

Major and Mrs. Samson L. Faison to Be Guests Of Mrs. Z. T. Sowers at Large Tea This Afternoon

Wife of Dr. Sowers to Entertain Son-in-Law and Daughter.

Mrs. Z. T. Sowers, wife of Dr. Sowers, will entertain at a large tea this afternoon from 4 to 7 o'clock at her residence, 1707 Massachusetts avenue, in honor of her son-in-law and daughter, Major Samson L. Faison, U. S. A., and Mrs. Faison, who have recently returned to Washington from Madison Barracks, N. Y. Major Faison is now stationed at the War College.

Christmas greens, American Beauty and Killarney roses will form the decorations in the drawing rooms, and the dining room will be decorated with holly and poinsettia blossoms.

Assisting in receiving the guests and dispensing the hospitalities after the afternoon will be Mrs. John W. Foster, Mrs. Charles D. Walcott, Mrs. George McLaughlin, Mrs. Albert L. Leir, Mrs. Wetherpoon, Mrs. Ten Eyck Wendell, Mrs. Walter McLean, Mrs. Hanston, of Mexico, Mrs. Phelps Brown, Mrs. Gertrude Williams, and Miss Frances Sands.

Mrs. Sowers will wear a gown of black chiffon over white satin with touches of pink, and Mrs. Faison's gown will be of blue satin and silver trimmings.

Miss Edith Abercrombie-Miller, daughter of Mrs. Abercrombie-Miller and the late Commander Abercrombie-Miller, U. S. A., was married at noon today to Walter R. Tuckerman. The wedding ceremony was performed at Grace Church, Madison, N. Y., and was followed by a reception and breakfast for the members of the immediate families at "Lonsdale Farms," the home of the brother-in-law and sister of the bride, Mrs. Charles S. Ashton de Peyster, in Morristown, N. J.

Owing to the recent death of the bride's father, the wedding was attended by a small party of relatives and a few friends.

Society Eagerly Awaits Yale Comedy, "The Fan"

The coming of the Yale University Dramatic Association, which will give a performance of "The Fan," a comedy translated from the Italian, at the Columbia Theatre, Friday afternoon, December 23, is looked forward to with much interest by society. The patronesses follow:

