

SOCIETY

Mrs. Ben Lawson, formerly Miss Elizabeth Strother of Burlington, N. C., has been spending two weeks as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas...

The social affairs of the week will be concluded with the usual weekly dinner dance at the Commonwealth Club...

The regular Saturday evening hop will take place at the Country Club of Virginia this evening, and a number of dancing parties will precede the dance...

Mrs. Austin Brockmeyer, of South Third Street, entertained informally at cards on Thursday evening at her home in company with Mrs. Joseph...

Mrs. William Wilson Sale is chairman of the miscellaneous booth for the concert and tableau to be given by the War Relief Association of Virginia...

Mrs. Charles G. Basher will be at home informally to her friends at her home in West Franklin Street, on Saturday afternoon in company with...

The Alliance Francaise of Richmond held its regular meeting at the Art Club of Richmond this afternoon at 8 o'clock...

Mrs. Minnie Spawcok entertained at an informal dance on Wednesday evening at her home, 1306 Madison Avenue...

- Gray-Sholes. (Special to The Times-Dispatch) LYNCHBURG, VA., January 26.—Mrs. Florence I. Sholes, of Lynchburg, and Allen Gray, of Charlottesville, Ky., were married on Thursday at Lexington, Ky.

Miss Caroline Coleman is spending several days in New York City as the guest of friends.

Mrs. Beverly Taylor and her small daughter, of Tappahannock, are in Richmond for a short stay.

Miss Sallie Deane, of Park Avenue, has been the guest of Mrs. G. E. Christian in Henric County.

Misses Eliza and Anne Ingram, of Richmond, have been visiting friends in Ashland.

Mrs. Ellen Douglas Waldrop has returned to her home in Norfolk, after spending several days with friends in this city.

Miss Mildred Hart, of Ashland, is spending a week in Richmond as the guest of friends.

Mrs. R. G. Spindel, of Richmond, is visiting friends near Tappahannock for a short stay.

Charles Fleming, of Richmond, is spending a few days in Norfolk as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hughes.

Edward Howard has returned to Bristol, after a short stay with friends and relatives in Richmond and Ashland.

Wyatt Nolting, of Baltimore, who has been in Richmond for a brief stay, is now in Norfolk for several days.

There will be an important called meeting of the board of managers of the Virginia Home for Incurables this morning at 10:30 o'clock.

TO BUILD L THROUGH SURF Navy Department Plans Track for Salvage Operations From Wrecked Cruiser Milwaukee.

EUREKA, CAL., January 26.—The wrecked cruiser Milwaukee, before the sand swallows it up, will serve as the terminal of a temporary elevated railroad built out through the surf...

Lieutenant H. R. Bogush and the crew of the wrecked submarine H-3 were transferred to the cruiser Pueblo, on which they sailed for Mare Island...

FRENCH SHIP SOCOA LOST NEW YORK, January 26.—Rumors that the French steamship Socoa, last reported as leaving Cardiff on August 16 for an uncharted port, had been lost were confirmed today by Captain Y. Bertram, master of the French liner steamer Ohio, from Cardiff, who said the Socoa was torpedoed by a German submarine in the Mediterranean on August 25, 1916...

INAUGURAL CEREMONIES RESEMBLE CORONATION

Some Senators Express Themselves as Opposed to Pageant, Which Is Un-American and Un-American.

ALLOW \$25,000 FOR EXPENSES Indulge in Lively Talk About How Washington Talk Keepers "Rob" Visitors, Charging, in Some Instances, \$200 a Week for Room.

WASHINGTON, January 26.—The Senate voted favorably today on the \$25,000 appropriation for the inauguration expenses at the Capitol, but not until there had been some lively talk about how Washington talk-keepers "rob" visitors, and some observations that the inaugural ceremonies have come to resemble a coronation pageant.

