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TOMORROW AND ALL WEEK

Society

by JEAN ELIOT

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

MRS. HARDING, who has followed the deliberations of the arms conference with keen interest and has missed but one open session, was present this morning at Memorial Continental Hall when the conference met. She occupies a seat in the box looking down upon the floor of the house, which is always reserved for her, and she had with her a little company of distinguished women, including Mrs. Coolidge, Mrs. William Howard Taft, Mrs. Frederick Gillett, Mrs. John W. Weeks, Mrs. Edwin Denby, Mrs. Frank B. Kellogg, Mrs. Frederick Dent Grant, Princess Cantacuzene and Mrs. William Hamilton Bayly.

It has been announced from the White House that the invitation list for the Congressional Reception next Thursday evening has been closed. There is but one more of the state receptions on the calendar—the one on Thursday evening, February 25, at which the Army and Navy will be the guests of honor.

The Ambassador of Great Britain and Lady Geddes were hosts at dinner last evening in compliment to the Chief Justice and Mrs. Taft. The guests included the Rt. Hon. Mr. Balfour, the Secretary of Commerce and Mrs. Herbert Hoover, the Minister of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes and Mme. Grouitch, Princess Lubomirka, the Minister of Switzerland and Mme. Marc Peter, the Minister of Czechoslovakia, Dr. Bedrich Stepanek, the Minister of Sweden and Mme. Axel P. Wallenberg, the Minister of Bolivia and Senora de Ballivian, Lord Richard Nevill, Mrs. Ezra Butler McCragg, Senator and Mrs. Joseph S. Frelinghuysen, Congressman and Mrs. Frederick C. Hicks, Solicitor General and Mrs. James M. Beck, the Third Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, the Director of the Smithsonian Institution and Mrs. Charles D. Walcott, Prince and Princess Cantacuzene, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carroll Glover, Mrs. John B. Henderson, John B. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Brooke, Miss Nannie Belle May, Mrs. Mary Gwynn and Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Henry, of Philadelphia.

Mrs. Edwin T. Meredith, who has been much feted since coming to Washington, gave a luncheon today by way of returning some of the hospitality which has been showered upon her. The guests included Lady Geddes, Mme. Peter, Mme. Sze, Mrs. William M. Calder, Mrs. Arthur Capper, Mrs. Joseph Irwin France, Mrs. Robert Lansing, Mrs. Charles D. Walcott, Mrs. Theodore H. Roosevelt, Mrs. Henry F. Dimock, Mme. Kwapiszewska, Mrs. Theodore W. Noyes, Mrs. C. C. McChord, Mrs. T. DeWitt Talmage, Mrs. Charles B. Drake, Mrs. Charles Gray Mathews, Mrs. Joseph Folk, Mrs. John Allan Daugherty and her cousin, Miss Kate Moore, who is visiting her; Mrs. F. R. Harrison, Mrs. Timothy T. Ansberry, Mrs. Joseph Davies, Mrs. E. W. Cope, Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh, Miss Mary Morgan, Miss Theresa Rooney, Mrs. Paul Fitzsimmons, Mrs. John Temple Graves and her guest, Mrs. Maxwell. Mrs. Victor Kauffmann, Mrs. Louis Titus, Mrs. Brown and Miss Callie Doyle.

Last evening Mr. and Mrs. Meredith gave a dinner in the Willard room for a distinguished company, which included the Belgian Ambassador and Baroness de Cartier, the Minister of Ecuador and Senora de Elizalde, the Minister of Bulgaria and Mme. de Ballivian, Senator and Mrs. Lawrence C. Phipps, Senator and Mrs. Atlee Pomerene, Senator David I. Walsh, Senator and Mrs. William M. Calder, the Counselor of the Polish Legation and Mme. Kwapiszewska, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Lasker, Mr. and Mrs. David Jayne Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Meyer, Judge and Mrs. C. C. McChord, Miss Mary Patten, Mrs. Josephine Patten, Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. Gist Blair, Mrs. T. DeWitt Talmage, Mrs. George Ehle and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Deeres.

Senator and Mrs. Irvine L. Lenoir will entertain a small company at dinner tonight in honor of Sir Robert Borden. Among those asked to meet him are Senator and Mrs. Joseph S. Frelinghuysen and Senator and Mrs. Frank B. Kellogg.

