

# Inaugural Ball to Be Replaced

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Washington society is nothing if not resourceful. No sooner was the cancelling of the inaugural ball and parade announced than the enterprising women of the city got together and arranged a huge ball for the night of March 4, to be given in the largest ball room of the city, at the Willard, the tickets to be \$10 each, and the proceeds to go to one of the most worthy, and appealing charities of the city, the Child Welfare society, which maintains and conducts a diet kitchen for infants and mothers.

It was while working for the diet kitchen that Mrs. Marshall, wife of the vice president, became interested in little Ignatius Morrison, whom she and the vice president finally adopted, and who died about a year ago. Mrs. John Allen Dougherty, the close and intimate friend of Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh, who is treasurer of the Child Welfare society, has been chosen for chairman of the ball committee. She has already made a phenomenal success of charity balls, and the success of this one is already assured, in spite of the fact that President Harding and Mrs. Harding will not be present.

The arrival here of Mrs. Warren G. Harding tomorrow or next day, to remain for a time, while the president-elect is in the south cruising on Senator Frelinghuysen's houseboat, has caused a wave of excitement and thrills in Washington society. There is always a hope, under such circumstances, that the distinguished visitor will permit himself or herself to be entertained. And each particular host or hostess hopes to be the favored one. Mrs. Harding is said to be coming to Washington home to be sold or leased or loaned.

The Coolidges have not yet declined the proffer of the Harding home, and if they should find other quarters more suitable, then the Harding house will be sold, it is said. Of course the inhabitants of Washington will watch with thrilling interest the friends who will stay here. Mrs. Harding identifies herself on the visit, as that may be the keynote of the social and official regime of the next four years. It is not known now whether Mrs. Harding will open her own house and stay there during her forthcoming visit here, or whether she will stay with friends, or at a hotel, or probably in her own home. After the business here is attended to, Mrs. Harding will make a short visit to New York and will later join Mr. Harding in St. Augustine, Fla.

The next interesting question to be settled regarding the incoming administration is the administration church. This is the first time the Baptist denomination has figured in the White House, as Mr. Harding is the first Baptist president. He and Mrs. Harding attended the Calvary Baptist church here during the former's term in the senate, and while not punctiliously regular, that is the church of their affiliation. It is the largest church of that denomination and the most attractive in every respect. The beloved pastor, Rev. Samuel H. Greene, who was at Calvary for more than 40 years, died only last summer after having built the church up to a membership of over 2,000, with a Sunday school of more than 4,800 scholars. Mr. and Mrs. Harding were warm personal friends of the pastor and his wife, and during the former's illness they both had letters from Mr. and Mrs. Harding. Mr. Harding expressed then the sentiment, he felt for the pastor and for Calvary church, and said that if he returned to Washington that would be his church home. Now that the pastor has gone, there is likely to be a difference, and it has already been said among those who are close to the Hardings that Mr. Harding has intimated that they would choose no church, but would leave themselves free to go to any and all of them.

