HIS RETENTION DEMANDED

Ancient Order of Hibernians Object to Removal of Dr. Henebry.

Chair of Gaelic at Catholic University a Subject of Bitter Dispute—John S. Keating Charges Misapplication of Endowment Funds.

Monsignor Conaty, rector of the Catholic University, recently received a letter from John T. Keating, of Chicago, National President of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, protesting against the removal of the Rev. Dr. Richard Henebry from the chair of Gaelic literature and language at the University. In this movement for the retention of Dr. Henebry, the Ancient Order of Hibernians is ably seconded by the Gaelic League of America in a letter directed to Cardinal Gibbons, informing him of the intentions of the league to take measures to prevent the removal of Dr. Henebry.

In his letter to Monsignor Conaty, Mr. Keating says that the conviction has prevailed for a long time among members of the order he represents that the endowment funds contributed by the Ancient Order of Hibernians for the support of the chair of Gaelic literature and languages is not being used for the purpose for which they are intended. Upon enquiry it was learned that no guarantee had been given by the recipient of the endowment fund—the Catholic University—in regard to the expenditure of the funds, which apparently caused those directly interested to enquire into the working of the chair and the disposal of the funds.

"The case was kept under observation since," says Mr. Keating, "and it was found, on overwhelming evidence, that the university had not been true to its trust. Quite recently it has come to the knowledge of the Ancient Order of Hibernians that Dr. Henebry, the eminent Gaelic scholar at present occupying the chair, was about to be dismissed on some pretext, in order to make way for another.

"His successor, we understand, having little or no knowledge of Gaelic, is about to go to Europe for study. When he returns with a smattering of acquired Gaelic scholarship, we discover that he is to teach some other subject, and make pretence of filling the Gaelic chair.

"In this condition of affairs I am authorized to request you to furnish me with a detailed account of all moneys accruing from the Ancient Order of Hibernians fund, since the date of our gift to the university, together with particulars of the objects for which such moneys were distributed. Also, to announce to you that in case the university persists in its intention of dismissing Dr. Henebry, in the manner already stated, the Ancient Order of Hibernians will institute legal proceedings for the recovery of the whole fund."

In discussing the matter last night, an official of the State Board of the Ancient Order of Hibernians stated that the order had given to the Catholic University the fund for a certain purpose, to be administered by the authorities of the university as they deem best, and without restrictions. In view of these terms of the endowment, he justifies the action of Monsignor Dr. Conaty in not renewing the contract of Dr. Henebry as perfectly proper and within the bounds of legitimate prerogative. Speaking further of the matter, this official said:

"I have noticed recently in the daily press considerable discussion in regard to this affair. It is unfortunate that there should be any difference of opinion about a matter so vital to our organization. But, inasmuch as it has, through some inadvertence, gotten into the press, the Hibernians of this city deem it advisable that something should be said to the Hibernians at large, with a view to allaying anxiety and preventing any further public discussion, further than a statement of the fact that the whole matter has been satisfactorily settled.

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To the disappointment of the university authorities, who had been so deeply interested in the establishment of the chair, Dr. Henebry's health failed toward the end of the first year. The second year he was able to be present at the studies only part of the time. His health was in such bad condition during the third year that he was given a vacation and did not teach at all.

At the conclusion of his term of three years, which ended last June, he was eligible to a reappointment, but the faculty of philosophy, of which he was a member, decided to recommend Dr. Joseph Dunn as his successor. This recommendation has been endorsed by the senate of the university, composed of the representatives of all the faculties, and will be submitted to the directors for their approval at the annual meeting on November 26. Monsignor Conaty has also approved the choice of the faculty of philosophy and it is believed the directors will approve the selection of Dr. Dunn.

Dr. Dunn is of American parents, the son of an Irish-American of some distinction. His father is a leading member of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. In addition to having received the degree of doctor of philosophy from Yale, of which institution he is a graduate, he is now taking a special course in Gaelic from Dr. Robinson, of Harvard, who is probably the most celebrated Gaelic scholar in this country. Dr. Dunn is a linguist of high repute, and has been assistant instructor in the Romance languages at the Catholic University for some time.

