

INTEREST SHOWS IN CHAMBER VOTE

Many Names Up for Directorships of Commercial Organization.

BALLOT FOR PRESIDENT

'Tom' Grant, Secretary, Leaves for Atlantic City to Recuperate After Long Illness.

Members of the Chamber of Commerce have until December 31, 1913, at 5 o'clock to make further nominations for directors. Ten new directors will be elected at the annual meeting, to be held Tuesday, January 13, 1914, but the constitution and by-laws provide that their names shall be posted at least two weeks before the annual election.

The fact that President D. J. Callahan has refused a re-election has caused great speculation among members as to his successor. Many names have been suggested during the last few days, including those of the two vice presidents, D. J. Kaufman and Charles J. Bell, and W. F. Gallinger, John Dolph, William F. Guide, Isaac Gans, and P. T. Moran. It is said to be quite likely that there will be a contest for the chamber presidency. Unlike the directors to be selected, nominations for officers in the chamber will be upon right up to the time of voting.

The following nominations have been posted in the chamber rooms: Isaac Gans, P. J. Ryan, Dr. Edwin C. Reed, H. Frank Maul, John P. Shaver, M. D. Sullivan, A. B. Lyons, George F. Killam, William C. Johnson, John L. Newbold, H. B. Macfarland, Robert N. Harper, Oliver S. Metzger, A. Leftwich Sinclair, Joseph Strassburger, William Curran, Thom. Dr. Arthur Ramsey, William M. Dove, Charles I. Corby, Carl Droop, H. C. C. Stiles, Charles W. Clagett, Floyd E. Davis, Joseph Jacob, Miron J. Jones, Robert L. Montague, M. Thayer Ray, C. Claffin, Weylton C. Clark, Jr., George E. Walker, John L. Weaver, J. B. Henderson, John Mitchell, Jr., and L. E. Breuninger.

Officers of the chamber are busy with their reports for the past year, and it is expected that at the annual meeting the statements will show much progress.

The chamber, it is declared, has been vigilant and successful in the securing of conventions for Washington, many of which have been secured through the expenditure of postage and the persuasive letter writing of Secretary 'Tom' Grant.

To Vote on New Members. The chamber has also given excellent service as a booster for Washington. A day scarcely passes that requests do not come to the chamber from various parts of the world, not to speak of the United States, asking for information on Washington in a variety of forms and aspects.

The membership committee, Ralph N. Lee, chairman, will hold a meeting Tuesday, December 23, at 5 o'clock, for the election of a large number of candidates. Thomas Grant, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, left Washington on Wednesday at noon for Atlantic City, where it is hoped the sea air will make a restoration to health an early reality. Mr. Grant was accompanied to Atlantic City by his mother, and a large number of his personal friends were at the station to see him off.

FOX IS BROUGHT DOWN AFTER EXCITING RUN

Brush of Reynard Awarded to Miss Jeanette Allen, of Riding and Hunt Club.

Twenty-five horsemen of the Riding and Hunt Club joined in a chase which culminated in the death of a red fox at 10 o'clock yesterday. The riders met at the Chevy Chase Club, and from there proceeded to the Columbia Country Club. The hounds were cast in the woods directly back of the clubhouse and worked by users along the line of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. A fresh scent was struck, which led into the open field along the Rockville pike. The fox rolled from thicket to thicket, throwing the hounds of the pack, but after a sharp run across the open was killed plain view.

The brush was awarded by the M. P. E. to Mr. Falloway, of Miss Jeanette Allen, the first woman to kill a fox. The fox went to Mrs. Nina L. Bowen, vice president of the Riding and Hunt Club, who had used, and, in addition, the Samuel Hays' pack. An American hound was in the run. After this all the entire field rode in the direction of the Montgomery Country Club. A search of a fresh quarry.

FOR LEGISLATIVE BUREAU.

Establishment by United States Chamber of Commerce Favored. By a vote of 42 to 16, the constituent organizations in the Chamber of Commerce of the United States of America have voted in favor of the establishment of a legislative bureau, or bureau of legislative reference and bill drafting, and of several foreign nations, and twenty-five States of the Union now have legislative reference and bill drafting bureaus, designed to play a part in the disposal of legislative proposals and in the preparation of bills. The result was announced at a meeting yesterday. Two hundred and two organizations took part in the voting, representing thirty-two States and the District of Columbia, Hawaii, Porto Rico, and the American Chamber of Commerce in Paris.

LAWYER SUED FOR \$5,000.

Kaman Says He Neglected to Prosecute Case for Her. Suit to recover \$5,000 damages was filed yesterday in the District Supreme Court by Kate Coleman, naming as defendant Walter H. Kaman, a lawyer. Plaintiff says she employed Chase to prosecute a suit for libel against the Golden Link Household of Ruth, and that he neglected to bring action against the proper parties. Her claim, she alleges, is now barred by the statute of limitations. Attorney John M. George represents the plaintiff.

