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DISTRICT BREVITIES.

The Weather To-Day.

For the Middle Atlantic states, fair weather, westerly backing to southerly winds, stationary or higher temperature, followed by falling barometer.

For Washington, 1 a. m.—Fair weather, with slight change in temperature.

The following were the thermometric readings yesterday: 7 a. m., 26°; 11 a. m., 42°; 3 p. m., 50°; 7 p. m., 40°; 11 p. m., 38°; maximum, 58.1°; minimum, 27.4°.

Prominent Arrivals.

WILLARD'S.—J. H. Hagee, Colorado; S. Deekmas, New York; G. Chillingworth, Liverpool; E. Chillingworth, Liverpool; W. J. Sutherland, Nevada; C. P. Ewert, Philadelphia; B. Talmage, New York; J. W. Hinson, New York; T. W. Davis, Pittsburg; W. Pine, New York; W. E. Ledlow, Sandusky; T. S. Noonan Tiffin, Ohio; J. D. Burrows, Wisconsin; A. G. Beer, New York; P. L. Yeers, Philadelphia; E. R. Scott, Philadelphia; S. M. Harris, New York; T. W. Bakewell, Pittsburg; G. Pozzenburg, New York; Henry B. Kelly, New Orleans.

NATIONAL.—D. T. Little, Springfield, Ill.; J. M. Andrews, jr., Saratoga Springs; J. J. Fleetwood, Denver, Col.; E. L. McGill, Lockport, N. Y.; F. W. Clemons, Palmyra, N. Y.; H. D. Prince, Galveston, Tex.; W. C. Underwood, Kentucky; W. H. Greenwell, Rochester; J. B. Kenner, Huntington, Ind.; Frank C. Garrison, New York.

ST. JAMES.—N. B. Noland, Colorado; Charles W. Beach, Arizona; J. T. Sauer, New York; George Lowe, Brooklyn, N. Y.; C. R. Doyle, Dallas, Tex.; James R. Boyd, New York; William S. Morton, Scotland.

METROPOLITAN.—D. Bennett, Lexington, Ky.; William C. Alberger, New York; William Thompson, Texas; A. Moffitt, England; Julius L. Brown, Georgia; L. Foss, California; I. O. Griffin, Chicago.

RIGGS.—C. F. Brush, Cleveland; J. I. Lane, A. G. Wetherington, Philadelphia; F. Wesenberg, Baltimore; Ralph Ely, L. A. Parkhurst, Boston; H. M. Sibley, New York; S. L. Barney, Chicago.

ST. MARC.—F. C. Tyler, Denver, Col.; James A. Bayard, Delaware; T. V. Rhodes, Baltimore, Md.; J. P. Tulyen, Kentucky; D. H. Holmes, Texas.

ARLINGTON.—W. J. Cushing, Brooklyn; George W. Thompson, West Virginia; Lewis Baker, Wheeling, W.V.; B. A. Gansbill, New York.

WORMLEY'S.—D. L. Haskell, New York; Brinton Coxe, Dr. W. W. Van Valzah, Philadelphia.

WELCKER'S.—B. Golly, New Orleans.

You can publish a three-line advertisement of "Wanted," "For Rent," "For Sale," or "Lost," three times for twenty-five cents in THE REPUBLICAN.

Evangelist Chapter, Rose Croix, will hold its regular monthly meeting at Scottish Rite Hall Wednesday evening.

The first german of the Capitol Hill German Club will be held at the residence of Miss Parker, Grant Row, on December 30.

Mr. J. Ambler Smith has opened a law office in Richmond, Va., but will not change his residence to that city, as has been stated in the press.

James Bellew, bookseller, 711 Seventh street, has our thanks for a copy of the *Youth's Cabinet*, a new illustrated Catholic monthly for young people.

Oscar Eisenbeiss, a little boy living at the corner of Third and H streets northwest, was choked to death Saturday by the lodgment of a nut kernel in his throat.

