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In this instance the craponne lace has been dyed to match the soft pearl-gray Sicilienne of which the gown is composed, and the effect is further enhanced by the application of a cable piping of the Sicilienne outlining the lace pattern, and used as a braiding between the trimming folds. With a fine lingerie blouse this offers a smart model for afternoon calling or reception costume, and the Bendel sailor, with its soft folds of chiffon under the wide brim, is suitable for any occasion.

HINTS FOR WASHINGTON HOUSEKEEPERS

The usual Friday crowds patronized the fish stalls in the local markets early this morning, and the trade of the butcher fell off materially. Bluefish and white perch were in considerable demand, but the supply was sufficient to maintain the prices quoted yesterday. Shad are getting scarcer, but the change has not become so marked as to inflate the prices.

Fruits and vegetables are about the same in quantity, quality, and variety, but the dealers predict a fall in prices early next week. Conditions in the country are improving daily, and the effect of the continued rain of the last few days will soon be apparent in the produce displayed in the local stalls.

- EGGS, butter, and cheese are about the same.
Vegetables—Lima Beans, 25c pint; tomatoes, 12 1/2c to 15c pound; Bermuda onions, 8c per box; spring onions, 5c; string beans 25c 1/4 peck; summer squash, 8c to 10c; rhubarb, 6c; asparagus, 25c to 35c per bunch; green asparagus, 10c to 20c; new peas, 45c per peck; new potatoes, 40c per peck; lettuce, 5c to 10c bunch; celery, 8c and 10c bunch; cucumbers, 2c to 3c; eggplants, 15c to 25c; mushrooms, 60c to 70c per pound; cauliflower, 20c to 25c a head; Branch beets, 10c a bunch.
FRUIT—Pineapples, 15c to 40c; oranges (navel), 20c to 60c per doz.; strawberries, 10c to 15c box; grape fruit, 10c to 25c; Florida watermelons, 75c; gooseberries, 10c quart; cherries, 20c pint; huckleberries, 20c quart; North Carolina peaches, 10c box; Florida peaches, 20c box; blackberries, 20c quart.
EGGS—20c per dozen; butter, 30c and 35c per lb.; American cheese, 15c to 20c lb.; duck, dressed, 18c to 22c; alive, 17c to 18c per lb.; turkeys, dressed, 18c to 22c per lb.; alive, 14c to 15c per lb.
DRESSED MEATS—Veal, 12 1/2c to 18c per lb.; veal cutlets, 25c per lb.; spring lamb, 18c to 20c per lb.; lamb chops, 25c; mutton, 15c per lb.; beef 18c per lb.; pork, 15c per lb.; steak, round, 12 1/2c to 15c; sirloin, 15c to 20c; porterhouse, 20c to 25c.
FISH—Bluefish and butterfish, 10c per lb.; sturgeon, white perch and mackerel, 12 1/2c per lb.; rockfish, 15c per lb.; shad, 40c to 50c per lb.; shad roe, 18c; soft shell crabs, 40c a doz; hard shell crabs, 20c and 25c per doz.

MENUS FOR TOMORROW.

Table with 3 columns: BREAKFAST, LUNCHEON, DINNER. Lists items like Blackberries, Lamb Croquettes, Sliced Tomatoes, etc.

CENTER MARKET DIRECTORY.

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Gas Heaters In Demand. Housewives have learned that the only successful means of coping with the changeable spring weather is to have a Gas Heater and get as much or as little heat as is needed to meet the weather conditions. Besides, in using them there's a saving of time, trouble, and money. We have the Gas Heaters to suit you here—see them. Gas Appliance Exchange, 1424 New York Ave.

The Payment of \$5.00 will SECURE YOU A Washburn Mandolin Banjo or Guitar. E. F. DROOP & SONS, 925 Penna. Ave. A FEW SECOND-HAND INSTRUMENTS AT SPECIAL PRICES.

Dinners.

