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Large Punch Bowl

With Pedestal and 6 Glasses; Worth \$1.75. Special Monday for

Gracefully designed, well-built DRESSER, quartered oak finish, instead of snaped French plate mirror; turned standard; worth \$15.50. Regularly \$24. Reduced to.....

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One of the handiest Punch Sets you have ever seen. Large Punch Bowl with pedestal and six Claret Cups with handles, all made of the finest American cut glass, cut in a new and pretty scroll pattern (not like illustration). These Punch Sets will compare with any that are sold regularly in the exclusive stores for \$1.75. Our special Monday.....

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\$9.75

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GENERAL NEWS GATHERED ON THE RIVER FRONT

Travel to the resorts along the lower Potomac continues heavy for this late in the summer, and it now looks as if the summer outing season on the river will be prolonged into September instead of ending about Labor day, as has been the custom in past years. The season was very late in starting, and at many of the resorts it is as though it would be a dismal failure until the latter part of July, when the movement to the river resorts started, and has been continued since. Many Washington families own cottages at Colonial Beach or at other points on the Potomac, and they make their homes in them from early in the season, but this year, in consequence of the cold weather of June, they did not go away from the city until July. They were soon followed by the summer boarders, who spend from a week to a month on the lower Potomac. Within the next two weeks the tide of travel will start homeward, and the incoming steamers will be as heavily laden with passengers as they are now on their outgoing trips.

Three big vessels are lying at the local ice wharves discharging cargoes of refrigerating material for use in this city. The new schooner, Elisha Adams, is discharging her cargo at the 14th street wharf of the American Ice Company, and the schooners Edwin H. Hunt and William P. Tanner, which arrived here Friday, are at the 14th street wharf of the company to unload. The three vessels have aboard, it is estimated, more than 5,000 tons of natural ice cut from the fields of Maine during the past winter. The Tanner and Hunt, after discharging their cargoes, will be taken to Georgetown to load for Boston, and the Adams will tow light to Baltimore and will load coal there for a New England port. Arrived—Schooner Lulu M. Quillan, at Alexandria; glass making sand for the bottle manufacturing plants, buoyage Eleanor Russell, cord wood from a river point for the dealers; tug Minerva, towing five sand and gravel laden lighters from a down-river point; schooner William C. Tanner, ice from a Maine point for the American Ice Company; schooner Mary Ann Shea, pine lumber for the dealers; barge Farmer's Friend, cedar posts from Farmington, at Alexandria; buoyage Ella Wood, grain from a river point for the dealers on the Eastern branch; tug Dixie, towing barges Overbrook and Maknolla from Baltimore for Georgetown; schooner J. H. Bradford, lumber from a river point, down the river, from Marshall Hall to dealers.

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at the wharf. The schooner M. F. Culver, with melons aboard, is expected to arrive here early this morning, and several other vessels will come in today and tonight in time for the market tomorrow.

An application having been filed by William Harrison, now of Alexandria, with the District Commissioners for a license to operate a merry-go-round on the vacant premises at Minnesota avenue and Harrison street, Anacostia, half a dozen protests have been made in opposition to the proposed action. The residents state they fear the quietude of the residential section, where it is proposed to station the merry-go-round, will be seriously disturbed if the license is issued, and the petitions that are being circulated in opposition are being largely signed. The application of Mr. Harrison was referred to the police department for a report as to whether the necessary signatures had been secured by him to his paper. The police have certified that the number required by the regulations has not been procured.

The inspection of winter uniforms for members of the police department who are serving in the Anacostia precinct took place yesterday in the station house. The mounted officers were required to be present and have their equipments passed upon. The intention of the department being to cause fittings that are not up to the standard to be replaced by new ones. Inspector Francis E. Cross was the officer before whom the muster was made, and twenty-three policemen passed in review before him.

Miss Malvina V. Robey of this place has sold to Mr. William Scantlebury, Jr., a former resident, lots 18 and 19, block 5, along Minnesota avenue. It is the intention of Mr. Scantlebury to build a residence there.

Miss Ethel McLanahan has gone to Strasburg, Va., to remain several weeks, following a visit to Colonial Beach. She was joined there yesterday by Miss Lorena Cropp.