When Senator Overman brought the resolution from the Appropriations Committee, Senator McChamber, Republican, suggested that it should include provisions to prevent talk-keepers from raising their rates. He said he had been informed by one hotel that a room for inauguration week would cost \$200.

"I'm not going to object to this resolution," said Senator Works, Republican, "but I would like to see a President inaugurated with appropriate ceremonies, suitable in a democracy. We are having a coronation every four years, and it is un-American and un-American, and I would like to see it abolished. There is no reason that such a ceremony as this should be conducted, and every reason that it should not. I should like to see the President himself declare against that sort of thing and protest against his inauguration being made a show of this kind. There is no occasion for the government of the United States to spend \$25,000 to provide a place for the inauguration. I should like to see the Senate raise its voice against it. It violates every principle of our government."

Senator Thomas, Democrat, expressed himself in accord with Senators McChamber and Works, and declared: "Old Spanish bucanons who sailed the Spanish main, flying the black flag of piracy and taking their lives in their hands to rob merchant ships, must see the happy successes of modern hotel proprietors on occasions of this kind, and the immunity from punishment they enjoy in prosecuting their business of plunder."

Senator Borah, Republican, observed that people who come to inaugurations do so with eyes open and pockets full for a good time.

Senator Sherman, Republican, observed he hoped that "this matter will be given wide publicity, so that certain of my constituents who may come here won't have to borrow money from me to get home."

Bible Class Smoker. Class No. 22, the Men's Bible Class of Seventh Street Christian Church, held the first of a series of smokers last night in the Sunday school room of the church. O. A. Hawkins is the teacher. A recent campaign added nearly 100 new members to the class.

Violated Child-Labor Law. A fine of \$25 was imposed yesterday in the juvenile and Domestic Relations Court on J. W. Fussell, charged with violating the child-labor law. A like charge against W. B. Elam & Co., Inc., was dismissed.

The Boy Scouts in Richmond and Virginia

Chief Louis Werner and Sergeant Bradley, of the Police Department, were the speakers at the patrol leaders' gathering on Thursday afternoon at the local headquarters. After speaking on the traffic laws and ordinances and how the Boy Scouts could assist the police, the discussion was thrown open and the boys thoroughly questioned the two officers. So interesting was the meeting, that, instead of closing at 6 o'clock, the usual time, the meeting ran on until 8:45.

Garrick Malory, Scout commissioner of Wilmington, Del., will be the next speaker before the patrol leaders. The subject will be signaling. The committee appointed by President Walford, of the Scout Masters' Club, to consider the advisability of adding a midwinter Scout rally met at local headquarters at 1 o'clock yesterday. Chairman George E. Governor, T. O. Heinrich, C. B. Poole, H. E. Callen and the Scout executive were present. The absent members were President Walford and R. N. Bass. The committee discussed the affair from every angle and decided on the main points, the details being held over until a meeting which is set for Monday at 2 o'clock.

Plans to attend the inauguration are developing nicely, and the Richmond Scouts are saving up their pennies to make the trip. Six Scouts from Troop 7, five from Troop 15, seven from Troop 47, three from Troop 14, ten from Troop 46, and thirty-two from Troop 6 expect to attend.

The moving picture entitled "The Scout at the Bluff," Junior High School on February 19 at 8 o'clock. This will be the second grand council held this season, the first one being held at the John Marshall High School. Every Scout will be admitted free. At this meeting Dr. Douglas Freeman will present the banners and pennants to the troops having the highest percentage during the month of January. President Colin H. Livingston's message will also be read.

Saturday, January 26, sixteen boys of Troop 18, in charge of Scout Master Ralph Dudley, assisted by Mr. Sladd and Mr. Adair, left their headquarters. The Second Presbyterian Church at Fifth and Main Streets, at 2:30 o'clock for an afternoon hike.

