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NOVEL ARTISTS TO PICK MOST BEAUTIFUL GIRL FOR MAGNIFICENT PAGEANT

DISTINGUISHED MEN
CHOSEN TO SELECT
CAPITAL'S 'BEAUTY'Fortunate Girl Will Meet
Many Famous Per-
sonages.

TO BE CITY'S GUEST

Coast Resort Will Spare No
Efforts to Make Trip Mo-
mentous Event.

Please Remember.

That all photographs submitted will be turned over to the judges.

That only photographs suitable for newspaper reproduction will appear in the Herald.

That from photographs submitted ten young women will be asked to appear in person before the judges.

That neither appearance nor appearance of your picture means selection as one of the favored ten, nor does it mean elimination.

The Washington Herald has been asked by Mayor Edward L. Bader of Atlantic City, N. J., to assist in the selection of the most representative young woman in Washington, who as "Miss Washington" will be given a place of distinction in a magnificent pageant to be held in Atlantic City September 7 and 8.

This is not to be a voting contest. There is to be no solicitation. There is no expense of any kind to the young women from whom the selection will be made. There will be no expense to the young woman selected.

All Are Eligible.

Any young woman in Washington or the suburbs is eligible to represent the city. The first requirement is to submit a photograph to the Art Editor of The Herald. Probably most of the young women have photographs, but the average snapshot or studio portrait fails to do the subject justice in an affair of this kind. So it is advised that you appear in person at The Herald office so that arrangements may be made to have a truly artistic photograph made without expense to you by Bachrach, at 1237 F street.

These photographs will be published from day to day in The Washington Herald until August 25. On that day a board of competent judges will select ten photographs from all of those submitted and have the ten young women appear in person for a final judgment.

The judges are Dr. Mitchell Carroll, vice president of the Washington Arts Club and editor of The Arts and Archaeology; Henry K. Bush-Brown, of the Washington Arts Club, a well-known artist and sculptor; Dr. Thomas A. Williams, of the Washington Arts Club, an authority on art; Cuno H. Rudolph, District Commissioner, and Bachrach, photographer, an expert in artistic portraiture.

The announcement of the judges' decision will be made August 25 to the selected young woman ample time to make all the necessary arrangements to leave Washington in time to arrive in Atlantic City the evening of September 6.

While in all probability the young woman who will be selected will be well equipped in every way to represent this city in the distinguished company in which she will be a guest, and finally the most attractive of the young women will be selected.

Ritz Brothers will give an evening gown, J. M. Glasing and Company an afternoon frock, the Hecht Company a bathing suit, the Meyer Shapiro a traveling hat, William Hahn and Company shoes.

These, however, are not prizes or inducements. The reward is the distinction of being selected by a board of really competent judges as the young woman most representative of one of the world's greatest cities and, much, be the honor guest of Atlantic City during its fall carnival.

Governors of many States, national celebrities and persons prominent in social life will be gathered for the celebration, and the young woman selected will be the one to eclipse anything of the kind ever attempted by America's foremost resort.

The Golden Venus.

"Miss Washington" and the young woman selected will be the guests of honor at the celebration. They will make up the Court of Neptune in a brilliant historic and allegorical pageant; will be entertained at banquet and ball, and finally the most attractive of the young women will be awarded \$5,000 golden Venus.

The young woman from Washington will leave this city September 6, accompanied by a chaperone. Arriving at Atlantic City, she will be met by the patronesses of the pageant and escorted to one of the famous beach-front hotels where she and her chaperone will be given a special reception.

In the evening "Miss Washington" will formally receive the patronesses of the pageant and Atlantic City officials. She will be invited to a number of social functions, and she may make her own selection.

The great fall pageant opens the following morning, September 7, with the arrival of King Neptune and his golden seahorse. "Miss Washington" will be asked to take part in the official reception in which Mayor Bader is present the golden key to Atlantic City. In the evening there is a banquet given by the great committee, which will be attended by men and women of national note. "Miss Washington" will be on the reception committee.

THESE MEN WILL SELECT "MISS WASHINGTON"



Here is the board of judges who have been asked to choose the Washington young woman possessing the greatest beauty, charm, poise, refinement, culture and grace. They are, at top, left to right: Dr. T. A. Williams, of the Washington Arts Club; Henry K. Bush-Brown, of the Washington Arts Club, celebrated sculptor; Mr. Bachrach, photographer. At bottom: Cuno Rudolph, District Commissioner, and Prof. Mitchell Carroll, vice president of the Washington Arts Club.