The Leisure Hour Club, one of our leading literary organizations, has reorganized for the winter, and will meet at Miss Emery's, on I street, during the holidays.

The Washington Light Guard are busy making arrangements for their fair to be held at Masonic Hall toward the last of January. It promises to be a grand affair.

At a raffle for a gold watch held at Petersen's, corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Four-and-a-half street, Saturday evening Johnny Petersen came out the winner.

What have we here? It is a Young Man who wears a yellow Ulster and a High Collar. Does he smoke Cigarettes? Yes. Let us all take a kick at him.—*Sam. Kinsley.*

The wedding of Mr. William H. Whittlesey to Miss Mollie M. Richards, one of the belles of south Washington, will take place to-morrow evening at St. Dominic's Church.

Columbia Conclave No. 11, Improved Order Heptasophs, will make it pleasant for all that favor them with a call at Odd-Fellows' Hall on the 21st, 22d, and 23d instant.

Hatching chickens artificially by two mammoth incubators, with capacity for 4,000 eggs, can be witnessed on and after December 23, from ten a. m. to five p. m., at 314 Pennsylvania avenue.

Mr. Charles G. Godfrey, who has recently been dangerously ill at his residence at the Gresson House, is so much improved in health from his Decoration that he is nearly convalescent.

Mr. Joseph Holston, one of the head clerks in Gulnip, Day & Co.'s store, while alighting from a carriage Friday evening, dislocated his left ankle so bad that amputation is thought to be necessary.

Cards are out for the wedding of Mr. Melville H. Howard, of the Adjutant-General's Office, and Miss Sallalume M. Holmes, of this city, which will take place at St. John's Church, Wednesday evening.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Mr. Henry N. Boerstein to Miss Lottie M. Schlegel, the marriage being set for Wednesday evening, at the Memorial Church Chapel, corner Fifth and F streets.

A handsome team of horses, reported to belong to Paymaster Smith, of the Interior Department, ran away on Pennsylvania avenue Saturday and demolished the carriage to which they were attached.

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday as follows: French Johnson, Charles County, Maryland, and Georgianna Mack, of St. Mary's County, Maryland; Thomas Nichols and Rachael A. Smith, both of this city.

J. V. N. Huyck, real estate agent, has sold a lot opposite the Arlington Hotel, 25 by 80 feet, improved by the frame house No. 815 Vermont avenue, for James B. Drury, esq., to Dr. G. Lloyd Magruder, for $6,000 cash.

The jewelry store at 1514 Fourteenth street was entered Saturday morning while the proprietor was at breakfast and robbed of six gold and silver watches. The thief made good his escape with the stolen property.

Mr. Harry Barr, agent of Odd-Fellows' Hall, was taken very ill with spasms while attending to his duties at the hall about two o'clock Saturday afternoon, and removed to his home, on O street, between Ninth and Tenth streets.

The Deshaways held another rousing meeting at Lincoln Hall last night. The attendance was large and many signed the pledge. Remarks were made by Mr. H. B. Monton, Mrs. Dr. Bland, Mr. Ed. Humphries, and Colonel Granger.

A new waltz, which is said to be a very brilliant composition, is just out, entitled "La Reve d' Amour" (The Dream of Love), and is having a brisk sale at Ellis & Co.'s. Its author, Mr. Derring Fosdick, is a well-known favorite in Washington social circles.

Columbia Commandery No. 2 has elected D. B. Alnger eminent commander; A. T. Longley, generalissimo; John Wilson, captain-general; J. C. Allen, prelate; J. F. Allen, senior warden; J. C. Chamberlain, junior warden; William Pettis, recorder; J. K. Rodinson, warden; Dr. C. M. Ford, trustee.

The alarm from box 234 at 1:45 Saturday afternoon was caused by a fire in the house occupied by Mr. R. C. Douglas, on Rhode Island avenue, near Fourteenth street. The building was entirely destroyed. The loss is not known. Mr. Joseph Parrish, foreman of No. 1 engine, was badly cut in the hand while at work with his men.

