Among the guests of the 83d birthday celebration of the Association of Oldest Inhabitants last night were (left to right): Herbert P. Leeman, vice president of the association; Senator Wiley, Republican, of Wisconsin; the Rev. Charles T. Warner, rector of St. Alban's Protestant Episcopal Church; John Clagett Proctor, president of the association, and Brooke Johns, chair--Star Staff Photo. man of the Montgomery County Board of Commissioners.

ernment used to pay half the

expenses of running the District.

Mr. Proctor, carried away by the

carnation from a vase for each

## Spirit of Auld Lang Syne Rules Oldest Inhabitants' Anniversary Scranage, Clarence Solomon, Morris Stein, William H. Waters and

Southwest Yule Party her millions herself until she is 21.

Mrs. Tate became 18 shortly before

By George Kennedy

The Auld Lang Syne spirit ruled last night, as members of the Asso- In recent years the Federal share ciation of the Oldest Inhabitants dwindled to 10 per cent and last dined in the banquet room of the year was increased to a little old Italian Embassy at 2600 Six- above 12 per cent.) teenth street N.W. on the occasion A barber shop quartet, under the of the organization's 83rd birthday. direction of Jean M. Boardman. John Clagett Proctor, president, sang. Brooke Johns played the

recalled that, when he was married banjo. 61 years ago (Mrs. Proctor was sit- Former Police Inspector Richard ting at one of the tables), and moved H. Mansfield was about to go on into a little house on Meridian Hill with his chalk talk on "Those Were with no plumbing, gas or electricity, the Happy Days" when some one that a cornfield covered the site of told him he had two tickets on his the mansion in which they were car parked in the driveway. This dining. The house was built for disconcerted him so that he drove Mrs. Marshall Field and later be- off without drawing a picture. came an Embassy.

They heard Senator Wiley. Re- spirit of thee vening, read two publican, of Wisconsin introduce his original poems. Mrs. Marie C. Deal fourth address before annual ban-sang, accompanied by Mrs. Emily quets of the association with a reci- T. Thompson at the piano. tation of "How McAllister Danced The ceremony of drawing a white

The Senator advocated broaden- member who had died since the ing of the tax base for the District preceding banquet was repeated. rather than having to go to Uncle They were James H. Baden, Henry

Sam every year and to ask Uncle P. Blair, Harry C. Brooks, Edward to foot most of the bill."

G. Fowler, John A. Gallager, John G. Fowler, John A. Gallager, John heiress, who was married November \$900 Raised to Hold 30 to Lloyd Patrick Tate, North Carolina sportsman, cannot manage

More than \$900 of a \$1,000 fund her wedding. The estate is said to has been raised by Southwest approximate \$9,500,000. It is under jurisdiction of the Baltimore Orcitizens' and business groups for a phan's Court. big Children's Christmas Party, the Southwest Citizens' Association heard last night.

The citizens' group itself contributed \$50 to the fund, and other donations were received from individuals during the meeting in the Southwest Branch Library by Morris

Engel, chairman of the party.

The party will be held at 7 p.m. December 23 on the Jefferson Playinclude 10 professional acts, two Santa Clauses, a band and a 25-foot Christmas tree. About 2,000 children

are expected. New schools and a large stadium are being sought by the Southwest group. The recent Strayer Report on District Schools rated three in the Southwest Area near the bottom. They are Greenleaf, Fairbrother and Amidon Schools. The association wants these replaced. It also wants the proposed stadium built in the

Southwest section. The group also indorsed the District Recreation Board's position in its fight with the National Park Service over control of playgrounds

Pvt. Marshall H. Cook, Police Boys Club co-ordinator, announced the dedication at 3 p.m. Sunday of the new building for Police Boys' Club No. 4 at 816 Sixth street S.W. Frank M. Hurst, association pres-

ident, conducted last night's meeting.

### **Baltimore Bank Retains Reynolds Estate Control**

By the Associated Press BALTIMORE, Dec. 7.—Reappointment of the Safe Deposit & Trust Co. of Baltimore as guardian and trustee of the multi-million dollar estate of Anne Cannon Reynolds Tate was recorded here yesterday.

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