Good Behavior Required to Remain
In Nice, Home-like District Jail;
Bad Prisoner Gets Walking Papers

Discharged from the District jail on the charge of misconduct is the record which will be established by Jacques Raymond Joe, 31 years old, who was arrested for passing bad checks to the extent of \$1,000 in Washington on April 19. Joe has been confined to jail since his arrest. It is alleged that while there, he passed a worthless check to the extent of \$5 on a local baker.

Going to Norfolk.

The accused will be turned over

to the Norfolk, Va., authorities today to finish two years of a sentence at the jail there from where he had been paroled a short time before his arrest in Washington. A detective from Norfolk will arrive in Washington today to return the man.

Kicker to Return.

According to the Norfolk authorities, Joe is anxious to be returned to the tide water city. When he heard that the local charge would not be prosecuted, he managed to secure a telegram to the Norfolk police chief, requesting him to send a man to the District to escort him back to Norfolk.

Joe was convicted at Norfolk with having passed several bad checks on the Continental Trust Company there. He was released early this year after which he came to Washington.

District Headquarters Detectives Keck, Bradley and Barnell arrested Joe at 1201 Q street northwest and have held him in the custody of the local department since.

NEGRO CONVICTED
IN ASSAULT CASE

William Claughton Found Guilty of Attacking Miss Mary Doyle.

William Claughton, colored, 11 years old, of 327 Third street northwest, alleged member of a gang of young desperadoes, was convicted yesterday of assaulting with felonious intent Miss Mary Doyle, also 17 years old, of 1311 Florida avenue northeast.

A charge of assault with intent to rob was ignored by the jury, which heard the case before Chief Justice McCoy in Criminal Court No. 2. Miss Doyle was attacked on the night of June 22 as she was walking along I street southwest, near Thirteenth street. The accused followed her almost a half hour before attacking her with a club. After his arrest Claughton is said to have admitted the attack, but explained that his motive was robbery.

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MAID TAKES PIN;
POLICE TAKE HER

Lucy Thomas, a 20-year-old colored maid employed by Mrs. Wade H. Skinner, of West Clifton terrace, was seen wearing a \$60 pin stolen from her mistress, and now faces a charge of grand larceny.

Mrs. Skinner reported the robbery of jewelry valued at approximately \$90. Detective Sgt. King investigated, and the maid was put under police surveillance, which developed in discovery of the remaining part of the loot at her home, 2030 Thirteenth street northwest.

Weeks and Denby Must
Answer Inventor's Claim

Robert Lee Wright, an inventor of Los Angeles, Cal., secured an order yesterday from Justice Adolph A. Hoehling in Equity Court requiring Secretary of War John W. Weeks and Secretary of the Navy Edwin Denby to appear on August 5 and show cause why they and their subordinates should not be restrained from manufacturing and vending certain high speed projectiles.

Wright also claims a commission of \$625,000 on a contract let by the War Department to the American Can Company, of New Jersey, for 5,000,000 shells at \$25 each, or a total of \$125,000,000, which he claims were made after his own designs.

DISTRICT'S WOMEN
PAY RESPECTS TO
NEW WOMAN JUDGE

Greet Miss Mary O'Toole
At Banquet Given in
Her Honor.

OFFER MANY TOASTS

Representatives of Every Women's Organization in Capital Present at Affair.

Washington women, several hundred strong, paid tribute last night to Miss Mary O'Toole, recently appointed judge of the District Municipal Court, with a banquet in her honor at the Women's City Club.

Every women's organization of the District and women representatives of business and professional life were included in the list of speakers and guests.

Praise of her ability and congratulations on her appointment were made by members of the women's organizations and the professional representatives. At the end of the program Miss O'Toole responded and thanked the speakers for their tributes. Miss Sarah Pope Grogan was toastmistress.