It seems that the item in Saturday's REPUBLICAN in reference to the transfer of Rev. F. E. Boyle, of St. Matthew's Church, was based upon wrong information, as that gentleman says there is no truth in the rumor that Father Brodderick, of Elk Ridge Landing, is to be transferred to the pastorate now occupied by him. This will be welcome news to the many friends of Father Boyle in this city who would be loth to part from a priest who has been so zealous and untiring in his efforts for the welfare of the church in this District.

Injustice to the Typos.

The whole time lost by the Government Printing Office employees during the Garfield obsequies was six and a half days. Judge Lawrence has decided that the hands are entitled to pay for four and a half days. Public Printer Defrees insinuates that the employees would not dare to ask for pay upon the day President Garfield was buried, although himself and all foremen and assistants in the Government Printing Office, as well as salaried officials elsewhere, received full time. Now, after the Comptroller has decided that the employees are entitled to four and a half days, Mr. Defrees further decides that he will pay but three and a half days, adding that he will not pay for the day after the President died, as the office was closed by his chief clerk, he (Mr. Defrees) being absent at Berkeley Springs, W. Va. All the pay-rolls are now made out upon this basis; yet the employees are made to await Mr. Defrees' pleasure before receiving the small amount to be allowed them. It is difficult to see why the employees should be discriminated against, while all others received full time, and it is also difficult to see where Mr. Defrees gets his authority from to go behind the Comptroller's decision and lop off another day. The hands at the Government Printing Office are justly indignant at this treatment.

Chivalry Not Dead.

It was an Avenue car, not over crowded. A huge, selfish lout in the corner spread himself over space enough for two and looked the hog he was. A negro bishop, burly, black, and eloquent, entered with his wife. There was room for the woman, but the hog would not stir. A young Irishman, a well-known Land Leaguer, suggested that room be made for the "lady." The lout said, quite audibly, he wouldn't make room for a "nigger." Thereupon the Irishman's ire arose. With flashing eye he gave the black woman his seat, and then sat hard down in the narrow space between the lout and black woman, while the crowded car, amid the applause of the passengers and the discomfiture of the horse-car hog, jogged on. "Fourteenth street! Change cars!"

The Book of Genesis.

Dr. Richardson delivered the third lecture in his course on the Book of Genesis at McKendree Chapel last night to a large congregation. Taking his text from the fifteenth verse, second chapter: "The Lord God took the man and put him into the garden of Eden, to dress it and keep it." Dr. Richardson showed that the creation of Adam was but the logical conclusion of the Creator's work, that having a perfect system and directing all things to one end He finally produced the greatest of all His works—man—in the image of God. The name Adam is identical with the Hebrew word earth, and it is significant of his coming fate. Adam belonged to the earth. Eden was not to be his future paradise, but merely his stopping place for the time being.

The Typos' Election.

The result of the annual election of Columbia Typographical Union was announced at its regular monthly meeting on Saturday night, and the "knowing ones" were somewhat surprised at the decisive majorities of the victorious candidates. The following is the individual vote: For president, W. H. Sweeney, 563; vice-president, W. H. Hickman, 461; G. H. Preston, 74; financial secretary, H. R. Gray, 582; recording secretary, Adrian M. Jones, 347; treasurer, W. L. Jones, 347; F. C. O'Neill, 292; sergeant-at-arms, P. H. Smith, 374; J. A. Gosnick, 159; trustee, H. G. Ellis, 329; delegates to International Typographical Union to meet at St. Louis in June next, Oliver Shaw, 386; W. A. Bodge, 365; W. Blakes, 273; J. E. Keefe, 272; Jos. T. Taylor, 129.

CHRISTMAS GOODS.

Where to Buy Them—Some of the Novelties of the Year.

GEORGE C. HENNING,

"the one-price clothier," is an artist in his line, and may always be relied upon to give the purchaser the value of his money at "rock-bottom prices." He shows some of the choicest products from the most renowned looms both in this country and Europe, all made and finished in a style that reflects credit on his taste.

