

A Visitor From San Francisco.

Mrs. A. A. Ashburn of San Francisco, formerly of this city, is here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. P. B. Dunn. During her stay many delightful entertainments have been given in her honor by her friends here.

Entertains at Tea This Afternoon.

Miss Edith Gracie will give a tea this afternoon in compliment to her house guest, Miss Lenthion Gilford of New York.

Days at Home.

Mrs. Hugh Mackay Davis will be at home at 103 Oak avenue, Takoma Park, Md., Tuesday and Thursday afternoons, the 2d and 4th of November, and also the afternoon of Thursday, November 11, from 3 to 6 o'clock.

Gold and Silver Laces

Cloth of gold and silver—gold and silver ribbons—the season's desirable dress accessories—in threaded, spangled, opalescent—a magnificent assortment.

The Store That Sells Wooltex

Frank R. Jelleff, FORMERLY SHOOT & JELLEFF, 1216 F STREET, N.W.

Wooltex \$25 Coat Week

Means extra Wooltex value-giving in the Coats guaranteed for two seasons' satisfactory wear, at \$25.

ALSO—ONE OF THE SEASON'S MOST INTERESTING EVENTS—

\$35 Suit Week

More Suits than ever before at \$35. Height of value reached at \$35.

Is \$35 ABOUT the price you wish to pay? If so, we are SURE of pleasing you! Here, briefly, are a dozen of the models—



All the above styles in the various new shades of green, African brown, gray, blackberry, plum and navy blue and black—and size assortments ranging from small to large.

ALSO ABOUT 25 ONE-OF-A-KIND AND SAMPLE SUITS

Selling regularly at \$40 and \$45—added to the \$35 assortments as an extra attraction for the week. Some of them are quite elaborate and represent extraordinary opportunity at \$35.00.

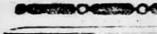
Rich Afternoon Gowns, \$38.50

We shall place on sale tomorrow at \$38.50 a most exquisite assortment of rich afternoon gowns—mostly one of a kind and not more than 25 in all. These are indeed well worth seeing—and buying. The materials are handsome, the styles the last word from Paris and the making exquisite.

There is Georgette crepe combined with velvet, embroidered velvets, crepe meteor over satin and plain and satin stripe chiffon taffetas. The size assortments range from 34 to 44—the colors are old rose, mole, gray, green, navy, Labrador blue, field mouse, blackberry, African brown and black. They cannot be duplicated.

Blouses—Special at \$5.00

The two pictured are—left, Georgette Crepe, satin trimmed, and right, Georgette Crepe Frill Blouse now coming so highly into favor again—and 20 other styles in white, black and cream colored laces made over chiffon, silk nets and crepe de chine, in white, flesh and suit shades; Georgette Crepe and Chiffons trimmed with attractive laces and Waists and Shirts in plaid and satin stripe taffetas, Crepe de Chine and shimmering Soiree Silk in entrancing changeable shades. All \$5.00.



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Don't Neglect Your Child's Study of Music

A Short and Serious Talk to Parents

Long hours of practice are no longer necessary to acquire a fair knowledge and appreciation of music, for the Victrola and Player-Piano bring all that is best in music directly into your home.

Each instrument has its special mission to perform and both will ever remain with us, for it is THROUGH THEIR USE ALONE THAT THE GREAT MASSES OF PEOPLE are enabled to hear and enjoy everything in musical literature at comparatively small cost and no sacrifice of time and labor. This fact has caused many people to discourage their children from LEARNING TO PLAY the piano.

Isn't it a mistake to withhold from the child an opportunity to acquire this accomplishment? To be sure, study of the piano requires patience and hard work, but in the end it brings its own reward in the form of deep satisfaction at being able to more fully appreciate good music—to play artistically and thereby give pleasure to yourself, your family and your friends.

The child's study of the piano should not be neglected, for it may mean much in later years—it may even prove the means of livelihood.

Don't get the idea that "any old piano" will do for a child to learn on; hearing, touch, appreciation of tone values—these and more must be developed at the outset, and this can only be done properly if you have a good piano—not necessarily an expensive one.

We are making a specialty of a beautiful little upright piano of fine construction that has a rich, MUSICAL TONE. Some of our best musicians use it in daily practice and praise its wearing qualities.

Start your child on one like this; its cost is only two hundred and eighty-five dollars—and later on, should you think that you want a fine Steinway Upright or Grand Piano, you will find us ready to trade with you on a fair and equitable basis.