Resting under the impression that the interests of the chair would be better served if there was no interim between the departure of Dr. Henebry and the installation of Dr. Dunn, the authorities of the Catholic University have been in correspondence with Dr. Douglas Hyde, of Sligo, Ireland, who has the reputation of being one of the best Gaelic scholars in the world, with a view of having him fill the chair for one year. Dr. Hyde has not yet consented to accept the offer, but the rector of the university, Monsignor Conaty, hopes that he will be persuaded.

The National Board, Ancient Order of Hibernians, will meet in this city within the next ten days for the purpose of discussing and deciding upon their final attitude in this matter.

JEFFRIES' WONDERFUL WORK.

The Fighter Gives an Amazing Exhibition of Strength.

SAN FRANCISCO Nov. 14.—Both big fighters did very little work today, the last of real exercise before the fight tomorrow night. A sensational event at Jeffries' quarters yesterday did not leak out till late at night. This was the smashing of both covers off the punching bag by tremendous punching. Billy Jordan, who will introduce the fighters tomorrow night, witnessed this bag-punching, and today gave this account of it:

"I saw something today I never saw before in my life. I was over at Jeffries' training quarters and saw him do his work. He did not do a great deal, but what he did was really wonderful. His great act was punching the bag. He went at it so hard that not only did he break the outside casing but the inside as well. I have seen fighters break the outside of a bag before, but Jeffries is the first man to smash the inside casing to pieces."

Jeffries is in perfect condition, but does not look so clean and fit as Ruhlin, as he is swarthy, his skin is rather mottled and his cheekbones stand out. Jeffries states that he weighs only 210 pounds. He has lost none of the confidence which he exhibited from the outset.

Ruhlin took things easy today at the Ocean Beach resort, where he has remained throughout his training.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

Convention of Association of Agricultural Colleges Closes.

The fifth annual convention of the Association of American Agricultural Colleges and Experiment Stations, in session in this city since Tuesday, closed last night. At the brief morning session yesterday, officers were elected for the ensuing year and other important business was disposed of. The evening session, held in the parlors of the Ebbitt House, was devoted to the reading of various reports and to the consideration of the unfinished business of the convention preparatory to final adjournment.

The convention just closed is regarded by prominent scientists who have been present throughout the entire sessions as the most important held by the association since its organization. As a result of the [illegible] discussions and suggestions [illegible] the agricultural [illegible] passed during the convention [illegible] yesterday and adjourned sine die. [illegible] women who [illegible] mental to the Ancient Order [illegible] ness, the Gaelic chair, or the [illegible] in America. Without, therefore, passing an opinion as to the merits of the controversy, we hope that all true Hibernians will withhold judgment until the national directory has passed upon the question, a special meeting of which has been requested to be called by the national president.

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FIRST SIXTEEN YEARS

Determine Structure and Physical Health.

If parents [illegible] crime [illegible] to [illegible] early life, [illegible] which [illegible] them for [illegible] they would [illegible] any amount of trouble and even to change the methods and give their children the advantages that mature demands to produce perfect specimens.

A sixty-year-old woman writes: "My over-indulgent papa used to say, at the table, 'Why not let the child have what [illegible] I won't have her sick.'

[illegible] first sweet after drinking coffee was that of delightful exhilaration and I felt courage and strength to attack almost any amount of active work, but in a few hours the reaction came, with misery in my chest, palpitation of the heart, and most unbearable pains in my stomach.

