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GEORGETOWN GRADUATES.

Half a Score More Physicians Launched Upon the Community.

The thirty-sixth annual commencement of the medical department of the University of Georgetown was held in the new university hall yesterday afternoon. The hall is not yet finished, but was decorated in such a manner as to hide the uncompleted work. There was an unusually large attendance of the friends of the graduates and the institution.

The degrees were conferred by Rev. James A. Doonan, S. J., president of the university, on the following graduates: Charles R. Luce, New York, doctor of pharmacy; John J. Stafford, Maryland, doctor of pharmacy; J. Dudley Morgan, District of Columbia, bachelor of arts; John C. Bossidy, Massachusetts, bachelor of arts; G. Henry Wagner, New York; R. E. Henning, District of Columbia; Frank T. Chamberlain, New Hampshire; Edwin Buchanan, Virginia; Joseph S. F. Sessford, District of Columbia; T. Archibald Taylor, Scotland; S. B. Muncaster, Maryland, D. D. S.

Dr. J. Dudley Morgan delivered the valedictory, Prof. Frank Baker, M. D., the address to the graduates, and Prof. Joseph Taber Johnson, M. D., made the presentation of the prizes.

There were two prizes offered—one for the best general examination and the other for the best examination in physiology, and both were secured by Charles R. Luce, of New York. Messrs. John J. Stafford, J. Dudley Morgan, and G. Henry Wagner were honorably mentioned.

THE Chinese say a large nose indicates shrewdness, but we say a red nose and a barking cough indicates the need of a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup.

The Caustin Estate and the French Claim.

The estate of J. H. Caustin was before the probate court yesterday, and received considerable attention. When Mr. Caustin died the heirs transferred his papers, among which were those in relation to the French spoliation claims, to Mr. John T. Pickett, and they were subsequently intrusted to Mr. William E. Earle, when the act of Congress was passed which greatly increased their value. The purpose of coming before the court yesterday was to reach some understanding by which it should be definitely known what proportion of fees Mr. Earle received, and came from the use of the papers in regard to the spoliation claims, should go to the Caustin estate. The attorneys appearing for the different interests—and there was quite a number of them—finally agreed to enter into a contract that for the use of the papers in prosecution of the claims Mr. Earle should pay the estate 25 per cent. of what he received as fees, and give security that he will pay over the amount as the cases are decided. The contract is to continue on it all the cases are disposed of. Justice Hagner told the attorneys to prepare their contract with Mr. Earle, and, when acceptable to all interested, he would direct the administrator, Mr. Waggaman, to enter into it with Mr. Earle. There seems to be no definite idea of the number of claims to be presented, but Mr. Earle stated in court yesterday that he knew of over 1,700. He did not know how long it would take to dispose of them, but he did not think ten years hence would find them all settled.

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Duplicate Birthday Donations.

Mr. Oscar Robert, the artist, who lives in the northern part of the city, possesses, besides many excellent qualities, several daughters, one of whom, but recently nudded into womanhood, celebrated her birthday on Monday. The kind father bethought himself a few evenings ago of this pleasant family occurrence, and of the often expressed wish of his charming offspring to possess a fine watch, and excusing himself to his better half, he left the house in company with a trusted friend to purchase the coveted article for a birthday gift. About an hour later the two were just turning the corner of Seventh and E streets when they met the artist's spouse coming hurriedly from an opposite direction, evidently embarrassed at the unexpected meeting, and saying that she, too, had neglected some errand. Returning home after spending the evening together the confiding couple had no questions to ask each other as to the nature of the business that took them down town. On Sunday evening, however, the presents for the fair celebrant were brought out, and on comparing notes the husband and wife found that their great minds had been running in the same channel, and that both had bought handsome gold watches. The daughter received only one, however, the next morning, it being agreed that the matter should be kept quiet; but the friend told a reporter, and that is how it got out.

Commissioner Edmonds's Term.

