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IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

The Baron and Baroness des Planches Return.

BARON TAKATANI IS DINED

Guest of the Japanese Ambassador. Baron and Baroness von Sternburg Hosts at Picnic Down the Potomac.

The Italian Ambassador and Baroness des Planches, who have been in the West for several weeks, are expected to return to the embassy to-day.

The Japanese Ambassador entertained at dinner, last evening, in honor of Baron Takatani, the Japanese financier, who is visiting Washington this week.

Baroness Hengelmuller, wife of the Austrian Ambassador, returned, to the embassy Tuesday evening, accompanied by their small daughter, after a visit of a month in Hot Springs.

The German Ambassador and Baroness von Sternburg entertained at a picnic, yesterday, down the river. Their guests were Miss Langham, sister of the baroness, and the members of the staff of the embassy.

They made a stop at Mount Vernon. Luncheon was served on the launch. The Ambassador and baroness will leave to-day for New York, and sail on Saturday for Naples.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Belmont are to New York for a few days to attend the opening of the races at Belmont Park.

The Secretary of Commerce and Labor, Hon. Oscar Straus, is in New York for a few days.

The arrangements are rapidly being perfected for the ball in the Arlington, to be given under the auspices of the Stonewall Jackson Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, May 15.

The British Ambassador left Washington yesterday for a visit to New Haven, New York, and Boston.

The Colombian Minister and Mme. Calderon and Miss Elena Calderon will leave Washington on Monday for New York. They will remain for a month visiting there and throughout, and sail on June 25 for Europe, where they will spend the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. George T. Marye are preparing to close their home, late this month, and go to San Francisco. They will spend the entire summer in California.

Mr. and Mrs. McClintock entertained a company at dinner last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lee were the guests of honor at several dinner parties in the Chevy Chase Club before Mrs. Lee's departure for Atlantic City yesterday. Col. and Mrs. Bromwell entertained them, as did Mr. and Mrs. McCallum, both companies being made up of special friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Howard are expecting a visit in the near future from their son-in-law and daughter, Maj. and Mrs. John H. Russell, U. S. M. C.

Mrs. Louis P. Shoemaker will be at home to-day from 4 o'clock until 7.

Mrs. Elsie L. Schaefer, after spending four weeks in a hospital, seriously ill, has returned to her home.

Mrs. Garfield, wife of the Secretary of the Interior; Mrs. C. D. Walcott, Mrs. George Xavier McLanahan, and Mrs. Fremont-Smith were hostesses at a picnic party yesterday. They went on the steamer Louise to Great Falls, the party numbering between fifty and sixty, many of them children.

The engagement is just announced of Mrs. S. Victor Cordell to Colby Dodge, U. S. N. The wedding will take place the first week in June, in New Orleans, where Mrs. Cordell has spent the spring with her mother.

Mrs. J. Fairfield Carpenter entertained at dinner last evening. Covers were laid for ten. Mrs. Carpenter will entertain at luncheon to-day in the Chevy Chase Club, and again to-morrow at luncheon.

Mrs. Carpenter was at home yesterday for the last time this season. She will leave next week for her summer home, "Lakeland," Casenovita, N. Y.

Dr. W. F. Brown, of Pittsburg, will deliver his humorous and practical lecture on "Relationship" at the regular semi-

NEWS OF ALEXANDRIA

Inquiry Planned Into Sinking of the Trenton.

BOAT ALMOST RAISED NOW

Members of Crew and Others Will Be Called as Witnesses—Steamer Will Be Repaired and Put into Commission Again—Work on New Bank Building Has Commenced.

WASHINGTON HERALD BUREAU, (164) Telegraph Building, 225 King Street.

Alexandria, Va., May 13.—Preliminary arrangements for an inquiry to fix the responsibility for the sinking of the steamer Trenton were made this morning by Charles W. Wright and Edward F. White, steamboat inspectors, of Baltimore.

It is likely that it will be held within the next ten days, although no date is fixed. Many witnesses, including the crew of the steamer, will be summoned.

Both the saloon and main deck of the Trenton are now above water, and all that remains to be raised is about three feet of the vessel, which will be done tomorrow, after which the boat will be pumped out by the fireboat of Washington. It will be taken to the marine railway for repairs. The owners will place it on the river again.

An interesting social session of Fitzgerald Council, No. 43, Knights of Columbus, was held to-night at St. Mary's Hall.

During the evening speeches were made by Representatives Goulson, of New York; Ansberry, O'Connell, and Broadhead, R. T. Enright and B. F. Blanchard, of the Pennsylvania assembly, also made speeches. The members and their guests later repaired to the Hotel Rammel, where a buffet luncheon was served.

The action of the city school board in sending City Engineer E. C. Dunn to South Boston and Petersburg, Va., to look over school buildings under construction there that he might get ideas which would possibly be embodied in the plans for the new girls public school which will be erected shortly, is being adversely criticized by citizens generally.

The work of razing the two frame buildings on the north side of King street between Pitt and St. Asaph streets preparatory to beginning the erection of a new building for the First National Bank was begun to-day.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bachelor Realty Company was held to-day at the office of G. L. Boothe. The following directors were elected: Ralph Jenkins, Frazier D. Head, John McGreevy, Wadley B. Wood, Benjamin Micon, Robert F. Sheppard, and Hilliard T. Owen.

A compromise for \$200 was effected in the case of Garnett against the same company.