M. W. BEVERIDGE'S

stock of fine French china and Dresden and Chinese vases cannot be surpassed in this city. The styles they show in decorated dinner, tea, and toilet sets, from the best English and French makers, is large and varied, and includes many novelties never before seen. He shows several choice varieties of plaques, "after-dinner coffees," and plated ware, which are all well worthy of a visit.

M. WILLIAN

has established for himself a big reputation in this city, and is always careful to maintain it. Besides his large stock of laces and lace goods, which always may be found on his counters, can be seen some exquisite dolmans, paletots, jackets, suits, children's and misses' cloaks. Of course fur trimming in every style and variety is eagerly sought for just now, and Mr. Willian shows everything that can be wished for in that direction. Call and be convinced.

HARRIS & SCHAFER'S

stock was never so complete as it is to-day, and the prices at which they offer their goods are exceedingly moderate. Their display of fine jewelry, diamonds, silver and plated sets, ivory table cutlery, Joseph Rodgers' best English tableware, ice pitchers, and butter-dishes is very fine and could hardly be excelled in New York city. Their line of French clocks, brass sconces, mirrors, and the famous Le Maire opera-glasses in all the latest styles is very extensive.

FAIRBROTHER & DAVIS,

1428 New York avenue, have several "jobs" that are perfectly wonderful. We won't anticipate, as the novelists say, and give prices—people must see for themselves—but merely mention hemstitched linen handkerchiefs with colored borders, black French lace hats, new shapes of ladies' linen collars, stocking top silk and fleece gloves, zephyr mittens, and, of course, a large line of such standard articles as black and colored silks, cashmeres, and all other dress stuffs.

TYLER & CHEWNING.

The members of this firm are practical business men, and know all the details connected with their particular line of trade. Whenever, therefore, they make a purchase they always get the value of their money and secure such articles as their long experience leads them to infer will be most acceptable to their patrons. Their stock of mantlas for ladies' party and reception dresses embraces everything that can be wished for, both domestic and foreign. They are also showing an elegant line of silk and satin brocades at prices ridiculously low, that will well repay looking over. Their silk handkerchief department is one of the most attractive in the store.

J. B. FRICE, JR.,

at his stores on F street, opposite the Ebbitt house, and on the Avenue, near Fourteenth street, makes a splendid display. At night the store on F street is illuminated with a calcium light, which illuminates the interior with the brilliancy of noonday. A new fan and glove set, instead of the old glove and handkerchief case, is very pretty, while some of the other sets are highly elaborate. Some of the photograph albums have musical boxes concealed in their innermost recesses and play three or four tunes. Ladies' shopping bags in plush, leather, &c., are very useful and convenient articles. Mr. Frey's stock of Xmas cards is very large, and are from the leading English and American makers.

W. H. MORRISON

requires two floors to carry his immense stock, so the public can imagine he has a considerable variety. One of the most charming novelties of the season is an album covered with undyed seal, with a watch (a real watch) set in the centre. Mr. Morrison says that he has never before seen such a splendid variety or celebrity books as this year. He has some beautiful works, and they will delight adults as well as children, the humor is so quaint and the pictures so good. The many new designs in olive and sandal wood, such as date-cases, paper-knives, inkstands, and postage-stamp boxes, are very tasteful. On the upper floor may be found some very pretty Christmas-tree ornaments and German favors. The variety of leather goods, musical-boxes and opera-glasses, is endless.