Death of Carozzi Shock To Musical Washington

Talent and Personality of Aged Italian Musician Had Endured Him to Many.

In the recent death of Prof. G. Napoleone Carozzi, one of the most picturesque figures in the musical circles of the National Capital has passed away. His loss will be an irreparable one to musical circles, where his unique talent and winning personality placed him in the front ranks of musicians of the country and made him the warm, personal friend of many of the notable people in Washington life.

Prof. Carozzi was a familiar figure in the music rooms of the foreign embassies, where his rare ability as teacher and composer was recognized and in the homes of many of the wealthy residential and official set of the Capital. The late Mrs. John R. McLean was one of Prof. Carozzi's warmest friends, as were Representative and Mrs. Boutwell, Gen. John Eaton, the wife of Senator Warren, and other prominent leaders of Washington society.

First of all, Prof. Carozzi was a musician. He lived in a musical atmosphere, seldom entering any other sphere. After years of study in foreign cities and in England, where he knew the 'Prince of Wales,' Prof. Carozzi came to the United States about twenty years ago. For thirteen years he lived in Washington, where he has taught and composed music.

Prof. Carozzi, apart from his ability as a teacher, composer, and inventor along musical lines, possessed a rare and winning personality—so kindly and sympathetic, that it drew about him a great number of loyal friends, not only in America, but abroad.

Prof. Carozzi was born September 8, 1841, at Bergamo, Italy, the birthplace of several other eminent musicians and poets, among them Donizetti, Marini, Rubini, and San Giovanni. At the age of nine, he was placed in the celebrated conservatory at Bergamo, and at the age of eleven he produced several admirable compositions. When sixteen years old, he graduated with the highest honor. After receiving his diploma from the Bergamo Conservatory, he went at once to Milan, where he continued the study of music under the great Lauro Rossi. One year later, he was awarded the distinction of conducting the opera at Milan. At the age of eighteen, was accepted

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES THANKS THE HERALD

Appreciation Expressed for Help Rendered in 'Fourteen Opportunities' Appeal.

LARGE AMOUNT WAS RAISED. To the Editor: The Associated Charities desire to thank The Washington Herald for the invaluable help rendered in its Christmas appeal for the 'Fourteen Opportunities.' For the fourth season the society undertook to present to the people of Washington the need of certain charities requiring continuous aid for the ensuing year.

The response to this appeal has been cordial and generous. The amount raised for the 'Fourteen Opportunities' is sufficient to cover all of the 'opportunities,' was the largest sum received since the 'opportunities' were first published in 1911. We wish, through you, to thank The Washington Herald who responded so generously to this call for assistance in the name of philanthropy.

ALASKA GOVERNMENT PUT OUT OF BUSINESS

Decision of Attorney General McReynolds Makes the Collection of Taxes Now Due Impossible.

That the territorial government of Alaska practically has been put out of business by a decision rendered last week by Attorney General McReynolds regarding the present system of territorial tax collection, was authentically learned yesterday. The calling of a special session of the Alaska legislature is being considered, with a view of determining some way of remedying conditions.

MERGER OF POLICE URGED

Maj. Sylvester Suggests Plan to Aid Department's Efficiency. A merger of the three police organizations in the District was recommended yesterday by Maj. Richard Sylvester, in a communication to the Commissioners. This year's meeting of the Metropolitan Police Association, the park police, and the street railway crossing police.

WELKS TO GREET NEW YEAR.

Washington Lodge to Enjoy Oysters and Vaudeville Wednesday. On New Year's Eve the Washington Lodge of Elks will give an old-fashioned watch meeting party. There will be vaudeville acts and dancing during the evening.

RECORD IN THE CAPITAL CITY

Members of Retail Merchants' Association Say 'Shop Early' Campaign Helped.

ELECTIONS DUE SOON

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DISCREPANCY IN DATES MAY BRING ON PROBE

Representative Mann Wants to Determine Priority of Stanley and Mc-Gillicuddy Anti-trust Bills.

A little friendly co-operation between Representative A. O. Stanley, of Kentucky, and Representative Mc-Gillicuddy, of Maine, has given Minority Leader Mann another puzzle to unravel.

Representative Stanley was chairman of the committee which investigated the Steel Corporation. Recently, following a conference between Representative Stanley and the President, the Kentucky introduced a lengthy and carefully prepared anti-trust bill. There was dropped in the basket on that same day an anti-trust bill bearing the name of Representative Mc-Gillicuddy. It was evident that the Mc-Gillicuddy bill was a carbon copy of the Stanley measure.

The bills were introduced December 22. Across the cover of the Mc-Gillicuddy bill was written the following introduction to the printer: 'Print as of date of December 20.'

DISTRICT COURT ASKED TO EXPLAIN HER WILL

Englishmen Want Instructions as to Disposition of Trust Fund of Mrs. Mary T. Leiter.

