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DINNER AT ITALIAN EMBASSY

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Vice President and Mrs. Fairbanks were the guests complimentary to whom the Italian Ambassador and the Baroness Mayor des Planches entertained at dinner last night at the embassy. The other guests were Senator and Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins, Senator and Mrs. Chauncey M. Depew, Senator and Mrs. Burrows, the Turkish Minister, Mehmed Ali Bey; the Peruvian Minister and Mme. Pardo; the Naval Attaché of the French Embassy and Mme. de Bianpre, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Legare, Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Lorillard, the Swiss Minister, M. Vogel; Mrs. George Vanderbilt, and Miss Norris.

Mrs. Stanley Matthews, who has as her house guests Col. Henry Watterson and Mrs. Richard C. McCormick, entertained at dinner last night at her home in I street.

The Belgian Minister and the Baroness Moncheur were the guests last night of Mrs. Hope Slater, at her home in Eighteenth street. Mrs. Slater entertained at a dinner, followed by bridge whist.

Mrs. Charles L. Marlatt was hostess at a luncheon yesterday. Mrs. Stanley Matthews and Mrs. McCormick being among her guests.

Mr. John Barrett, of the Bureau of American Republics, entertained a box party at the National Theater Monday night.

In his party were Mrs. Taft, wife of the Secretary of War; the Colombian Minister and Mme. Cortes, and their son-in-law and daughter, the First Secretary of the Legation and Mme. Guzman.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Patterson were also box holders that night, and had among their guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Marlatt.

In the audience were the Austro-Hungarian Ambassador and the Baroness Hengelmueller, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pearsall, Mr. and Mrs. John Callan O'Laughlin, Mr. D. M. Bangs, and Mr. James Patterson.

Mrs. George Pullman, of Chicago, who is spending the winter in Washington at the Arlington, will entertain this evening complimentary to Miss Catherine Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Williams, whose marriage to Mr. Francis Bennett Poe will take place Saturday afternoon at the residence of the bride's parents, in Eighteenth street. Miss Eleanor Rigely, who will act as maid of honor for Miss Williams, will also entertain the wedding party at a dinner this week.

Representative and Mrs. Pearce, of Maryland, have closed their apartments at the Westmoreland, and will spend the next few weeks at a country place near Baltimore.

Prof. and Mrs. Willis Moore have opened their country place, Mooreland, near Rockville, Md.

Mrs. Thomas M. Chatard returned to her home in Washington a few days ago from Baltimore, where she went last week to visit her sister, Mrs. W. T. Howard, at the Stafford.

Mrs. J. Van Vechten Olcott left Washington yesterday evening for New York, where she will remain until after Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. David S. Barry will celebrate the silver anniversary of their marriage by a reception on the evening of April 20, from 9 to 11 o'clock.

Senator and Mrs. Burdick have issued invitations to all former Nebraskans now resident in Washington to a reception to meet Mr. and Mrs. Raymond B. Morgan, on Saturday evening next. Mr. and Mrs. Morgan were married in Boston last week.

George E. Wilson, who spent the spring holidays in Washington visiting his parents, returned Monday to Ithaca, where he is a student at Cornell University.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray Williams, of Winchester, Va., are the guests for a few days of Mrs. Henry K. Benham, in her apartments in the Connecticut.

The sad news has been received here of the death in Paris Saturday of Mrs. Ellen Duncan Lane, widow of Malby Lane. Mrs. Lane was a native of Zanesville, Ohio, but for many years has been a resident of Washington, having apartments at the Portner.

The Sunday Evening Music Club held the fifth and closing meeting this season, at the residence of Dr. and Mrs. Duncan McKim.

The programme was opened with a prelude of Bach and closed with a march by Guilmette, both organ solos played by Dr. McKim. Mrs. John Edwards sang Mendelssohn's "Oh, for the Wings of a Dove" and the Gounod-Bach "Ave Maria," with accompaniment for organ, piano, and cello obligato by Mr. Lent. Miss Robeson also sang a group of songs by Brahms, Schumann, Strauss, and Hahn, accompanied by Mrs. Randolph. In addition, there was a string quartet of Beethoven and a piano quintet by Boissodre, played by Messrs. Anton and Josef Kaspar, Percival Ganssett, Paul Pfarr, and Mr. and Mrs. Lent.

Previous meetings of the club have been held at the homes of Miss Alice Wilson, Mrs. John L. Reyburn, Mr. H. P. Carter, and Mrs. James Howe.

The board of managers of the Christ Child Society held their annual meeting yesterday afternoon at the Shoreham Hotel. Rev. William J. Kerby, D. D., of the Catholic University, presided, and Rev. William T. Russell, pastor of St. Patrick's Church, addressed the meeting. Miss Janet Richards delivered an interesting lecture with stereopticon views on the work of the society. Specimens of the work were exhibited, making a pretty display of attractive and useful articles of wearing apparel, household necessities, and fancy baskets.