Senator Harris, who helped to frame the law fixing the official terms of District commissioners, says in regard to it that the Senate District committee provided that the first commissioners should be appointed for one and two years, respectively, and that the next appointments should be for three years each. The object was to so arrange it as to have one year elapse between the expiration of the terms of the two civilian commissioners; to prevent the terms of both expiring at the same time. He says that it does not make any difference whether Maj. Morgan's original appointment was permitted to carry him over into a new term or not. He could only have been legally appointed in November, 1879, to fill out the remaining portion of Mr. Phelps's term, and every day that he held the office after the expiration of that term he was simply holding over until his successor should be appointed and qualified.

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Col. Pat Donan's Opinion.

"With the exception of a few special excursion trains," said Col. Pat Donan, the other day, "the finest train I have ever seen is the famous Pennsylvania limited express between New York and Chicago. But you can a Dakota Christian, who is deadheaded everywhere else, whose free patronage is striven for by all other lines and trains, has to 'ante up' full fare and a premium to ride on this fleet, most aristocratic, most impassable train in creation."

Light Sentence for a Homicide.

The trial of J. T. Downey, indicted for the killing of J. T. Burnett, was re-opened in the Alexandria corporation court yesterday, the closing argument for the commonwealth having been ended. The case was given to the jury at 11:45. After being out two hours and a half they returned a verdict of involuntary manslaughter, fixing him $500. The prisoner was congratulated by the judge upon his light sentence.

The Mountain and Mahomet.

Dr. C. S. Verdi, in answer to his complaint of danger by fire, by proximity of woodyard and other structures, has been informed that as no cause existed before the complainant purchased his property, and after careful examination, the commissioners find no ground for interference in the matter.

End of a Diplomatic Scandal.

Mr. De Castro has severed his connection with the Venezuelan legation. It is said that this action grew out of the dissatisfaction of Minister Soledo on account of the affair at Stewart Castle last winter, in which De Castro and Paul Holman participated. De Castro is said to have got a position in the consul's office in New York.

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Commodore Easby's Claim.

Commodore J. W. Easby has notified in regard to his claim for compensation for occupancy of the Easby wharf and lots in square 12, that the record shows no sufficient grounds for this claim, and the commissioners decline to admit it unless the courts determine otherwise.

THE acme of medicine, Salvation Oil. All druggists sell it at 25 cents a bottle.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Wormley's—C. W. Betts, New York; W. H. McClum, Albany, N. Y.; and J. W. Wheelwright, Boston.

Willard's—John Worthy, Chicago; Gen. Jno. Heuston, San Francisco; Henry G. Carlton, New York, and W. M. Camp, Philadelphia.

Riggs—Hon. Casey Young, Tennessee; J. E. Allen, Providence, R. I.; W. H. Cook, Trenton, N. J.; A. H. Spencer and Henry D. Dupee, Boston.

Arlington—Charles Schlessenberger, New York; Charles E. Grant, Ayrcshire, Scotland; Col. N. G. Osborn, New Haven, and Charles H. Denison, Brooklyn.

National—A. J. Todd, New York; H. R. Stevens, Cleveland, Ohio; Samuel Watson, Virginia; B. J. Baker, West Virginia; Augustus Reel, Harrisburg, Pa.

Metropolitan—George Hillyer and son, Atlanta, Ga.; Maj. Henry J. Rogers, New York; Henry E. Cobb and Charles H. Cobb, Boston, Mass.; L. T. Myers, Richmond, Va.

St. James—L. G. Hobbs, Chicago; A. J. Dunton, Rutland, Vt.; P. H. Dolan, New York city; J. L. Hinds, wife, and child, Charles E. Stearns, William Taylor and wife, New York; Hon. John Callahan, Virginia; J. L. McCutchen and wife, Pittsburg, Pa.; Dr. H. Avery, Minnesota.

Ebbitt—Hon. Eppa Hunton, Virginia; Capt. Frank M. Howe and wife, Col. Charles H. Taylor and wife, Boston; Edward Roberts and wife, New York; George E. Hoffman and wife, Kansas City, Mo.; Hon. William Caldwell, Hon. F. Ratterman, Cincinnati; Capt. R. D. Green, Georgia; Hon. A. M. Kelley, Richmond, Va.; William Calhoun, New York; J. W. Caldwell, Knoxville, Tenn.; Charles E. Burroughs, New York.