Finally my attention was called to Postum Cereal Food Coffee and we secured some of it. It was prepared according to directions, but breakfast being delayed, the Postum got an extra boiling, which developed all its virtues, and we all fell in love with it from the first moment. The change in our physical health, after drinking Postum, was something [illegible]able. We have as delicious coffee as any one could ask, but it is a perfectly healthy coffee, and the more we [illegible] it, in reason, the better we are. [illegible]ded that the increasing amount [illegible] difficulty of late years, among [illegible]le, is directly attributable to [illegible]se of coffee, and it is a great blessing to have so safe and delicious a food coffee as Postum. Please omit my name from publication." ——East Brookfield, Mass. Name given upon application to Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

GRAND LODGE VISITATION.

An Elaborate Programme Presented at Masonic Hall.

The annual visitation of the Grand Lodge of the District of Columbia, F. A. A. M., to the New Jerusalem Lodge, No. 9, took place at Masonic Temple last night. It was one of the most elaborate affairs of the kind held during the year. The entertainment was, as is usual, divided into two parts, the public programme being conducted in Masonic Hall, while the secret ceremonies of the visitation occurred in the lodge rooms.

Masonic Hall was elaborately decorated with potted palms, flowers, and flags. Above the stage was the name of the lodge in incandescent lights.

The following programme was rendered:

Octette, "My Pretty Maid," Caldicott; Messrs. Hensey, Harry Stevens, Birch, Rieman, Eugene C. Stevens, Thompson, Rawlins, and Humphrey. Solo, "Imperfectus," Bischoff; Miss M. Adelaide Lynham. Humorous effusions, Mr. William F. Price. Piano solo, "Rhapsodie Hongroise, No. 12," Liszt; Mr. Henry Patterson Hopkins. Address, Rev. Wallace Radcliffe. Solo, "Son of the Desert," Phillips; Mr. J. Walter Humphrey. Violin solo, "Cavatina," Raff; finale, "Fantasia Caprice," Vieuxtemps; Mr. Rafael Koester. Dialect humor, "Nothing in Particular," Mr. William H. Conley. Octette, "The Lost Chord," Sullivan; Messrs. Hensey, Harry Stevens, Birch, Rieman, Eugene C. Stevens, Thompson, Rawlins, and Humphrey. Solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple," Knapp; Mrs. M. Flower, Mrs. Blanche G. Luckett and Mr. J. M. Rieman were accompanists.

The officers of the lodge are: Charles Cyrus Coombs, Worshipful Master; Franc E. Shelry Senior Warden; George W. Smith, Junior Warden; William E. Denaison, P. M., Secretary; Robert V. Godman, P. M., Treasurer; John F. Button, Senior Deacon; J. H. Jochum, jr., Junior Deacon; Robert H. Armstrong, Senior Steward; Thomas C. Henderson, Junior Steward; Andrew W. Kelley, P. M., Master of Ceremonies; Rev. J. L. M. Lemon, Chaplain; J. M. Rieman, Organist; John Hayward, Tiler.

Funeral of Mrs. H. S. Hurter.

The funeral services of Mrs. Catherine Hurter, wife of Henry S. Hurter, a clerk in the Pension Office, were held at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, at McKendree M. E. Church. Mrs. Hurter died at midnight Tuesday, after a painful illness.

TO PRESS LEGISLATION.

Nicaragua Canal Affairs to Be Urgently Presented to Congress.

Representative Hepburn to Offer a Bill for Enactment Soon After House Assembles — Government Ownership of Cable to Philippines.

Nicaragua Canal affairs will probably be presented to the consideration of the legislators of the lower house soon after the Speaker's gavel falls on the opening day. Representative Hepburn, Chairman of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, states that he will introduce a Nicaragua Canal bill similar to the one which passed the House at the last session soon after the opening of the Fifty-seventh Congress. Furthermore, he says that he expects the bill to pass both branches of the National Legislature.

Colonel Hepburn called at the White House yesterday in company with Representative Sherman, his colleague on the Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee. The President talked over with these visitors the matter of canal legislation, and also legislation touching upon the subject of a Pacific cable.

Although Colonel Hepburn did not say much in regard to the President's views on his bill, it is known that Mr. Roosevelt favors prompt canal legislation. Colonel Hepburn says the bill will differ from the one carried last year only in phraseology and would be essentially the same in purport.

