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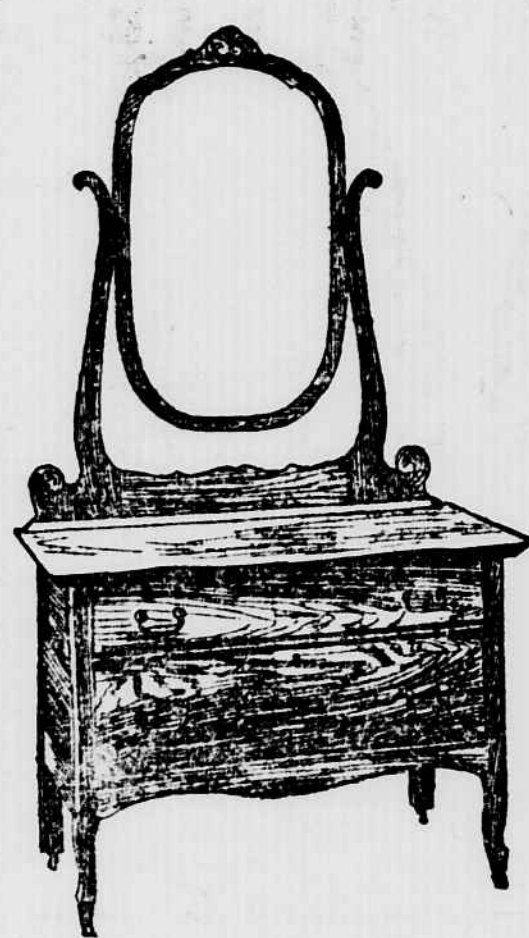


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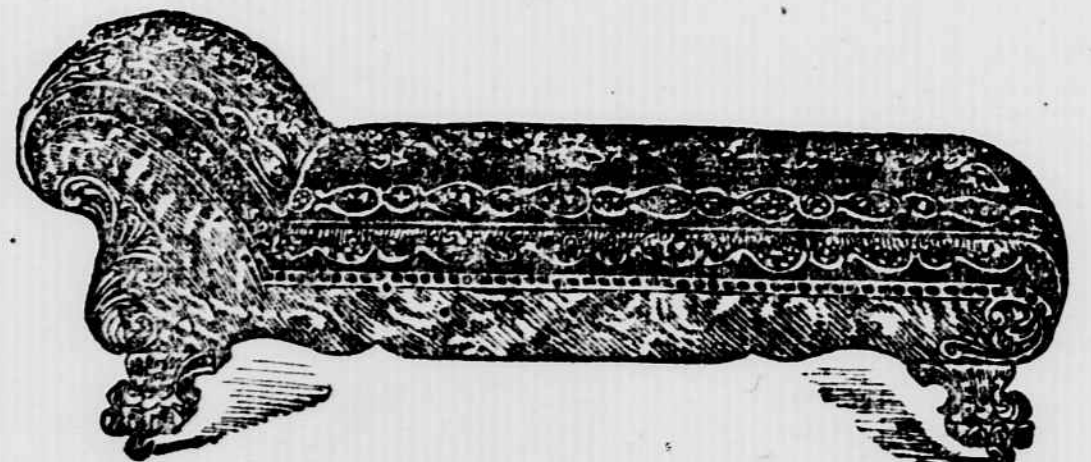
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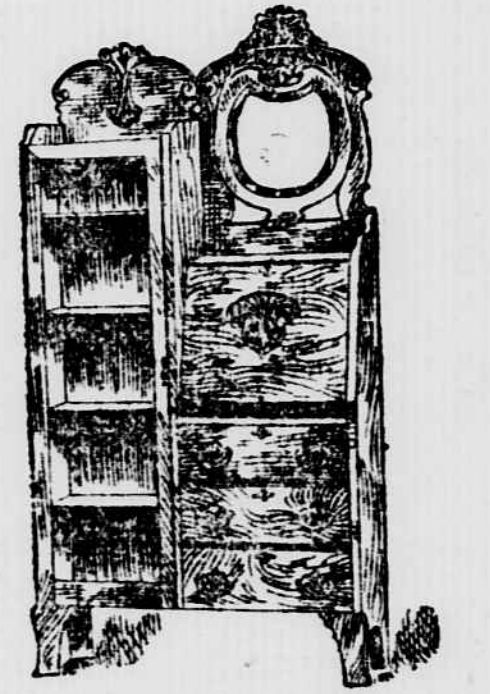


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### TO HOLD MASS MEETING.