In the audience were Mme. Jusserand, wife of the French Ambassador, and Baroness von Sternburg, wife of the German Ambassador.

The officers of the Christ Child Society are as follows: President, Miss Mary V. Merrick; vice president, Mrs. Henry Simpson; second vice president, Mrs. Thomas H. Carter; secretary, Miss Margaretta Symons; and treasurer, Mrs. Arthur Powell Davis.

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Three or four Southern women in the Dupont Circle neighborhood, generously aided by Mrs. Catto, have prepared an evening of "songs our mothers sang and tales our mammys told," for Friday, April 10, at the Calro, to raise funds for one of the Kentucky mountain schools, which draws its pupils from descendants of Revolutionary soldiers who have grown up in the mountains in ignorance of God and man, because there has been no way to learn. "For every dollar given to help these forgotten whites," says one of the ladies, "a thousand has gone to the ubiquitous black brother. The great Lincoln was born in a one-room log cabin which makes the home of most of the people in the district. From such homes grimly strode the heroes of the Wilderness. Trace the men who won the battle of Kings Mountain and of the Wilder-ness. They acted, and took no time to record their deeds, cut deep in the face of nature. Shall we forget the men who heaved and thrust and starved and died with Boone, Sevier, and Clark? Their children in the mountains still say: 'May we not give them a small portion of what their fathers won for us?' The ladies who contribute their talent to this cause are Mrs. Hammond, so versed in dialect; Miss Courtenay Collins and Miss Spindle, who possess voices of rare quality; and Miss Spindle, who possess voices of rare quality demanded to make ballad singing successful.

Miss Leva B. Graf, daughter of Representative Joseph V. Graf, of Illinois, returned yesterday from a year's travel and study in Europe, and will remain in Washington with her parents, at the Hotel New York, until the end of the Congressional session.

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THINKS WORK DESERVES AID

Points Out Injustice of Compelling Public to Support Institution by Individual Contributions—Declares Payment of Taxes Entitles District to Consideration by House.

Editor The Washington Herald: "Public playgrounds by private contributions."

The combination of words is rather startling, yet this was the keynote to all of the speeches which were made in the House Saturday afternoon, for it was noticeable there was no criticism of the management of the playgrounds, and no criticism of the playgrounds as playgrounds, and there was no expression that playgrounds were not a good thing to maintain, but the whole argument was that they should be maintained by private contributions rather than by public money.

This is a very familiar matter in practice, as the playgrounds of Washington have largely been maintained by private contributions from the beginning, and this was the case in most American cities until five or six years ago, but wherever it has been done heretofore it has always been through necessity, and the fact has always been lamented, and it has not been brought forward as the proper theory for the support of public utilities.

Only Argument Against It. The only argument of any kind which was advanced against playgrounds was that we are encouraging our children to devote too much time to play. We believe that a disposition and ability to work is very valuable for children, and we would not willingly advocate anything which would lessen that ability or desire, but the child labor laws throughout the country are now forbidding the child to enter any regular employment during the years in which they use the playgrounds, and there is no work for the modern city boy in the home.

It was proposed that the money should be given for the maintenance of playgrounds, and then see what the Playground Association can do. It would certainly be quite as proper that no money be given to the board of education and see what they could do in the way of maintaining schools, or to give no money to the police department and see what they could do in the way of maintaining order, or to the fire department and see what they could do in the way of preventing fires.

Should Support Others. The answer to the question is quite simple. They can do nothing. However, if we come to a question of maintaining one department or another by private contributions it would seem as though it might better be such as the fire department or the police department whose need appeals both to the pockets and the intelligence of the people, and where the raising of the money would be easier where it is for a department which is yet scarcely to be regarded as a public utility, and the advantage derived is only partially realized.

It was implied by one of the gentlemen on the floor that the Washington Playground Association was promoting this movement in order that they might be benefited by receiving the positions of supervisors of playgrounds, but it is commonly known that the members of the Playground Association would be willing to accept positions at the magnificent sum of \$40 per month, its average salary, during the hottest months of the year.

The people of Washington have done more during the past year toward the maintenance of its public playgrounds than any other city in America. The city of New York, which has received in appropriations about \$400,000 for the maintenance of playgrounds during the past year, has apparently raised only about \$5,000 from private sources for the promotion of the work.

Other Cities Raise Little. Philadelphia and Boston, so far as any printed records go, do not seem to have raised any money for this purpose. Pittsburgh, which received last year \$45,000 in appropriations for maintenance raised about \$3,000 by private contributions. Baltimore raised about \$3,000 in private contributions. There is no record showing that Philadelphia has during the past year raised any money by private contributions to supplement that furnished by city appropriations.