A hot fight promises to be precipitated when Representative Sherman introduces a bill providing that the Postmaster General shall draw a contract with a company for the laying of a cable between this country and the Philippines, touching at Hawaii and Guam, and providing for its use at reasonable toll rates by the Government. This is practically the same measure which failed passage at the last session of Congress. Representative Corliss led, at that time, and will lead again a determined minority which favors Government ownership of a cable. The bill which Representative Sherman will introduce is expected to contain a second provision to the effect that should the Postmaster General fail to secure a satisfactory contract the Government should proceed with the construction of a canal upon its own responsibility.

Mr. Sherman thinks that there is pressing necessity for more direct communication with the Philippines. Both he and Mr. Hepburn agree that the act of 1896 gave sufficient authority for the President to grant landing rights without legislation on the part of Congress.

In the meantime, the Pacific Commercial Cable Company, of which John W. Mackay is the head, evidences an intention to go ahead and construct a cable itself. This is regarded as merely a move to urge the Administration to earlier action.

Several sugar raisers of Hawaii, including W. O. Smith, I. B. Atherton, F. M. Swanzy and R. P. Rithet, called on the President yesterday to protest against any reciprocity relations being established with Cuba which would admit sugar from that island to the United States at a lower rate of duty than now exists.

Senators Lodge and Spooner and ex-Senator Don Cameron of Pennsylvania, Mr. Root, Secretary of War, and Attorney General Knox lunched with the President yesterday. Senators Lodge and Spooner returned to dinner, and remained in consultation with the President until a late hour. It is thought that the Philippine question was the principal one under discussion.

Senator Lodge is Chairman of the Committee on the Philippines and Senator Spooner is the author of the law giving the President full power in the island until a permanent form of Government shall be established. Both these Senators have been in frequent consultation with the President since he began the preparation of his message.

The object of Mr. Cameron's visit to Washington and his repeated calls at the White House are unknown. Since he retired from the Senate to be succeeded by his colleague, Mr. Quay, who [illegible] the political power of the Pennsylvania, he has lived [illegible] time abroad. He registered [illegible] as J. D. Cameron. Now he is largely interested in Pennsylvania corporations, however, and it is likely the President desired to consult on the general question of corporations and trade combinations, which it is known will form an important feature of the President's message.

Mr. Cameron was a powerful factor in the political world for many years, having been Secretary of War in Grant's Cabinet before succeeding his father, Senator Cameron, in the Senate. He is a friend of Attorney General Knox.

President Roosevelt will witness the annual football game between Annapolis and West Point at Philadelphia on November 30. The President expects to have his message practically completed at that time and will, in response to an invitation, attend this classic gridiron event. Secretary Root and Mrs. Root will probably accompany the President, who will occupy a box set aside for him on Franklin Field. The President is fond of football, as he is of all athletic sports. He will travel to the Quaker City in a private car. The car will be attached to a special train carrying a large number of army and navy people, who are never absent when the soldiers and sailors clash on Franklin Field in the greatest society event of the football season.

Clinton Rogers Woodruff, of Philadelphia, Chairman of the Committee on Dependencies of the Civil Service Reform League, received assurance from the President yesterday that Federal appointments in the insular possessions would not be controlled or dictated by any political influence. This is taken to mean that the President will favor the extension of the principles of civil service as far as possible in the Government of the new possessions.

Kentucky callers at the White House during the past week have outnumbered those from any other State, except Virginia, fully two to one. Representative Boreing of Kentucky called yesterday in company with H. J. Hampton, who wants an army appointment. The President listened to his visitors for a moment, when, turning to Senator Mason, who was in the room, the President remarked, with a comic expression of distress, that he was going to divide the affairs of this Administration into two parts: those which pertain to Kentucky and those which don't. The laugh was on the Kentuckians, who, however, appreciated a joke as much as anyone else within hearing distance.

