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The continual arrival of new spring garments creates an insistent demand for display space, remaining Winter Suits and Coats are therefore priced lower than ever to hurry them out. Every garment in the sale was BOUGHT FOR THIS SEASON'S SELLING, and most of them can be worn throughout the spring.

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A big stock of High-grade Nickel-plated Chafing Dishes.

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Solid Polish Copper Chafing Dishes \$5 up per Chafing Dish
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Nickel-plated Percolators, \$1.75 Up
Electric Coffee Percolators, \$5 to \$15

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2-pc. Stag Hand-carved Sets. \$1 up
Handsome 3-piece Carving Sets, in case. \$3

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Society

Fashions and Fads

ARRANGING FOR JUNIOR LEAGUE ENTERTAINMENT MARCH 6 AND 7.

Black Velvet Gown Worn by Mrs. Wilson.

Mrs. Wilson, wife of the President, wore to the symphony concert the other afternoon a very becoming gown of black velvet. The gown she wore the other afternoon, however, had the appearance of a light gown about the face and corsage, as it was elaborately trimmed with silver embroidery and bright blue applique. The sleeves were of black velvet. With it she wore a small turban-shaped hat with crown of black fur, and on one side an upstanding ruche of black velvet faced with white satin. She also wore a scarf of black fox or lynx.

Madame da Gama, wife of the Brazilian ambassador, looks very handsome in an evening gown of metallic brocade, combining the richest shades of old rose, electric blue and silver.

The bodice is almost entirely of blue tulle, the same shade as the blue in the brocade, and the front of the full skirt is draped with a tulle of tulle, so sheer, however, that the wonderful fabric is perfectly visible through the meshes of the net. The train, which runs out into a point on the floor, is attached at the waist line, and on each side is folded over for a depth of an inch, showing a lining of silver. It apparently fastens to a double row of vivid blue beads which encircle the waist.

A charming evening gown is one worn by Miss Lucy Burleson, daughter of the Postmaster General, which is of pale corn-colored chiffon, ornamented with painted wreaths of dainty pastel postures. The painted chiffon forms the skirt, which is simply gathered in moderate fullness about the waist. The little old-fashioned bodice is of the palest shade of lavender or lilac velvet, which is finished with tiny short sleeves of chiffon.

One of the smartest black and white gowns seen this season is that which Miss Le Seure, granddaughter of Representative Joseph Cannon, wore to a tea the other afternoon.

The foundation of the gown is white taffeta, which is combined with black tulle and velvet. The full skirt of taffeta is veiled with a double tulle of black tulle falling to the knees, the under tulle being about four inches longer than the upper, which gives the effect of a transparent border to the tulle. There is an eton jacket of white taffeta with a very deep black velvet girdle under it, which runs up into a point, front and back. Miss Le Seure wears with this gown a black velvet turban, trimmed about the outside rim with white gardenias, a black fox or lynx scarf and white shoes, making a very artistic costume.

An all-white costume, which is also smart as well as striking, is an imported gown of white taffeta and velvet, with white shoes and white turban, worn by Mrs. Robert Russell, one of the new members of Washington's winter colony.

The skirt is of white taffeta, draped on the sides in a manner suggestive of the erstwhile peg-top style, and the bodice is of white velvet, with a short peplum below the belt. The latter is a band of ermine. There is a slight V opening, where the jacket fastens, and from that point down to the waist are two rows of white velvet buttons, radiating from where they finish the V opening, where they are about five inches apart, forming an inverted V. Mrs. Russell wears with this gown a small turban of white velvet with head band of ermine, to correspond with the ermine which finishes the V opening of the neck and the bands of the sleeves, as well as the band of ermine forming the belt.

Mrs. Dean Gillett-Hill, who was called home to the west by the illness of her husband, wore at the tea given for her by her mother-in-law, Mrs. Gillett-Hill, whom she was visiting, a quaint gown of the palest shade of pink chiffon velvet, the skirt being wired out on the sides at the hips and falling from there down to within six or seven inches of the floor, much like little canopies.