Mrs. Arthur Addison, Mrs. David G. Ade, Mrs. Fred C. Ainsworth, Mrs. Lutz Anderson, Mrs. George A. Auden, Mrs. E. A. Baker, Mrs. S. C. Bacon, Mrs. J. B. Barbour, Mrs. Job Barnard, Mrs. A. C. Barney, Mrs. Alfred E. Bates, Mrs. J. B. Belden, Mrs. Alexander Graham Bell, Mrs. Charles J. Bell, Mrs. James Franklin Bell, Mrs. Albert J. Beveridge, Mrs. Helen Bingham, Mrs. Augustus S. Blagden, Mrs. Thomas Blagden, Mrs. John Blair, Mrs. Woodbury Blair, Mrs. George Bliss, Mrs. Jerome Bonaparte, Mrs. E. Bronwell, Mrs. George W. Bryan, Mrs. Henry B. Brown, Mrs. Morgan G. Bulkeley, Mrs. Roscoe C. Butler, Mrs. Richard Butler, Mrs. Edward W. Cady, Mrs. Charles Campbell, Mrs. Calderon Casselle, Mrs. J. Mandeville Carlisle, Mrs. Robert C. Carter, Mrs. Helen Claiborn, Mrs. Richardson Clover, Mrs. Murray A. Cobb, Miss Martha C. Codman, Mrs. Tilton J. Coffey, Mrs. Spencer Cosby, Mrs. Mary Gray Cross, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Pierce Crosby, Mrs. Alerton Cushman, Mrs. Clara Davis, Mrs. Richard C. Dean, Mrs. Chauncey M. Depew, Mme. de Sibour (Henri), Mrs. George Dewey, Mrs. J. M. Dickinson, Mrs. Harrison Dodson, Mrs. Augustus C. Downing, Mrs. William F. Draper, Mrs. John F. Dryden, Mrs. John W. Dwight, Mrs. Clarence R. Edwards, Mrs. Stephen B. Edwards, Mrs. John E. Ely, Mrs. Richard Ely, Mrs. William Phelps Eno, Mrs. William Corcoran Eustis, Mrs. John W. Foster, Mrs. John Freeman, Mrs. Thomas T. Gaff, Mrs. Katherine Gallaudet, Mrs. Denison Gallaudet, Mrs. Ernest A. Garlington, Mrs. George G. Gillespie, Mrs. George C. Glover, Mrs. Edmund Goldborough, Mrs. A. W. Greenly, Mrs. Gilbert H. Grosvenor, Mrs. Francis H. Goring, Mrs. Frank W. Hackett, Mrs. Randall H. Hagner, Mrs. Arnold Hague, Mrs. Eugene Hale, Mrs. Chandler Hale, Mrs. Edward C. Halliday, Mrs. John M. Hart, Mrs. Richard Harlow, Mrs. Francis Burton Harrison, Mrs. Lawrence Heap, Mrs. John B. Henderson, Mrs. J. William Henry, Mrs. Philip Hitchborn, Mrs. H. Moxan Hill, Mrs. Robert Hinckley, Mrs. Robert R. Hill, Mrs. Richmond P. Hobson, Mrs. J. H. Hopkins, Mrs. Alfred F. Hopkins, Mrs. James Hopkins, Mrs. Courtland Hoppin, Mrs. Isham H. Hornby, Mrs. George Howard, Mrs. Henry M. Hoyt, Mrs. George M. Huff, Mrs. Frank Hume, Mrs. Silson Hutchins, Mrs. Ralph Jenkins, Mrs. Hennen Jennings, Mrs. John A. Johnson, Mrs. George T. Summerlin, Mrs. E. E. Jones, Mrs. Misses Megan, Mrs. James Kerr, Mrs. Arthur Lee, Mrs. Clara Lanza, Mrs. John F. Leech, Mrs. Alexander B. Leckie, Mrs. Hugh Leckie, Mrs. H. L. Z. Letter, Mrs. Nathan S. Lincoln, Mrs. John A. Logan, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, Mrs. F. G. Loring, Mrs. James Lowmire, Mrs. Ormsby McCammon, Mrs. Edward McCauley, Mrs. Charles McCawley, Mrs. G. M. McClellan, Mrs. John McGowan, Mrs. Joseph McKenna, Mrs. R. H. McKim, Mrs. W. Duncan McKim, Mrs. Edward McLean, Mrs. Lanahan, Mrs. John McLean, Mrs. James McMillan, Mrs. Preston McKim, Mrs. Alexander Magruder, Mrs. John Magruder, Mrs. Charles L. Marlatt, Mrs. Stanley Mathews, Mrs. Henry May, Mrs. William Merriam, Mrs. James Mitchell, Mrs. Frank Moorhead, Mrs. Alexander Porter, Mrs. Charles A. Munn, Mrs. John Hay, Mrs. Arthur May, Mrs. T. Morris Murray, Mrs. J. J. Myers, Mrs. Wallace Neff, Mrs. Truman Newberry, Mrs. Fleming Newbold, Mrs. Sheldon Noble, Mrs. J. Van Vechten Olcott, Mrs. Robert Shaw Oliver, Mrs. Albert Orinway, Mrs. Thomas Niles Page, Mrs. Richard Payne Parker, Mrs. Herbert



MISS IRIS MASTERS, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel I. Masters, Who Will Make Her Debut This Afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Masters Give Debut Tea at Sixteenth Street Home.

Miss Iris Masters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel I. Masters, will make her debut at a tea this afternoon from 4 to 7 o'clock at the home of her parents, at 350 Sixteenth street.

The drawing rooms and reception hall will be adorned with Christmas greens and clusters of American Beauty and Killarney roses and the dining room will be decorated in evergreens and Richmond roses. An orchestra will play throughout the afternoon.

Mrs. Charles I. Corby and Mrs. James Orme will preside at the tea table, which will have a centerpiece of ferns, Richmond roses, and white lilies.

Others assisting in receiving the guests and dispensing the hospitalities of the afternoon will be Mrs. M. H. Mercer and Miss Master's house guests, Miss Katherine Niles, of Boston, Miss Helen Buchanan, and Miss Nellie Goodrich, of Philadelphia; Miss Elise Brown, Miss Hazel Cox, Miss Frances Edmondson, and Miss Genevieve Kinnear. A supper for the receiving party will follow the tea and a reg. additional guests will come in for an informal dance.

