

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davy Eaglenfield and their little son have been the recent guests of friends in this city, en route for their home in Indianapolis, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. Eaglenfield have been attending the Christmas house party given at "Mount Airy," the home of Mrs. Eaglenfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Haskins Hobson, in Powhatan County. They have been visiting relatives in Virginia for some time, and have spent several days in Richmond.

Watkins-Davis.
Society in Richmond, Baltimore and New York City is much interested in the marriage of Miss Ellen Brown Davis, daughter of late George S. and Ellen E. Watkins, of Middlesex County, to Hiram Searl Watkins, which will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. W. W. Haynes, 111 North Twenty-ninth Street, Richmond. The groom originally lived in King and Queen County, but now makes his home in Middlesex. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. W. R. Halship, of Middlesex, and owing to recent bereavement in the family of the bride, the wedding will be a very quiet one, with only the immediate families present.

The bride's gown is a lovely affair of white crepe de chine made over white mesaline and trimmed in pearls and real lace. She will carry a bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. Her maid of honor will be her sister, Miss Bessie Brooke Davis, and her bridesmaids will be Misses S. S. Seddon, S. Watkins, and her brother as best man. The maid of honor will wear a gown of embossed mulle, and will carry a bouquet of carnations.

Mr. and Mrs. Watkins will leave at once for a Northern tour, and on their return, January 15, will be at home at Water View, Ingleswood.

Vander Hoven.
Miss Emma Staples, of Lexington, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Elizabeth Melbane Taylor, at her home, 1301 Grove Avenue, for a stay of several weeks. Miss Staples is the daughter of Professor A. P. Staples, of Washington and Lee University, and has a great many relatives and friends in this city.

California Wedding.
Miss Beulah A. Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Foster, of Richmond, and William J. Smith, of Albemarle, N. Y., were married on Saturday, December 14, at high noon, the ceremony being performed in St. John's Episcopal Church, in Los Angeles, Cal., the Rev. Sherman officiating. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a traveling suit of brown cloth, with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of white roses. Miss Della Kennard acted as maid of honor, and Miss Rose Kennard and Miss Augusta Patterson were bridesmaids. They were all dressed alike in gowns of brown mesaline and carried bouquets of pink roses. The bridesmaids were in white, and the groomsmen included Messrs. Herbert M. Foster and Frank S. Foster, brothers of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith left at once to spend a short honeymoon in San Diego, and on their return will make their home in Los Angeles, Cal.

Engagements of Interest.
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FLAG OF IRELAND WILL BE UNION JACK

Home Rule Law Will Mark Passing of Golden Harp on Ground of Green.

BY LA MARQUISE DE FONTENAY.

IRELAND'S official flag, after the home rule bill becomes law, will, by agreement between the government and the Nationalist party, not be the green flag with the golden harp which has been the standard of Erin in this country, but the Union Jack or imperial flag, as displayed by the great dependencies of the British crown.

The Union Jack is already by statute the flag of the empire. Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa each make use of the Union Jack, on the field of which is shown the special heraldic devices of the self-governing dependency in question. So it will be with Ireland. A quarter of the flag will be devoted to the red, white, or blue field, as the case may be, there will be the heraldic charge of Ireland, presumably the harp.

As stated by the leader of the Nationalists in the House of Commons the other day, the Union Jack, which dates from the union in 1800, has hitherto been regarded with hatred by an overwhelming majority of the Irish people as symbolizing the loss of their legislative independence. But once the union is repealed and autonomy granted to Ireland—once Ireland is admitted into the empire on terms of equality and honor with the other great dependencies of the crown—the Union Jack, with the Irish charge, will become the emblem of a contented Ireland.

King George, the only reigning sovereign in the world who maintains a racing stable, and whose colors, duly registered, are to be seen on the race track, has won so many of the lesser races during the past year that his stud shows a net profit of \$20,000 over the cost of training and upkeep of the horses. The sale of yearlings is also a source of considerable profit. Owing to this he has decided to continue his active connection with the turf for at least another two years, and all arrangements for the racing of his horses, and their entries, are being made in accordance with this plan.

These will doubtless serve to set at rest the stories extensively printed a few weeks ago to the effect that he had determined to give up racing, in deference to the alleged prejudices of Queen Mary against that particular form of sport.

Sir Valentine Chirol has been succeeded by Wickham Steed as foreign editor of the London Times. Steed has hitherto been the resident correspondent of that paper at Vienna, where he made a considerable name for himself by his exceptional independence of character, and his unusual grasp of European politics. In fact, the despatches of the London Times from Vienna during the past three years have been the features of the paper.

If I call attention to this, it is owing to the very intimate connection between this great organ of the English press and the British government.

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W. L. Hamersley was master of ceremonies. After the ceremony the couple boarded the northbound train for Richmond, Washington and other cities. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Vaden, Franklin Junction; Mrs. H. E. L. Aylor, Scottsburg; Miss Florence Vaden, Elba; G. H. Vaden, Jr., Danville.

Loyd-Ambler.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Lynchburg, Va., December 29.—A wedding of much social importance took place at St. Paul's Episcopal Church last night, when Miss Blanche Jordan Ambler, daughter of P. St. George Ambler, was married to William Hubbard Loyd. The ceremony was performed by the rector, Rev. Joseph B. Dunn. The vested choir of the church sang "O Perfect Love" as the members marched to the choir stalls. The bride entered to the strains of the wedding march from "Lohengrin," in the following order: James Loyd and Walker T. Hamner, P. St. George Ambler, Jr., and Mitchell Strother, the maid of honor, Miss Emily Page Ambler, a sister of the bride, and the bride, who entered with her father. They were met at the altar by the groom and his best man, Ashton Loyd, his brother. The recessional was "Mendelssohn's Wedding March."

Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Val Parham, Petersburg; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Herndon, Baltimore; Miss Jennie Loyd, Randolph-Macon Institute, Danville; Misses Mary and Theresa Ambler, Chatham Episcopal Institute, of Chatham, Mrs. Frank Nelson and Miss Marianne Nelson, Elk Hill, Bedford County; Frank Page Nelson, Richmond; Miss Mary Porterfield, Charles Town, W. Va.; Miss Alice Peters, Rocky Mount, Va.; Misses Elizabeth and Frances Brown, Bedford County; Miss Cora Hoblitzell, of Alexandria.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd have gone for a Northern bridal tour, after which they will reside here.

Mark C. Smith.
Blacksburg, Va., December 29.—The funeral of Mark C. Smith, the V. P. E. employe, who was accidentally killed by Hallard Bishop on Christmas Day, was held from the home Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. J. P. Essex, of the Baptist Church, was the officiating minister, and members of the local lodge of Odd Fellows were the pallbearers. Burial was made in the Blacksburg cemetery.

Hearing is Adjourned.
Charleston, S. C., December 29.—After taking testimony for two days, special examiners conducting the mileage book hearing for the Interstate Commerce Commission adjourned the hearing to Washington, where it will be resumed January 15. The hearing was brought on petition from the South Carolina Railroad Commission seeking to have interchangeable mileage taken on trains in the State. Seventy-nine railroads in the Southeast are interested.

Full Supply of Oil Insured.
Berlin, December 29.—The semi-official North German Gazette says that the government now has sufficient orders for independent American oil to insure Germany a full supply, without any help from the Austrian, Rumanian or Russian fields. The paper intimates that any bill which is introduced in the Reichstag for the purpose of putting an end to the present monopoly will be acceptable to the government so long as it does not mean of increase in price.

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