The President has decided that H. P. Cheatham is such a good Recorder of Deeds for the District of Columbia that he will be retained in that position. There have been a number of letters objecting to Cheatham received at the White House, but investigation has revealed the fact that they originated with negro politicians who desired to get Cheatham's place themselves. The President has paid no attention to the letters.

DETONATED BY GASES.

Peculiar Cause of Premature Explosion of Shells.

An enquiry made by the Ordnance Bureau of the Navy Department into the causes of the premature explosions of thirteen-inch shells in guns on the battleships Kearsarge, Kentucky, and Alabama has resulted in a discovery of an interesting character.

It has been ascertained through experiments that the explosives were detonated by gases quickly generated from the fuses connecting the firing charges with the projectiles proper. These gases managed to reach the explosives in the projectiles before the projectiles left the guns and ignited them inside. The gases escaped into the projectile through the screw threads with which the fuse was fastened to the projectile.

The defect will be remedied in all these shells by putting caps on the fuses.

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ILL AND WANDERED AWAY.

Strange Disappearance of a Supposedly Demented Man.

Nothing is known of the whereabouts of Charles W. Willis, aged thirty-eight years, who lives with his wife at 132 Massachusetts Avenue northeast. It is now three days since he left home, and all manner of enquiries by friends have failed to locate him. It is feared he may be ill, suffering from temporary mental derangement, and to this is assigned his mysterious disappearance. The police last night sent out his description, following a request from Mrs. Willis that her husband be found.

The investigation of the disappearance of Willis has developed the fact that he was ill for some time prior to his unexpected departure, and his visit to the office of Dr. Richard Kingsman, 711 East Capitol Street, seems to have been the last known of his movements. Chills and fever had previously done their work, and Willis was in rather a serious condition when he visited the physician last Tuesday morning. Dr. Kingsman prescribed for his patient, finding him seemingly mentally unstrung and suffering from nervousness, consequent upon exhaustion.

From the office of the physician Willis seems to have completely disappeared. On returning from her work in one of the Government Departments Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Willis became anxious as time passed and her husband did not return home. Nevertheless, she waited, and it was not until yesterday morning that she took active steps toward finding him. Yesterday, Mrs. Willis visited a number of friends of her husband, all of whom seem to know nothing at all as to his whereabouts. Such enquires proving futile, recourse was finally had to the police, and Mrs. Willis visited Headquarters late yesterday afternoon, accompanied by a friend.

From Mrs. Willis, who saw Captain Boardman, it was learned that her husband had been suffering from certain hallucinations, especially since his last attack of fever, some weeks ago. At such times, it is said, Willis feared he was being followed or possibly persecuted, yet as to his alleged tormentors, nothing was quite clear. On this, and other information, the police made enquires of most of the city hospitals last night, but the missing man was not found. This description of Willis was given the police: Age, thirty-eight years, about 5 feet 7 inches tall, rather stout, with black hair, and slightly bald on the top of his head.

Willis came here from Massachusetts some time in January last. During the inauguration ceremonies he was employed as a special officer at the Capitol. In some manner he was connected with the case of Norris Peters, who was arrested last spring and subsequently arraigned on a charge of insanity, and whose trial for a time engrossed much public comment. Willis formerly occupied rooms at 302 East Capitol Street, but following his marriage about six weeks ago he took up his abode at the address given. For some time past he has been employed at the agency of an automobile company, where he was last seen some time the day previous to his disappearance. His employers seem to know nothing of his departure, being perplexed at the case.

At her home last night, Mrs. Willis, seen by a reporter, stated that she was worried greatly about her husband. She fears he may have wandered away, even possibly out of the city, although she can scarcely explain his so doing, if such is really the case. Mrs. Willis stated, however, that she had visited many places and personal in search of her husband without success.

ENTERTAINED AT DINNER.

Former Soldiers the Guests of the Sons of Veterans.

