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IN THE WORLD OF SOCIETY

A WHITE HOUSE RECEPTION TODAY FOR VISITING NOTABLES.

Here and There With Brides and Grooms—Home-Comings.

Personals.

President Taft's reception today to the delegates here attending the International Congress of Hygiene and Demography is of interest not only to these visitors to the city, but likewise to many official and other residents of the capital.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bacon, the latter formerly Miss Mary Southerland of this city, have returned to Boston from Matapoisett, where they have been taking an active part in the gayeties of the past season, and are temporarily occupying an apartment at the Copley-Plaza. They are in town earlier than they would otherwise have been in order to be on hand to superintend the completion, furnishing and decorating of their beautiful new home at 15 Marlboro street, where they are hoping to establish themselves in the month of Mrs. Bacon will hereafter be a most important figure in the fashionable life of Boston.

Minister Larz Anderson arrived last week and is spending the summer at his country estate. They are at their Brookline estate.

Lieut. Charles K. Rockwell of this city was best man at the wedding Saturday of Miss Helen Bradshaw, daughter of Mrs. Charles H. Bradshaw, Brookline, Mass., and Mr. Julian Anderson Rice, at Craigston, the summer home of her uncle, J. Hollander, at Wrentham, Mass. The ceremony, performed by the Rev. Augustus P. Record of Springfield, took place in the beautiful Gothic music room which has a pipe organ. The bride was given away by her father, Mr. Rice, and immediately after the wedding on a motoring tour. Their future home will be on Riverside Drive, New York city.

Mrs. Theodore W. Noyes and Miss Ruth Noyes, who spent the summer at Colorado Springs, have returned to the city. Miss Elizabeth Noyes is also back after a series of recent visits in New England.

Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin Rush Lotie have moved to their new residence, 1836 Connecticut avenue.

The marriage of Miss Margaret Disoway and Capt. McKinley was an event of Wednesday last, taking place at the Tree Tops, the Disoway summer home at Black Mountain, N. C. The attendants were Miss Katherine Richardson, maid of honor; Miss Julia Richardson, Miss Anne Orme, Miss Esther Smith and Miss Frances Nunnally, bridesmaids; Capt. Grayson T. Richardson, best man; Capt. James H. Reeves, Lieut. Creed P. Fox, Emil Laurson and Richard Kimball, ushers.

The bride's cake was cut with the groom's sword, the symbols, the ring, button, thimble and instrument being cut by Miss Katherine Richardson, Miss Frances Nunnally, Mr. Laurson and Mr. Kimball.

Last night at the New Willard Mr. John Barrett, director general of the Pan-American Union, was entertained at dinner the following Latin American diplomats and delegates to the International Congress on Hygiene and Demography:

Dr. C. M. de Pena, minister of Uruguay; Dr. Joaquin Mendez Acevedo, of Guatemala; Dr. Alberto Adriaola, surgeon general of the Chilean navy; Dr. Luis A. Figueroa, surgeon major, Chilean navy; Dr. David Lobo, official delegate from Venezuela; Dr. Federico Torralba, sanitary officer, Cuba; and Dr. Francisco J. Yanes, assistant director of the Pan-American Union.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Tucker Friday evening a number of young people attended a party given by their daughter, Margaret, in honor of her guest, Miss Clara Meyers of Woodside, Md. Vocal and instrumental music, dancing and games were greatly enjoyed. Several vocal selections were rendered by Master Bernard Mahoney and fancy dancing by Miss Margaret Tucker. The dining room was elaborately decorated, where refreshments were served. Among those present were Misses Mabel and Beatrice Cosgrove, Alma Knox, Elsa Rothrock, Ruth Hollingsworth, Hazel Dickey, Elizabeth Bogan, Clara Keenan, Stella Amarlos, Lois Brooks, Clara Meyers, Ashton and Humphrey; Masters Bernard Mahoney, Irwin Cosgrove, Arthur Ashton, Russell Hollingsworth, Paul and Pendall Coughlan, Bernard Bogan, Melville and Kirby Tucker and Bertram Hill.

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ALL LANDS BUT ITALY IN PEACE CONGRESS

Liberty Bell Rung at the Opening of the Annual Session.

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HEAR MORGAN AND PERKINS.

Roosevelt Unable to Appear Before Senate Committee Next Week.