TAYLOR & HUFTY

show an immense assortment of beautiful and elegant goods, ranging in price from $2 to $200. In jewel cases, odor cases, glove and handkerchief sets, and toilet sets in silk, satin, Russia leather, and the new Zebra-striped goods, their display is simply grand. Some of the cases have delicately hand-painted sketches on them and are perfect little works of art. Bronze nickacks, such as inkstands, card receivers, paper-knives, candle holders, and all those little trinkets which do so much to adorn and beautify a room, are here to be found in great profusion. A novelty in the shape of card receivers in basket form, lined in plush and embroidered satin, are very elegant. Bon-bon boxes in the form of tubs lined with delicate shades of blue and pink satin and hand painted, purses in gilt and leather in many new shapes, French *bleau* and terra cotta figures, painted *sanchet* cases, silk, satin, and lace tidies, and hand-painted sachets formed such a brilliant array that it seemed almost impossible to choose among this bewildering array of beautiful objects. The fan counter is probably the most attractive in the whole store. Besides the ordinary feather, tortoise-shell, and satin-painted fans are the new screen fans, which are very elegant. The lily of the valley fan represents a lily set in black satin, edged with feathers, and forms a very handsome addition to a lady's toilette. The assortment of dolls will gratify any child, and if any child has a surplus of dolls her "parents or guardians" cannot do better than buy her a doll's *trousseau* and make her bless Christmas tide.

COURTESY ACKNOWLEDGED.

Handsome Letter from Governor Long, of Massachusetts, to Colonel W. G. Moore.

During the centennial ceremonies Governor Long, of Massachusetts, on his way to Yorktown, passed through Washington, accompanied by his staff, the executive council, and the First Corps of Cadets, which was his military escort, which is the position of that organization for the past hundred years. The Governor and those who accompanied him were received and entertained on their arrival here by the Washington Light Infantry, and in recognition of their courtesy on that occasion Colonel Moore yesterday received the following letter, which fully shows how the attention of our Washington boys was appreciated:

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
BOSTON, Dec. 15, 1881.

Colonel W. G. MOORE, commanding Washington Light Infantry Corps, Washington, D. C.:

MY DEAR COLONEL: Before the year closes I desire to express my thanks to you and to the Corps you command for the great courtesy it did Massachusetts on the 19th day of October last in escorting me and the civil and military bodies accompanying me on our journey to the centennial celebration at Yorktown. Let me add my own personal regards. Yours, very truly, JOHN D. LONG.

Congressman Smith's Sermon.

Congressman J. Hyatt Smith occupied the pulpit of the Metropolitan Church yesterday morning and delivered an eloquent discourse on the text "As one star differs from another," &c. The sermon was a practical presentation, and the preacher's plain and practical manner held the attention of the audience throughout. There was a large congregation present, and at its close many remained behind to greet the reverend gentleman.

Y. M. C. A. Free Lectures.

The third lecture to young men, under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association, will be delivered this evening, in the association chapel, 504 E street, by R. S. Bryan, esq., secretary of the late Polaris expedition. The lecture cannot fail to be interesting, as Mr. Bryan is a pleasing speaker, and was an eye-witness of the wonderful experience of the Arctic voyage. Tickets free at the secretary's desk.

Polo at the Rink.

Another interesting contest between rival teams of the Washington Polo Club will take place at the rink to-night. It is safe to predict that there will be a large and fashionable audience present, as the contestants number many friends among society people, and of course the fair sex will watch with interest to see the display of their champion's prowess.

The Fisher Children Murderess.

Christiana Taylor, the old colored woman who so brutally murdered the two little Fisher children last August, was arraigned in the Criminal Court Saturday to answer to the indictment for murder. In answer she said: "I am not guilty at all. I never did any murder in my life and never thought of it."

More Police Wanted.

A correspondent complains of the inadequate police forces in the northwestern section of the city, and states that there are only two policemen from Seventh to Tenth and from Boundary to P streets, and two from Tenth to Fourteenth streets from Boundary to P street.

LOCAL MENTION.

A LIFE-LONG benefaction—a scholarship in the Spencerian Business College as a Christmas or New Year's present.

JAMES H. MCGILL, No. 1421 New York avenue, near the Treasury, has just received the finest collection of Minton's English decorated tiles ever brought to Washington. Call and see them. They are handsome in design, brilliant in coloring, and many of them are novel, cheap, and very suitable for Christmas presents.

For the Holidays.

We are offering a line of overcoats and ulsterettes which cannot fail to please. Eiseman Brothers, corner of Seventh and E streets.