Major E. R. Campbell, Commander-in-Chief of the Sons of Veterans, entertained a number of representative members of veteran and patriotic organizations at dinner at Freund's, on Tenth Street northwest, last night. The affair, which proved a most pleasant event, was planned with the idea of bringing together the leaders of various societies and to give the veterans' organizations an opportunity to learn of the work being carried on by the Sons of Veterans, an organization of growing strength.

An elaborate course banquet was served at a single long table. At the conclusion of the repast there were a number of speeches by those present. The list included: J. Edwin Brown, Commander-in-Chief of the Union Veterans' Legion; John McElroy, Senior Vice Commander of the Grand Army of the Republic; Israel W. Stone, Commander of the Department of the Potomac, Grand Army of the Republic; Edgar Allen, jr., Commander of the Maryland Division of the Sons of Veterans; Charles S. Davis, Adjutant General of the Sons of Veterans; Clay G. Collette, Assistant Adjutant General; F. T. F. Johnson, Adjutant of the Maryland Division, Sons of Veterans; Edward K. DePuy, Past Division Commander; George S. Whitmore, Past Division Commander; Capt. S. F. Hodgson, of the Spanish War Veterans; S. M. Croft, William E. Middleton, William F. Wolfe, Charles P. Jacobs, and C. L. Stanton.

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING.

Woman's Suffrage Association Elects Delegates to Convention.

The Woman's Suffrage Association of the District of Columbia held its regular monthly meeting at Scottish Rite Hall, 1007 G Street northwest, last night at 8 o'clock. The meeting was well attended.

Mrs. Clara B. Colby was unanimously elected a director to the Federation of Clubs. Mrs. Ellen Powell Thompson, Dr. A. E. Portman, and Mrs. M. L. Talbot were elected as delegates to represent the District in the Federation of Clubs convention to be held in this city November 20.

After a short talk on "Woman's Responsibility" by Mrs. Kate Burt, Mrs. Clara B. Colby delivered a very interesting discourse on "From the Grand Canyon to the Golden Gate."

RESIGNED TO ENTER BUSINESS.

Superintendent of Letter Carriers Also Hints at Friction.

In regard to the resignation of N. H. Baker, Superintendent of Letter Carriers at the Washington city postoffice, Postmaster Merritt made a statement yesterday.

He said that when Baker tendered his resignation he gave as his reason for doing so that he could improve himself in other lines of business. Mr. Baker also stated to Postmaster Merritt that he had had slight differences with Major James E. Bell, Superintendent of Delivery, on several occasions, but that his reason for resigning was solely because of his chance to enter a business where he could make more money.

Mr. Merritt also stated that only two discharges of letter carriers were made on recommendations of Mr. Bell and that the standard of the service demanded them.

The place which will be vacated by Mr. Baker tomorrow has not yet been filled.

Pending action on Mr. Baker's resignation only a few candidates for his place have presented themselves. Joseph Van Vleet is making an energetic canvass for the position. He is a clerk in the local postoffice, as is Harry Chamberlin, whose name is also mentioned. The latter is a Marylander and has the endorsement of Senator L. E. McComas. Joseph Blumer, a letter carrier, is also a prospective candidate.

Mr. Baker intends to enter the real estate and loan business when he leaves the postoffice.

Injured in a Collision.

A horse attached to a wagon in charge of Howard Thompson, of 2015 Thirty-fifth Street northwest, collided yesterday afternoon with a car of the Capital Traction Company at Fourteenth Street and Pennsylvania Avenue northwest. In the wagon besides Thompson was W. Whalen, owner of the vehicle, who was thrown out and slightly hurt by the shock of the collision. Both wagon and car were damaged. Conductor Harris and Motorman Daffer were in charge of the car. The police summoned the ambulance following the accident and sent Whalen to the Emergency Hospital for treatment.

Transport Hancock Leaves.

A cablegram from Nagasaki, Japan, dated November 14, was received at the War Department yesterday, as follows:

"Transport Hancock left Nagasaki on Thursday morning. Will relieve Warren at Kobe and then proceed to San Francisco November 16. BAXTER."