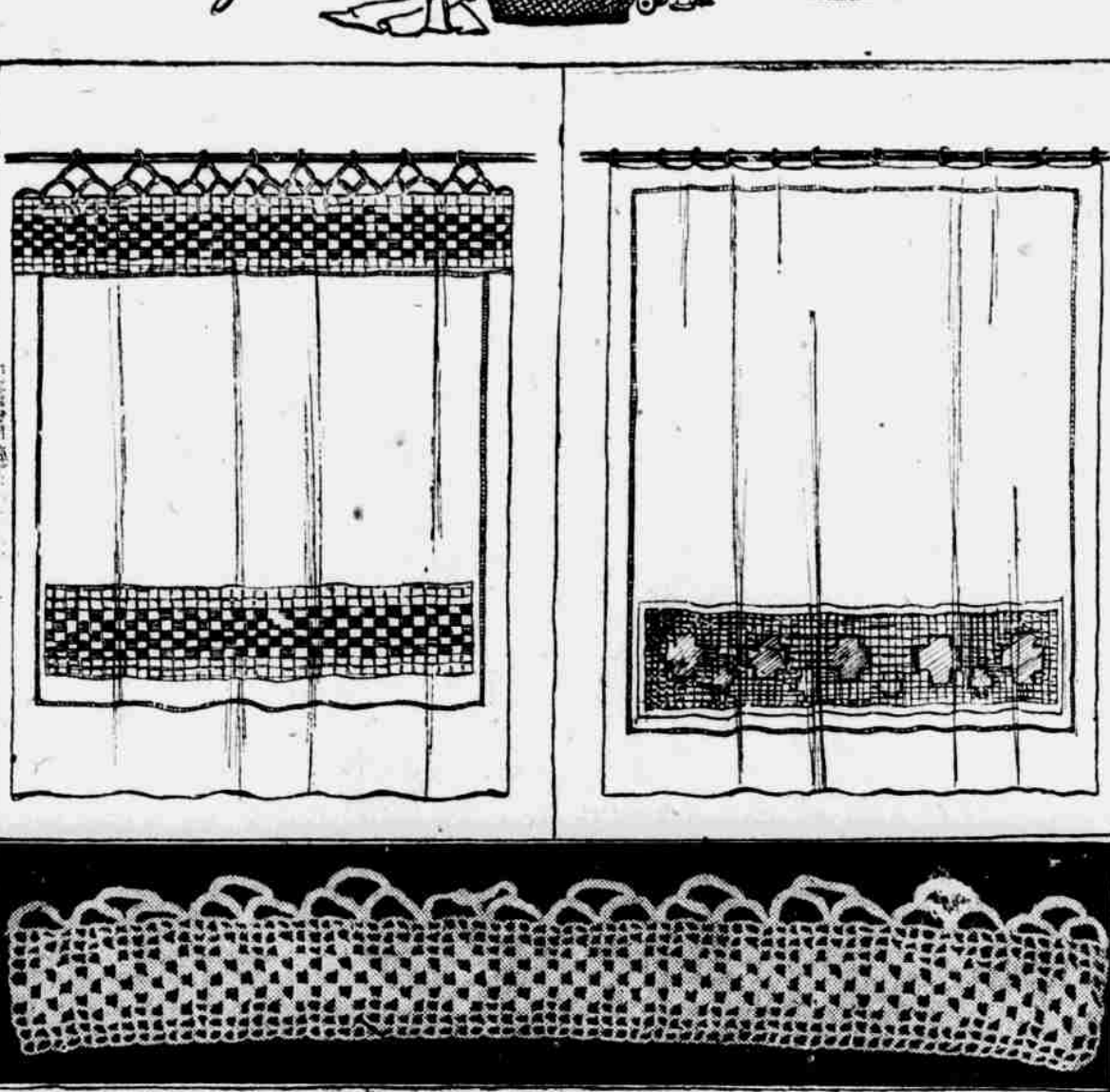
They have been invited to occupy a pew in every Baptist church in Washington. The president's church is always one of the sights of Washington, and a visit to it by every visitor here over a week end, and by many of the residents, too, is considered by them a duty. The chief executives and their wives have always been much inconvenienced and embarrassed by sightings of a Sunday morning, who not only crowd the church to discomfort, but crowd around the entrance frequently and make themselves genuine nuisances to the objects of their attention. It has been the case many times, that an incoming president has chosen a modest, obscure church in which to worship, the church suddenly outgrowing its edifice and starting the agitation for a new church within the first year, comes to grief with it at the end of the fourth year. The modest little Christian church in which President Garfield and his family worshipped, and in which he sometimes preached, throughout their residence in Washington, as members of the congressional circle and then for a short period as residents of the White House, came almost to a tragic end. They started to build a suitable edifice to accommodate the crowds which suddenly swelled their heads. The tragic end of the president of course caused the trouble to the church, but it was only when about to be sold for its debt, that men and women came forth in a spirit of pride, and saved it for the congregation.