THE BUILDING BOOM.

Some Facts and Figures of Former Years Compared With the Current One.

Building Inspector Entwisle stated yesterday to a reporter for THE REPUBLICAN that his office was overrun with applications for building permits, the majority of which were for small houses, ranging from five to eight rooms. He had never seen such a boom in this direction in all his experience, he said, and was satisfied that it was a paying investment to erect small houses. The sections most favored are East, North, and South Washington. He had never seen the like, and was pleased at the rapid strides taken in this direction. The reports of the building inspector from 1879 to 1884, inclusive, show that 12,554 permits were issued for all kinds of work under the direction of the building inspector, which includes the erection of buildings, both private and public. Several churches and public halls are also included.

The value of improvements are reported as follows for the years named: 1879, $1,735,682; 1880, $2,129,978; 1881, $1,951,970; 1882, $2,468,998; 1883, 3,331,963; 1884, $3,829,082, a total of $15,548,943. The number and value of the brick dwellings erected during these years are as follows: 1879, 470, valued at $1,306,625; 1880, 574, $1,571,682; 1881, 556, $1,534,140; 1882, 560, $1,828,443; 1883, 730, $2,374,505; 1884, 932, $3,829,682; a total of 3,822, of a value of $12,445,077.

The estimated value of improvements for 1885 so far indicate a greater amount than any heretofore, and there will be a large increase in the number of buildings erected. Some idea of the extent of the building improvements can be formed by allowing as an average twenty feet front to each building erected during the past six years, which, if built in a continuous line, would make a distance of fourteen and one-half miles, or an average of two and one-half miles per year. A talk with several prominent builders revealed the fact that no trouble was encountered with respect to the change of administration, as was at first feared. If anything, they thought that it gave an impetus to building, as far as their experience went. They were satisfied that the building boom would increase year by year, irrespective of political changes, the only thing possible as a drawback would be a financial crisis. They claim that Washington is destined to see handsomer buildings erected in the future, and that the number now built and in course of erection is only a partial index to what will be put up. Capitalists living in other cities who are drawn into investments in real estate here in time feel impelled to come on and see to things, and their visits reveal to them the social, intellectual, and other advantages of the city, and the result is they settle down here in houses more or less costly, as suit their tastes.

Death of an Old Citizen.

James. S. Magee, an old and much respected citizen, died at his residence on F street, South Washington, at 10 p. m., on the 26th instant after a confinement to his room and bed for several months. His death was due to age rather than any special disease—being a little over 83 years old, and the last of three brothers, all of whom, at the time of their deaths, were of the same age within a few months. He was born March 10, 1802, at Hadensburg, from which place he removed to Georgetown and from there to South Washington, where he continued to reside. He was one of, if not the oldest Freemason in the District, having been a charter member of Centennial lodge. He also became a member of the order of Odd Fellows in the infancy of its organization here. He remained an earnest, zealous member of both organizations, and maintained an active interest in them until the infirmities due to age precluded further attendance upon their meetings. Among his fraternal associates was B. B. French and many other Masonic celebrities of the past. And among the companions of his youth was W. W. Corcoran. He was severely, almost fatally, injured by the premature explosion of fireworks south of the white house, on the occasion of a 4th of July celebration during the administration of President Polk, after which he received an appointment on the capitol police force, having Jefferson Davis for his personal friend and supporter. About eight years ago he buried his wife, a most estimable lady and member of Grace Episcopal Church, to whose zeal and energy, supported by her husband, was due to a great extent the erection of the church building within the precess of the organization. They reared a family of one son and seven daughters, who numbered among their early friends and associates such men as Crosby and Samuel Noyes, and others who have since become honorably known in business and social circles. Two of the daughters were with him in his last hours, Mrs. Miller, of Chicago; Mrs. Judge Harris, of Nevada, and his son, a merchant of Manhattan, Kan., the other children, not being able to reach here before the closing scene of life. He will be buried from Grace Church, South Washington, where the funeral services will be held at 3 p. m., of Wednesday, 29th instant, under the direction of the Masonic Lodge of which he was a member.