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SPECIAL NOTICE—There will be a special meeting of the Trustees of The Times Company at the office of the Company, Hutchins Building, on SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m.

W. S. HUTCHINS, President.
W. J. DANTE, Secretary.

WITNESSES TO A DISTURBANCE near Cleveland Park, between a colored woman, standing in rear of trailer car going to Chevy Chase, July 5, carrying white baby, and conductor, between 7 and 8 p. m., will oblige undersigned by communicating with him. LEONARD J. MATHER, Fendall Building.

WILL PARTIES noticing accident to lady with three children, when boarding 9th st. car at Penna. ave., July 19, 1901, please address BOX 669, this office?

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THE Children's Hospital has a deed of trust on it for twenty thousand dollars, on which it is paying interest. Help to pay it.

TO URGE FORGERY CHARGE

George R. Hamilton Brought Here and Lodged in Jail.

The Prisoner Said to Have Admitted Marrying Miss Carter—Doubtful if Court Has Jurisdiction Over the Alleged Offence of Bigamy.

George Richard Hamilton occupies a cell at the District jail, having been brought here yesterday from New York City by a United States deputy marshal. Accused of passing a worthless check on William H. Moore & Co., dealers in men's furnishings near Second Street and Pennsylvania Avenue northwest, and likewise suspected by the police of other grave wrongdoing, including three marriages, the prisoner will be arraigned for trial in this city. He was photographed yesterday afternoon at headquarters for the rogues' gallery.

It is now said by Detective Trumbo, whose investigation resulted in the arrest of Hamilton, that the latter admits having married Miss Carter some months ago in Baltimore. Nevertheless, Hamilton is understood to claim that Mrs. Mary B. Whitworth Hamilton, formerly Miss Whitworth, is his lawful wife. She is now in this city, living with her mother, Mrs. Whitworth, on Ninth Street southwest. Mrs. Hamilton returned to the city Wednesday with Detective Trumbo, following the arrest of her husband.

Yesterday, when Hamilton was taken into court and formally turned over by the United States Marshal to the local authorities, Mrs. Hamilton was present and subsequent to the proceedings she had a brief interview with her husband. She has indicated thus her desire, as before expressed, to stand by her husband in his present trouble.

According to the police, Hamilton now claims that his first wife, as alleged, who was once a Miss May Simmons, of Hallowell, Me., died some time ago. Subsequent to her death, as stated by Hamilton, he married Miss Carter, formerly of Baltimore, but now a resident of this city. Miss Carter is living with her parents at 15 Ninth Street northeast. The third marriage which Hamilton seems to have contracted was that to Miss Whitworth, formerly a trained nurse, whom the prisoner first met while engaged as a patient in this city, early last spring. Miss Whitworth accompanied Hamilton out of the city in April, going to Baltimore, where the couple were married. She has since accompanied him North, into New England and New York.

None of the three alleged marriages having been consummated in this city, it is stated that no charge [illegible] such unions can be [illegible] in this jurisdiction. It [illegible] plain that a charge of fo[illegible] shed here, in view of the [illegible] de some months ago b[illegible] This was to the effect [illegible] had given them a check [illegible] the Metropolitan Nati[illegible] Baltimore, which proved [illegible] Hamilton, supposed to be [illegible] prisoner, was alleged t[illegible] the check, which is now [illegible] en forged. Whether any [illegible] tioner will be made at an [illegible] Baltimore police is not kno[illegible] served two years in the [illegible] at Baltimore on conviction [illegible]

It is said p[illegible] nothing is known by the [illegible] a fourth wife of the prison[illegible] ert was circulated yester[illegible] police claim they have no [illegible] as a basis for it.

WEDDING IN ROCKVILLE.

Marriage of Miss Julia P. Vinson to George M. Anderson.