Among those who left Anacostia yesterday

for Piney Point to spend several weeks are Mr. and Mrs. James W. Bartley and Messrs. William Huhn, Albert Scott and Truman Lohr.

The officials of the Anacostia Baptist Church, the pastorate of which was made vacant through the resignation of Rev. Hiram M. Green, have decided to issue a call for a congregational meeting to take place two weeks from today, when a selection will be made of a new pastor. In the meantime Rev. J. R. Edwards of Henderson, N. C., will fill the pulpit.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Garden Memorial Presbyterian Church gave a picnic to Great Falls last Wednesday. Miss Emma Baldwin of Sudbury, Mass., who has been visiting Mr. Thomas E. Allen, her uncle, on Jackson street, has returned to her home.

Dr. William A. White, the superintendent of the Government Hospital for the Insane, near Anacostia, yesterday sailed on the Zealand from New York for a tour of Europe. He will land at Naples and will proceed to the principal European cities. He will return by way of Naples and will reach here before the flag is now run to the top of which the flag is now run each day. Repairs are being made to the stable in the building, and the house will be painted on the interior soon. It is understood.

A sewer is being laid in Morris road from Spring street eastward.

Police Sergeants C. A. Stevens and J. W. McCormick, who were absent from duty through personal illness, the latter having been injured by a horse, have returned to duty.

A number of Anacostians yesterday re-

turned from Piney Point, where they have been spending the summer, to the city. Among them were N. B. Scott, Patrick Barrett, Shriver King, Louis Bicks, Walter Scott, Gordon Darling and Mrs. Samuel Phillips and family and Mrs. Edward Wyle.

TRIBUTE OF RESPECT.

A tribute of respect to the memory of Gen. William Birney and a taken of appreciation of his life work was adopted last evening by the officers of the United States Historical Society. The obsequies over the remains of Gen. Birney were held yesterday afternoon and later in the day the action by the officers of the historical organization was taken. For several years the deceased was a member of the executive committee of the society and always took a deep interest in its work.

On motion of Mr. Harry A. Colman, president of the United States Historical Society, resolutions were adopted reciting the great loss the association and the country had sustained in the death of the distinguished man, who had always labored for humanity and the common weal. It was also recited that he had ever been an ardent advocate of truth, history, better educational facilities and the proper and sane celebration of patriotic holidays and the memorable anniversary of the birth of Lincoln, McKinley and other distinguished Americans.

Capt. Homer J. Locking, secretary of the organization, was instructed to spread the resolutions on the minutes of the society.

Miss Bertha Odenwald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman G. Odenwald of Laurel, Md., was married Thursday night to Mr. Francis de Vouges, formerly of Annapolis Junction, but now of Laurel.

ALL LEARN FOR PEACE

Hague Conference Approves Reduction of Armaments.

BUT THEY DON'T REDUCE

Choate Writes a Touching Letter to Nelidoff.

ALL AGREE IN PRINCIPLE

And Then Sir Edward Fry Shows How Military Expenditures Are Constantly Increasing.

Special Telegram to The Star.

THE HAGUE, August 17.—The conference closed its fourth plenary session in two months with the unanimous adoption of the following resolutions: "The conference confirms the resolution adopted by the conference of 1899 in regard to the limitation of military expenditure, which has considerably increased in nearly every country since that year. The conference declares it to be highly desirable that the governments represented should resume the serious study of this question."

In order to obtain unanimous acceptance of the British government's long-proposed action had to be reduced to an expression of this modest hope, yet the calmer heads among the delegates were fully content that the subject passed successfully through the assembly as it did.

The resolution obtained the support of America in the following letter from Mr. Choate to Count Nelidoff, the president of the conference: "In the course of the negotiations preceding the present conference the American government thought it to be its duty to reserve the opportunity to raise here the important question of the limitation of armaments in the hope that it would advance the realization of the elevated conception which inspired the Emperor of Russia in his first appeal. Regretting that no progress in the direction indicated by his imperial majesty has been made till this moment, we are happy to think that there is no intention on the part of the nations to abandon this effort, and we wish to be allowed to express our sympathy for the hope expressed by the British delegation and support their proposal."

Suggests Mutual Notification.

France and Spain having supported the proposition, a letter was read from the Argentine and Chilean delegations supporting the resolution and recalling the fact that they are the only powers who, by a mutual convention, restricted their increase of armaments.