The speakers included: Dr. A. Frances Poye, for the medical profession; Mrs. Ellen Spencer Mussey, "The friend and defender of all women"; Judge Kathryn Sellers, of the Juvenile Court; Mrs. James H. Colburn, Miss Emma M. Gillett, of the Washington College of Law; Mrs. George Eastman, for the board of directors of the Women's City Club; Miss Julia Lathrop, for the Children's Bureau; Miss Elizabeth C. Harris, for the Women's Bar Association; Mrs. James G. Cantrill, for the National American Woman Suffrage Association; Miss Florence P. Stiles, Miss Mary Anderson, Mrs. Lyman B. Swormstedt, for the Women's City Club; Miss Laura M. McRae, for the National Woman's Club; Miss Helen Jackson, for the Alumni Association of the Washington College of Law; Miss Jessie Dell and Miss Marie K. Saunders, for the College Women's Club; Mrs. Helen L. Henderson, for the Civil Service Commission; Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins, for the D. A. R.; Mrs. Susie Root Rhodes, for the Playground Association; Mrs. Marie M. Gansch, for the Women's Press Club; Mrs. Clara Sears Taylor, Mrs. Della S. Jackson, Mrs. Minnie Cunningham and Mrs. Nina E. Allender, for the National Woman's Club; Miss Ethel M. Smith and Miss Clara Wolf, for the Women's Disarmament League; and Mrs. Mary Wright Johnson, Mrs. C. N. Chapman, Miss Ethel M. Smith and Miss Cavanaugh and Miss Mabel Owen.

SWIMMER FIGHTS
RESCUERS; SAVED

Goes Down Three Times, Is
Unconscious Three Hours
At Hospital.

Seized with cramps while swimming in the Potomac River near the south end of the Highway Bridge, John Corbett, 45, Potomac, was rescued by Harry Stansbury, 43, Maryland avenue southwest, and Charles Jones, 622 I street southeast.

Corbett was rushed to the Emergency Hospital and treated by Dr. R. G. Beachley. He was unconscious three hours. Later he was removed to his home.

The three had spent the afternoon along the Virginia bank. They had been swimming a short time when Corbett was stricken. Screaming for help, he sank beneath the surface. Stansbury and Jones grabbed him as he was sinking for the third time and pulled him ashore after a lengthy struggle.

SPANIARDS NEAR
DEFEAT IN AFRICA

PARIS, July 27.—The Spanish forces attempting to put down the tribal revolt in Morocco are in danger of a complete disaster, according to a dispatch to the International Telegraphic Bureau, the dispatch adds, "The Spaniards are against the Spaniards."

The Spaniards have evacuated Sidi, aided by warships. The crews suffered heavy losses, part of the carrion were taken prisoners, the losses of the Spanish Marines were particularly heavy.

Fighting continues in other regions. The Spaniards occupying Mount Asalayán and encircling the forces at Navox.

Five Killed in Auto Crash.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 27.—One family was wiped out when five persons were killed and another mortally injured in an automobile accident here today. The automobile collided with a shuttle car. The dead: John M. Francyk, his wife, their 10-month-old baby, a 10-year-old daughter of Mrs. Francyk, and Mrs. Anna Brannoff, Max Brannoff, husband of the dead woman, is expected to die.

Dr. O. Welfare Council Meets.

P. H. Frankel will address the Postoffice Welfare Council, which will meet this morning at 10 o'clock in the conference room of the department building. Provision of a sick room and employment of a trained nurse to care for sick employees will be discussed.

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BIRTHDAY
BULLETIN

Col. PERCY MOREAU ASHBURN, prominent army medical officer and author of several medical books, who is today celebrating his forty-ninth birthday. During the war Col. Ashburn commanded the Medical Officers' Training Camp at Fort Benjamin Harrison.

In recognition of the service he rendered the army since entering it in 1903, Col. Ashburn was appointed president of the special mission to study tropical diseases in the Philippines after the Moro had been subdued.

He was also a member of the commission sent to Liberia. His books on army hygiene and tropical diseases are regarded as authoritative. He is now at Carlisle, Pa., serving as commander of the Army Field Service School there. His local address is the Prince George apartments.

ROTARIANS HEAR
ROCK CREEK PLANS

Golf Course to Be Among Improvements Added to Park.

Assembled under the shade of the historic cabin of the late "Poet of the Sierras" Joaquin Miller, in Rock Creek Park, members of the Washington Rotary Club yesterday afternoon were told how Rock Creek Park was originally intended to be the site of a summer home for the President of the United States, by Col. C. O. Sherrill, in charge of public buildings and grounds.

Armed with a quantity of interesting data concerning the park, Col. Sherrill pleased the Rotarians by telling them of a number of contemplated improvements at Rock Creek, including the building of a golf course fronting the Walter Reed side.