Colin Campbell and the Earl of Suffolk and Berke, of England, yesterday asked the District Supreme Court for instructions and to construe the portions of the will of Mrs. Mary T. Leiter, widow of Levi Z. Leiter, in regard to the trust fund of \$50,000 given them under that will, as they were unable to decide whether it should be invested according to the laws of the United States or of the kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

HIGH SCHOOL PLANS DRAWN

Building for Colored Pupils to Be Erected at Cost of \$550,000. Snowden Ashford, municipal architect, is preparing plans for a three-story, 450,000 high school for colored students, to be located on the west side of First street, between N and O streets northward to the new building. Work will be begun next fall, and the school house is to be completed early in the spring of 1915.

EILMER E. TOLMAN ARRESTED.

Charged with Violating Law Fixing Interest on Loans. Elmer E. Tolman, son of the 'loose shark' king, was arrested technically yesterday on a charge of violating the law which fixes interest at 1 per cent a month. Tolman is alleged to have loaned \$100 to a borrower for \$100, and to have charged the borrower with \$100 interest for the use of \$100 for five months.

TUMULTY DENIES STATEMENT.

He Has Not Discussed Election with Mayor-elect Mitchell. A story printed in a New York newspaper yesterday to the effect that the secretary to the President, Joseph P. Tumulty, had displayed an interest in the appointments for the incoming municipal administration in New York, which had resulted, among other things, in the apparent elimination of George V. Mallan from the race for corporation counsel, was denied by Mr. Tumulty last night.

FEMINE DEMOCRATS TO CHOOSE OFFICERS

Special Meeting of Women's Political League Called for Election on Wednesday.

Various offices in the District section, Women's National Democratic League, will be filled at a special election called for Wednesday at the league's headquarters, Home Life Building, by Miss Katharine Montgomery Dabney, vice president, in charge of the organization.

FIFTEEN LIVES TAKEN BY AUTOISTS IN YEAR

Report of Police Shows Capital Outdoor New York City in Automobile Mortality.

That more people have been killed by automobiles in the District since January 1, 1913 than in New York City with its congested traffic, is shown by the figures just compiled by the Metropolitan Police Department. Fifteen persons have been killed, and only one driver has been held responsible.

ONE DRIVER HELD RESPONSIBLE

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YULETIDE CELEBRATION GIVEN FOR SIGHTLESS

Entertainment is Held at Library for Blind—Girls Who Cannot See Decorate Tree. The picture of an old woman, blind and deaf, seated beside a little blind girl, who recounted by means of touch all that was being said and done, was seen at the Christmas celebration given for the sightless at the National Library for the Blind, 1725 H street northwest, last night.

GEORGE W. RAE POUNDMASTER.

Appointed to Succeed Emil Kuhn, Who Resigned. The District Commissioners announced yesterday afternoon the voluntary resignation of Emil Kuhn as District poundmaster and the appointment of George W. Rae to succeed him. Mr. Kuhn, who was poundmaster since July 13, 1911, has accepted a position in New York. The change is to take effect February 1.

NEW CHURCH DEDICATED THURSDAY.

The new United Presbyterian Church at Seventh and Randolph streets northwest will be dedicated Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Alvin Campbell will deliver the dedication sermon. The building will represent an expenditure of \$60,000. The church proper will seat about 500 persons, the Sunday school about 800.

NEW YEAR FESTIVITIES AT Hotel Powhatan. New Year's Eve Supper will commence at 9 o'clock—from then on dancing in the Palm Court and Foyer, between courses, until the "wee" small hours. Special Musical Features and Souvenirs. FOUR DOLLARS PER COVER. Which includes Hotel Taxicab Service to and from the Hotel. Table reservations should be made at an early date. No matter how bad the weather, our Taxicabs will call for and return you and your party within the city limits. Pa. Ave., 18th and H Sts. Phone M. 8207. CLIFFORD M. LEWIS, Manager.

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SPECIAL NOTICES. Quality and Quantity. MILLER'S RAIPING BUCKWHEAT. B. B. EARNSHAW & BRO. Wholesale, 1114 and M Sts. S. E. VIAGY SCIENCE OF HEALTH. FREE LECTURES on health, Wed., 7 p. m. National, 800 F Street Northwest, 22 Columbia Bldg. DIED. GRIMES—On Friday, December 26, 1913, at 12:30 p. m., at the family home, 224 Olive Street, Chevy Chase, MARY ESTELLE, beloved wife of A. V. Grimes and eldest daughter of the late William and Margaret Kirkland, of Georgetown. Funeral Monday, December 29, at 10 o'clock, from the Church of the Blessed Sacrament, Chevy Chase Circle. Interment private; Oak Hill Cemetery. THOM—On Saturday, December 27, 1913, at her residence, 1215 R Street Northwest, VIRGINIA WILLIAMSON, wife of Alfred P. Thom, Esq. Short funeral services from her late residence, 150 R Street Northwest, on Monday, December 28, at 4:30 p. m. Funeral and interment at Scripps, Va., on Monday, December 28.

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