

Sra de Guerra Is Hostess at Charming Tea in Compliment to Her Mother Mrs. Frank Rumble; Miss Helen Buchanan to Become Bride Today Other News of Society at the Capital

Senora de Guerra, wife of Dr. Arturo de Guerra, of Mexico, was hostess at a charming tea yesterday afternoon, entertaining in compliment to her mother, Mrs. Frank Rumble, of Philadelphia.

An interesting event of today is the marriage of Miss Helen Buchanan, daughter of Brig. Gen. James A. Buchanan, and Mr. Walter McKown Johnson, of Porto Rico, formerly of Boston.

Mrs. George Barnett will be at home informally this afternoon at the Marine Barracks when she will be assisted by the young women of the National Service School, who will wear their uniforms.

Mrs. William H. Johnston, wife of Col. Johnston, U. S. A., and her daughter, Miss Genevieve Johnston, will entertain at tea this afternoon at their residence, 227 Ashmeade place, to meet Mrs. G. McK. Williamson.

The ladies of the Columbia Country Club will hold their semi-monthly card party at the club house, Chevy Chase, Md., this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The May meeting of the Florida Society will be held this evening, at the Logan Hotel, Iowa Circle. The feature of the evening's program will be an address by Senator Duncan U. Fletcher, president of the society.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Loeb, of Charleston, S. C., formerly of Washington, announce the engagement of their daughter, Minnie, to Mr. A. Karsch, of Walterboro, S. C.

Among those motoring yesterday and arriving at the New Willard were Mr. and Mrs. William R. Rucker, of Charlottesville, Va., and Mrs. H. M. Steel, of Waterbury, Conn.

Capt. H. C. Croscup, of New York, is making a short visit to Washington, and is stopping at the Shoreham.

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Mrs. A. Winsor Weld and daughter, Miss Louisa Weld, of Boston, are at the New Willard for a short stay.

Mrs. Henry Morris, of Germantown, Pa., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ross Colburn, of the Woodley apartments.

Mrs. Owen McGrath, accompanied by Miss Lillian McGrath, of Columbus, Ohio, is in Washington for a short stay and is at the Shoreham.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fletcher and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Freeman Cooroff, of Providence, arrived at the New Willard yesterday.

The board of lady managers of the George Washington University Hospital are anticipating a large gathering of friends and patrons of the hospital at Polli's Theater on the evening of May 23.

The Boy Is Father to the Man

Old sayings like this are fraught with a most important meaning. And what that meaning is, the expectant mother in conserving her health, her strength, her mental repose and the absence of nervous pains is a subject of vast moment.

ORCHID TAFFETA IN CORDED EFFECTS



For this girlish dancing frock orchid tinted chiffon taffeta was used, the skirt and vestee consisting of graduated puffs defined by cording. The over bodice and sleeves are of the plain silk. An effective note of contrast is provided by the black velvet rose on the girdle.

YOUR WEDDING DAY

The Famous Men and Women Who Have Shared It.

May 15—Louis XVI and Marie Antoinette.

By MARY MARSHALL.

Never since marriages came into fashion have the festivities of any wedding called forth so much criticism as when the dauphin Louis married Marie Antoinette, a hundred and forty-one years ago today.

The little fifteen-year-old Austrian archduchess, in whose honor all this extravagance occurred, brought a light but whimsical disposition with her beauty was compared to Venus.

Naturally enough the union between the French dauphin who was later arranged purely for late reasons that their married life together was not one of unalloyed happiness is not at all surprising.

Marie Antoinette first shocked the French court the day of her wedding and what normal-minded, independent girl of fifteen would not have done the same?

The marriage of Miss Mildred E. Happ, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip F. Happ, and Mr. Henry F. Kimball will take place very quietly this afternoon, at 2 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents.

Mrs. J. Wilmer Laitner has loaned her residence on Newlands to the Chevy Chase, to the Columbian Women of George Washington University for a card party to be given Friday afternoon, May 19, at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. David R. Coker, of Hartsville, S. C., formerly Miss May Roper, is visiting her parents, the First Assistant Postmaster General and Mrs. Roper. Mrs. Coker will be at home informally with her mother this afternoon.

THE JOKE IS ON HARVARD.

Cambridge, Mass., May 14—Harvard seniors are wearing women's gowns on the college campus during the month preceding graduation, according to an "expose" written by Dr. Frederick Schenck of the Harvard faculty.

Erlebacher's High Grade—Not High Priced

Extraordinary Sale of Women's and Misses' Suits, Coats, Dresses, at \$25

Earlier in the season prices were \$35.00—\$40.00—\$45.00—\$50.00. Suits Are Serges, Gabardine, Poiret Twill, Velour Checks, Mannish Checks. Coats Are Mannish Mixtures, English Tweeds, Gabardine, Serges, Velours. Dresses Are Taffeta, Georgette Crepe, Net, Serges, Satins. Special Sale in Millinery, \$5.00 and \$8.50. This is not an ordinary sale of \$5 and \$8 hats, but a sale of smart, attractive new trimmed hats.

