

SOCIETY NEWS

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War Mothers Ball

Much social and patriotic interest is centered in the second annual ball to be given by the American War Mothers of Charlotte Wednesday evening in the City Auditorium. This ball promises to eclipse by far the brilliant ball given last January by the War Mothers.

A feature of the ball will be the music, which will be furnished by the Southern Melody Sextette.

Acting as chaperones will be Mrs. Hugh Montgomery, president of the American War Mothers; Mrs. John R. Van Ness, Mrs. John Boss Brown, Mrs. William E. Thomas, Mrs. Frank Purvell, Mrs. John F. Yorke and Mrs. James D. Ball.

A number of delightful parties will be entertained at the ball.

Among these will be a party of 30 guests, to be entertained by Miss Grace Rogers Montgomery, attractive young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Montgomery.

Agnes Scott Girls Home Tuesday

The following young ladies who attend Agnes Scott College at Decatur, Ga., will arrive home Tuesday afternoon to spend the Christmas vacation at their respective homes: Misses Elizabeth Fore, Mary Keesler, Augusta Cannon, Sara Dunlap, Mildred Shepherd, and Cordelia Henderson.

Birth Announcement

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Timmons, a son, Paul Darrel, Jr., at the Charlotte Sanitarium.

Mrs. Eford to Honor Mrs. Mihal

Mrs. Joseph B. Eford will give a luncheon at the Charlotte Country Club Wednesday at 1:30 o'clock in honor of Miss Ann Mihal, of New York, who is visiting Mr. and Mrs. George C. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzsimons To Move First of Year

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Graham Fitzsimons, who are at present visiting Mr. Fitzsimons' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Fitzsimons, at their home on Bromley Road, Myers Park, expect to occupy their apartment in the Colonial the first of January.

Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Deitz announce the birth of a daughter, Sarah Ellen, on December 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Reiley Building

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene H. Reiley, who, for some time past, have been making their home on Kingston avenue, Dilworth, are building a home in Myers Park, which is rapidly nearing completion. They expect to occupy it shortly after the first of the year.

Personals

Miss Lois Rogers, who has been the attractive house-guest of Miss Mildred Henderson at her home in Myers Park since the beginning of the Christmas vacation at Queen's College, where she is a student, will leave Saturday for her home in Tyler, Texas, to spend the remainder of the vacation.

Mrs. William C. Dodson left Sunday morning for Fayetteville where she will spend Christmas with Mr. Dodson's mother, Mrs. William Bowen. Mr. Dodson will join her there later in the week.

Miss Helen Letcho, who attends Goucher College in Baltimore, arrived home to spend Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Letcho, Saturday morning. Immediately after Christmas, Miss Letcho will be joined here by Miss Catherine Harmon, of High Point, and they will go to Bridge water, where they will be members of a house-party to be given there by Mrs. A. C. Avery, of Morganton.

Cline Cochran, who attends the University of North Carolina, will arrive home Tuesday night from Chapel Hill to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cochran, at their home on South Boulevard, Dilworth.

Major and Mrs. J. G. Baird will leave Thursday night for Richmond, Va., where they will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis, Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Davis being their daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Frick have returned to the city after an absence of several days.

Fashion Forecast

LADIES' AND MISSES' DRESS.

The afternoon dress shown displays conservatively simple lines and is easy to make. A soft silk crepe, charmeuse or silk poplin may be used to good advantage. The waist forms a sash and ties over a gathered skirt. The ladies' and misses' dress No. 1208, is cut in sizes 16, 18 years, 36 to 40 inches bust measure. Size 36 requires 3 5-8 yards 36-inch material. Price, 15 cents.



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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Payne Conway and little son, Howard Payne Conway, Jr., of Greenville, S. C., arrived in the city Friday night and are visiting Mrs. Conway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Parker at their home on Central avenue, Piedmont Park. Mr. and Mrs. Conway and Master Conway will remain here throughout the holidays.

Dr. W. M. Scruggs will go to Rutherfordton Friday to spend Christmas with his parents.

Mrs. Eugene G. Payne and children, of Rockingham, have arrived in the city to spend Christmas with Mrs. Payne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brockebrough, at their home on South Tryon street. Accompanied by Mr. Payne, they came up Sunday. Mr. Payne returning to Rockingham Monday morning. He will return to Charlotte to spend Christmas with Mrs. Payne the latter part of the week.

Randolph Scott, who is out of the city on business, will return home on Thursday.

Mrs. John L. Payne left several days ago for Raleigh where she will spend Christmas with her parents, Prof. and Mrs. R. E. L. Yates at their home in Cameron Park. Mr. Payne will join her there on Christmas Eve.

Walter Lee Campbell of Rockingham, was a visitor in the city Sunday.

George Adams, who is manager of the Durham offices of the Commonwealth Coal Company, is expected to arrive in the city Saturday to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Adams, at their home on North College street.

Walter Hook, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Hook, arrived home Saturday night from New York, where he attends Columbia University.

George Rhodes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rhodes, arrived home Friday night from Raleigh, where he attends the North Carolina State College, this being his first year there. He is spending the vacation with his parents at their home on North College street.

Spencer Whedon, of Medina, N. Y., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Parker at their home on Central avenue. Mr. Whedon is a student at Yale. He will remain with the Parkers throughout the Christmas vacation.

Miss Grace Rogers Montgomery, Miss Julia Settle Wilkes, Miss Marjorie Wilkins and Miss Margaret Smith, who attend St. Mary's College in Raleigh, arrived home for the Christmas holidays Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Owen Fitzsimons of Clover, S. C., will arrive in the city Friday afternoon to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Draper, Mrs. Fitzsimons' parents, at their home on Harvard Place, Myers Park.

Mrs. Eugene H. Reiley and infant daughter, Marie, will leave Tuesday morning for South Boston, Va., where they will spend Christmas with Mrs. Reiley's mother, Mrs. Charles Norwood. Mr. Reiley will leave Charlotte Friday to join them.

Maurice Reiley and Sidney J. Lowe, Jr., who have been visiting Pinehurst, Wilson, Raleigh and other cities, will arrive home Wednesday to spend Christmas at their respective homes.

Miss Mary Moses left Monday for Morganton where she will spend several days with friends and then go to Asheville to spend Christmas with her sister, Miss Elizabeth Moses, who resides in Asheville. She returns to Charlotte soon after the holidays.

Miss Margaret Bland arrived home Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. A. Bland, at their home on East avenue. She is teacher of French at the North Avenue Presbyterian high school in Atlanta.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Reiley, of Winston-Salem, are here to spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Reiley, parents of Mr. Reiley.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Carson, of Whiteville, will arrive in the city Saturday to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Carson at their home on South Tryon street.

Mr. and Mrs. Yates Edgerton, of Kenley, will arrive in the city Monday night to spend Christmas with Mrs. Edgerton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Little, on Queen's road, Myers Park.

Miss Margaret McClaren, who attends the Tenacre School, Wellesley, Mass., has arrived home to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McClaren, at their new home in Myers Park.

Walter Bren Mayer, who attends the Woodberry Forest School, Orange, Va., has arrived home to spend the vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Mayer, at their home in Myers Park.

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Paul Poiret, the master French designer who specializes in startling gowns, fashioned this unusual evening gown. It is made of silk crepe of a warm, soft gray. The bodice designed after ancient lines is embroidered in moresque designs of gold and black. A broad band of thick, black fur edges the long, full skirt.

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