#### Local Democrats Make Plans for a Big Rally.

The democratic central committee of the District of Columbia has planned to hold a big mass meeting in Convention Hall, between October 12 and 13, to ratify the nomination of Bryan and Kern. The time of holding the meeting, it was explained last night, will be contingent on securing speakers of national repute. It was at first the expectation of the

local democrats that William J. Bryan could be induced to speak here, but this is now considered impossible, as he is so much in demand in the states. Those who are named as probable speakers at the ratification meeting are Judge Parker of New York, Representative Swanson and Senator Daniel of Virginia, and Senator Isidore Rayner of Maryland. A telegram was sent to Norman E. Mack, chairman of the democratic national committee, at Buffalo, last night, requesting him to furnish orators for the meeting. A reply is expected tomorrow.

### FLOURISHES A REVOLVER.

#### Policeman Grant Prefers Charge Against John M. Gormley.

John M. Gormley, twenty-six years of age, a resident of Chevy Chase, was charged yesterday by Bicycle Policeman Grant of the third precinct with carrying concealed weapons. The policeman was detailed in the vicinity of Pennsylvania avenue and 7th street to see to the enforcement of the law regarding Pennsylvania avenue as one street, and alleged

that he found Gormley exhibiting a weapon that was not loaded. The policeman says Gormley was under the influence of liquor and flourished the revolver while in a saloon near the market. The incident created excitement, the persons who witnessed it not knowing the revolver was not loaded. Gormley deposited \$50 collateral at the police station for his appearance in the Police Court tomorrow. In London more fires occur Saturday than on any other day of the week, and more in August and December than in any other months.

### NOTED NAVAL OFFICER DIES

#### JOHN B. BERNADOU SUCCUMBS TO KIDNEY TROUBLE.

Was Known as the Father of Smokeless Powder—Hero of Spanish-American War.

Commander John B. Bernadou, naval attaché at Rome and Vienna and one of the most efficient and popular officers in the American Navy, died yesterday at the Naval Hospital in New York, where he had been for some time under treatment. The fatal malady was kidney trouble. Commander Bernadou was known as the father of the smokeless powder in the American Navy, and he was the officer who ran the torpedo boat Winslow in under the guns of Cardenas in one of the first engagements of the war and barely escaped with his life and vessel. Bernadou, then a lieutenant, was assigned to the command of the Winslow in December, 1897, after having served several months as ordnance officer at the Columbian iron works in Baltimore. The attack on Cardenas was made on the night of May 11, 1898, and for his "valiant and conspicuous conduct in that engagement" he was later advanced ten numbers in grade. During this engagement the Winslow's steering gear was crippled and she became unmanageable. Bernadou continued in the fight with his little ship, however, until the shore batteries were silenced. He was slightly injured by a flesh wound in the left thigh by a piece of shrapnel from the shore guns. Ensign Hartley, who was executive officer of the boat, was killed during the engagement. He was the only officer of the American Navy killed during the Spanish-American war.

Smokeless Powder Achievement. Bernadou's notable development of smokeless powder was accomplished while he was yet a junior lieutenant. He was born in Philadelphia in 1856 and entered the Naval Academy in 1876. He was promoted through the ensign grade to junior lieutenant in 1892. He developed a special ability in the ordnance line and in 1894 he was assigned to the torpedo station at Newport, where he remained three years. His long tour of duty there was due to his work on smokeless powder, which he took up shortly after reaching that station. During this time his knowledge of chemistry and mechanics resulted in greatly improved methods for the production of smokeless powder in this country. According to the official reports, to him is due, more than to any other officer in the navy, the development and adoption of smokeless powder. He was transferred from Newport to the Columbia iron works in August, 1897, but his powder was not adopted till just after the Spanish war. The department was severely criticized during the war by ordnance experts for not having adopted this powder before the war came on, as its use would, they believed, have made the war even of shorter duration.

Assigned to Ordnance Bureau. Owing to the wounds he received at Cardenas and his ship being laid up for repairs Bernadou was withdrawn from the front in August, 1898, and assigned to the ordnance bureau, where he served until the following June. It was when on this detail that the young officer impressed Secretary of the Navy Long with the merits of smokeless powder. After that Bernadou steered on the Indiana, Kentucky and Dixie up to his promotion to lieutenant commander, in February, 1902. For two years he then served in the office of naval inventions, which fitted him for his later duty in the foreign diplomatic service. In 1904 he went to the Kearsarge as naval attaché, and was on that ship when the explosion of powder in her ammunition hoist occurred during target practice off Guantanamo. That was in August, 1906. The following August he was detailed to the Naval War College for a tour of duty. He was sent to Rome and Vienna January 21, 1907, and was slated for the detail as executive officer of one of the battleships upon their return next February.

