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A CHRONICLE OF EVENTS WITH SIDE LIGHTS ON THE MEN AND WOMEN WHO MAKE UP WASHINGTON'S COMPLEX AND INTERESTING SOCIAL LIFE.

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. HARDING will be guests tonight of the ambassadors, ministers and charges d'affaires of all the nations represented at Washington in the beautiful and already historic Pan-American building.

A notably brilliant company, including the diplomatic envoys of Peru and Chile, has been asked to meet the guests of honor and the reception will be marked by a degree of pomp and ceremony unusual in a democratic country.

There will be two receiving lines. One, including the Ambassador of Chile and Mme. Mathieu, the Ambassador of Argentina and Mme. LeBreton, the Ambassador of Peru and Mme. Pese, the Ambassador of Brazil, the Minister of Venezuela and his sister, Miss Ines Dominieli, and the Charge d'affaires of Panama and his sister, Miss Ramona Lefevre, will form at the head of the great south stairway to greet the important personages of the official world.

The other guests will be made welcome at the head of the north stairway by the Minister of Cuba and Madame Cespedes, the Minister of Ecuador and Madame Elizalde, the Minister of Colombia and Madame Urzeta, the Minister of Uruguay and Madame Valera, the Minister of Costa Rica and Madame Beeche, the Minister of Guatemala and Madame Bianchi, the Minister of the Dominican Republic and Madame Joubert, the Minister of Nicaragua and Madame Cesar, the Minister of Haiti and Madame Blanchet, and the Charge d'affaires of Honduras and Madame Diaz.

TO BE MET AT ENTRANCE.
The President and Mrs. Harding, who are due to arrive at 10:30 o'clock, will be met at the entrance by a special committee, which includes the Ambassador of Chile and Mme. Mathieu, the Ambassador of Argentina and Mme. LeBreton, the Ambassador of Peru and Mme. Pese, the Ambassador of Brazil, the Minister of Cuba and Madame Cespedes, the Minister of Ecuador and Madame Elizalde and the Charge d'affaires of Panama and Miss Lefevre. They will then be escorted to the Hall of Flags to be greeted by all their hosts, the envoys of the twenty or more Republics of America, and the ladies of their families and afterward will enter the Hall of the Americas, the diplomats falling into their appointed places in the little procession.

A temporary barrier ropes off the end of the great ballroom where places have been arranged for the President and Mrs. Harding, the Vice President, the chiefs of diplomatic missions and other leaders of the official world. This, however, is with a view to avoiding crowding and confusion and once these places have been reached, the band will play the national anthem, the barrier will be removed and all the guests will have opportunity to greet the guests of honor.

A special committee has also been appointed to meet the Vice President and escort him to his place. This includes the minister of Venezuela and the minister of Colombia.

A seated supper will be served in the board room for the Presidential party, the Vice President, the heads of diplomatic missions, with the ladies of their families, and other important officials; and for the rest of the company there will be a buffet supper in the map room opening on the terrace of the beautiful Astor Garden.

The garden will be illuminated for the occasion and a section of the band will give a concert there. Another section of the band will play within doors and there will be an orchestra to play for the dancing. The entire building is lavishly decorated with Dorothy Perkins roses trained over lattices to give a garden effect and great clusters of cut flowers in every available spot.

Mrs. Harding will be at home this afternoon to a number of ladies who are calling by appointment.

DINNER AT BELGIAN EMBASSY.
The Belgian Ambassador and Baroness de Cartier will be hosts at dinner at the embassy.

The British Ambassador and Lady Geddes left Monday for Texas, where, at the Rice Institute in Houston, the ambassador is to deliver two lectures. They will visit Chicago, St. Louis and other cities before returning to Washington.

Ambassador and Lady Geddes have decided to establish the British summer embassy at Isleboro, Me., where the ambassador spent part of last summer. The unmarried men of the embassy, numbering nine, will occupy Gleneyrie, Mrs. John B. Henderson's cottage at nearby Bar Harbor, and it is understood the Rumanian Minister and Princess Bibesco will join the flourishing diplomatic colony at Bar Harbor.

Miss Catherine Hughes, daughter of the Secretary of State and Mrs. Hughes, who sails today by the White Star Liner Celtic for Gibraltar and a summer tour of Europe, will be accompanied by two friends, recent Bryn Mawr graduates, Miss Frances Allison, of St. Louis, and Miss Elizabeth Kirkland, of Nashville, Tenn. The latter's mother, Mrs. J. H. Kirkland, will accompany the young women.

James J. Davis, Secretary of Labor, has taken an apartment at Wardman Park Hotel. Mrs. Davis will join him there in the autumn.

Mrs. Cuno H. Rudolph was hostess at a beautifully appointed luncheon today in honor of Mrs. George E. Christian, Jr. She entertained at the Chevy Chase Club for twenty guests. The large table was effectively decorated with pink roses and delphinium and there were corsage bouquets of pink sweet peas.

Mrs. Joseph E. Davies entertained at luncheon today in honor of her sister, Mrs. Guy Gooding, of Warsaw, Minn., who is her guest. Covers were laid for twelve.

PLAYS AT TWIN OAKS.
In all the rush and hurry of modern life it is a rare privilege indeed to go back for an hour to medieval times and to find a place in which the poet's dreams have come true, bringing with them the greatest of all poets in the flesh. For Will Shakespeare returned last evening to meet the dark lady of the sonnets and to encounter the queen whose name he has made to live in literature. He came to a lovely dell in the country place of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Bell, Twin Oaks, and appeared upon a stage from which rose a natural amphitheater filled by a large audience of diplomatic, official and resident society that welcomed him enthusiastically.

The audience looked across a lily pool at a stage that seemed to float upon the water. Giant trees formed a proscenium arch and there was a screen of greenery that served as a back drop. A herald lighted great torches at each end of the stage and then the shaded footlights appeared. Will Shakespeare with his notebook in which he recorded every passing brilliant thought. He might have stepped out of an old portrait, for he was immediately recognized and it was long before it was guessed that it might be that Robert Bell was impersonating the dramatist in light mood.

No more satisfying characterization than the one presented last evening could be asked for, since Mr. Bell brought to a part that he had studied but a few days a real artistry and fine understanding. The careless, impudent, witty, egotistic poet who desired to speak lightly to his queen, and to flaunt his philandele in quip and courtly phrases, was a difficult role to undertake and that a satisfactory performance was given, is evidence that Robert Bell is an actor of unusual talent. In this play, "The Dark Lady of the Sonnets," which was second on the evening's program, Miss Ann Ives as Queen Elizabeth did a beautiful piece of work. Miss Helen Robbins as the Dark Lady revealed the charm and finish that had won her audience in the previous play. No more polished gem of a little play could be seen anywhere than this "The Dark Lady of the Sonnets." The picture that it left will not be soon forgotten, for James Reynolds, the noted artist, had designed costumes so original and so wonderfully suggestive of the times as well as the personalities they represented that they drew much to the impression of absolute truthfulness. They introduced high color notes, accentuating lines cleverly, and the figures mirrored in the pool formed lovely pictures.

The first play of the evening was the remarkable symbolism of the war spirit so subtly and so beautifully embodied in "Aria da Capo," the remarkable little drama by Edna St. Vincent Millay. In this Miss Helen Robbins, who has made a name for herself as leading woman with John Barrymore, appeared as Columbine and Robert Bell as Pierrot. They indulged in lightest perillage as they sat on either side of a table or moved across the stage, speaking the brilliant or foolish lines with charming lightness. They gave place to the two shepherds who "played" at placing a wall between them, and so came each to covet the other's territory until at

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