Washington, on the other hand, has raised \$800 by personal efforts, and if it is the purpose of the appropriations committee, as was implied in several of the addresses, to encourage city pride and activity, a very large appropriation should be given for playgrounds, as it is the one department of the city government which has been largely neglected through direct contributions of the people.

Not a Question of Alms. It was stated on the floor that they should let the people see what they can do, before they propose to slack their hands and let the government do it all. A number of the utterances seem to be spoken from the point of view that Washington is an outside city, paying no part of the money which it is asking to have appropriated, and receiving from a benevolent wealth its mead of alms for which it has not been duly grateful. They seem to forget that the people of Washington own only 48 per cent of the property of the District of Columbia and pay 50 per cent of the taxes; that they have already expressed, through their representatives, the Commissioners, their desire to expand this money for this purpose; that they are not asking from the United States government a gift, but for it to bear its share with the people of the District in the great enterprise for the benefit of the people. The people of the District have absolutely no other public way of receiving money to meet their needs except through the action of Congress.

By the appropriations which have thus far been made for the maintenance of playgrounds, by the money which has been set aside for the purchase of sites, by the official appointment of the employees by the Commissioners, the playgrounds have been recognized as a public department of the city government.

Can Only Cripple Work. For a public enterprise to be supported in this way by private charity can mean only the crippling of the legitimate charities of the District, and they have already found the caring for the needy and unemployed, and those who are suffering from the financial depression in one way or another, to be a heavy burden for them to bear.

Cuno H. Rudolph. President Washington Playground Association.

Bishop Guerry Lectures. "The Sacramental system" was the text of a sermon by Bishop W. A. Guerry, D. D., of South Carolina, at Trinity Church, last night. Baptism, confirmation and holy communion, the principal sacraments of the Episcopal Church, were explained and a historical sketch of each given.

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PAN-AMERICAN MEN MEET.

Discuss United States and South American Relations.

Two important meetings bearing on the relations of the United States with the Latin American Republics took place yesterday in the International Bureau of American Republics.

In the morning at 10 o'clock the first meeting of the executive committee of the Pan-American committee recently appointed by the Secretary of State was held. Those in attendance were: William I. Buchanan, chairman of the general committee; Dr. L. S. Rowe, chairman of the executive committee; Representative Charles B. Landis, William E. Curtis, and John Barrett, director of the international bureau. Matters connected with the next Pan-American conference, to be held in Buenos Ayres, 1910 were discussed and subcommittees appointed to prepare memoranda.

At 3 o'clock the first meeting of the Central American Fraternity was held. An executive committee was named as follows: Hon. Robert Bacon, chairman; ex-Senator Henry G. Davis, vice chairman; John Barrett, treasurer; Francisco J. Yanes, secretary. Committee on rules: Jose F. Godoy, Charles B. Landis, and William E. Curtis.

TEXAS SOCIETY IN SESSION.

Musical Programme Given in Pythian Temple.

Many former residents of the Lone Star State were present last night at the monthly meeting of the Texas Society of Washington, in Pythian Temple. A musical programme, consisting of songs, dances, and recitations, was enjoyed.

Among those who took part were Genevieve Steves, six years old; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. George, Mrs. Mary M. Scott, Miss Grace Mays, and the Misses Taurman and Rowan.

Representative Gillespie, president of the organization, announced the society would be reorganized, consisting of songs, dances, and recitations, was enjoyed.

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The Gaelic League School.

The Gaelic League School held its regular meeting last evening at Carroll Institute Hall. The school is divided into classes, the most advanced is presided over by Mr. James Flynn, president of the school, and the less advanced section is under the instruction of Dr. P. Byrne. The school looks more like a family reunion than otherwise, such geniality and enthusiasm being manifested in everything connected with the study of the Gaelic language. Many new members, especially ladies, have joined the school. The league extends an invitation to the public to be present at the exercises.

Meeting of the W. C. T. U.

The West End W. C. T. U. held its meeting for April in the parlors of Union M. E. Church. Mrs. E. W. Chesebrough, president, called on Mrs. Hawkins, read the Scriptures and Mrs. Durnbaugh to pray. The usual reports by the officers followed. Mrs. Carrie Fernandez announced a District Loyal Temperance Legion rally in McKendree Church, on the afternoon of April 28. Mrs. A. S. Taylor told of the annual "ingathering" for the benefit of the building fund, to be held April 17, at 323 Sixth street northwest.

Sunday School Speeches.

At the second session of the Sunday School Institute yesterday in Bethany Church, Dr. Samuel H. Greene, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, led the devotional exercises. The speakers at the afternoon session were Dr. Harvey Beauchamp, Nashville, Tenn., on "How to shoot straight," and Mrs. William W. Bishop on "Primary work." In the evening, Thomas Watkins, the seventeen-year-old evangelist from Wales, led the devotional exercises.