The Italian ambassador and Signora Mayor des Planches entertained at dinner last evening. Their guests were Countess Cassini, Miss Josephine Boardman, the Misses Horstmann, Vicounte de Alte, M. de Margerie, Signor Montagna, and Signor Borghetti.

Weddings—Engagements.

The wedding of Anne Kathleen Steele and George William Coate, of Baltimore, which took place yesterday at noon at the home of the bride's parents, was a quiet affair, only the relatives and a few intimate friends being invited. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Roland Cotton Smith, rector of St. John's, in the main drawing room which was converted into a bower of flowers, the predominant color being pink. Beverly Johnston, of Baltimore, acted as best man.

The bride wore a robe of mousseline elaborately trimmed with laces, built on white satin. The long tulle veil, which entirely covered her gown was held in place by orange blossoms and she carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley. Her jewels were diamonds. Mrs. Gwynn, who was her sister's only attendant, wore a handsome costume of white crepe with diamond ornaments. Her flowers were white gardenias. Mrs. Steele's toilette was of light blue voile. Immediately following the ceremony a breakfast was served. The table decorations were white roses, and the guests included only those who were invited to the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Coate left town for their honeymoon yesterday afternoon. They will live in Philadelphia, where Mr. Coate is engaged in business.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. McMahon have sent out invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret Agnes, to Samuel Bernard Atchison, on Wednesday evening, June 3, at 6 o'clock, at the Church of the Holy Name. A reception will follow from 6:30 to 10 at 701 L Street southeast.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lowrey Marsh have issued invitations to the wedding reception of their daughter, Miss Frances Merriam, and Frank Hough Towner for Tuesday evening, June 2.

The engagement is announced of Vivian Harcourt, formerly of London, England, and Miss Lily Wiltshire. Mr. Harcourt is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Harcourt, of London, England, but has lived in New York for ten years. Miss Wiltshire is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wiltshire, of Cincinnati, Ohio.

A fashionable June wedding will be that of Miss Mary R. Thompson and Frederick Arthur Bryan, which has been set for Wednesday evening, June 3, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Hardesty, 1109 St. Paul Street, Baltimore. A large and fashionable gathering will be present and the ceremony will be followed by a beautifully appointed reception. Miss Courtenay O'Donnell, of New York, will be maid of honor and the bridesmaids will be Miss Eleanor Terry, of Washington, and Miss Mary Adelaide Jenkins. The ushers will be Dr. Francis M. Chisolm, Alexander Payson Knapp, C. Stewart Lee and Frank H. Worthington. Edgar A. Bryan, Countess Gurgo de Castelmenardo, of Italy, who was Miss Edith Van Buren, and is a niece of Mrs. Boardman, is at the Waldorf-Astoria, New York. Countess Gurgo de Castelmenardo, of Italy, who was Miss Edith Van Buren, and is a niece of Mrs. Boardman, is at the Waldorf-Astoria, New York.

LOCAL MENTION.

Thomas A. Cannon's Products. A large market for Early Fruits, Vegetables, also Poultry and Game. All healthy examples of the season's choicest offerings. Thos. A. Cannon, 79 to 84 Center Market.

Miller & Krogmann, Specialty, Dove Brand Hams. All sizes. Center and K Street Markets.

Ill in the Street. Suffering from an attack of malarial prostration, George O. Jones, of 114 Third Street northwest, was found at the corner of South Capitol and Canal Streets yesterday. An ambulance was summoned and he was removed to the Casualty Hospital.

Rosenfeld's Pure Ice Creams. Sherbets for lawn parties and excursions bring good results; get our prices. 512 H St. N.E. Phone East 306-A.

24 Bottles of Lager Beer for 75c. Delivered. Beavers, 423 4 1/2 St. Phone M 1006-D.

Carpenters Will Find Us Prepared To supply their wants in the lumber line. Elinger Bros., 2109 7th St. N.W. Phone 1153 M.