Sir Edward Fry, the head of the British delegation, in the course of a speech proposing the resolution pointed out that the expenditure of European countries and the United States, excluding Turkey and Montenegro, for armies and navies had increased from 22,000,000 pounds sterling in 1890 to 32,000,000 pounds sterling in 1906. He announced that the British government authorized the following declaration:

"The government of Great Britain would be prepared annually to communicate to the powers who would do the same the program for the construction of new vessels to warrant the expenditure entailed in that program. This exchange of information would facilitate an exchange of views between the governments as to reductions which might be affected by mutual agreement. The British government believes that in this way an understanding might be reached as to the expenditure which states who agree to follow this course would be justified in providing for in their budgets."

CAUSES TROUBLE FOR TWO.

One Revolver Gets a Pair of Men in Serious Difficulty.

One revolver caused a peck of trouble in the southwest section of the city Friday night, both to the policemen to several citizens, and the same weapon put Lloyd Dixon and Philip Braxton behind the bars. Dixon was charged with assault with a dangerous weapon on George Brown, and Braxton was charged with carrying the gun concealed in his pocket. To allow time for Brown to recover from the wound he received, the trial of the charge against Dixon was continued until next Thursday. Braxton was fined \$50 for carrying the gun.

The trouble began in a house near the corner of 24 and B streets southwest. Dixon called on a girl there, and her companion, including Brown, objected to Dixon, and he was ostracized. Resenting his treatment, he went to his home, procured his revolver and started out in search of Brown. They met at 24 and B streets, but when Brown saw the gun he did not stop to linger. While he was fleeing, it is alleged, he fired at him, the bullet striking him in the leg. Brown was later removed to the Emergency Hospital.

Braxton was nearby, and to prevent further trouble for Dixon he took the gun away from him and put it in his own pocket. Policeman Pierces, who was on duty at the time, went to the scene of the shooting, and he saw the culprit in Braxton's coat and took him into custody. Braxton denied any knowledge of the shooting before the gun was found on him, but after his arrest he gave the information which led to Dixon's arrest.

"You concealed information from the police, as well as the gun," commented Judge O'Neal. "Fifty dollars fine."

IN MEMORIAM.

In fond and loving remembrance of our dear friend, ELIZABETH C. BARKER, who fell asleep in Jesus one year ago—August 18, 1906.

"Sorrow not, even as them which have no hope." "Alone unto our Father's will." "One thought has reconciled." "Till He who dwells in the Father's house has taken home His child."

BY HER AUNT, P. E. AND M. F. BARKER.

BRADKAMP. In loving remembrance of my dear mother, ELIZABETH BRADKAMP, who died five years ago tomorrow, August 18, 1902.

Gone, but not forgotten.

BY HER DAUGHTER, MAMIE A. SCOTT.

MILLS. In loving and sad remembrance of our dear friend, JAMES L. MILLS, who fell asleep in Jesus two years ago today, August 18, 1905. God takes the loved ones from our homes, but never from our hearts.

BY HER LOVING AUNT ROSE AND UNCLE FRANK.

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called. Brownie, who is only eight, lifted a full-sized brick and threw it at the judge. "He hit me with that," explained Brownie, and to impress the judge still more he pointed to a large plaster on the top of his head.

"Brownie is only eight years old. Would you hit a boy fourteen years old?" the two-year-old defendant was asked by the judge.

"Nope," he replied, and there was no hesitancy about it.

"Why not?" asked the judge.

"Cause he's bigger than I am," replied Jerry.

"That shows you are a coward," commented the judge.

"I only hit him once with the brick," Jerry then hastened to say.

Judge DeLacy's sentence in the case contained three distinct parts. First, Jerry was ordered to pay \$5 fine, then he was ordered to be on probation for a month, and last but not least, Jerry's father was ordered to punish Jerry with a rod.

BORN.

SMITH. On Wednesday, August 14, 1907, to Mr. and Mrs. H. Hume Smith, a son.

DIED.

BRYAN. Suddenly, at 2 p.m. August 16, 1907, at his residence, 1815 14th street northwest, Monday, August 19, at 9:30 a.m. Remains will be interred at Bethel, Md.