The Robbery Record.

Capt. James H. Wheeler, of schooner Annie Clark, at Libbey's wharf, reports that between 10 p. m. and 6 a. m. on the 27th instant, there was stolen from the cabin of the boat a brown diagonal suit of clothes, an overcoat, a revolver, and a pair of shoes. Richard G. Davenport, 812 Eighteenth street, reports stolen from the rat rack in the hallway on the 26th instant, a bronzed and peaked hat. Thomas Beard, Davidsonville, Md., reports that on the 4th of March his pocket was picked of a silver watch.

Condemned as Dangerous.

The following buildings have been condemned and ordered to be torn down: Three wooden buildings in Cecil alley, West Washington, owned by Mrs. Annie Moran. Thirty days' time has been allowed the owner to make the removal. A shed in rear of 418 Twenty-fifth street, Messrs. Westcott & Wilcox, agents. Fifteen days have been allowed for removal.

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A Tin Whistle in Her Stomach.

The little daughter of Mr. Edward Marks, residing on G, near Ninth street southeast, while playing with a small tin whistle swallowed it, and came near choking to death, as it lodged in her throat. Dr. Roberts was called in, and forced it into her stomach, as it was impossible to reach it with instruments. It may result seriously.

Exciting Store Window Fire.

The window curtain of Auerbach's far store, 623 Pennsylvania avenue, caught fire at 7:30 p. m. yesterday. A large crowd gathered to witness the heroic manner in which one of the clerks extinguished the conflagration. A policeman, with a drawn club, stood in readiness to arrest the flames, but his assistance was not needed.

OUR druggist told us that it beats all other liniments—Salvation Oil. Price, 25 cents a bottle.

Held for Killing His Stepfather.

Coroner Patterson held an inquest at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the eighth precinct station over the remains of Alexander Betters. The jury returned a verdict that the deceased came to his death at the hands of Alfred Collins, his stepson.

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CITY ITEMS.

LIGHTNING rods practically put up. J. H. Kuehling, 419 Twelfth street northwest.

A NEW USE FOR COKE.—The success of the American make of "Linoleum" floor cloth is fully deserved. It is unexcelled for elegance in designs and colorings, suitable for all classes of dwellings, dining rooms, halls, churches, and hospitals. Interior foreign imitations are on the market, but the superiority of the American make is beyond controversy. All carpet dealers keep it.

LIGHTNING rods repaired. Electric bells. J. H. Kuehling.

A CARD.—To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, free of charge. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. Joseph T. Inman, Station D., New York city.

"ALDERNEY DAIRY WAGONS."—Fresh Alderney butter churned every morning, and delivered in ¼ pound "Ward" prints, at 40c. per pound. Also cottage cheese, 5c. per ball; buttermilk, 5c. per quart, and sweet milk at 5c. per quart.

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THE MARKETS.

Stocks Slightly Higher—Small Rise in the Price of Wheat—Quotations of Produce in the Washington Market.

NEW YORK, April 28.—To-day's stock market has been extremely dull, and has failed to develop a single feature of interest, except the strength displayed in quotations. Every effort to reduce prices has been stubbornly resisted, and the closing figures this evening are in most cases a small fraction higher than the final quotations yesterday. The strong undertone which characterizes the present market was manifest at the opening, and the highest prices of the day were generally made in the first hour, during which time over one-third of the day's business was also transacted. After a slight reaction the market became very dull and prices steady, and so continued until the close.

The only stock on the usually active list which developed any weakness was the New York Central, which fell from 90¾ down to 89¾ and closed at 89¾, a loss of ¾ per cent. Lake Shore also lost ¼ and Oregon Navigation and Omaha preferred are each ½ lower. These are the only declines.