Leaped From Window. From a second story window of her home Carrie Vaughn, aged thirty-one years, leaped last night at the climax of a brawl among several men and women. She was slightly bruised about the neck and arms, and was taken to the Casualty Hospital for treatment.

For a True Likeness of Yourself Go to Kerfoot. He will photograph you many ways, then you see which you like best. 806 Pennsylvania Avenue. Open Decoration Day.

Flowers for Decoration Day At Shaffer's, 14th and I, 1711 Pa. ave.

Swallowed a Tack. James A. Edlin, a negro upholsterer, living at 804 Fourth Street northwest, swallowed a tack while working yesterday. The point lodged in his throat and he was taken to the Emergency Hospital to have it removed. The tack was finally dislodged after he had consumed bread and milk for that purpose.

A Feast of Soft Crabs That cannot be beat awaits those who buy of Chas. L. Wilkinson, 382 to 384 and 427 to 432 Center Market.

Chicago, Jewel, and Dangler Gas Ranges 1204 G Street. Modman & Co. 616 12th Street. Genuine \$5, \$6, and \$7 Sample Shoes. Three hundred styles, at \$2.55. Keene's Shoe Store, 908 G Street northwest.

Columbian Reception.

The president and trustees of the Columbian University have sent out cards for a reception in honor of the graduating classes this evening at 9 o'clock at Rauscher's. The reception will be followed by dancing. The patrons are Lady Herbert, the Baroness von Sternburg, Madame Jusserand, Madame Calderon, Madame Takahira, Mrs. Hay, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. Knox, Mrs. White, Mrs. Oliver Wendell Holmes, Mrs. Brewer, Mrs. Cowles, Mrs. Gillespie, Mrs. Corbin, Mrs. John B. Henderson, Mrs. John W. Foster, Mrs. Augustus Tyler, Mrs. Lincoln, Mrs. Boardman, Mrs. Leiter, Mrs. Clarence Edwards, Mrs. Maurice Frances Egan, and Mrs. Gardner Hubbard.

Requiem Mass.

The anniversary requiem mass for the repose of the souls of Madeline Vinton Dahlgren and Josiah Pierce, Jr., was celebrated yesterday and will be celebrated again June 30, at the Chapel of St. Joseph, Dahlen, Md., the country seat of Mrs. Josiah Pierce, Jr.

Summer Resort Gossip.

Mrs. Edith N. Wharton, wife of Edward R. Wharton, has sold her summer home in Ledge Road, Landsend, to Robert Livingston Beekman, of New York. Landsend is one of the most beautifully located houses in Newport, built high up on the cliffs and commanding an excellent view of the ocean. It adjoins the property of Mrs. H. Mortimer Brooks. Mr. and Mrs. Wharton have just finished building a handsome home in Lenox, where they will hereafter live. Mr. and Mrs. Beekman will not go to Newport until late in the season, as they contemplate sailing for Europe within a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne Whitney are registered at the Casino, Newport.

A. G. Boutakoff, naval attache of the Russian embassy, Washington, will occupy the Melrose cottage, at Earls Court during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Chauncey and family, of 129 Jerusalem Street, Brooklyn, are occupying their summer home at Lawrence, L. I. They will have as their guests during part of the season their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Woodward Babcock, whose wedding was celebrated in Grace Church, Columbia Heights, about a month ago. Mr. Babcock is a son of Henry D. Babcock of New York.

Mrs. Charles M. Oelrichs and Miss Blanche Oelrichs are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Peter D. Martin in Newport.

Notes.

Senator Arthur P. Gorman was entertained yesterday at luncheon by Henry White, charge d'affaires of the American embassy, at the latter's residence, in Whitehall Gardens. Mr. Balfour, the prime minister, and several members of the cabinet were present to meet him. Afterward Senator Gorman went to the house of commons to hear the debates.

Countess Gurgo de Castelmenardo, of Italy, who was Miss Edith Van Buren, and is a niece of Mrs. Boardman, is at the Waldorf-Astoria, New York.

LOCAL MENTION.