Taking a dinner Park car at Fifth and Broad Streets and disembarking at a point where the car leaves the park, they struck across country going east by the Bluff. Junior High School's house, back of which they hit an old trail leading to Mineral Springs. Under the direction of Mr. Sladd nine boys took their trail requirement for second class and five boys were given their cooking test for second class by Mr. Adair, after which fires were started and supper cooked and eaten with much relish. Then all the troop participated in games and told stories around the campfire.

About 6 o'clock the homeward hike began, a number of the troop taking the running test on the return trip. All reached home about 7:20 o'clock.

BOY SCOUTS ACT AS PALLBEARERS AT FUNERAL

Minnie Leigh Angle, Thirteen Years Old, Is Buried in Riverview Cemetery.

Members of Boy Scout Troop No. 25, acted as pallbearers yesterday morning at 11 o'clock at the funeral of Minnie Leigh Angle, the thirteen-year-old adopted daughter of the late Dr. S. B. Angle, of Main Street, at the home, 1620 Floyd Avenue, and the interment was made in Riverview Cemetery. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. Edward A. Moreley, two brothers, Clifford and William T. Angle, and one sister, Louise Angle. The pallbearers were Stewart Ragland, Scout master of Troop 25, and the following members of the troop: Robert Roberts, Randolph Hoque, Richard Florence, Joseph Montgomery, Alfred Sage, Harrison Rucker, Garland Pollard and Franklin Woodall.

FRANCE PLANS TO SPEND \$100,000,000 IN HOTELS

Enormous Influx of Tourists Expected to Invade Country After End of War.

AMERICAN AID IS DESIRED Publicity Campaign Begun Through Various National Bodies to Acquaint World With Movement to Inaugurate First-Class System.

NEW YORK, January 26.—Anticipation that after the war ends there will be an enormous influx of tourists to France to visit the invaded districts and scenic points, beside those who go to the industrial and commercial houses, plans are being made to spend \$100,000,000 in the construction and enlargement of hotels.

This is set forth in the fourth installment, made public today, of the report of the American Industrial Commission, sent to France by the American Manufacturers' Export Association.

A campaign of publicity has been begun through various national bodies, supported by the French government, it is stated, to acquaint the world with the movement to inaugurate a first-class hotel system in France, and to invite capital to take part in it. The hope has been repeatedly expressed, in a report, that a considerable proportion of this capital might come from America.

The American commission recommends, "That special study be made of a central purchasing department in a parent company, through which each hotel could buy equipment, furnishings, foodstuffs, etc., at bulk prices. This same study might include the saving that might be effected by building a number of hotels at the same time under one general contract."

The hotel training schools being established in France, in the belief of the commission, will be as important as the well-known industrial trade schools of France and other countries.

The report concludes: "We believe that a study of the best American standard practice in heating and ventilating, in electric installation and in elevator service, etc., could be made advantageously in the interests of economy and efficiency."

AMUSEMENTS

"Intolerance," Next Week. Monday night will be given at the Academy the first presentation in this city of D. W. Griffith's great spectacle, "Intolerance." There will be three nights and two matinee performances, beginning at 8:15 and 2:15 o'clock, respectively.

The motivating theme is one of the twentieth century, and realistically presents some striking phases of contemporary life. Running parallel with this are three other stories of earlier periods of the world's development. The older periods show medieval France during the reign of Charles IX, when his mother, Catherine de Medici, dominated his career; Jerusalem and other parts of Judea when the Nazarene taught, and Babylon when 525 B. C. when Belshazzar was overthrown by the Persian hosts under Cyrus the Conqueror. Like four currents, the four stories flow side by side. At first, with slow and solemn grandeur.

AUTOGRAPH LETTERS OF FAMOUS PEOPLE BOUGHT FOR CASH. Letters of celebrated poets, statesmen, generals and other famous men, especially wanted. P. E. MADDIGAN, 51 Fifth Avenue, New York.

WHY HAVE GRAY HAIR

Sunshine and Air and Q-Ban Will Quickly Restore Its Natural Color.