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Society

Picked Up Here and There.

Few Americans have had such interesting and noteworthy experiences as have been the lot of Mr. Kohlsaat Saw of Herman Kohl-

Zeppelin Raids. In the last two months in England and France. He has met many of the famous men engaged in the active conduct of the war. He went through the ordeal of a Zeppelin raid in London and spent thirty-six hours at the western battle front. He twice went to Paris, making the thrilling crossing of the channel four times.

Of the Zeppelin raid, which came nearest to him, he had, so to speak, a front seat view. He was stopping in Northumberland street just off Trafalgar square, where fell so many bombs. He had gone to bed and to sleep and was awakened by ten times—wholly by the explosion of a black hand bomb. But, on going to the window, he saw the splendid, awful spectacle, the hovering Zeppelins, the darting, glaring searchlights, the flash of the city's heaven pointed cannon, the flare of striking bombs and heard the whole appalling din. Far from being terrified, he drew his bed up to the window and watched the amazing scene.

In France Mr. Kohlsaat's experiences were even more memorable and noteworthy, though probably not more dramatic. He had one charming encounter when he was hurrying with a French officer back from a motor trip to the front to a nearby town in the Marne to get in before the gates closed for the night.

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Two debutantes who will be added to the list of girls making their bow to society in Richmond this season are Miss Nancy Perkins and Miss Irene Langhorne Gibson, granddaughters of Chiswell D. Langhorne, and the daughters of two beautiful Richmond women. Mr. Langhorne has taken the home of Mrs. Barton H. Wise on Park avenue for the winter, and will present his young granddaughters formally to Richmond society after Christmas. Miss Perkins is spending several months with her aunt, Mrs. William Waldorf Astor, in England, and Miss Gibson is with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, at their home in New York. They will arrive in Virginia some time in early January, and much beautiful entertaining will be done in honor of their debut in that city.

The Langhorne sisters of Mirador have an international reputation for their beauty and wit, and Miss Perkins and her cousin, Miss Gibson, daughter of the well known artist, are among the most prominent buds of the season.

The loveliness of Miss Katherine Meeker as a bride on the occasion of her marriage recently to Dr. Horace Gray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Gray of Marlboro street, at the beautiful home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Meeker of Chiswell, is still talked of among the intimate friends who witnessed the ceremony. Miss Meeker was exquisitely gowned in filmy white lace with a court train of white satin. Her only attendant was her sister, Miss Grace Meeker, who will have a coming-out party next month. The gift of Mr. Ogden Armour to the bride was a check for \$5,000, and Mr. James Deering presented her with a similar gift for a handsome sum. Dr. and Mrs. Gray will make their home in Boston for several months, until the former has completed his term of service at a Boston hospital.

Women may not cut enough of a figure in the east for them to be allowed to vote, but at least one of them has stirred up such a commotion that the stronger sex is in terror of its life at her hands. Her name is Miss Katherine Dahlgren, her hair is chestnut brown and she runs a racing automobile. More properly, one should state she races a racing automobile, and when she cruises in and round Lenox, Mass., does so at the comparatively speaking high rate of speed of ninety miles an hour.

It is an every-day matter for Miss Dahlgren to be fined \$25 and costs, and this mere incident phases her not at all. She seems to have an endless supply of twenty-five-dollar tickets, and all she does is to hand one out, then proceed rascally on her way.

She is a mid-looking young woman, who is fond of dressing herself in the most softly engaging of feminine evening clothes and playing the piano. She is a woman of low forehead and her forehead is that any one could look so harmless and threaten so much destruction. Citizens and judge have decided to take no more chances. They have wrested her license from her, although she has this far had just exactly no accident at all.

Two seemingly feminine concerns have divided interest with the local affairs of a midwestern city, according to a writer there—the length of skirts and the breadth of charity. The first attracts the attention of men, the second of women as nature intended. For it is as natural for men to notice Paris fashions as it is for women to take cognizance of human sorrows or what would be the use of the fashions or the fate of the race?

Not that women fall of interest in the rise of skirts or men in the demands of charity. Quite the contrary. Though woman may promote benefits, man must pay for them. Likewise, when men notice short skirts women must wear them regardless of the family secrets revealed to an unsympathetic world.