Interment at Arlington. Commander Bernadou's remains will be interred in the National cemetery at Arlington with full military honors. Funeral services will be held at St. Paul's P. E. Church, 23d street, near Washington Circle, Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. A battalion of marines, headed by the full Marine Band, will escort the funeral party to the cemetery, and a squad of bluejackets will serve as body bearers. The following named officers of the navy will serve as pallbearers: Rear Admiral R. P. Rodgers, Commanders W. S. Sims, F. C. Bowers, C. M. Knepper and J. L. Jayne and Prof. P. R. Alger.

### DISCUSS SCHOOL CHILDREN

#### SPEAKERS BEFORE EDUCATION ASSOCIATION GIVE FIGURES.

Health Officer of the District of Columbia Delivers an Address. Exchange of Views.

A feature of the session last evening of the eleventh annual conference of the Eastern Public Education Association was the address of Health Commissioner Thomas Darlington of New York city, who declared that more than 70 per cent of all the children examined in New York city schools show evidence of physical abnormality, the defects being mostly remedied when placed under proper treatment. Dr. Darlington suggested that it is of prime importance to the state that its citizens should not be weaklings or degenerates, and that future generations should not be born of parents who bequeath them a legacy of physical weakness. Dr. Darlington said that during 1907 4,625 children were excluded from school attendance for varying periods of time for contagious diseases, and out of 141,008 children examined 76 per cent were found to be suffering from non-contagious physical defects. He said he did not believe in taking the power from the parents to take care of and furnish medical treatment to a child against parental wishes. He declared that as a general rule, alert mentality does not co-exist with physical weakness or abnormality, and that in New York city alone he believed that most of the \$5,000,000 spent for one year's education of children, who fall to profit by it could have been saved by the investment of one-twentieth of that sum in proper and systematic physical examination of the children. No service which a municipality can offer can be of a higher type than this which assures to its children normal bodies and physical equalities," the speaker declared.

Address by Dr. Woodward. Dr. W. C. Woodward, health officer of the District of Columbia, spoke of the necessity for nourishment in order to bring out the best mental powers of school children. He said he believed in a thorough examination of the school and children by officials of the health office, but such inspection should be carried on in close touch with the school authorities themselves. Too much attention is paid to collecting data without digesting it and putting facts to use, he remarked. He added that the force of health office education and able to apply facts to conditions as they find them. The speaker, so he said, does not believe in too paternal action by the government in feeding school children, as such should be left to the parents where possible, but that the authorities should see that the children get the food. In that way, according to the speaker, a much better and more effective generation of citizens would be raised. Dr. Woodward's talk was followed by a general discussion, in which a number of the members of the conference participated.

The next place of meeting of the conference has not yet been named, but will be determined later by the executive committee.

### SALES BY MOORE & HILL.

#### Alston Apartment House Among Recent Important Realty Transfers.

Several important realty transactions have been consummated recently by the firm of Moore & Hill, incorporated, one of the largest of the series being the sale of the Alston apartment house, 21st street between R and S streets northwest, which was announced yesterday. This building was erected by Harry Wardman from plans prepared by Architect Albert H. Beers. It is three stories in height and occupies a lot of a depth of nearly 100 feet, fronting 80 feet on 21st street. It contains twenty-one apartments, and the annual rent roll will be in the neighborhood of \$6,500. The price obtained for the property was about \$90,000. About six weeks ago Moore & Hill, incorporated, sold for the same owner the Alamo apartment house, located on 12th street northwest between M and N streets. The consideration in this transaction approximated \$75,000. During the week the firm sold for Franklin F. Sanner one of the new residences on Connecticut avenue extended, on the block north of the Connecticut avenue bridge. The price obtained was \$15,000. Other sales included on the Moore & Hill list are the following: 2435 Columbia road, Washington Heights, in connection with Ellerson & Wemple, to Maj. Porter, U. S. N. Price paid, \$11,000. For Dr. Lane, the house 1730 Q street northwest. The purchaser, Maj. E. H. Tillman, U. S. N., will occupy the house as his home. For H. S. Zimmerman, 1241 New Hampshire avenue northwest, for \$5,000. For Harry Wardman, 1385 Meridian street northwest, to G. H. Damon Young, for \$5,000. For John L. Warren, 2747 Macomb street, Cleveland Park. For Kennedy & Davis Company, 1744 and 1746 Lamont street, Mount Pleasant, the purchasers being Mr. Frank Dixon and Mr. Everett, respectively. For Charles F. Carst, attorney, premises 1703 18th street, to S. S. Milton. For Martin C. Hoff, 614 G street northeast. For Mrs. N. H. Watson, 411 22d street northwest. For 1810 North Capitol street, for A. S. J. Atkinson, for \$5,000. To Mrs. Harry L. Duley, 722 Harvard street. To Miss S. A. Gavin, 1340 K street southeast. To E. H. Thorp, 3021 Macomb street, Cleveland Park. To Miss M. E. Barter, 2945 Macomb street, Cleveland Park. For Wallace W. Chiswell, 1317 V street northwest.

