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'NEATH NORTHERN SKIES

BOUTHERN BEAUTIES BLOOM AS GLO-RIOUSLY AS IN DIXIE'S LAND.

Fair Besidents of New York Who First Saw the Light in the Cotton States. Their Charms and Talents Graphically Described. •

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MRS. PAGE BROWN

Southern women have a wide reputation for personal charms. These charms are generally accompanied by pleasing characteristics of mind and manners. This is the case notably with the fair natives of Dixie who have in recent years become residents of New York city.

Mrs. Page Brown, formerly Lucy Pryor, is the second daughter of Gen. Roger A. Pryor, one of the judges of the court of common pleas, Gen. and Mrs. Pryor sought New York twenty-five years ago, and there began life anew after the turmoil of the war. Mr. and Mrs. Page Brown are resid-ing temporarily in San Francisco, where the former is superintending the construction of a mausoleum for Mr. Crocker, Mrs. Brown attracted much attention at Monterey while a visitor there last summer, her sweetness of manner being particularly commented upon



live in Louisiana, her ancestors were natives of Kentucky and Virginia. Her maternal great-grandfather, Governor Shelby, was the first governor of Kentucky and served many years in the diplomatic corps, being minister at different times to several foreign countries. Her father is descended from the Carters, of Cartersville, and Lees,

riage. Although her father and mother !

of Virginia. Mrs. Collis, wife of Gen. Charles H. T. Collis, was before her marriage Miss Sep-tima Maria Levy, of Charleston, S. C. Her father, David C. Levy, removed to Philadelphia, and it was in that city during the war that Miss Levy became the wife of Capt. Collis, of the Union army, who after-

ward attained the rank of major general. She speaks a number of modern languages fluently. Of late years Mrs. Collis has devoted much time to literary pursuits, one of her books, "A Woman's War Record," being a fascinating narrative of three years spent with her husband in camp. She shows her Spanish origin in her features, which are of the Castilian type. She has large, lustrous black eyes and a rich olive complexion.

Mrs. John Claffin, formerly Miss Bessie Stewart, of Louisville, is one of the most strikingly beautiful women in New York. A romantic story is told of her first marriage, which occurred five or six years ago. Mr. Dunn, a member of the firm of H. B. Claffin & Co., during a visit to Louisville chanced to visit a shop there when Miss Stewart walked in to make a purchase. She attracted his attention at once, and he did not leave town until he had made her



MISS ELIZABETH PUSLAND. He died about two years ago, and prize. last spring Mrs. Dunn became the wife of John Claffin, another member of the firm. Miss Irene Langham, a girl of 17, who was conspicuous for her beauty at the White Sulphur springs last summer, is spending the winter in New York. Last summer she helped to draw Gen. Lee's statue from the railway station at Richmond to the place of its erection at the Capitol. She is particularly noted for ingenuousness and frankness, and is the daughter of a wealthy Virginian.

Mrs. Samuel Colgate was Miss Cora Smith, of New Orleans. She has a tall and slender figure. Her marriage took place one year after her arrival in New ork.

Mrs. Richard M. Hunt, Jr., and Miss Grace Carley are daughters of Francis M. Carley, of Louisville. They are exceedingly beautiful, and have been belles both in New York and Newport. Miss Carley recently returned from Europe, where she went to order the trousseau for her wedding to Mr. Oliver Harriman, Jr., which will take place shortly.

Mrs. Gerard Stuyvesant now bears one

More social clubs are talked of.

Col. and Mrs. E. R. Sizer are in Chicago. E. A. Wilson has gone to Louisville, Ky. C. W. Mosher has returned from Chicaga.

A. C. Thompson left this week for Fredonia Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Greenlee are in Den-

ver. G. M. Lambertson has returned from Chi-

inge Decatur, III.

ome in the north.

Col. S. D. Cox of the Call, is spending the holidays in St. Louis.

The Loyal Legion will hold a superb banmet at The Lincoln January 15.

Miss Lizzie Buford entertained a few friends Wednesday at progressive high five.

Miss Setlia Elliot is entertaining Miss Gertrue Bowman of Mt. Fleasant, Iowa. Profs. Howard and Warner of the state

day. Mrs. Alf J. Shilling departed Wednesday

B. J. Congdon of Salamanea, N. C., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Tiffany

Mrs. Powell of St. Paul, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. H. Van Horn, and will re-

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Roberts, Professor G. W. Hill and Miss Eva Knapp left Wednesday to spend the Christmas holidays at Atchison, Neb

Mr. and Mrs. William Dodrill of Oklahoma Gity, former residents of Lancaster county, are in the city, visiting their children and frieads.

Mrs. George V. Forbes and Miss Mattie Armstrong were joined in marriage Thursday night at the residence of Dr. Chapman, in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL. Mr. J. A. Buckstaff was the guest of Mrs. John Francis in Omaha, last week. Mr. and Mrs. Mason Gregg returned Wednesday from a short trip to Kansas City.

Mrs. J. E. R. Miller is spending the holidays at Cheyene, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. O. B. Raney Mr. J. S. Weeks and Miss Mabel Mathews

were united in marriage Wednesday evening. Elder Howe performing the ceremony. Miss Louie Garland and Mr. Edgar F. Red-

dish were married Weilnesday at 4 p. m. at the residence of the bride's parents, Rev. Dr. Creighton offleinting.