Pacific Mail's earnings for April are corrected to-day by making the total earnings for the month on the business between New York and Aspinwall $115,000, a gain over the same month last year of $17,000, showing that the troubles on the isthmus have increased the earnings of the company.

Washington Stock Exchange Quotations.

April 27, 1885.	Bid.	Asked.
Fifty-year funding 3.65s, 1924, cur	113½	113¾
Columbia Insurance	10½	12½
Potomac Insurance	46	.....
Riggs Insurance	6½	.....
Washington & G'town bonds	115	.....
Metropolitan Railroad	85½	85¾
Columbia Railway	9½	10½
North Capitol and O street	39	42
Washington Gas Light Co...par 20	41½	42
Board of Public Works, green 6s	93	96
Washington Market Co. stock	18½	19½
Inland and Sea Coast Co. stock	10	.....
Inland and Sea Coast Co. bonds	.....	.....
Wash'n Brick Machine stock	9½	99
Real Estate Title Ins. Co	103½	104½

Baltimore Produce Market.

BALTIMORE, April 28.—Cotton dull and lower; middling, 10⅛c. Flour firm and quiet. Wheat—Southern steady; western opened firm, declined, and closed unsettled; southern red, $1.01@1.06; do. amber, $1.08@1.10; No. 1 Maryland, $1.08¼ asked; No. 2 western winter red, spot, 96¾@97¾c; April, 99⅛c asked; May, 99⅞@99¾c; June, $1.01¼@1.01⅜; July, $1.03½@1.04. Corn—Southern steady; western higher, closing dull; southern white, 56@56c; do yellow, 56@57c; western mixed, spot and May, 56¼@56¾c; June, 56¼@56⅞c. Oats firm, steady; southern, 45@48c; western white, 46@46c; do mixed, 44@44c; Pennsylvania, 43@44c. Rye higher at 78@78. Hay higher and firm; prime to choice Pennsylvania and Maryland, $21.00@22.00. Provisions steady and quiet. Sugar—Copper refined steady at 10¼@11c. Whisky steady at $1.20@1.21. Other articles unchanged.

BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET.

BALTIMORE, April 28.—Virginia sixes, consolidated, 48; past-due coupons, 51; new ten forties, 35; new threes, 49 bid to-day.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, April 28.—Flour firm and unchanged. Wheat—Aggregate trading light, with an unsettled feeling, finally closing ⅛c over yesterday. Sales ranged: April, 88¼@88⅞c, closed 88⅝c; May, 88⅞@89⅝c, closed 89⅛c; June, 91⅛@91⅝c, closed 91½c; July, 93⅛@93⅞c, closed 93⅝c. Corn—Speculative trading light, but shipping demand good. Prices ruled higher early, but fell back ⅛c, and closed about the same as yesterday: cash, 47¼@47¾c; April, 47¼@47⅛c, closed 47⅛c; May, 47⅝@47⅞c, closed 47⅝@47¾c. Oats ruled very firm, and closed ½c higher than yesterday: cash, 36c; May, 36⅛@36⅜c, closed 36⅛c; June, 36⅛@36⅜c, closed 36⅛c; July, 36⅝@36⅞c, closed 36¾c. Mess pork quiet, but steady: cash, $11.75@11.80; May, $11.72½@11.77½, closed $11.72½@11.75; June, $11.85@11.87½, closed $11.82½@11.85; July, $11.95@12.00, closed $11.95@11.97½. Lard—Market ruled quiet and unchanged: cash, $6.85@6.87½; May, $6.85@6.85½; June, $6.95@6.97½, closed $6.95; July, $7.02½. Boxed meats steady; dry salted shoulders, $4.35@4.40; short ribs, $5.90@5.92½; short clear sides, $6.30@6.35. Whisky firm at $1.15. Sugar unchanged.

Center Market Quotations.

The ruling prices for the Center market are fixed on Tuesdays and Thursdays of each week. The quotations yesterday were as follows:

BUTTER.—Best prints, 40 to 45 cents per pound; best creamery, 40 cents; fresh New York, 30 to 35 cents; roll, 25 to 30 cents. Eggs, 15 to 18 cents per dozen. Cheese, 18 to 20 cents.