DALTON. On Saturday, August 17, 1907, at 4:50 a.m. THOMAS DALTON, beloved husband of Eliza Dalton, died at his residence, 1815 14th street northwest. Funeral from the residence of his parents, 505 13th street southeast, Monday, August 19, at 3 p.m. Interment at Oak Hill cemetery.

DICKSON. On Friday, August 16, 1907, at 2:30 a.m. JOHN R. DICKSON, superintendent of Baltimore Dock Station, National cemetery, D. C. member of Fullerton Post, No. 2, Grand Army of the Republic. Funeral from the residence of his parents, 505 13th street southeast, Monday, August 19, at 3 p.m. Interment at Oak Hill cemetery.

EDER. On Friday, August 16, 1907, at 6:40 p.m. CONRAD EDER, at his residence, 622 New Jersey avenue northwest. Funeral services at the home on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

FREEMAN. On Friday, August 16, 1907, at 6:15 a.m. GEORGE A. FREEMAN, son of George and Lillian M. Freeman, died at his residence, 3315 O street northwest. Funeral from the home at 10 a.m. (Baltimore papers please copy.)

LOVELESS. On Friday, August 16, 1907, at 8:30 a.m. at her residence, 928 Pennington street, Brightwood Park, LUCINDA, widow of the late James A. Loveless. Funeral services will be held at Church of the Nativity, Brightwood, Monday morning, August 19, at 9 o'clock. Interment Glenwood cemetery.

MERRITT. On Friday, August 16, 1907, at Mount Pleasant Lake Park, WILLIAM ALLISON MERRITT, in his thirty-third year. Funeral services at his late residence, 203 8th street northeast, Monday, August 19, at 2 p.m. Interment private. (Baltimore Sun please copy.)

MILLS. On Saturday, August 17, 1907, at 9:00 a.m. at her residence, 1225 C street southwest, MARY M. widow of the late Joseph H. Mills. Funeral Monday, August 19, at 2:30 p.m. Interment Rock Creek cemetery.

MORTON. On Friday evening, August 16, 1907, at her residence, 3084 F street northeast, ALICE LINE MORTON, daughter of the late William and Isabella Morton. Funeral from the chapel in Oak Hill cemetery Monday, August 19, at 11 o'clock a.m. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend. (Baltimore papers please copy.)

O'LEARY. Departed this life on Friday, August 16, 1907, at 4:30 p.m. ISABELLA MARY O'LEARY, widow of the late Timothy O'Leary, widow of the late Timothy O'Leary, 1116 26th street, near the corner of St. Stephen's Church, 21st and Pennsylvania avenue, Monday, August 19, at 8:30 a.m. Friends and relatives invited.

SCOTT. Departed this life on Thursday, August 15, 1907, at 10 o'clock a.m. at his residence, 224 24th street northwest, in the full triumph of Christian faith, WILLIAM SCOTT. He was the beloved husband of Adella and father of Miss Scott. Funeral from Zion Baptist Church, F street southwest, on Sunday, August 18, at 1 o'clock p.m., under the auspices of Rising Sun Lodge, No. 1, O. O. F. of O. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

SMITH. On Saturday, August 17, 1907, at 8:40 p.m. ALICE CHARLOTTE MELBURN SMITH, at the residence of her brother-in-law, R. J. Bright, 238 Maryland avenue northeast. Notice of funeral hereafter.

SPINDLER. On August 16, 1907, at 2 p.m., after a short illness, WILLIAM ADOLPH SPINDLER, infant son of Gustave J. and Alice E. Spindler, aged seven months and nine days. Funeral services at the residence, 422 M street northwest, Monday, August 19, at 2 p.m. Interment private.

WEAVER. Departed this life on Friday, August 16, 1907, LEAH WEAVER, beloved wife of George W. Weaver. Funeral from the residence of his niece, Nettie Brodale, 1209 C street southeast, thence to Ebenezer M. E. Church, corner 4th and D streets southeast, Monday, August 19, at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

WILLIAMS. CAROLINE MARIA, wife of Charles Williams, and mother of Miss Mary Williams, Ball, Cora Mason, Samuel, Joseph and Maggie Williams, departed this life suddenly Saturday, August 17, 1907, between the hours of 10 and 11 a.m. Funeral from Zion Baptist Church, Monday, August 19, at 1 o'clock. Friends invited. (Baltimore, Boston, Chicago and Providence papers please copy.)