Senator and Mrs. Gilbert M. Hitchcock entertained a dinner company of 12 young people on Tuesday evening for their daughter, Miss Hitchcock, preceding the dance at the Chilean embassy given by the ambassador and Mme. Mathie for their niece, Miss da Gana. The Senator and Mrs. Hitchcock and their daughter and her guests all went on to the ball.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burgess of Omaha, nee Smyth of this city, who were married here last week, are now in Bermuda on their wedding trip. They will return here in about three weeks and make a short visit with Judge and Mrs. Smyth before establishing themselves in Omaha. Mrs. Sibbensen, sister of the bride, who came on the wedding, and was matron of honor, will remain for a few weeks yet with her parents.

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# Practical and Fancy Needle Work



## Making Bathroom Curtains.

MOST women like to have some fancy work on hand that can be worked on at odd moments, and something new and attractive for the home is always in demand.

Bathroom curtains hanging on a rod from the middle of the window are not new, but are, nevertheless, good-looking. A rather heavy art linen will look well (something that cannot be seen through), and then using ironing and edging are set in, like the illustration.

A wide hem is laid across the bottom and a narrower one up each side, and these are hemstitched. Then the insertion is set in above this, or, if you prefer, you can simply use an edging.

The same design is used across the top, only finished in points, which serve as points to sew the rings to. As to the size of kind of rod and rings used, each person can consult his own taste.

Following are the directions for making the lace shown in the picture; the crochet cotton used should, of course, be the right weight to go with the curtain material.

Make a chain of 30 stitches, then five more, and turn to go back on the chain just made. Then make a double crochet stitch and put your needle into the third stitch from the end. This will make one of those little squares.

Now for the rest of it: Make a chain of two stitches, then a double crochet, putting the needle into the third chain, and so on. Every double crochet stitch should leave two stitches in between. After four squares have been made make three double crochets together, putting each one into one of the first chains made. Then four more squares finish the row. Always at the end make a chain of five, then turn and go back, making a double stitch to form the square.

In this second row three squares are made, then one square, then three more squares, then the three double stitches, then one square, then the three double stitches, and then two squares. The following row goes back to the two squares and the next row to one square. This completes the figure, and one keeps on repeating indefinitely, going from one to three of the groups of three double crochet stitches, and back again to one double crochet stitch.

If this is to be used as an edging, a little openwork finish may be added after the insertion part is finished. Start at one end at what is to be the bottom and make a chain of 13 or 15. Put the needle into the beginning of the fourth row, and continue making these looping chains across the bottom, then turn back and cover each one of these loops with the single crochet stitch. A second row may be added, making these chains come from the center of each of the first loops.

As a finish for the top lace, crochet the pattern on one edge to form points; this is easily done by letting a point spread over two, eight or nine rows of the main design.

In some bathrooms it is desirable to make the curtain the full window length, and these will look well with the hemstitching and bottom insertion, hemstitching across the top also and sewing the rings there just the same.

and that no dearth of necessities may occur unexpectedly.

Business methods in home management put the housewife's work on a plane almost as far removed from primitive practice as modern business removes her husband from cave man customs. It is only those housewives who employ poor methods who find their work unsatisfying in its results.

Miss Alice Deal, president of the High School Teachers' union, is leader in the campaign which will be made throughout the country for a general rise in pay for the teachers of all grades.

By keeping close tab on the contents of her pantry she foresees her needs, and by keeping a memorandum pad on the pantry door and making note of things to be bought she greatly simplifies the problem of supply and demand in her kitchen. The constant use of the ice box and the perishable nature of its contents prevent the overlooking of usable food materials there, and any shortage or absence of necessary food materials is easily seen. But the pantry is more secluded and should be given a thoughtful inspection once a week to make certain that full use is being made of its contents.

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## Woman's Party



Mrs. W. E. Hardy of Lincoln is chairman of the National Woman's Party in Nebraska. The annual convention of this organization will be held in Washington February 15 to 19. At this time the Woman's Party will present statues of Lucretia Mott, Elizabeth Cady Stanton and Susan B. Anthony to the United States Capitol. Mrs. Charles E. Johannes of Omaha, is a member of the national advisory council of the party.