The funeral of Frank D. Shuman took place at 2:30 o'clock this morning from St. Mary's Catholic Church. Rev. Father L. F. Kelly conducted the services, and the interment was in St. Mary's Cemetery. The following were the pallbearers: Max Rosenfeldt, S. P. Fisher, C. B. Marshall, Joseph Gates, F. C. Spinks, and C. S. Elliott.

The remains of Maj. Nelson G. Franklin, who died yesterday morning at his home at Fairfax Courthouse, will be buried to-morrow in Arlington National Cemetery. Maj. Franklin served through the civil war under Gen. Kimball, Forty-fifth Ohio Regiment.

A meeting of the members of the new military company being organized to take the place of Company G, Seventeenth Regiment, will be held Monday night next at the office of F. L. Slaymaker, at which time officers will be elected.

A verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of \$1,000 was handed down in the Circuit Court for Alexandria County in the case of Taylor against the Washington, Alexandria, and Mount Vernon Electric Railway Company. The object of the suit was to recover \$5,000 for the loss of an arm.

In the Corporation Court to-day Judge Barley presiding, Randolph D. Beane was granted a divorce from Agnes P. Beane on the ground of desertion.

JOHN S. GLASS DEAD. Special to The Washington Herald. Lynchburg, Va., May 13.—John S. Glass, a brother of Representative Carter Glass, aged forty-one years, died at his home on Court street, this morning at 3 o'clock. He had been in failing health for several years, but the announcement of his death to-day came as a great surprise, as few knew his condition was so critical.

He was a successful insurance man, having been associated with his father-in-law, the late Richard Pollard, until the latter's death last winter. He is survived by his wife and two small children.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

"Robin Hood," the most long-lived outfit of Reginald de Koven and Harry B. Smith, in collaboration, will be presented by the Aborn Opera Company during the coming week as the fourth weekly offering of their season at the New National Theater. It was in this opera that the old Bostonians reached the highest pinnacle of their success, and it has always been considered the most perfect specimen of American comic opera composition.

Messrs. Aborn have owned this opera since the Bostonians disbanded, and made for it the elaborate new production seen here last summer during their run at the New National; a faithful and complete duplicate of the original staging, which will be utilized again in the coming revival. The repetition of this comic masterpiece will be made the more alluring by the special engagement of Eugene Cowles for the basso role of Will Scardet, which he originated, and in which he became famous. A number of other prominent members of the former Bostonians will also be seen in their former roles, including George Frothingham in his usual and successful part of the Duke of Friar Tuck; Frank Rushworth in the tenor role of Robin, the dauntless bandit of Sherwood forest; Sabery D'Orsell, as the dainty and coquettish Anabel, and Agnes Stone as the formidable old Dame Durden. The other members of the cast are selected for former proficiency shown in their respective parts with various Aborn organizations, including Phil Branson, as the sheriff of Nottingham; Forrest Huff, as Littlejohn; Jessie Bradbury, as Alan-a-Dale; Charles W. Meyer, as Guy of Gisbourne, and Magda Dahl, a prima donna, who appeared in "A Waltz Dream" during its recent long run at the Broadway Theater, New York, assigned to the role of Maid Marian.

Chase's next week will attract extraordinary attendance, it is anticipated, as the polite vaudeville programme which will be presented will include Richard Golden and company, "A Night with the Poets" production, Bowers, Walters, and Crooker, Mary Dupont and company, Klein and Clifton, Ha Grannon, Alvelo and Othello, and the motion pictures of "The Touaregs in Their Country" and "The Champagne Industry." "A Case of Divorce" will be Richard Golden's debut medium. The little comedy is by Clay Greene, who dramatized it from the celebrated story "Squire Bill" by Holman F. Day. "A Night with the Poets" is described as the most pretentious and elevated attraction ever presented in vaudeville. Bowers, Walters and Crooker as "The Three Rubes" will offer a farcical conception that will tax the audience's laughing ability. Mary Dupont and company will be diverting in a dainty sketch entitled "A Leap Year Leap." Klein and Clifton will be a welcome addition to the mirthmakers, as they will appear in their pantomime hit "The Dummy's Holiday." Ha Grannon, a piquant cantatrice, will be seen in the new musical comedy "A European Society Gynnaestic Novelty."

The character of the title role in the charming pastoral play, "The Hopkins," in which Miss Rose Melville will again be seen at the New Academy, opening Monday night next, is one of the most charming and lovable types of odd stage girl seen in the last twenty years. The character is that of a simple country girl of Posey County, Ind., who knows nothing of the world or the people in it. Her life has been spent on the farm, and she lives the simple, every-day life of the homely people of the countryside. There is little villainy in the play, but there

ORDERED TO CHATTANOOGA.

Virginia Troops Will Proceed to Chickamauga July 13. Special to The Washington Herald. Richmond, Va., May 13.—The Seventeenth and Seventy-second Regiments of Virginia Militia have been ordered to proceed to Chickamauga Park, Ga., for encampment and field maneuvers July 13-22. The formal order was received at the office of the adjutant general to-day.

It directs the two regiments to report for field duty on the first date named. The Federal Government assigns to the Virginia troops the following amounts for the purpose named: Pay of officers and men, \$4,500.40; subsistence, \$11,674; transportation, \$15,000.48. The order directs that the commands report equipped, armed and ready for active duty. The troops will probably leave this State several days previous to the encampment.

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