John Brewster was a passenger Monday for Decatur, III. Fred Simpson is spending the holidays at his beck to spend the winter in this city. Miss Paul is a cousin of Mrs. L. W. Billingsley and J. M. Knox.

> There was an influx of Rock Island officials this week. Among those who were in the city were; John Seabastian, of Chicago general passenger and ticket agent; W.M Sage of Chicago, general traffic manager; L R. Gorham, of Omaha, of the stock transport tation department; A. H. Moffitt, of Kansas City, general southwestern passenger agent; S. F. Boyd, of Topeka; D. Atwood, of To-peka; J. L. DeBeovise and M. J. Greevy, of Omaba. It is understood that C. A. Rutherford will be local passenger and ticket agent and Ed. O. Müler, general agent. The regular train ----vice between Lincoln and Omaha will be inaugurated January 4.

THE SOCIAL CALENDAR

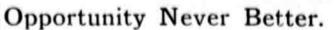
Saturday, Dec. 27-at Funke's opera house, afternoon and evening, Corinne in "Monte Cristo, Jr.

Monday, Dec. 29,-at Funke's opera house Roland Reed in "Lend Me Your Wife."

Tuesday, Dec. 30,—Private dancing party at Temple hall. J street card club enter-tained at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hickey. Party by Charles and Miss Stella Elliott, Max, Pauline and Leah Meyer's "at home"- from 3 to 7 p. m.

Wednesday, Dec. 31,—Meeting of the Tues-day Evening club at Mrs. St. John's, Fif-teenth and L streets. New Years soirce given by Frank Seacrest Roy Chapman and Case Edwards in Tem - ball.





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university, left for Washington, D. C., Tues-

for Des Moines, Iowa, where she will remain several weeks. acquaintance. She had many suitors, but Mr. Dunn marched in and carried off the left for his home Tuesday.

main in the city several weeks.

The youngest sister of Mrs. Brown, Miss Fannie Pryor, has beauty of a striking type. Her face is a poem and her figure is of exquisite mold. The Prvors are descended from the Randolphs and Blands, who were celebrated in England before they settled in Virginia, and Miss Pryor is able to count back thirty generations. If she were at the court of Vienna she could easily offer her sixteen quarterings. She is frank, sincere and clever. She was her mother's nurse at White Sulphur springs during the summer, Mrs. Pryor having been quite ill there. She has the reputation of being remarkably indifferent to admiration.

Mrs. Herbert S. Carpenter has a tall, graceful figure which the single word "willowy" best describes. She was Miss Cora Anderson, of Louisville, and half a dozen years ago went to New York to study for the stage. She had hardly settled her



MRS. HERBERT S. CARPENTER.

self for preparatory work when she met Mr. Carpenter, a Wall street broker. His attentions caused her to abandon a theatrical career, and before six months had passed she returned to Louisville to arrange for her marriage, which took place soon after.

Miss Elizabeth Bisland is among the noted southern women who have sought New York. Her talent as a writer gave her entree to literary circles, and as she has many personal attractions her social success was immediate. Although not much above medium height, she has dignity and stateliness which give her the appearance of being taller than other women. She left New York last spring for London, on a visit to some friends whose acquaintance she made during a tour around the world. She has become so enamored of foreign life that it is pretty well decided she will remain abroad for the present. She has taken lodgings in London and set up a little establishment of her own, undertaking no end of social duties in addi tion to her literary work. She is writing a serial story and contributes frequently to the magazines. She is planning to go to the South of France at an early day, as the climate of London affects her throat. Miss Bisland was born on a plantation in Mississippi and began newspaper work in New Orleans. Her relatives on her mother's side are from New England.

Mrs. Peyton C. Richards, formerly Florence Carter, is a young matron of hand some features. She was born in New Or leans, and was a belle there before her mar



MRS. PETTON RICHARDS. of the oldest of New York names. She was Miss Minnie Neale Floyd, of Louisville

Mrs. Charles Steele, the daughter of S B. French, was born at Petersburg, Va. She is a tall blonde, with a pink and white complexion. Mr. French has a place at Newport, where his daughter lives during the summer.

Mrs. J. Searle Barclay is a radiant beauty with a brilliant complexion. She was born in Washington, but is descended from the

Oldfield family, of Maryland. Mrs. Reginald Henshaw Ward is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Newcomb, who recently left Louisville to sittle in New York. Mr. Ward is a Bostoman. Mrs. Mary A. McKim Wild, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert V. McKim, is also from the south.

Mrs. D. S. Gregory, the daughter of John W. Maury, of Washington, is one of seventeen children, all handsome. She is a very positive brunette



MIDS. SEPTIMA M. COLLIS Mrs. Maury, the wife of a Wall street roker, was Miss Nellie Ross, of Mobile, She spends her winters in the south and for such goods. Come and see us. er summers on Long Island. Mrs. John C. Calhoun, wife of a descend-

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- worth §2.50. Ladies" "Biaritz" 6 button length Kid Gloves, all shades and black at 98c, worth §1.50 Ladies" "Broadway" 6 button length Ke-Gloves, all shades and black at §1.57
- worth \$1.98.
- Ladies, "Crown" 8-button length Mosquitai -Kid Gloves, all shades and black at \$1.7 worth \$2.50. Ladies' "Elberon" 5 hook Foster's patent K
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