

Activities of Society

WORE NOTABLE BALL GOWN



MRS. EDWARD BEALE McLEAN, Whose costume at the recent Chinese ball given by Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, is pronounced to have been one of the most handsome.

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son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Laux...
Mrs. E. Pettit, Mr. and Mrs. E. Walker and family, Charles Walker, Miss Cora Walker, W. Rose...

SOCIETY GOSSIPS OF THE CHINESE BALL

Washington Women's Gowns Notable Among the Many Handsome Costumes.

Aside from the martial problems of Europe and other serious problems, the chief topic of gossip in American society today continues to be that Chinese ball given at Newport Friday night by Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont in honor of her daughter, the beautiful Duchess of Marlborough.

Daniels Is to Order Three Big Ships Home

Three battleships, the Wyoming, New York and Texas, are to be withdrawn from Mexican waters in the next few weeks according to present plans of the Navy Department.

Caviness Now Secretary Of Patriotic Federation

Prof. Leon L. Caviness, formerly of Mexico City, and now professor of ancient and modern languages in Washington Missionary College, is the new secretary of the American Federation of Patriotic Societies.

LOCAL MENTION.

Bert V. Wolfe, life insurance, Colo. Bldg. Virginia Theater—That's All.

Punchless Punch Bowls Agitate Navy Men

Punchless punch bowls? That is the question. Are they to be or not to be? Whether it is necessary in the constitution of the silver service...

U.S. Gives Suffrage Melting Pot

Uncle Sam will furnish the melting pot for conversion into coin of all old gold and silver, including jewelry, donated by suffragists for "the cause."

Country Babies Winners At Machinists' Outing

Country children ranked best in the baby contest conducted by the machinists of the District, whose annual picnic at Marshall Hall proved an excellent opportunity for the display of the happy-faced, cheerful youngsters by proud parents.

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Chauffeur Arrested for "Borrowing" Automobile

Charles Hall, twenty-one, a chauffeur, living in Hyattsville, Md., was arrested at his home this morning by Constable Thomas Garrison and brought to Washington to face a charge of taking an automobile in this city without the owner's consent.

State Department Was Founded 125 Years Ago

Today is the 125th anniversary of the founding of the State Department. On July 27, 1789, President George Washington signed an act creating the "Department of Foreign Affairs," which on September 15, 1793 was changed to the Department of State.

Wilson Revives an Old Limerick

An old limerick was rejuvenated today by President Wilson while discussing with Congressmen Mitchell and Loneragan, White House callers, the trip of a mutual friend to Cuba.

Heirs of Peacemaker to Get Paid by Government

Comptroller of the Treasury Downey decided today that heirs of a postal clerk who acted as peacemaker in a fight between two other clerks and received injuries which caused his death were entitled to damages of \$2,000.



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Serves Ice Cream From Pulpit

MIDDLETOWN, Conn., July 27.—Members of the Maromas Episcopal Church who attended services on the hottest July day on record for several years were rewarded for their faithfulness by their rector, the Rev. George B. Gilbert, who at the close of his sermon produced a freezer of ice cream from his pulpit and invited his hearers to come forward and have a plate.

Woman Gets Burglar In Broadway Chase

NEW YORK, July 27.—Mrs. Cecelia Simon returned to her apartment, 123 West Forty-fifth street, to find two men packing up her silver. She screamed and they bolted, taking with them only her pocketbook, containing \$6, which she had dropped on a table.

Prison Sentences for Navy Deserters Off

Prison sentences for deserters from the Navy have been abolished by Secretary Daniels. Hereafter all first offenders will be taken back on probation if they desire to return to the Navy. A second offense will bring dishonorable discharge.

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