Although Col. Roosevelt may not be able to appear before the Senate campaign expenditures committee October 1, owing to changes in his traveling plans, it is expected that the committee will hold several important hearings next week. J. P. Morgan and George W. Perkins both being expected to testify. Arrangements for hearing Col. Roosevelt at a time convenient to him will be made later, when advices are received from him or from progressive headquarters in New York.

The inquiry committee has been called by Chairman Clapp to meet in Washington next Friday to make plans for next week's hearings.

BORN.

KIMBALL, 376 Dr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Kimball, on September 21, 1912, a daughter.

DIED.

ACTON, On September 22, 1912, JAMES ACTON, Jr., son of James and Hattie V. Acton. Funeral from his late residence, 1412 K street northwest, Wednesday, September 25, at 2 p.m. Interment at Rock Creek cemetery.

BRACEY, On September 23, 1912, at the residence of his parents, 1013 11th street northwest, CLARENCE E. BRACEY, Jr., son of C. E. and Lillian M. Bracey, aged two years and two months.

BROWN, On Saturday, September 21, 1912, at 2 p.m., MARTHA BROWN, sister of Mrs. Sara G. Brown, aged 70 years. Funeral Tuesday at 2 p.m. from Westminster, Va.

BUTE, On Sunday, September 22, 1912, at 5:30 p.m., EDWARD F. BUTE, son of the late Mrs. E. Bute nee Buckley. Funeral from his late residence, 24 1/2 street northwest, Wednesday, September 25, at 8:30 a.m.; thence to St. Aloysius Church; mass at 9 o'clock; interment at Mount Olivet cemetery. Friends invited.

CANSON, On Sunday, September 22, 1912, at 4 a.m., at her residence, 2220 Washington street, Mrs. CORNELIUS HOWARD, beloved wife of George W. Cannon and mother of Mrs. Howland Cannon. Funeral services will be held at her residence Tuesday, September 24, at 2 p.m., to which relatives and friends are invited. Interment at Glenwood cemetery. (Ashville, N. C., papers please copy.)

DAVIS, On Saturday, September 21, 1912, at 1:30 p.m., CAROL SPALDING DAVIS, beloved wife of Charles Henry Davis and mother of Mrs. James A. Shuckman (nee Brooks). Funeral from Metropolitan A. M. E. Church, 10th and M streets, Tuesday, September 24, at 1 o'clock p.m.; thence to St. Aloysius Church; mass at 9 o'clock; interment at Mount Olivet cemetery. Friends invited.

DEAVER, On September 21, 1912, at 8:15 a.m., EDWARD E. DEAVER, aged thirty-one years. Burial in the funeral home, 816 H street northwest, Tuesday, September 24, at 2 p.m. Interment at Glenwood cemetery.

FITZGERALD, On Monday, September 23, 1912, at 12:50 a.m., MARY ELLEN FITZGERALD, wife of Maurice Fitzgerald, sr., and mother of Maurice Fitzgerald, jr., aged 47 years, six months and six days. Funeral services will be held at her residence, 506 4th street southwest, Tuesday, September 24, at 2 p.m. to which relatives and friends are invited. Interment at St. Aloysius Church. (Ashville, N. C., papers please copy.)

HILL, On Monday, September 23, 1912, at 6:10 a.m., at her residence, 1408 Morris road, ANASTASIA D. HILL, widow of the late William S. Hill and mother of William, John and James H. Hill, aged 70 years. Funeral Tuesday, September 24, at 2 p.m. from her late residence, 1433 Park road, 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, September 25, 10 a.m. to Sacred Heart Church.

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SCHWARTZ, On Saturday, September 21, 1912, at Georgetown University Hospital, MARY ELLEN SCHWARTZ, widow of Edward P. Schwartz, and beloved mother of Edward P. and James M. Schwartz, aged 67 years. Funeral from her late residence, 1333 Park road, 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, September 25, 10 a.m. to Sacred Heart Church.

SHANNON, On Saturday, September 21, 1912, at 11:30 p.m., at his residence, 319 5th street southwest, THOMAS, beloved husband of Sarah C. Shannon. Funeral from his late residence Tuesday, September 24, at 2 p.m.

STREET, Suddenly, at Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, Canada, Dr. DANIEL BARN STREET, aged 63 years and 6 months. Funeral services at the Kenness Tavern, September 24, at 11 a.m. Interment private. 24*

In Memoriam.

BIRMAN, In sad but loving remembrance of EDON G. BIRMAN, beloved husband of Nellie B. Birman, who died one year ago today, September 23, 1911. He leaves two sons.