The bodice was mostly of lace, with just a suggestion of velvet, and attached to the waist line in the back was a long square train. Mrs. Gillett-Hill wore a charming gown of chartruse chiffon with velvet flowers of the same shade, with tulle drapery of gold lace, the bodice being put on over a corset, that is, the lace was shirred on a heavy cord and suspended from the waist on each hip, the cord falling in a semi-circle and thus leaving a space on each hip, where the green brocaded chiffon showed. Gold lace drawn up in points and fastened to the shoulders ornamented the bodice, which had a V opening filled in with creamy lace.

Miss Mary Gheen, daughter of Rear Admiral and Mrs. Gheen, who is the happy possessor of a wire-haired fox terrier, looks very smart in a tailored suit of mannish sort of cloth—a reddish brown mixture of rough surface—which is made with a hip-length coat and plain full skirt.

The coat fits rather snugly at the waist and has on either side of the center of the back a belt of ornamental braid. The coat fastens down the center with military straps of braid, with a red ball-shaped button at the end of each strap. Collar, cuffs and turban are all of fur, and the snappy little black and white dog gives the last touch to a very jaunty outfit.

Mrs. Roscoe C. Bulmer, wife of Commander Bulmer, U. S. N., wears a becoming suit of sage coming suit of age

Smart Tailored green broadcloth Suits, trimmed with beaver. The skirt is plainly tailored, the coat a long, straight model, reaching almost to the knees. The coat extends in unbroken lines from shoulders to hem, the full-



MRS. JOHN WILLIAM THOMPSON.

President to Attend.

President and Mrs. Wilson have engaged a box for the benefit performance to be given Monday evening at the New National Theater for the Working Boys' Home. Other boxholders include Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh, Mrs. Charles B. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Crane, Mrs. Blodgett and James MacVeagh. Others who are giving theater parties are Mrs. Richardson Clover, Mrs. J. Hamilton Lewis, Mrs. Fehnestock, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Atherton, Mrs. Mackay-Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hollister Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Allerton Cushman, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cushman, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tuckerman, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rogers, Mrs. Richard Harlow, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Johnson, Mrs. Charles Hubert Johnson, Mrs. Armata Davis, Mrs. Elaine Elkins, Mrs. Richard McCall, Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Gary, Capt. and Mrs. Theodore Baldwin, Mrs. William Littauer, Mrs. Elkins, Mrs. Frederick H. Brooks, Mrs. J. Upshur Moorhead, Mrs. John W. Bright, Mrs. George T. Odell, Mrs. A. Hepburn, Mrs. Truxer, Mrs. Duncan Phillips, Mrs. Alexander Britton, Mrs. Richard McCabe, Mrs. S. C. Neale, Mrs. Thomas Emig, Mrs. Henry Cleveland Perkins, Mrs. George Myers, Mrs. Paul Bartlett, Mrs. Henry Fairbanks, Mrs. Floyd Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lehr, Mrs. John Hanson, Mrs. Robb, Senator and Mrs. Sutherland, Representative and Mrs. Flood, Commander and Mrs. Mark Bristol and Mrs. Montgomery Blair.

Dinner Parties of Last Night.

The Secretary of State and Mrs. Lansing were the honor guests at a dinner given by Mrs. Delos Blodgett last evening at her residence on 16th street. The other guests included the assistant secretary of war and Mrs. Henry Breckinridge, Senator and Mrs. George P. McLean, Gen. Nelson A. Miles, Solicitor General and Mrs. John W. Davis, Admiral and Mrs. Victor Blue, Judge Martin A. Knapp, Mrs. John W. Foster, Cole W. Evans, Mrs. W. H. Bailey, William Holland Wilmer, Senator-elect McKellar, Mrs. John B. Henderson, Mrs. E. W. Cole of Tennessee, Mrs. John W. Blodgett of Grand Rapids, Miss Helen Blodgett, Admiral Charles O'Neill and Capt. Ridley McLean.