Mrs. Master will receive her guests in a gown of soft black satin and lace and the debutante will wear white satin veiled in chiffon and trimmed with touches of coral velvet and she will carry a shower bouquet of pink roses and lilies of the valley.

Miss Masters has sent out invitations for a luncheon at Rauscher's Friday.

Representative George Edmund Foss of Washington, Friday, will be in the city and will join the family party at the inauguration of the brother of the former, Eugene Foss, the governor-elect of Massachusetts.

Mrs. Charles Tandy Wheeler and her daughters, Miss Mary Wheeler and Marjorie Wheeler, of Pittsburgh, are spending the winter in Washington.

Miss Taft Entertained By Mr. and Mrs. Johnston.

Miss Helen Taft was the guest in compliment to whom Mr. and Mrs. James Marion Johnston entertained a party at dinner last evening followed by a short dance program at their residence on Twenty-first street.

Later in the evening the party attended Mrs. Haywood's dance for her debutante daughter, Miss Doris Haywood. The beautiful ballroom was adorned with Christmas greens and red roses and at midnight a supper was served. There were about 250 guests, including many debutantes of this season and of last year, and a number of the young married set.

Dr. and Mrs. Guy Fairfax Whiting will entertain a party at dinner this evening in honor of Miss Taft.

Mrs. Gage has sent out cards for a tea, Monday, January 2, at 5 o'clock, at her home, Dupont Circle. Mrs. Gage will be at home Fridays throughout the season.

Miss Dorothy Pleasant, daughter of Dr. J. M. Pleasant, of Petersburg, Va., is the guest of Miss Virginia Perkinson, 1215 Newton street, Brookland, D. C.

Mrs. MacVeagh, wife of the Secretary of the Treasury, will receive informally this afternoon.

Miss Mary Howry, daughter of Judge Charles B. Howry and Mrs. Howry, was hostess at a luncheon of fourteen covers today in compliment to Miss May Hammond and Miss Eliza Morgan McDonald, debutantes.

Miss Howry, who is a student at Mary Baldwin Seminary, at Staunton, Va., is spending the holidays with her parents.

Mrs. Sol Meyer and daughter are visiting relatives in Baltimore.

The Undecine Club gave one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season last evening at Mrs. Dwyer's. Dancing was indulged in until a late hour, when a buffet supper was served.

Miss Edith Baez, of Baltimore, who attended the Octagon dance Monday evening, has returned to her home.

Brig. Gen. James B. Aleshire, U. S. A., and Mrs. Aleshire entertained about eighty young people at a dance and supper at their residence, 235 S street, last evening for their daughter, Miss Dorothy Aleshire, who is a student at Bryn Mawr, and is spending the holidays at home.

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WORTHING A MARTYR TO HIS PROFESSION

Actor Who Died In Harness Even Refused One Evening's Rest.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 23.—While preparations were being made today to take back to New York the body of Frank Worthing, who died suddenly on the stage at the Garrick Theater last night, one of the most pathetic stories of the dramatic profession became public.

Members of Grace George's company, in which he was leading man, told how for months he had played his part in the very shadow of death. He knew he was hopelessly ill with consumption, but told his colleagues that he could not resist the lure of his profession, though he might prolong his life by resting from his labors.

Miss George urged him not to go on last night, but he refused to take even the one evening's respite.

He crept to the floor as he stepped on the stage for the opening of the first act of "Sauce for the Goose," and was dead in twenty minutes. Hemorrhage of the lungs was the cause. A physician was hurriedly summoned, but could do nothing to relieve Mr. Worthing, who did not regain consciousness.

The orchestra was playing and the curtain was just rising. As soon as it was known that Mr. Worthing's attack struck similar to last night's at the Detroit Opera House about two years ago, which almost proved fatal. He was with Grace George's company and fainting during the performance. He was carried from the stage and revived, but an understudy took his part.

Mr. Worthing suffered for many years with consumption, and of late had become extremely weak. He played Monday night the opening of "The Light," and the strain told heavily on him.