For is it not written that the shine of the mother shall be visited upon the daughter? But why dwell upon the obvious? Since charity is the fate of the hour should not the wide made to be quickly drawn over the sartorial shortcomings of the affluent as over the shivering nakedness of the poor? Charity's mantle possesses elasticity while skirts continue to shrink daily. As a man said the other day, woman's ankle is no longer a live issue. The public is all fed up on bony shins and hideous shoes.

A war relief bazaar to be held shortly in St. Louis is to have fifty selling booths, a dancing department, a theater, and a variety of other amusements. There will be three Shetland ponies

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Recent Weddings.

A beautiful wedding took place Thursday evening at the Baptist Church at Clifton, Va., when Miss Julia May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Franklin Ford of Clifton, became the bride of Mr. Arthur Lovelace of Dumfries, Rev. W. L. Neff performing the ceremony. The bride entered the church escorted by her uncle, Mr. Harry Ford of Washington. She wore a gown of white crepe meteor and carried a shower bouquet of bride roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Violet Ford, who attended her sister as maid of honor, wore white crepe de chine and carried a bouquet of Killarney roses.

Miss Eva Duvall and Miss Ruby Payne acted as bridesmaids. Miss Duvall wore a gown of pink chiffon taffeta and carried pale yellow chrysanthemums and Miss Payne wore a low chignon taffeta and carried pink chrysanthemums. O. C. Southard of Clifton acted as best man.

Immediately after the ceremony a buffet supper was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lovelace left for a wedding trip to Richmond, Norfolk and other points in Virginia. Mrs. Lovelace wearing a traveling dress made of blue gabardine, with black velvet hat. The couple will be at home to their friends after November 15 at Dumfries, Va.

A wedding of great interest here took place at Knoxville, Tenn., this morning at 9:40 o'clock, when Miss Jennie Brownlow, daughter of Col. and Mrs. John Bell Brownlow of that city, formerly of Washington, was united to the bride of Mr. Edward Ashe.

Present to witness the nuptials were only the members of the immediate families of the bride and groom. The wedding hour being so early, the interior of the home was artificially lighted and in each apartment were burning wax tapers.

In the parlour where the marriage ceremony was performed there was a banking of ferns and palms and decorations of white chrysanthemums and white roses.

Rev. Father J. J. Graham, rector of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, performed the ceremony. Mr. Ashe had as his best man his brother, Mr. Robert Ashe, and the bride was attended by her niece, Miss Panny Brownlow.

After the marriage service a wedding breakfast was served before the couple left for a two-week eastern tour. Upon returning to Knoxville, Mr. and Mrs. Ashe will make their home with the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gregory J. Ashe, at their handsome residence on Magnolia avenue.

A Birthday Party. Master Joseph Auerbach entertained his little cousins October 23 at a Halloween party to celebrate his fifth birthday. A donkey game was enjoyed, prizes being won by Dorothy Minster and Max Weyl, 2d. Before marching in the dining room each guest was presented with a fancy cap topped with a miniature black cat, which they wore while seated at the table. The table had for a centerpiece a Jack Horner pie, with a souvenir for each guest, and on top was a birthday cake. Lighted pumpkins surrounded the centerpiece, and during the afternoon snap-shot pictures were taken of the group. Among the guests were Helen Nordlinger, Dorothy Minster, Max Weyl, 2d, Miriam Gertrude Auerbach, Samuel J. Steinberger, Jr., Howard Nordlinger, Virginia A. Kaufman and Joseph Auerbach.

A Halloween Dance. A Halloween party, followed by a dance, was held at the Army and Navy Preparatory School last night. The first part of the evening was devoted to contests between the students. A race in which the participants rolled peanuts across the gymnasium floor with their noses, and a pie-eating race were the chief events. Following this a buffet supper was served. After the supper there was dancing. Among the guests present were Miss Ceilina Calvo, Miss Katherine Pace, Miss Mary Holmes and Miss Anne McTier.

A Farewell Party. A farewell party was given last Tuesday evening to Mrs. C. Beatty by a number of her friends. Music and dancing were indulged in during the evening, and later a supper was served. Among those present were Mesdames, Marion Williams, Bernette Hampshire, Catherine Curtan, Madeline Donohue, Helen Downes, Veronice Keams, Ruth Hepkinde, Beatrice Besty, Elizabeth Kroll; Messrs. Bernard Corridan, Alex. Roame, Henry Miller, Edward Warren, Harry Warburton, Ray Quinlan, Healy, Jack Corridan, Charles Kroll. Mrs. Beatty is leaving Washington for New York, where she will make her future home.



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