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ly enjoyed by all. We had three excellent papers, "Tests of Good Manners," by Mrs. Clark; "Mental Food for the Home," by Mrs. Munson, and "Greek Home Life," by Mrs. Reynolds, interspersed by ten minutes given to subject "House Keeping and Home Making," and ten minutes to witty sayings of little folks, after which we were treated to a delightfully dainty lunch by our kind hostess. It is the first time in the history of the club that we have been invited to the home of a non-member. The club has increased its membership list to thirty instead of twenty five members.

The Crescent Dining Hall is attracting the best patronage in the city by its excellent table and service; 1215 M st.

Mrs. Benham—Can't you put the baby to sleep, Henry?  
Benham—No; I'm no pugilist.

Ladies, attend the auction sale of pictures Saturday evening, February 13th, 7.30 o'clock, at the old Leming store, 1106 O street.

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The flat-hunter's heart sank.

"Yes," he murmured.

"Thank heaven!" exclaimed the janitor. "If there is one thing I adore it is children."

And then the flat hunter fainted.

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