Just one year from us has gone,
The love I loved is still;
A place vacant in our home,
Which never can be filled.
BY WIFE AND BABY JOSEPHINE.

HOLLIN, Sacred to the memory of my dear daughter, NELLIE V. HOLLIN, who died nine years ago today, September 23, 1912. When I have passed the vale of shadows,
In that bright and glowing day,
I shall will rise again.
BY HER FATHER.

LEE, In memory of my husband and our father, SAMUEL LEE, who died one year ago today, September 23, 1911. THE FAMILY.

PERE, In loving remembrance of NOAH PERE, who left us one year ago today, September 23, 1911. GONE, BUT NOT FORGOTTEN.

SCHORR, In sad but loving remembrance of my dear sister, MARY M. SCHORR, who departed this life one year ago today, September 23, 1911. BY HIS DEVOTED WIFE AND CHILDREN.

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Sleeping in her peaceful grave,
BY HER DEVOTED SISTER, LOUISE D. WEGEL.

SCHORR, In sad but loving remembrance of my dear wife and devoted mother, MARY M. SCHORR, who departed this life one year ago today, September 23, 1911. Our beloved one is sleeping, so free from pain; Awakened by the sweet spirit, she suffers again. She slumbers so peacefully, oh, let her sleep on; All sorrow and grief, she troubles all gone; Oh, think what she suffers, so racked with pain!
In the long, weary nights we sorrow here in vain,
Till God in His mercy send a message of love,
And tell her that I, ALVIN SCHORR, am above.
BY HER DEVOTED HUSBAND AND SON, JOHN AND WILLIAM SCHORR.

TEST OF NEW WATER RATE

Suit Brought by District Property Owner With That Object in View.

Hearing on the new water rate case, which had been scheduled for today, was continued until October 18, with consent of counsel. William S. Branson filed suit to restrain the District Commissioners from shutting off the water supply of his premises after the collector of taxes had declined to accept a check for water rent under the old rate. The object of the suit is to test the validity of the increased water rate which went into effect July 1, 1912.

The rule was first made returnable August 3, and was continued by consent until today. The new extension carries the case over into the regular fall term of the Equity Court. The case will be heard by Justice Bernard or Justice Anderson, according as it falls on the division of the motion calendar for October 18.

Mr. Branson's Contentions.

Mr. Branson contends the new water rate is illegal, as it provides a larger fund than is required for the construction and maintenance of the water system. He also contends that the specific prohibitions of the Commissioners from acquiring a surplus from water rents.

Attorneys Clephane & Clephane, Harry Leonard and Charles Linkins represent Mr. Branson. Corporation Counsel Thomas as will appear for the District.

HEIN NOT INDIAN "HEIR."

Marriage by Blackfoot Chief Not Regarded as Binding by Bureau.

Robert D. Heim, a Washington correspondent, who, while on duty at their honeymoon recently in Glacier National Park, were remarried by Chief Three Bears of the Blackfoot Indians after being adopted into the tribe, will not become "heirs" to any of the tribal moneys or lands.

This fact was brought out at the Indian bureau this afternoon during a conversation with Acting Indian Commissioner Abbott, who declared that in his estimation the ceremony was one not binding on the bureau to recognize.

Mr. Abbott pointed out that Mr. and Mrs. Heim, who had made a number of visits to Glacier National Park. He also gave it as his opinion that Mr. Heim surely "never thought that in a question as falling an heir to the tribal funds," and doubted that Mr. Heim will ever bring the matter to the attention of the Indian bureau for a ruling.

SEEKING A POTASH SUPPLY.

Congress at Recent Session Gave \$20,000 for Continuing Search.

Another \$20,000 was appropriated by Congress at the recent session to enable the United States geological survey to continue the search for a domestic potash supply. This was a question that caused much comment in the last Congress, not only being important economically because potash is such an important American fertilizer, but being involved in a diplomatic discussion with Germany that promised at one time to develop into a truce war.

The field parties of the survey have not yet found a domestic deposit, but have obtained indications to warrant Congress in appropriating the additional money to continue the search. The total appropriation for the survey is just a little less than \$1,500,000, of which \$50,000 is for continuing the topographic survey of the United States.

SPECIALY INSTRUCTED.

Assistant Secretary Adee Plays Schoolmaster to Budding Diplomats.

Assistant Secretary Adee played the part of schoolmaster today at the State Department to a select class of five budding diplomats. These young men were appointed to various posts, after competitive examinations, and were conferred by the Senate before the recent adjournment of Congress.

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