ROCKVILLE, [illegible] 14.—In Christ Episcopal Ch[illegible] today Miss Julia Prout Vinson, daughter of Judge John T. Vinson, of this place, was married to George Minor Anderson, son of the late James Anderson, of this county. Mr. Anderson is now an assistant attorney in the Attorney General's office, Washington, D. C.

The church was elaborately decorated with yellow and white chrysanthemums. The Rev. Thomas J. Packard, the rector, performed the ceremony. The ushers were Bowie Vinson and Abby Henderson, of this town, Alfred Griffith of Baltimore, and Mr. Tanner of Washington. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of invited guests.

The Short Story Club.

The Short Story Club, Dr. Thomas Robinson, President, held its regular meeting Monday evening in the parlors of Dr. L. R. Klemm, 919 B Street northeast. The programme included the following: Organ solo, (a) "The Pilgrims' March," from "Tannhauser," by Wagner, (b) "Reverie," by Read; the story of the evening, "A Hallowe'en Canirip," by Nemeless; Here, read by Miss Gertrude Withington; piano solo, (a) "Rippling Waves," by Konkel, (b) "Grand March," by Wollerhaupt; a dialect story by Mrs. Haywood; organ solo, (a) "Comedy Overture," by Keler Bela; (b) "Non e ver," by Mattei; recitation, "Parhasius and His Captive," by Prof. Donoghue; piano solo, (a) "Gypsy Dances," by Clara Bond, (b) "Waltz Song," by Kate Vanderpool; a sketch, "A Bachelor Still," by Dr. L. R. Klemm; organ solo, (a) "Siegmund's Sorg," by Lange, (b) "Bohemian Song," by Schlychkin; piano solo, (a) "Romance," by Archer, (b) "Mexican Serenade," by Cito Langley. The entire musical numbers were by the host of the evening, who is a well-known musician. The meeting was well attended by the members and their friends.

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The following programme was presented under the direction of Angelo C. Fronani, the musical director of the club:

"Spanish Dance" (Op. 12, No. 5), Moszkowsky; "Canzonetta," Godard; Miss Louise Mitchell and Angelo C. Fronani. "Waltz Song," Pattison; Mrs. Julius Hulling. "Legende," Bohm; "Serenata," Florio; Miss Florence Stevens. "I Love You," Sobeski; "If I But Knew," Wilson-Smith; Mrs. W. L. Wilson. Selected, Mr. Julius Hulling. Mazurka, No. 2, Lechetizky; Miss Louise Mitchell. Selected, Miss Edna Scott Smith. "Spanish Dance," Thome; "Papillon," Lavalle; (by request) Angelo C. Fronani. "Still as the Night," Bohm; "I Love Thee," Grieg; Mr. John Duffey. "Andante Scherzo Trio" Von Weber; Miss Florence Stevens, Miss Florence Wieser, Angelo C. Fronani.

Decree of Divorce Signed.

Ella L. Pace was yesterday granted a divorce from her husband, Robert T. Pace. The decree, which is signed by Justice Bradley, states that the separation is granted because of the desertion of the wife by her husband.

Jumped on a Ten Penny Nail.

The little daughter of Mr. J. N. Powell jumped on an inverted rake made of ten penny nails, and thrust one nail entirely through her foot, and a second one half way through. Chamberlain's Pain Balm was promptly applied and five minutes later the pain had disappeared and no more suffering was experienced. In three days the child was wearing her shoes as usual and with absolutely no discomfort. Mr. Powell is a well known merchant of Forkland, Va. Pain Balm is an antiseptic and heals such injuries without maturation and in one-third the time required by other treatment. For sale by HENRY EVANS, Wholesale and Retail, and all druggists.

DIED.

McCORMICK—On November 14, 1901, at 10 a. m., THOMAS M., son of the late Edward and Mary E. McCormick, late of Company H, Third United States Volunteer Engineers.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

SEYMOUR—At her residence, 804 I Street northeast, November 13, 1901, MRS. EMILY MORSE SEYMOUR, wife of Rev. B. N. Seymour.

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