POULTRY.—Spring chickens, $1 to $1.75 per pair; fowls, $1 to $2 per pair; turkeys, 18 to 20 cents per pound; squabs, 50 to 60 cents per pair.

GAME.—Ducks, $1 to $1.50 per pair; Jacksnipe, $2.50 a dozen. Frogs, $2.50 a dozen.

VEGETABLES AND FRUITS.—Old potatoes, 25 to 35 cents per peck; new potatoes, 40 to 50 per peck; apples, 40 to 60 cents per peck; asparagus, 10 to 15 cents per bunch; rhubarb, 3 to 5 cents per bunch; lettuce, 5 to 8 cents a head; cabbage, 5 to 15 cents per head; kale, 30 to 40 cents per peck; cabbage sprouts, 60 cents per peck; new onions, $1 per peck; oranges, 30 to 60 cents per dozen; spinach, 40 to 60 cents per peck; green peas, 75 to $1 per peck; turnips, 40 to 50 cents per peck; tomatoes, 15 cents per basket; cabbage sprouts, 60 cents per peck; bunch onions, 3 cents; bananas, 25 to 50 cents per dozen; pine apples, 25 to 35 cents per piece; yams, 50 cents per peck; parsnips, 30 to 40 cents per peck; string beans, 50 cents to $1 per peck; parsley, 1 cent per bunch; thyme and sage, each 5 cents per bunch; lemons, 15 to 25 cents per dozen; celery, 10 to 12 cents per bunch; new beets, 10 cents per bunch; egg plants, 15 to 25 cents per piece; dried apples, 6 cents per pound; dried peaches, from 15 to 20 cents a pound; dried cherries, 20 cents a pound; soup beans, 10 cents a quart; lima beans, 15 cents a quart; carrots, 5 cents a bunch; hominy, cooked and raw, 8 cents a quart; cymlings, 3 to 5 cents each; radishes, 5 to 8 cents a bunch; oyster plants, 5 cents per bunch; cranberries, 20 cents a quart; strawberries, 40 to 50 cents a box; cucumbers, 20 to 25 cents apiece; prunes, 10 cents a pound; pickles, 8 to 12 cents a dozen; sauerkraut, 25 cents a gallon; jellies 10 to 15 cents per pound; mince meat, 10 cents per pound; preserves, 15 cents per pound; honey, 25 cents per pound.

FISH.—Boiling rock, 15 cents per pound; halibut, 15 cents per pound; codfish, 10 cents per pound; white perch, 25 to 40 cents per bunch; pickerel, 10 cents per pound; roe shad, 75 cents per pair; smelts, 50 cents per pound; fresh mackerel, 15 to 25 cents apiece; fresh trout, 50 cents per pound; lobsters, 15 cents per pound; crabs, 25 cents per dozen; clams, 10 cents per dozen. Smoked and salted fish—smoked salmon, 20 cents per pound; salted salmon, 15 cents per pound; smoked mackerel, 5 to 8 cents apiece; dried herring, 20 to 50 cents per dozen; eels, 20 cents per pound; sturgeon, 20 cents per pound; Scotch herring, 10 cents per dozen; smoked haddock, 15 cents per pound; smoked shad, 15 cents per pound.

MEATS.—Best roast beef, 15 to 20 cents per pound; tenderloin steak, 25 cents; sirloin, 20 cents; round steak, 15 cents; tough roast, 12½ cents; corned beef, 8 to 12½ cents; lamb, 20 to 25 cents; mutton, 10 to 15 cents; mutton chops, 20 cents; veal, 10 to 20 cents; veal chops, 15 cents; veal cutlets, 20 cents; soup meats, 8 to 10 cents.