DON'T USE DYES

You Can Have Soft, Lustrous, Handsome Hair In Abundance Without Sticky or Dangerous Chemicals — "Back to Nature."

Of course, the use of dyes to darken gray hair is unpleasant and not in good taste—even dangerous, in fact. But since you want your color restored to gray or faded hair in a perfectly simple, beautiful, natural way, why should you have gray hair? Why should you?

Sunshine and air, the good gifts of Nature, combined with the use of Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer, the good gift of science, will bring back the natural color of your hair, naturally and pleasantly, and just as surely as it is true that sunshine and air are free. Thousands of the foremost people in this country have restored their hair's natural color and renewed their youthful look in just this way. It is nothing to be assumed of. Like the use of dyes, Nor does it arouse suspicion, as dyes do, by its unnatural appearance they give the hair.

All you need to do to gain rich and coveted beauty of hair, without a trace of gray, is to wet your hair with Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer, and when it is dry expose it to the free and pure sunshine and air, repeating this daily while your hair gradually and evenly returns to its original, uniform shade. Q-Ban does not prevent your hair from growing overnight, neither does it belong to dangerous dyes, sticky paints and takes. Q-Ban's work is safe, permanent and natural, and keeps the change from making you conspicuous. Your hair will become more glossy, lustrous, soft, abundant and captivating.

Ironclad Guarantee Q-Ban is all ready to use. It is not a dye. It is guaranteed to be harmless. A large bottle costs only 50c. It is the purpose. Your money back if not satisfied.

The secret of Q-Ban's wonderful results is the process of stimulation brought about by the exposure of your hair to the air and sunshine after it has been applied. This process makes it safe and sane and clean, and one reason for Q-Ban's tremendous popularity. Because of stimulations, Q-Ban is made from a scientific formula of glycerine, sweet, alcohol, olive oil, delicate perfumes, the discovery of great chemists. It is indorsed by Prof. Von Huber.

Put your hair to rest. Restore Q-Ban and sunshine and air to restore gray hair. "Back to Nature." Get Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer, or get any druggist's, or write to: Q-Ban, Inc., Memphis, Tenn., giving your druggist's name and address. Try Q-Ban Hair Tonic, Q-Ban Liquid Shampoo, and Q-Ban Toilet Soap. Also Q-Ban Depilatory (odorless) for removing superfluous hair. Instructive booklet, "Hair Culture," sent free.—Adv.

dear, but faster and faster as the play proceeds, and closer and closer together till, at the final climax they rush together. New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, San Francisco and Los Angeles are still dazzled by the stupendousness and the daring of D. W. Griffith's spectacle.

Howe's Pictures at the Academy. Among the features of the Howe Travel Festival, now being shown at the Academy of Music, is a pictorial record of the Mawson expedition to the Antarctic. Of particular interest in that film are the scenes taken at the windiest spot on earth, where men are shown actually leaving at an angle of nearly 45 degrees supported by the wind.

"Pretty Baby"—Good-By. There are only two more opportunities to see "Pretty Baby," the bright and very-much-advised musical comedy, in which Jimmy Rodgers is displaying his irresistible laugh-making talents at the Strand. It is the company's route list would allow, nothing would better please the management than a return engagement of this joyous frolic. For next week, the management of the Strand announces that Hill's cartoon comedy with music, "Hans and Fritz."

"A Daughter of the Gods." With two performances today, the engagement of the William Fox-Acting.

"Going up on High?" Better try the low gear first. The human engine must have the right kind of fuel-food. Power to do things comes from food that is rich in muscle-building material, that is easily digested. Shredded Wheat is a high-power food, the kind that fits a man or woman for the day's work—just enough muscle-making material, just enough heat-making material to keep the body in top-notch condition. Shredded Wheat is ready-cooked, ready-to-eat. Two Biscuits with milk make a nourishing meal at a cost of a few cents. Made at Niagara Falls, N. Y.

ette Kellerman picture. "A Daughter of the Gods" comes to a show at the Broadway Theatre. Throughout the week, large crowds have been attracted by the beauty of the picture and the natural wonders of the "locations" used, but more particularly by the attraction exercised by the famous diving woman who is starred in the production. In addition to Miss Kellerman, there are many other aquatic girls to lighten the appeal of the picture.