The Balance of This Month

our store will be open for business until nine p. m. Eiseman Brothers, Clothiers and Tailors, corner of Seventh and E streets.

Surprise Your Boys

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Woman's Christian Association for the election of officers for the ensuing year will be held at the "Home," Thirteenth street, between R and S streets, on TUESDAY, DECEMBER 20, at 4 p. m. A full attendance of the members is desired. By order of the board. MRS. C. A. WEED, Secretary. de19-2t

PROFESSOR ADOLPH MAURER, 746 Sixth street northwest, gives lessons on Zither and Violin, and can be engaged to play at parties or receptions. de19-MWF3t*

OFFICE OF FIREMEN'S INSURANCE Company of Washington and Georgetown, Room No. 1, over Bank of Washington, Washington, D. C., December 17, 1881. The stockholders of the Firemen's Insurance Company of Washington and Georgetown will meet at this office on MONDAY, January 2, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 12 m., for the purpose of electing thirteen directors for the ensuing year. C. W. HOWARD, de17 to jan1 Secretary.

JAMES H. MCGILL, NO. 1421 NEW YORK avenue, near the Treasury, has just received the finest collection of Minton's English Decorated Tiles ever brought to Washington. Call and see them. They are handsome in design, brilliant in coloring, and many of them are novel, cheap, and very suitable for Christmas presents. de18-3t

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.—The copartnership of Compton & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. John Pope, of Rockbridge, Va., retiring. The business hereafter will be conducted by James Compton, who assumes all liabilities, and is authorized to collect the debts of the late firm. JAMES COMPTON, JOHN POPE. de19-3t

HOLIDAY GOODS—PLAIN, RICHLY-cut, and Engraved Bottles; Cologne Cases, in Plush and Russia Leather, at Dolin's drug store, cor. Fifteenth st. and New York ave. n. w. de17-3t

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES.

There will be a public meeting of the "Associated Charities of the District of Columbia," on MONDAY EVENING, December 19, at 8 o'clock, in the parlors of the Spencerian Business College (corner Ninth and D streets northwest), to which all persons interested in improving the system of charities in the District are invited.

JOSIAH DENT, President.
L. S. EMERY, Secretary. de17-2t

OFFICE OF THE WATER REGISTRAR, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, WASHINGTON, Dec. 15, 1881.

Watertakers are hereby notified that water rents will be due on JANUARY 1, 1882, and unless paid within thirty days from that date the law authorizes the water to be cut off from premises and the penalty of $5 added to the bill. THOS. G. COX, de19 2aud Water Registrar.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF TRUSTEES by the stockholders of the National Metropolitan Fire Insurance Company, District of Columbia, will be held on the SECOND MONDAY OF JANUARY, 1882, at the office of the Company, 510 Market space. Polls will open at 10 o'clock a. m. and close at 2 o'clock p. m. SAM. CROSS, de12-3d Secretary.

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S. L. ODLUM & CO., CORCORAN BUILDING, SOLICITORS OF CLAIMS before Congress and the Departments. de2-2m

OFFICE NATIONAL REPUBLICAN, WASHINGTON, Dec. 1, 1881.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of THE NATIONAL REPUBLICAN Printing and Publishing Company for the election of seven trustees, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the company on SATURDAY, December 24, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 m. LEWIS CLEPHANE, de2-3td Secretary.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE MUTUAL FIRE INS. CO. OF D. C., WASHINGTON, Nov. 30, 1881.

Policy-holders are hereby notified to renew their insurance on or before the last MONDAY in December, 1881, for the year 1882. Please attend to your renewals before the last few days, and thus avoid the crowd.

On account of reduced expenses and the condition of the business of the company for the present year, the new President recommended to the Managers at their last meeting that the rate of interest on the premium notes be reduced to one (1) per cent. on all renewals for the next year, which recommendation was approved by the Board, thus making a reduction of 33⅓ per cent. on the rate paid last year. de2-2t J. WESLEY BOTELER, Secretary.

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