Luncheon and Bridge Hostess.

Mrs. John F. Little was hostess at a bridge and luncheon party Tuesday in compliment to Mrs. Philip Clancy, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Theodore Tiller. Invited to meet Mrs. Clancy were Mrs. T. W. Hardwick, Mrs. Dudley Hughes, Mrs. Theodore Tiller, Mrs. Philip Clancy, Mrs. Joseph Falk, Mrs. A. Lisner, Mrs. Percy Hickling, Mrs. W. H. Hancock, Mrs. Clarence Stone, Mrs. L. L. Rutherford, Mrs. Edwin Brandenburg, Mrs. Henri Petrie, Mrs. John Evans, Mrs. Joel Morris, Mrs. O. R. Evans, Mrs. W. B. Bailey, Mrs. Claud Bennett and Mrs. Charles Talloway.

Dance of the Crescents.

The next dance of the Crescents will be given in the ballroom of the Italgel Hotel the evening of Saturday, January 23, with the following committee in charge: Messrs. J. W. McKeicher, Harry C. Skowronek, F. D. Klester and T. Ellis Allison.

Visiting in Steubenville, Ohio.

Mrs. Rose Davis of 1726 F street is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Levinson of Steubenville, Ohio. She is accompanied by her sister, Mrs. S. Kaplan of St. Michaels, Md.

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The annual charity ball given under the auspices of the Southern Relief Society will be held Monday evening, January 31, at the New Willard.

The President and Mrs. Wilson, Miss Margaret Wilson and Miss Bones have signified their intention of being present, and the occasion promises to be one of the largest and most brilliant of the season.

The committee on arrangements for the ball comprises Mrs. Swanson, Mrs. Francis Chisolm, Mrs. Arthur Lee, Mrs. Bates Warren, Mrs. L. H. Quirrollo, Mrs. Theodore Hiller, Mr. C. C. Calhoun, treasurer, and Mr. Horace Westcott, chairman of floor committee.