SUFFERED FOR FOUR YEARS

Tried Many Different Medicines, But Finally Found Relief in Cardui, Writes Texas Lady.

Palestine, Texas.—Mrs. Annie Wyrill, of this place, writes: "I suffered four years with female trouble. I tried all kinds of different medicines that was recommended me, but nothing gave me relief until I took Cardui."

I suffered with a trouble something awful. My back hurt me so bad I could not turn in the bed, and I was so weak I could hardly live, much less get around. If I tried to get about and do my work, I would begin to faint and have fainting spells. I got worse all the time and weaker, too.

My husband was worried to death and said something must be done. Just at that time a newish was passing the house. My husband went out and bought a paper from him. The first thing his eyes rested on was the Cardui ad. He immediately went to town and got a bottle. By the time I had taken a bottle and a half I could be on my feet. When I was on my fourth bottle I could do anything I wanted to and go anywhere. From that day to this I have never had any more trouble. I am entirely well."

Cardui, the woman's tonic, has been found to help relieve many of the conditions arising from female weakness. Try it, to-day. At your druggist's.—Adv.



KAUFMANN'S Clearance Sale in Boys' Hats

WE offer to-day several hundred Hats for boys at prices to clean them up.

\$1.00 Boys' Hats, 69c \$.50 Boys' Hats, 33c

At the lesser price there are Cloth Hats in pepper and salt and fancy mixtures; also, corduroys in tan, brown and blue. Nifty little Hats with straight and rolling brims, neatly banded, finished with buttons, etc.

At 69c there are White Plush Hats and Velvets, in black and blue, trimmed, with bands and neat ornaments; these for boys of one and two years. For boys of 4 to 10 years there are corduroys, plaids, checks and tweeds; also solid navy blues and a few Tams. Good qualities; every one at a distinct saving.

Mothers, give heed! T. 1-27-17.

Thalhimer Brothers White Goods That Have Won Quick Favor By Deserving It. Many new arrivals offered to-day for the first time. Luna Lawn, 17c. 36-Inch Shirting. In dainty stripes; durable and attractive, per yard, 15c and 10c. Mercerized Batiste. The ideal lingerie fabric for making infants' dresses; per yard, 10c, 25c, 35c and 75c. Cameo Brand Lady Cloth. Heavy quality. Specially priced at 15c yard. Madras for Waistings. 27 inches wide, in new and pretty designs, at 12 1/2 c yard. Bridal Suitings. Mercerized Linen Finish, an imported fabric with a lovely weave; per yard, 17c. Small, Large and Double Check Dimity and Flaxon. For Infants' Slips, at 12 1/2 c, 19c, 25c and 39c. White Crepe at 12 1/2 c and 15c Yard. 27 inches wide, an ideal fabric for women's underwear.

BREAD You Want the Best and Your MONEY'S WORTH. Order From Your Grocer. NOLDE'S Butter-Nut Bread It's Wrapped at the Bakers' in Wax Paper, 6c Per Loaf. Smaller Tip-Top Loaves, Unwrapped, 5c Per Loaf. QUALITY ALWAYS NOLDE BROS. To-Night's the Night-- Auto show opens. Grays' Armory, Richmond Automobile Club Night. All invited. Welcome by Mayor, 8 P. M. Fine time. Lively music. Bright lights. Gay scenes. Wonderful cars. Everybody's going. Be there. Bring Her. Chance to dance. 50 cents admits. Richmond Automobile Dealers' Show, Inc. P. S.—NO SHOW TO-MORROW. ALL GO TO CHURCH. YOURS IN BROTHERHOOD, M. D. STONE, GENERAL MANAGER.