"Charles C. Glover, chairman of the board of the United States National Park, I find, is probably more than any other single man responsible for the development and acquisition of Rock Creek Park by the government," said Col. Sherrill.

Members of the Navy, Denby and Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary, were two other celebrities who augmented the group of Rotarians at their weekly frolic.

The speeches were interspersed by entertainment furnished by the Macon Jubilee Singers, W. Brooke Johns and Bob Foster, who gave a number of banjo selections, and the Misses Phyllis Everett and Ardis Reed, who delighted the Rotarians with a bit of aesthetic dancing.

E. H. Johannes, had charge of the program yesterday which was voted one of the most entertaining yet enjoyed by the local businessmen. E. L. Stock, governor, Fifth Rotary district, was tendered an ovation when he arrived. Stock has just returned from the Rotary convention held in Scotland.

Charles W. Semmes, president, announced that Rotarian Walter Weaver was suffering from a broken leg at the Emergency Hospital.

HIGH DIVER FALLS
96 FEET UNHURT

"High Up" Bill Kline, high diver with the Gleebo Carrel, which is showing on the lot adjacent to the Union Station under the auspices of Costello Post, American Legion, narrowly escaped death last night when a guy rope on a huge ladder broke hurling him 96 feet into a small tank of water.

Kline, who was rendered unconscious by the fall, was rescued from the tank by John W. Berry, another showman. First aid treatment was administered and in a short time Kline regained consciousness and was found to be unhurt.

LENGTHY RECORD
OF BREAKS LAID
AT NEGRO'S DOOR

Police Say Arthur Flem-
ming Was King of Dis-
trict Key Workers.

SOME LOOT FOUND

Arrested on Return Here
From Excursion to
Atlantic City.

Washington's housebreaker, who has led District police about the city on a trail of numerous robberies for the past three months, is believed captured in the arrest of Arthur Foley Flemming, colored, 22 years old, of 2223 Cleveland street northwest, and the mystery solved in the uncovering of approximately \$1,000 worth of loot, consisting of jewelry, clothing and small articles, in his home.

Flemming was taken into custody Sunday night as he stepped from a returning Atlantic City excursion train at the Union Station by Detective Sergeants Thompson, Embury, Flaherty, Cornwell, Pratt and Dar-nall.

Police are of the opinion that the arrest is the most important one made in the District for some time. For three months headquarters police have been baffled with mysterious housebreaking cases and they are of the belief that the majority of unsolved robberies of this kind were performed by the accused.

Carried Many Keys.

The negro, police assert, is a professional in the game, having been indicted by the grand jury last fall for three cases of a similar nature. At that time he was released on \$1,500 bond, but instead of appearing for sentence, police assert, he entered his old profession. Detective Thompson credited Flemming with being able to open practically every door lock with the large variety of keys he carried.

When taken into custody Flemming had a small portion of the loot in his possession. Most of the loot was located at his home. Police believe he disposed of a large quantity during his recent visits to Atlantic City and New York.

Admits Four Breaks.

The negro admitted breaking into the homes of four persons who have identified portions of the "looted" goods. He would give no information relative to the unidentified goods in his possession.

Flemming admitted entering the home of Rudolph G. Coldenstreich, apartment 47, 1325 Belmont street northwest, on April 24, and after ransacking the personal effects of the occupants, taking the home at \$100. He admitted breaking into apartment 47, 1322 Belmont street northwest, occupied by Eugene Sarkall and gathering up \$200 worth of goods on July 22. Flemming admitted entering the home of Arthur L. Mundo, apartment 3, 1321 Belmont street northwest, and making a get away with \$200 worth of loot.

On all occasions Flemming claimed the occupants of the places robbed by him were away at the time. He told police his system was to ring a bell and if no one responded he would open the door if possible and always managed to get away before the occupants returned.

GEN. WOOD CABLES
REPORT TO WEEKS

Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood and W. Cameron Forbes, President Harding's special commissioners investigating conditions in the Philippine Islands, cable a preliminary report yesterday to Secretary of War Weeks.

Secretary Weeks would not discuss the nature of the report and turned it over to the President. He admitted, however, that there was the cabigram an indication of what the final recommendations of the commissioners would be as to the future political status of the Islands.

Although Secretary Weeks would not discuss the trend of the message, the feeling is growing that the American commissioners will report the Philippines to be making great progress in national development, but not ready for independence.

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