Aunt Chatty's Mothers' Club

Conducted by Mrs. Charity Brush Learning to Walk.

THIS is a real Mothers' Club, for the benefit of mothers everywhere who are struggling with questions of discipline, training, education, clothing, for the children. Write to Aunt Chatty of problems which are vexing you, and she will advise and help you to a solution of them.

Co-operation is the secret of success in any business; so why not in the business of motherhood, that highest and holiest calling which always has been and always will be woman's crown of glory.

Children vary greatly in the ages at which they learn to walk. Some begin as early as nine months of age to take steps, while others perfectly normal healthy children will not try to walk before they are two years old.

The age at which a child walks depends somewhat upon the physical strength with which nature has endowed him. A robust child will start off much sooner than one not so strong and healthy.

Answers to Correspondents. Mrs. E. W. S. writes: "I have heard that sage tea is very good to dye gray hair. Can you tell me how to make it? If not, perhaps some of your readers can. Is it dangerous?"

I was impressed with this thought a short time ago when watching a young mother playing with her baby. I was spending an afternoon with her and the nurse brought the child into the room. The mother took him into her arms and presently, holding up the baby's feet, drew him up on his feet on the floor.

I saw a little fellow not long ago take his first steps after months of this preliminary practice. His mother and I were talking together in her bedroom and the boy was playing on the floor. After a while we heard a gasp of delight and looked around to see him walking across the floor toward us—his first attempt to go alone.

washing deprives the hair of its natural oil and makes it dull and brittle. Use a lather of pure castile soap for a shampoo as directed in this column a week or two ago, instead of any of the patent soaps.

TOMORROW'S MENU.

- BREAKFAST: Baked Apples, Cereal and Cream, Broiled Liver, Coffee. LUNCHEON OR SUPPER: Chicken Giblets Creamed on Toast, Glacé Potatoes, Hot Chocolate with Whipped Cream. DINNER: Chicken Soup, Broiled Lamb Chop, Scalloped Potatoes, Lima Beans, Asparagus Salad, Strawberry Shortcake.

Baked Apples—Core and wash tart apples. Add half a cupful to eight apples, with a pinch of salt. Put a small piece of butter in each core cavity and bake in a covered dish slowly.

BIRD MANNA. Makes Canaries Sing, restores their feathers. "The great secret of the An- drosphinx, sold by all druggists. Mailed for 5c. in coin or stamps. A BOOK ON CAGE BIRDS, 120 pages, 120 illustrations, a plate of fancy canaries in their natural colors. Full information as to song and rare canaries. How to breed them, their diseases, etc. Write for book for 5c. Phila. Bird Food Co., 400 N. 2nd St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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THE NEWEST IN BOOTS AND PUMPS AT

CLEARANCE SALE PRICES!

PUMPS and COLONIALS Regular \$3.50, \$4 and \$5 Values

- Includes All White Styles \$2.45 The Pair, \$2.95 The Pair, \$3.45 The Pair

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The best china "buy" of the season—dozens of patterns suitable for the city or country home, including rich patterns of Royal Worcester, Haviland, Austrian and American China at much less than factory prices.

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NATIONAL EVERY NIGHT at 8:15 LAST 6 DAYS



SEATS SELLING FOR ALL PERFORMANCES. One Hundred Thousand People in Waiting to See This Historic Play. PRICES: Mats., 25c, 40c, 75c, \$1.00. Even., 25c, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00.

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Twice Every Day. Three Co-Stars Combine. Mary Shaw, Jack Wilson, The Dicks. FLORENCE NASH & CO. "Daisy's Particulars" (New) (Other Supreme Hits. Next Week—"THE RED HEADS," ETC.

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Opening Summer Season. Introducing "BLUERIEN" AND "REEL FEATHERS" Feature Photoplays. TONIGHT—Tyronne Power in "JOHN NEEDHAM'S DOUBLE."

LYCEUM

Advance Stock Burlesque Wrestling Match Tuesday Night. JOE TURNER VS. PINK GARDNER. Bout Starts at 10 o'clock. Watch for Sensational Young.

POLI'S

A Comedy by the Author of "Within the Law." "BACK HOME" with A. H. VAN BUREN. Next Week—Eddie Popcorn's "OUTCAST."

BASEBALL—TODAY AT 3:30 WASHINGTON VS. DETROIT

Box Seats (reserved), \$1.00; Grandstand, 75c; Pavilion, 50c. On sale at 613 14th St. (10:30 to 1 o'clock.)

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