Among the patronesses will be Mrs. Harrie Craig Anley, Mrs. Thomas Armat, Mrs. Arthur D. Addison, Mrs. B. S. Adams, Mrs. Timothy T. Ansberry, Mrs. Armat, Mrs. Delos Blodgett, Mrs. George Barnett, Mrs. Adelaide Worth Bagley, Miss Mabel Boardman, Mrs. Joseph W. Bailey, Mrs. John S. Blair, Mrs. C. B. Becker, Mrs. George W. Brown, Mrs. William C. Braisted, Mrs. George Lathrop Bradley, Mrs. Marion Butler, Mrs. J. Breckinridge Bayne, Mrs. Alexander G. Bentley, Mrs. John C. Boyd, Mrs. Truxton Beale, Mrs. William P. Boardman, Mrs. Alexander Bennett, Mrs. E. Black, Mrs. Gist Blair, Mrs. Henry Breckinridge, Mrs. W. G. Brantley, Mrs. Claude Bennett, Mrs. Belg. Mrs. Alexander Graham Bell, Mrs. Louis Brownlow, Mrs. John Bankhead, Mrs. Arthur T. Baggett, Mrs. Walter Bloedon, Mrs. E. F. Breuninger, Mrs. Baughie, Mrs. George Baxter, Senora de Calderon, Senora de Chamberro, Mrs. D. D. Duns, Codman, Mrs. Wythe Cooke, Mrs. Philander Claxton, Mrs. J. M. Culp, Mrs. Francis M. Chisolm, Mrs. E. Howard Clark, Mrs. Richardson Clover, Mrs. Henry C. Corbin, Mrs. Thomas Chatard, Mrs. A. P. Crenshaw, Mrs. Champ Clark, Mrs. William L. Chamberlain, Mrs. L. C. Copley, Mrs. W. A. Cullop, Mrs. E. W. Cole, Mrs. J. T. Callahan, Mrs. A. S. Cummins, Mrs. W. Dixon, Mrs. Charles G. Dulin, Mrs. Fred A. Dille, Mrs. Ryan Devereux, Mrs. William T. Dennis, Mrs. C. Downing, Mrs. S. Herbert Dent, Mrs. W. Dixon, Mrs. Robinson Downey, Mrs. Charles A. Douglas, Mrs. Frederick Delano, Mrs. E. O. Dean, Mrs. Thomas B. Duns, Mrs. Henry F. Dimock, Mrs. Stephen B. Elkins, Mrs. William Corcoran Eustis, Mrs. Wade Ellis, Mrs. E. Eberle, Mrs. G. W. Fairchild, Mrs. Charles Fairfax, Mrs. H. D. Flood, Mrs. Bradley M. Fiske, Mrs. Marshall Field, Mrs. Amos H. Fowler, Mrs. Henry D. Fry, Mrs. Duncan Fletcher, Mrs. Frederick DeC. Faust, Mrs. John W. Foster, Mrs. Morris Frey, Mrs. William C. Gorgas, Mrs. Ashley M. Gould, Mrs. Preston Gibson, Mrs. Richardson Gibson, Miss Amaryllis Gillet, Mrs. C. C. Glover, Mrs. Andrew Graham, Mrs. Hamson Gary, Mrs. Samuel Graham, Mrs. James P. Gatewood, Mrs. John DeW. Gardner, Mrs. Archibald Gracie, Mrs. Carter Glass, Mrs. Graeme Harvey, Mrs. John Miller Horton, Mrs. Charles E. Hays, Mrs. Charles B. Howry, Mrs. Richard A. Harlow, Mrs. Leonard Hoffman, Mrs. Marcus A. Hanna, Mrs. William Haywood, Mrs. Gilbert Hitchcock, Mrs. Russell B. Harrison, Mrs. H. T. Henderson, Mrs. James B. Hurley, Mrs. William Corcoran Hill, Mrs. William F. Hancock, Mrs. George E. Hamilton, Mrs. Robert N. Harper, Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, Mrs. Thomas Hyde, Mrs. Charles Hamlin, Mrs. Richard Hollyday, Mrs. William D. Hoover, Mrs. William W. Hays, Mrs. John Hewson, Mrs. Andrew P. Hembold, Mrs. Thomas B. Hutchinson, Mrs. Pearce Horne, Mrs. James W. Houston, Mrs. W. E. Hutton, Mrs. Andrews Jones, Mrs. Ben Johnson, Mrs. Philip Devereux Johnston, Mrs. Hennen Jennings, Mrs. A. G. Johnson, Mrs. Victor Kauffmann, Miss Bessie Kibby, Mrs. Wharton Lester, Mrs. Arthur Lee, Mrs. Louis Lehr, Mrs. Misses Lansing, Mrs. Thomas Sims Lee, the Misses Lawrence, Mrs. William Littauer, Mrs. William B. Lamar, Mrs. Elzabeta, Mrs. James Hamilton Lewis, Mrs. Luke Lea, Mrs. Francis B. Moran, Senora Morales, Senora Mendez, Mrs. Charles McChord, Mrs. Elisha Meredith, Mrs. Isaac Mann, Mrs. William P. Meredith, Mrs.

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Tea for Miss Capers.

Mrs. William Morrison Alexander will entertain at a large tea at her residence, 1711 Q street, Friday afternoon, the 25th, in honor of Miss Charlotte Capers.

Wedding This Week.

The marriage of Miss Pauline B. Potter, daughter of Mrs. Katherine A. Potter, and Mr. Russell H. Curley of Connecticut will take place Wednesday, January 26, at the home of the bride's mother, 2219 13th street.

Dinner Hostess Tonight.

Mrs. Sadlier will entertain a company at dinner tonight.

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