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# Is Business Opposed to Home?

By BEATHICE FAIRFAX.

There is a conflict going on in the soul of the present-day woman. That conflict has been clearly indicated in Omaha this past week.

According to Prof. Paul H. Grunmann, who spoke before the Omaha Drama League last Tuesday, "it is important for woman to train in the arts."

"Literature, music and painting," he said, "tend to develop her emotional life, and her emotional life is the stronghold of woman. It is the source of her greatest influence with her husband and makes her force in the life of her children more powerful."

The statement was made on Tuesday. On Thursday night the business women of Omaha held a banquet. Everyone who attended felt it was epochal. There was something of power, of strength, of confidence about it: like a huge engine puffing and spitting forth steam, unafraid of the road ahead and impatient to go. There was more of earnestness and determination about it than sheer joy.

"This is a time to keep our heads and to use our heads, not by occasional shouts of optimism, but by a steady, confident pull," said Miss Mary Sturgeon, president of the Business Women's league.

"We must find new ways to boost business. One of these I believe would be in the education of the women of the land in the way business is done," declared Mrs. Florence King, a Chicago attorney.

Resolutions on stabilizing business and furthering commercial and industrial interests of the city were passed.

There we have the conflict. The home with its place and appeal on one hand, and business with its inspiration and interest on the other, and its tendency to overshadow the home.

Are we overemphasizing the place and importance of business, and undervaluing the value of the arts in the lives of our girls today? The true, thinking woman of the hour ought to be efficient and progressive, and yet wishes to do nothing which might destroy or depreciate her potentiality in the home.

It seems to Miss Fairfax that the ideal woman is the one who has the head and heart about equally balanced. An excess of emotion destroys one's effectiveness in either business or the home. Too much reason, untempered by feeling, makes a woman cold, and unsympathetic in the home and a mere routine plodder in business, for the woman without emotion lacks imagination, sympathy and tact, qualities which are necessary to a successful business career.

Home is the natural goal of woman. Some women never reach that goal; some reach it and wish they hadn't, but always and forever we come back to the law of God that the very perpetuation of race depends upon marriage. For woman this means more than "catching a husband." It embodies wifehood and motherhood in their highest sense.

Miss Fairfax would like to hear from her readers on the question, "How far is a business career for woman opposed to the home life? How far may a girl venture in business without destroying her influence in the home? How far is a business training really valuable to the future wife and mother?"

# Louise Homer to Wed



The marriage date for charming Louise Homer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Homer, has been announced. On April 19, in St. Thomas church, New York City, she will wed Mr. Ernest Van Rensselaer Stires, son of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Ernest M. Stires.

This is of especial interest in Omaha, where Mrs. Homer will appear in concert with her mother, Mme. Louise Homer, at the City Auditorium February 18, under auspices of the women of the First Central Congregational church.

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Even though you do not draw your stay right—and who does now, days—don't fail to adjust the laces frequently. They really should be untied and loosened every time you take your stays off and tied afresh after you have your stays on and fastened.

Remember that corsets are like shoes, in that they wear better if not worn too steadily. That is, two pairs of stays worn every other day wear better than two pairs each worn until it is worn out.

If you know from experience that there is some one place in your stays that usually shows the wear before the rest of the stays, reinforce this part on the wrong side with heavy muslin or linen sewed securely into place.

It is not a difficult matter to have corsets washed, nor is it necessary to send them to an expert to have this done. The wash woman or laundress can do this for you or you can easily do it for yourself. Soak them for a half an hour in soapy lukewarm water. Do not soak them long, because this might react on the metal. In an electric washer they can be washed satisfactorily without requiring any rubbing. If they are rather soiled it is perhaps best to rub a little, but do not attempt to do this on a rub board, but by scrubbing the soiled parts with a stiff, clean brush.

Do not put them through a wringer, but see that they dry quickly—preferably in the open air on a bright windy day.

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