Mrs. Cordenio A. Severance entertained at luncheon today at the Willard in honor of Mme. Grouitch and Mrs. Frank B. Kellogg. The fourteen guests included Dr. Wellington Koo, Solicitor General and Mrs. James M. Beck, Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Charles M. Sawyer, Dr. and Mrs. Stanley Rinehart, Mary

Roberts Rinehart, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Potter and Mrs. George Ehle. Senator and Mrs. Lawrence C. Phipps will entertain at dinner next Tuesday evening in honor of the Vice President and Mrs. Coolidge.

Mrs. Calvin Coolidge will be the guest of honor at a luncheon which Miss Mabel Boardman is giving on Wednesday. On Friday Mrs. Warren Delano Robbins is giving a luncheon for her.

The minister of Czechoslovakia, Dr. Bedrich Stepanek will be host at a large dinner this evening at the Willard. The Minister of China and Mme. Alfred Sze will be the guests at dinner this evening of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warren.

Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh will be hostess tonight at one of the series of informal dances she is giving on Saturday evenings at her house in Massachusetts avenue.

James Orr Denby, a nephew of the Secretary of the Navy, has been appointed one of the secretaries of the American Embassy in Tokyo, and will leave shortly for his new post. Mr. Denby is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Denby.

Du Pont Gives Dinner. Col. Henry du Pont will be host at dinner this evening at his residence on Massachusetts avenue.

Major and Mrs. Gist Blair will entertain at dinner this evening. Miss Elizabeth Kemp will entertain a company of young people at dinner this evening.

Mrs. Fitzguth Lee was hostess at an informal luncheon at the Shoreham today, entertaining for Mrs. Jack Davidson, of Florida, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles B. Howry. Others in the party were Mrs. Howry, Mrs. Thomas Reed, Mrs. Henry Miller, and Mrs. Walter Wells.

Mrs. William McClellan Ritter had a luncheon today at her house in Massachusetts avenue for the executive board of the Travelers' Aid Society, of which she is a member. Colonel and Mrs. A. C. Macomb will entertain a company of guests at the dinner dance at the Army and Navy Club next Saturday evening. The club dance was postponed from tonight on account of the Knickerbocker disaster.

Baron and Baroness Saucocourt d'Andevanne, of Paris, are at the Willard, and will be much feted during their brief stay in Washington. They were among the guests at the luncheon which Dr. and Mrs. Cary Latzel gave today, and on Wednesday evening Mrs. James Marwick will entertain at luncheon in their honor.

Miss Louise Lacey will be at home informally on Monday afternoon in compliment to Baroness Saucocourt, who was formerly Miss Marie Almiral, of New York.

In honor of Mrs. Hubert Work, wife of the First Assistant Postmaster General, Mrs. Theodore Tiller entertained at a luncheon at the Hoot of the Owl dining rooms of the League of American Penwomen today. Mrs. Tiller's guests included Mrs. Atlee Pomerene, Mrs. Guy Denard Goff, Mrs. Edward Clifford, Mrs. Francis B. Moran, Mrs. Bernard B. Jones, Mrs. Charles Kappler, Mrs. Susie Root Rhodes, Mrs. Evelyn Hunt, Mrs. Edwin Puller and Miss Flora Wilson.

Mary Ambler Smith Weds. Miss Mary Ambler Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis Smith, was married today to Capt. Percy Lee Sadler, U. S. A. The wedding took place at noon at the home of the bride's parents in S street, and was followed by a breakfast, some sixty guests assembling for the occasion. It was one of the prettiest home weddings imaginable, and the bride, who has lovely coloring and wondrous red hair, made a charming picture in her traditional bridal white. She wore a crown of soft ivory tulle embroidered in pearls, and made with the popular long points hanging below the hem line. She had no train, as the veil of lovely old point lace, a family heirloom, which she



MISS MARGARET DEVEREUX LIPPITT

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Lippitt, of Wilmington, N. C., who has been visiting in Washington. She is a niece of Judge Henry D. Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo de Sager and Countess de Sager, who arrived in New York today on the Aquitania, will come to Washington on Tuesday. Meanwhile they will be at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Norment entertained a small company at dinner last evening in celebration of the birthday of Justice James Clark McReynolds.