Santo Domingo Sends Ultimatum to Haiti

SANTO DOMINGO, Dec. 23.—An ultimatum has been sent by the Santo Domingo government to Haiti to withdraw the Haitian soldiers from the southern frontier, where a battle already has been fought.

Santo Domingo is transporting additional troops into the mountainous regions south of Lake Enriquillo, where there is a concentration of American troops. The brutal methods of General Ferdinand of the Haitian army who executed a dozen Dominican prisoners aroused great indignation throughout this city today.

Army and Navy Service Orders

ARMY.
The retirement of Colonel JOSEPH B. GIBBARD, Medical Corps, from active service on December 23, 1910, is announced. First Lieutenant MYRON B. BOWDISH, Fifteenth Cavalry, Manila, Philippine Islands, is promoted to Second Lieutenant OWEN S. ALBRIGHT, Thirtieth Infantry, will report to Brigadier General ERIC ERICK FUNSTON, for appointment and duty as aide-de-camp on his staff. Captain HENRY B. DIXON, Twelfth Cavalry, to Department of California.

NAVY.
Lieutenant W. H. LASSING and Ensign C. A. SCHIFFER, to Utah.

MOVEMENTS OF VESSELS.
Arrived—Panama at New York, Salem at Hampton Roads, Des Moines at Las Palmas, Brutus at New London, Tankton at Culebra, Ajax at Lambert Point, Hannibal at Guantanamo, and Tallahassee at Norfolk.

Sailed—Duquesne from Portsmouth, N. H., for New York, Solace from Pointe-a-Pitre for La Guayra, Princeton from Panama for Corinto.

ARTIST FINDS TYPE HE WANTS IN WEST

Harrison Fisher's Search for Model for "New Girl" Successful.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 23.—The romantic journey of Harrison Fisher, the New York artist, who came in quest of a girl in the Golden West whose face might be immortalized by his pen and brush as a typical American beauty, seems to have been a success.

The girl, has been found, and the artist has returned to the East, with the promise that Miss Maurine Rasmussen, of this city, will follow early in the new year to pose for the new Harrison Fisher type.

The new American girl discovered is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rasmussen, of this city, and is an artist of more than local note. She has the slight that Fisher demanded in the new type of loveliness for which he sought successfully in California. She is 5 feet 8 inches tall, and twenty-five years old. Miss Rasmussen is not only pretty, but is conceded to be that "slashing" type of beauty that Fisher insisted should be the model for his future work.

Steamer Reaches Pier With Her Cargo on Fire

PORT SAID, Egypt, Dec. 23.—The British steamer Swazi, bound from Calcutta to Philadelphia, arrived here today with her cargo of jute on fire. The fire broke out six days ago and despite the efforts of the crew, gained headway. Stevedores and dockmen were taken on board to fight the flames as the vessel lay at the pier.

Fire Not to Close College.

RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 23.—Studies will be resumed at Richmond College, January 3 despite the almost total destruction of Ryland Hall by fire, Christmas.

POLICE UNCOVER ANARCHISTIC PLOT

Seize Correspondence of Burglar Which Reveals Gigantic Scheme.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—An anarchistic plot of widespread ramifications, the details of which are still an official secret, was disclosed in correspondence seized in the home of the dead burglar, Gardstein, one of the gang that killed three policemen on December 15 in the fight in Houndsditch, according to today's Exchange Telegraph. Gardstein's house, in Gold street, Stepney, was found to be a small arsenal, equipped with bomb-making machinery, but not until today did the police find the letters that revealed the anarchistic plot. The Exchange Telegraph says that exposures will be made shortly.

In connection with the anarchist scare, the Evening Times declares that Scotland Yard is taking preliminary steps toward suppressing the English sales of the newspaper Liberator, an anarchistic paper published in Paris, but chiefly devoted to the encouragement of English revolution. The Times asserts that the publisher of the Liberator, Edward Holton, was formerly an American lawyer, who now lives in Paris, but is at present touring in Portugal.

Gardstein, the dead burglar, is believed to have been a Russian of the name of Morantzev.

Hatpins Are Muzzled In Kansas City Now

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Dec. 23.—Muzzled hatpins come into vogue in Kansas City today as the result of the passage by the city council last night of an ordinance which prohibits the sale of \$50 for every woman convicted of wearing a protruding hatpin, the point of which is not provided with a guard.

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