### BOARD HOLDS MEETING.

#### Managers of Soldiers and Sailors' Home Transact Business.

Col. Thomas S. Hopkins, president of the board of managers of the Soldiers and Sailors' Temporary Home, 3d and C streets, presided at the board meeting last evening. He has just returned from a visit to his home state, Maine, and in an address to the meeting stated that conditions there were bad owing to the continued drought and the extensive forest fires. Capt. A. A. Maxim, superintendent of the home, submitted his report for the month of September. It showed that during that period 1,691 free meals were served to indigent soldiers, sailors and marines of the civil war and the war with Spain. For food, to the number of 1,691 admissions to the home and forty-one renewals. The proposed procurement of new mattresses for the beds in the institution was abandoned owing to the lack of funds. Capt. James E. McCabe, one of the members of the home, told of his visit to Pennsylvania and to William McKinley Post, G. A. R., at Canton, Ohio. The other members of the board present were: Col. B. F. Chase, vice president; Capt. Israel W. Stone, secretary; Rev. J. H. Bradford, chaplain; J. C. Clifford, S. W. Bunney, Col. J. Tyler Cowell, H. W. Burns, all of the G. A. R., and Isaac N. Dolph and Henry C. Porter of the Spanish War Veterans.

### CLOSE CALL FOR THREE.

#### Members of W. B. Sanders' Family Victims of Food Poisoning.

Canned shad roe served at the dinner table at the house of William B. Sanders, 227 Massachusetts avenue northeast, last evening, it is thought, came near causing the death of three members of the family. There were seven persons at the table, but only three of them partook of the canned roe. They were Miss Bertha Sanders, twenty-two years of age; John

W. Sanders, aged seventeen years, and his brother Robert, who is fifteen years of age. They became so ill that it was necessary to remove them to the Casualty Hospital, but the patients yielded to treatment and all were soon out of danger. Dinner was served about 6:45 o'clock, and when Robert became suddenly ill Dr. Medford was summoned to attend him. The physician diagnosed his ailment as ptomaine poisoning and advised the other members of the family to let the shad roe alone, but it was too late to give such advice. Miss Beatty and her brother John having already partaken of some of it. Dr. Medford obtained medicine from a neighborhood drug store and did what he could to relieve the one first taken ill, and before he had finished his treatment the others were requiring medical aid. When the two brothers and sister had become ill, Dr. Medford advised that they be removed to the hospital where all could get prompt attention. The police of the ninth precinct responded to a call for assistance and removed the trio of sick ones to the hospital. In a short while they were regarded as being out of danger. John Sanders returning home early in the night. It was announced that the other patients were out of danger soon after they reached the hospital, but they were detained for awhile.

There are now over 250,000 words in the English language acknowledged by the best authorities, or about 70,000 more than in the German, French, Spanish and Italian languages combined.

### MARRIED.

HAYES-LOWELL. At Baltimore, on Monday, July 6, 1908, by Rev. CAROLINE E. LOVELL, and Mr. LOUIS E. HAYES of Oakland, Md.

STOKES-LEE. At Cleveland, Ohio, on September 25, 1908, JOHN H. STOKES of Washington, D. C., and DELLA LEE of Ann Arbor, Mich.

### DIED.

ADAMS. Suddenly, on Friday, October 2, 1908, at 11:15 p.m., after a long illness, WM. H. BO. Infant son of Alfred T. and Mollie L. Adams (nee Cussler).

Furner. Died from his parents' residence, 210 14th street southwest, Monday, October 5, at 2:30 p.m.

BOHANNON. On Saturday, October 3, 1908, at 3:45 a.m., after a long illness, WM. H. BO. HANNON, beloved husband of Martha Bohannon, aged sixty-eight years.

Furner. Died at 2:30 p.m. from his late residence, 335 4th street southeast. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment private.