Bring the Children Before It's Too Late. Estabrook makes four sittings, gives fifteen for a dozen. 1227 Pa. ave. Open May 30.

Fell Under Horse's Heels. Frank Cross, a driver for the American Ice Company, fell from his wagon at Fourteenth Street and South Carolina Avenue yesterday and was kicked in the eye by one of the horses. He was removed to Providence Hospital for treatment.

Bedbugs killed. Schmid, 712 12th St.

Hip Hurt by Car. While getting on a car at Brightwood Avenue and Steuben Street last evening, Mrs. Mary Rohing, of 2909 Brightwood Avenue, fell from the running board and was hurt about the hip. She was taken to her home.

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less Castelmenardo will remain in this country for a short time only.

Mrs. John Robertson, of 6 Eighth Street southeast, left yesterday for Baltimore to visit friends for a few days.

Misses Elizabeth and Henrietta Van Kirk, of Ithaca, N. Y., on an excursion trip South, are guests of Mrs. H. Z. Wells, 1312 V Street northwest, for a few days.

Miss Katydol Jones is visiting Mrs. Shepard, in Hillsboro, N. C.

The death of Col. Johnson de Peyster at his country place at Tivoli, N. Y., on Wednesday afternoon, has thrown into mourning one of the late spring brides, Mrs. Garret B. Kip. Mrs. Kip was Colonel de Peyster's only child, and her wedding took place at the Tivoli on April 25, and was a small affair, owing to her father's ill-health. The honeymoon was spent at Ankon, near Tivoli, in order that Mrs. Kip might be near should Colonel de Peyster's health grow worse.

Baltimore Chit-Chat.

A number of Baltimore society folk went to Washington yesterday to attend the wedding of Miss Anne Kathleen Steele, and George William Coale, of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Marshall Thomas and their family, who spent the winter at their town house, 922 St. Paul Street, will occupy for the summer months their country residence at Watch Hill, R. I.

Former Gov. and Mrs. Lloyd Lowndes and Miss Elizabeth Lowndes, who have been at the Rennett since Monday, have returned to their home in Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnell Swan will spend the summer in Canada.

Former Postmaster General and Mrs. James A. Gary and Dr. and Mrs. Andrew H. Whitridge left Baltimore yesterday for New York, and will sail tomorrow for the other side, where they will spend several months in travel.

Philadelphia Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Darlington, Mr. Darlington, and Miss Edith Rawle will go to West Point tomorrow. Mr. Darlington is a member of the board of visitors, appointed by President Roosevelt, to attend the annual examinations at the United States Military Academy this year.

Dr. Robert G. Le Conte gave a party at the Fish House yesterday in honor of Miss Mae Fell. About twenty-five guests were present.

Miss Stearns, of Boston, is visiting Mrs. Charles F. Bachman, in Germantown. Miss Stearns is a daughter of James P. Stearns, president of the Shawmut Bank of Boston. Mrs. Charles F.

Bachman will give a tea in honor of Miss Stearns tomorrow.

Mrs. Theodore N. Ely will give an informal musicale, followed by a luncheon, at her home, Wyndham, Bryn Mawr, today, to meet Mrs. Wallace W. Atterbury.

Miss Christine Wheeler will visit her sister, the Countess Pappenheim, on the Isle of Wight, this summer, making occasional trips with her in Europe.

New York Society.

As usual, the Brooklyn Handicap attracted a large representation of that particular element of New York society which is interested in racing matters, though as a fashionable function it could not begin to compare with the recent Morris Park races on any of the more important days. Among those present were Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, in a costume of blue tulle, trimmed with embroidery and lace, and wearing a large white hat trimmed with gardenias and their leaves; Mrs. Thomas Hitchcock, Jr., in a frock of gray cheviot, with a black straw hat, trimmed with a big ostrich plume; Miss Dorothy Whitney, in a tan-colored cloth frock, with a red straw sailor hat, trimmed with green leaves.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall McCormick, Jr., will sail for Europe tomorrow. They will remain abroad for the summer, and on their return will occupy their new home, at 31 West Fifty-second Street.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Franklin Lieber, who have been abroad for several months, are now in London, where they will remain for the season.

