tuesday, July 22nd, 1913, on the steamer St. Johns, to Colonial Beach. The Elks' Dancing Club do things right. They have chartered the steamer St. Johns for the above date, and in addition to the usual attractions found at Colonial Beach, they have engaged Prof. Leon Cohen's Orchestra, and music and dancing will be enjoyed on the boat going and returning.

Tickets must be secured from the committee or at the following stores:

E. Warfield, Jr., drug store, King and Pitt streets, R. Gibson's drug store, King and Alfred streets, Star Clothing House, 410 King street, J. Kaufmann, 402 King street, C. Allen drug store, Columbus and Princess streets, Marshall's Shoe Store, 422 King street, Simpson Shoe Store, 104 N. Royal street, John Matton, 531 S. Fairfax street.

If you think of going to Colonial Beach wait and go with us and have a "Sure Nuff" good time.

ELKS' DANCING CLUB.

BARGAINS OF A LIFETIME.

Owing to the death of John A. Marshall, the business of the firm will be conducted by me as surviving partner. The affairs will have to be settled, no matter what the sacrifice. Knowing full well that it will take considerable time to close this matter by even getting cost prices of our goods, I have determined, in order to settle quickly, to sacrifice everything. It is impossible to enumerate the immense stock, but a few will suffice to interest those who would like to get something for actually nothing. The sale will begin tomorrow, July 12th, and will continue throughout the week. To interest the people we will mention a few of the many bargains:

Broken lot Men's \$4 and \$5 low Shoes and oxfords, for \$1.50.

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Children's oxfords that sold for \$1.00, \$1.25, and \$1.50, to be sold at 50 cents a pair.

Men's oxfords, which we never sold for less than \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00, will go for 75 cents a pair.

100 pairs of misses and children's white canvas pumps and oxfords, a few slightly soiled, will be sold for 25 cents a pair.

In conclusion, I want to ask my friends to assist me in settling the affairs of the firm promptly, and the best way I can suggest is by closing their accounts. I will gratefully appreciate their co-operation in this matter.

CHAS. B. MARSHALL.

A. M. Bowman Critically Ill.

Salem, Va., July 11.—A. M. Bowman, who has been for 12 years the representative from Roanoke county in the State Legislature, and who is now chairman of the House Finance Committee, and a member of the Tax Commission, is ill at his home here, and his family have made it known that on account of his critical condition he will not be a candidate for re-election.

At a special meeting of the county Democratic Committee, notice was given that Colonel's Bowman's successor will be selected at the regular State primary on August 5, and it is generally conceded that the honor will fall upon Mr. O. L. Stearnes, brother of State Superintendent of Public Instruction R. C. Stearnes, of Richmond.

COLLECTORSHIP FIGHT.

Curtis, of Newport News, and Hamilton, of Norfolk, Principal Contenders.

Washington, July 11.—It is learned that the fight for the collectorship of the Virginia customs district will open up in earnest in Washington within the next two or three weeks. The appointment of a Democrat to succeed Floyd Hughes, a Republican, collector at Norfolk, will be made, it is understood, before many days.

In fact, the report is current in Washington that Collector Hughes will shortly resign in order to give his entire time to the practice of law.

Mr. Hughes, it is said, has a law practice which pays him \$10,000 a year. The collectorship carries a salary of \$5,000. Under the recent ruling of the Treasury Department a collector is called upon to give his entire time to his official duties. According to the talk here Mr. Hughes is unwilling to do this as it would involve the sacrifice of a law practice that is far more remunerative.

It is also pointed out that under final reorganization plans of the custom service, which were approved and put into operation by Secretary McAdoo, July 1, the collectorship of the Virginia district became a new job, and Collector Hughes, of Norfolk, did not fall heir to it. The reorganization plan made Norfolk and Newport News joint headquarters of the Virginia district. The plan, as first interpreted by the treasury officials, designated Norfolk as headquarters, in which event Mr. Hughes would have become collector of the Virginia district until his term as Norfolk collector expires. But when Secretary McAdoo held that Norfolk-Newport News jointly are the headquarters, Norfolk lost its sole claim of retaining the collectorship and the job became a state-wide office.

It is understood that the Treasury officials, under the ruling of Secretary McAdoo that the two Hampton Roads cities shall constitute jointly the headquarters, hold that the appointment is one which can be filled by a Virginian no matter from what section of the state he may hail. And that it will be required of him he must reside in Norfolk or Newport News so as to give his office hours between the two cities. A man from Bristol, Richmond, the Valley, or the south side, is eligible for the appointment.

There are now three active candidates in the field for the appointment. They are Norman R. Hamilton, of Norfolk, who has the support of Congressman Holland and Wilson, Senator Swanson and probably Senator Martin and business interests in Norfolk and Richmond; Captain Curtis, of Newport News, who is being supported by Congressman Jones, Montague and Glass; and R. W. Perkins, of Newport News, who is backed by Richard Evelyn Byrd, the Wilson manager in Virginia.

Bailey Respited.

Benjamin Bailey, convicted at the May term of the Circuit Court for Fairfax county and sentenced to die in the electric chair at the Richmond Penitentiary, has been given a respite by Governor Mann until August eighth. The respite was granted by the Governor because he desired to make further investigation into the mental condition of the prisoner.

Samuel H. Hunt, Auctioneer.

By virtue of a deed of trust by Lillie E. Moore and her husband to the undersigned trustees, bearing date the 31st day of August, 1909, and duly of record in the land records of the City of Alexandria, Va., in Deed Book No. 58, Page 549, and by the direction of the Board of Directors of the German Co-Operative Building Association, No. 5, of Alexandria, Va., default having been made in the payment of the sum secured in the said deed of trust, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale, at public auction, on

SATURDAY, 26th Day of July, 1913.

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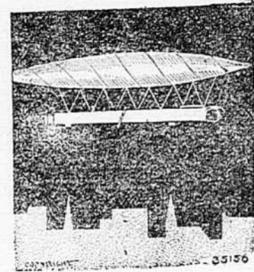
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