BOSTON. Entered into rest on Friday, October 2, 1908, at 3:45 a.m., at her residence, 1011 New Jersey avenue northwest, EMILY, the beloved wife of the late Richard W. H. Adams, sister of Ellen Smith and mother-in-law of Robert Adams.

Funeral from the Second Baptist Church, 3d street between H and I streets northwest, Monday, October 5, at 1 o'clock p.m. Friends are invited.

BRISCOE. On Thursday, October 1, 1908, at 12 p.m., after a long and painful illness, at his residence, 1301 14th street northwest, JAMES A. the beloved husband of Alice Briscoe (nee Womack) and devoted father of Ella Simms and grandfather of Juanita and Alfred Simms and uncle of Lizzie Ford, Ella and Arthur Sparrow and Blanche Berry.

"Weep not for me, wife and daughter, dear. I'm going to rest; you need not fear. In some way or other the Lord will provide. It may not be my way, but not be thy way. And yet in His own way the Lord will provide." FIVE AND TWO DAUGHTERS.

Funeral Sunday, October 5, at 2 p.m., from Lane C. M. E. Church, corner 14th and C streets northeast. Dr. C. A. Leftwich, pastor. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

CAMPBELL. On Thursday, October 1, 1908, at 6:30 p.m., at her residence, 18 9th street northeast, ROSALINE V., widow of Capt. Albert Campbell and mother of Robt. L. Campbell, in her sixty-seventh year.

Funeral from her late residence, Monday, October 5, at 10 a.m. Interment private, at Arlington. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

DUNN. Suddenly, on October 3, 1908, at 2:30 p.m., WILLIAM H., husband of Margaret Dunn (nee Stoker), son of Amos and the late P. B. Dunn, in his thirty-eighth year, at the residence of his mother, 215 12th street southwest.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

KIMMEL. Suddenly, on Friday, October 3, 1908, at 7:30 p.m., at No. 808 Louisiana avenue southeast, LEONARD KIMMEL.

Notice of funeral hereafter. (Baltimore papers please copy.)

NEACEY. Suddenly, on Friday, October 2, 1908, at 7:30 a.m., CATHERINE, widow of Thomas Neacey.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 2190 I. street northwest, on Monday, October 5, at 8:30 a.m. Requiem mass at St. Stephen's Church at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend. Interment at Mount Olivet cemetery.

BODRIGUEZ. On Sunday, October 4, 1908, at 12:30 a.m., at her residence, 1245 14th street northwest, MARY A., widow of Jose Ignacio Rodriguez.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

RYE. On Friday, October 2, 1908, at 11:30 p.m., M. JEANNETTE RYE, in her seventy-third year.

Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Goodall, 427 10th street southwest, Monday, October 5, at 2 p.m. Interment private. (Baltimore papers please copy.)

WILSON. On Wednesday, September 30, 1908, at 11:30 p.m., at her home, 2409 15th street, SUE E. WILSON, daughter of Leonard and Rachel Perry; beloved wife of Robert Wilson, and mother of Olive Wilson, Martin, Leonard and Robert Wilson.

Funeral services at Plymouth Congregational Church, corner 14th and P streets northwest, Sunday, at 2:30 p.m. Friends invited. 2

### In Memoriam.

BROWN. In sad but loving remembrance of my dear mother, MARTHA E. BROWN, who departed this life one year ago today, October 4, 1907.

Dearest mother, thou hast left me; Here the loss I deeply feel. But 'tis God who comforts me; He can all my sorrows heal.

BY HER DAUGHTER, JOSIE DANDRIDGE.

ECKLOFF. In sad but loving memory of our dear daughter and sister, MELOBA L. LOFF (nee Thomas), who departed this life eight years ago today, October 4, 1900.

Eight mournful years have vanished Since our darling died full of sin; But her voice seems sweetly saying, "Courage, we shall meet again."

BY HER DEVOTED MOTHER AND BROTHER WILLIAM.

WROOMAN. In fond and loving remembrance of a beloved son and darling brother, CHARLES CARROLL WROOMAN, who was translated on the threshold of his eighteenth birthday, three years ago today, October 4, 1905.

We think that our dear one is now waiting And watching from the battlements of heaven, While we, who longer wait, Shall tread the same path some day That leads up to the golden gate. And as our raptured spirits stand, Redeemed 'neath the celestial dome, We shall behold our darling Carroll's smiling face.

And hear his and our Savior's voice In a glorious welcome home.

FATHER, MOTHER, SISTER AND BROTHERS.

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