In honor of Commander Robert E. Peary, the recently elected president of the American Geographical Society, a reception was given by the society yesterday afternoon at 15 West Eighty-first Street. Commander Peary came from Washington.

It was the first social affair that has been held in the society's new home. The building has offices, council chambers and reception rooms on the first floor, libraries, and studies on the second and third floors, and an extensive map room on the fourth floor.

Those who received were Mrs. William Libby, Miss H. L. Robbins, Mrs. Levi Holbrook, Mrs. William G. Hamilton, the Misses Hamilton, Mrs. Charles S. Fairchild, Mrs. Francis McN. Bacon, Mrs. George S. Bowdoin, Miss Bowdoin, and Mrs. John Greenough.

MISSISSIPPI SOCIETY PICNIC TO CHAIN BRIDGE

The Mississippi Society will hold its annual picnic Memorial Day, at Chain Bridge, on the Potomac River. A tug has been chartered which will be attached to a large barge, furnishing ample accommodations for all who may go. The boat leaves the foot of Thirty-third Street, Georgetown, at 9:30 a. m. promptly. Ladies are requested to bring baskets. There will be amusements during the day, and a good time for all. All Mississippians in town are invited. If you have hammocks or swings bring them along.

LANSBURGH & BRO. LANSBURGH & BRO. Tomorrow, Decoration Day, Our Store will close at one o'clock.

A Decoration Day Sale. News That Will Create a Furore Here Tomorrow. In order to do a 13-hour day business in 5 hours we offer the most emphatic bargains ever given the public of Washington. The good news is given in part below. Many more bargain surprises are to be found throughout the store. If you are wise you'll attend this Greatest Bargain Day of the Season.

Knit Underwear. Some distinctively attractive values. Corsets. Corset, made by American Lady Corset Company, of batiste and net, low bust, medium and long dip hip. Decoration Day 41c. Women's Ribbed Vests, low neck and no sleeves. 12 1/2c and 15c values. Decoration Day 9c. Women's Vests and Pants; vest, high neck, with long or short sleeves; pants, ankle or knee lengths, lace trimmed or plain around bottom. 35c. 25c.

Wrappers Far Below Value. Choice goods and neat patterns—besides, they are well made and perfect-fitting garments. Lawn Wrappers. Of splendid quality, in dainty shades of light blue, pink, and white and stylishly trimmed. The new shaped sleeve; turn-over collar; excel. lent width skirt; finished with full deep flounce. Sizes 34, 46, 48, 50 values; for Decoration Day only. 98c.

Summer Hosiery. Children's Fine Ribbed Black Cotton Hose—double knee, heel and toe—warranted fast black. Decoration Day price. 9c. 3 pairs for 25c. Women's Fine Black Lace Lisle Hose, double heel and toe. Hermsdorf dye. Instead of 39c, 50c, Decoration Day price. 39c.

Flags at Low Price. Join with the city in celebrating Memorial Day. Cotton Flags, fast colors, From 10c to \$3.00. Wool Flags, From 75c to \$15.00. Silk Flags, From 15c to \$5.50.

Fancy Ribbons. All-silk Fancy Louisiana Ribbon, 4 and 5 inches wide, in black, light blue, pink, green, lavender, and yellow and red; 30c quality. Decoration Day price. 20c. 4 1/2 and 5 1/2 All-silk Dresden Ribbon; the very latest for neck and girle. Decoration Day 65c.

Men's Furnishings. NEGLIGEE SHIRTS of woven madras—shirts that are well made and perfect fitting. The quality is limited, so hurry along and get a \$1.25 shirt. Decoration Day 75c. MEN'S NECKWEAR of Foulard Silk—navy blue ground—reversible four-in-hands, Polka Dots and neat patterns. They were made to sell at 50c. Decoration Day price. 25c.

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