



YOU'RE INVITED!

The Honorable Thomas Shannon, Honorary Bicentennial Chair
and DACOR President, in celebration of the DACOR Bacon House
Bicentennial, cordially invites you to attend:

A Carroll Family Musicale:

19th Century Parlor Music at the Mansion on F Street *featuring*
Washington Revels Heritage Voices

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2025 • 3:00 - 5:00 PM

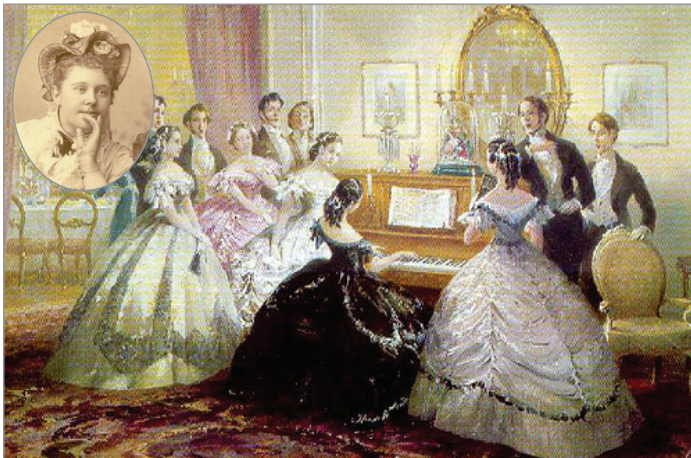
Christina Bussie
Soprano

Jennie Weyman
Soprano

Jim Lazar
Tenor

Harold Blackford
Bass

Francine Krasowska
Piano



Located two blocks from the White House at 1801 F St., DACOR Bacon House was known in the 19th century as the Carroll Mansion and was a festive gathering place of prominent Washingtonians. Music was often part of the festivities. On Sunday, October 5, the Washington Revels Heritage Voices will recreate parlor songs enjoyed in the House, taken from sheet music belonging to Alida Carroll, the youngest daughter of Sally and William Carroll. Alida was born in the house in 1844 and came of age during the Civil War years. She routinely played or accompanied singers on the Carroll family's Chickering piano.

A highlight of the afternoon will be a re-creation of the "Esterhazy Ripple," composed for Alida's older sister Sally,

who later married into European nobility and became Countess Esterhazy, a Washington Gilded Age society *grande dame*.

Also featured will be music of the Civil War era by Stephen Collins Foster, George Frederick Root, Walter Kittredge, and more. To honor the Mansion's workers, Heritage Voices will perform Irish airs, and African American songs that enslaved people in the house may have sung or known, drawn from "Slave Songs of the United States," the earliest compilation of African American spirituals, published in 1867.

Event includes performance and intermission with tea & sherry. In-person: DACOR member \$35; non-member \$45; free admission for children under the age of 18 accompanied by an adult. For further information, visit the DACOR Event Calendar: <https://tinyurl.com/w37tm5y5>

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