SALT MEATS.—Hams, 12½ to 15 cents per pound; hams sliced, 25 cents; shoulders, cut, 10 to 12 cents; shoulders, whole, 9 cents; breasts, 12½ to 15 cents; salt pork, 10 cents; jowls, 8 cents per pound; westphalias, 12½ cents per pound; lard, 10 cents; beef tongues, 60 to 65 cents a piece; dried beef, sliced, 25 cents per pound; dried beef, chipped, 30 cents; dried beef by the piece, 18 to 20 cents per pound.

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DIED.

HILL.—At her residence, 213½ E street northwest, at 10:45 p. m., April 27, 1885, MARY, beloved wife of Joseph H. Hill, in her 31st year.

Funeral from her late residence, Wednesday morning, April 29, at 9:30. Requiem mass at St. Aloysius Church at 10 o'clock.

BRESNAHAN.—Tuesday, April 28, 4 p. m., JANE, beloved wife of Cornelius Bresnahan, aged 28 years.

Notice of funeral in *Evening Star*.

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THE COURT RECORD.

Business Transacted by the District Judiciary Yesterday.

Court in General Term—Chief Justice Cartter and Justices Wylie and James.—Waltham Granite Company vs. Chandler; decree signed. In re Charles Heaton, patent appeal, emory wheels appeal dismissed.

Circuit Court.—Justice Cox.—Colmesnil et al. vs. Drake & Webb; verdict sustaining will. Strouse & Bro. vs. Bensinger; on trial. Assignment unchanged.

Criminal Court—Justice MacArthur.—Assignment for to-day.—Frank Owens, grand larceny; Edward L. Scott, embezzlement; George W. Cooper, receiving stolen property; James Frawley, assault; William Mahoney, larceny; Maria Dent, grand larceny.

Equity Court—Justice Hoover.—Lambell vs. Evans et al.; appearance of absent defendants ordered. Roth vs. Roth; sale ordered, and J. F. Hanna and Irving Williamson appointed trustees to sell. Hughes vs. Kirby; testimony ordered taken in forty-five days. Chaves vs. Blatchford et al.; pro confesso as to certain defendants ordered. Chaves vs. Hoyt et al.; same order. Larner vs. Gideon; receiver authorized to make lease, &c. Sharon vs. Tucker; commission ordered to issue to get answer of infant defendants. Fisher vs. Tucker; same order. Morrison vs. Morrison; testimony ordered taken in thirty days. United States vs. Hovgate et al.; trustee authorized to accept offer of Rachel V. Reeder. Danenhower vs. Purrington; restraining order granted returnable first Tuesday in May. Assignment unchanged.

Deeds Filed for Record Yesterday.

Defrees st., south side, bet. 1st st. w. and North Capitol st., lot 76, Shepherd's sub. sq. 625, Alice St. John to Ruben R. Detrick, $1,585.

13th st., east side, bet. B and C sts. s. w., lot 8 and north half lot 7, sq. 296, Abram F. Barker to Wm. T. Walker, $800.

4th st., east side, bet. K and L sts. n. w., north half lot 6, sq. 526, Wm. Mc. Pyncheon to James R. Pulhams, $1,125.

H st., south side, bet. 13th and 14th sts. n. e., lot 29, sq. 1027, Matilda E. Smith to Ida Covington, $1,045.85.

23d st., east side, bet. M and N sts. n. w., lots 60 and 61, Jno. S. Blankman's sub. sq. 79, Jno. S. Blankman to Edmund L. McClelland, $2,838.

6th st., east side, at the n. e. cor. of P st. n. w., pt. lots 2 and 3, sq. 478, Lydia A. Hoover et al. to Jesse and Emily C. Shreve, $5,647.05.

8th st., west side, bet. I and M sts. n. w., pt. lot 12 and pt. sublot 6, sq. 404, Wm. A. Seloy, trustee, to Max Goldsmith, $1,755.

T st., south side, bet. 17th and 18th sts. n. w., lot 60, W. A. Gordon's sub. sq. 152, Charles W. Calvert to Rufus A. Morrison, $1.

Same property as next above, Rufus A. Morrison to Samuel G. Stewart, $5.