Congressman John D. Clark, of New York, gave a "farm supper" last night at the Columbia Country Club to the members of the Committee on Agriculture of the House of Representatives, of which he is a member, and to the members of the joint Committee on Agriculture of the House and Senate.

Among the guests were Secretary of Agriculture, Henry C. Wallace; the Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Theodore Roosevelt.

Mrs. Mark W. Potter, wife of Interstate Commerce Commissioner Potter, gave a buffet luncheon yesterday in her apartment in Wardman Park Hotel in honor of Mrs. Cordenio A. Severance, of St. Paul, wife of the president of the American Bar Association. The table and room were decorated with early spring flowers and the guests included Senora de Pezet, Mrs. Albert B. Fall, Mrs. Henry C. Wallace, Mrs. James J. Davis, Mrs. Henry P. Fletcher, Mrs. Guy Despard Goff, Mrs. Frank B. Kellogg, Mrs. Miles Pollock, Mrs. William M. Calder, Mrs. Key Pittman, Mrs. Henry Wilder Keyes, Mrs. A. A. Jones, Mrs. A. Owsley Stanley, Mrs. James C. Carrill, Mrs. Samuel E. Winslow, Mrs. Frederick A. Britten, Mrs. Richard Yates, Mrs. Robert Lansing, Mrs. Charles S. Hamlin, Mrs. Thomas P. Gore, Mrs. Charles E. Sawyer, Mrs. Mary Roberts Rinehart, Mrs. Carrie Jacobs-Bond, Mrs. Francis M. Goodwin, Mrs. William McClellan Ritter, Mrs. Wallace Radcliffe, Mrs. John W. Frizzell, Mrs. David Jayne Hill, Mrs. James Warwick, Mrs. Eugene C. Pomeroy, Mrs. William F. Dennis, Mrs. Wesley Martin Stoner, Mrs. Hester Dorsey Richardson, Mrs. John W. Barber, Mrs. Lincoln Green, Mrs. Bird M. Robinson, Mrs. Elbridge J. Moore, Mrs. Edgar C. Clark, Mrs. Charles E. McKenney, Mrs. Wilbur W. Hubbard, Mrs. Rudolph Forster, Mrs. George Wheeler, Mrs. Elizabeth Northrup, Mrs. George Macaulay, Mrs. Williamson, Mrs. E. J. Seibold, Mrs. John H. Small, Mrs. James W. Cain, Mrs. Benjamin B. Cain, Jr., Mrs. Charles C. McChord, Mrs. Winthrop M. Daniels, Mrs. Henry C. Hall, Mrs. E. A. Meyer, Mrs. Clyde B. Atchison, Mrs. Ernest L. Lewis, Mrs. Frederick L. Cox, Mrs. Johnston B. Campbell, Miss Elizabeth Eastman and Miss Margie Stimson.

Mrs. Potter was assisted by Mrs. Will H. Lyford, of Chicago; Mrs. Alfred Pembroke Thom, Mrs. Milton W. Elliott and Mrs. Benjamin B. Cain, Jr., and Mrs. Clyde B. Atchison sang a group of songs, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Eastman.

Senator Schanzer, of the Italian delegation to the arms conference, was a luncheon host at the Shoreham yesterday, entertaining a company of six.

Admiral and Mrs. William V. Pratt entertained at dinner last evening in compliment to Miss Corinne de G. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Henry, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Brooke.

Mrs. Frank Hight has postponed the luncheon she had planned to give on Monday in compliment to Mrs. Henry Wilder Keyes, because of the illness of the latter.

Dr. and Mrs. Francis S. Nash entertained at dinner last evening for their daughter, Miss Carolyn Nash, having as the honor guests Miss Estelle Sanders and Miss Anita Sanders, of Philadelphia, who are spending a few days with Miss Nash.

Mrs. Clarence Richmond Day will be at home this afternoon, when she will be assisted in receiving by Senora de Elizalde and Mrs. Victor Kauffmann.

Mrs. Day will receive again Saturday, February 11.

Miss Natalie Magruder will sail from New York Tuesday on the Aquitania for a visit in England and France.

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