Same property as next above, Samuel G. Stewart to Aaron Pinkney, $1,050.

Riggs st., at the s. w. cor. of 13th st. n. w., lot 98, W. Z. Partello's sub. sq. 369; also lots 22 and 23, W. Z. Partello's sub. sq. 805, Wm. Z. Partello to Dwight J. Partello, $900.

6th st., east side, bet. P and Q sts. n. w., pt. lot 3, sq. 478, Lydia A. Hoover et al. to Samuel S. Hoover, all interest, $576.56.

8th st., west side, bet. I and G sts. s. e., pt. lot 5, sq. 503, Thomas Bayne to Eugene P. Arnold, $2,000.

N. H. ave., west side, and 25th st., east side, bet. H and I sts. n. w., lot 2, sq. 26, W. Clarence Duvall to Richard A. Beuchler, $4,000.

Great place, south side, bet. 9th and 10th sts. n. w., lot 81, Gilbert & Allen's sub. sq. 375, Cyrus K. Foss to Hattie Harris, $7,200.

COUNTY.

South grounds of Columbian University, lots 22 and 23, Amanda M. Dean to John H. Voorhees, $2,000.

South grounds of Columbian University, pt. lot 22, John H. Voorhees to Will A. Coulter, $667.

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PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR STATIONERY.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, April 25, 1885.

Sealed proposals for furnishing stationery for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1886, will be received at this Department until the 20TH DAY OF MAY, 1885, at 12 o'clock noon.

Blank forms for bidding will be furnished upon application.

The bids will be considered and accepted or rejected during the month of June, and notice of the proposal, so far as accepted by the secretary of the Treasury, and the bond accompanying the same, shall constitute the contract between the government and the bidder or bidders, and no further contract will be executed.

The articles contracted for must be furnished from time to time during the year, in quantities pursuant to orders from the department. The entire quantities will, however, be called for during the year.

Each proposal must be signed by the individual or firm making it, and be accompanied by a bond with sufficient sureties in the sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000) signed by a United States officer of the district in which the sureties reside or do business, on form to be furnished by the department, conditioned for furnishing such portions of the articles as may be awarded under it, and the performance of the contract.

Proposals unaccompanied by such bond will not be considered, and contracts will be awarded only to established manufacturers of, or dealers in, the articles.

Proposals to be addressed to the undersigned, and marked "Proposals for Stationery."

Deliveries must be free of charge at the Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., and will be subject to inspection by an officer detailed for the purpose by the Secretary of the Treasury, and the delivery of an inferior article will be deemed sufficient cause to annul the contract, at the option of the Secretary.

The department reserves the right to waive defects and reject any or all bids.

DANIEL MANNING, Secretary of the Treasury.

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PROPOSALS FOR MARBLE AND GRANITE-WORK, BRICK, AND BUILDING-STONE FOR TERRACE, UNITED STATES CAPITOL.

ARCHITECT'S OFFICE, U. S. CAPITOL, WASHINGTON, D. C., March 30, 1885.

Sealed proposals will be received at this Office until 12 o'clock m., April 30 next, for marble and granite-work for sections B, C, L, and M of Terrace, with steps and platform cases.

Proposals will be received at the same time for brick and for building stone required for these sections of the terrace.

Plans and specifications can be seen at this office.

EDWARD CLARK, Architect, U. S. Capitol.

PROPOSALS FOR ICE.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 25, 1885.

Sealed proposals (in duplicate) will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10, 1885, for supplying the War Department and its bureaus with ice during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1886. The ice must be of the best quality of northern ice, solid, clear and free from snow or other impurities, and must be delivered at the several bureaus and offices of the War Department in Washington and weighed upon the department scales. Daily deliveries, excepting Sundays and recognized holidays, will be required. The quantity required is estimated at 700,000 pounds more or less.

A bond with approved security will be required in case of award, the government reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive defects.

Bids must be inclosed in sealed envelopes indorsed on the outside "Proposals for Ice," and addressed to the undersigned.

C. R. HOYT, Assistant Quartermaster, U. S. A.

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