

SOCIETY WOMEN TO WEAR PANTALOONS

Mrs. Templeton Crocker Will Give Oriental Ball Surpassing All Others.

SAN FRANCISCO IS AGOG

Hostess' Trousers Will Be Mauve Shade, Embroidered With Silver and Gold, While Her Mother Will Affect Pink.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—Mrs. Templeton Crocker, of San Francisco, will give an Oriental ball here January 25, which, according to society leaders who will attend, will surpass in effects of decorations and costumes the exotic Oriental masques which have become the mode in London and New York.

Mrs. Crocker's cousin, Mrs. Jackson Gouraud, recently gave an Oriental ball in New York.

The friends of the San Francisco society leader, in discussing plans for the ball made public today, declare it will far outshine the New York affair.

Trousers Will Be Striking. Chiffon pantaloons and tunics of faithfully tailored Oriental design will be worn.

Mrs. Crocker will wear mauve trousers, embroidered near the ankles with gold and silver thread. A well woven of silver and mauve will be draped from her coronet.

Miss Jennie Crocker will appear as Galatea, the Princess of the Sea, wearing trousers of dark green chiffon over soft green silk, with a sash of Nile green, embroidered in gold and silver.

Her giraffe and over-bodice will be of pearls and emeralds.

The ball will be given at a local hotel.

MAN UNABLE TO END LIFE

Druggist Shoots Himself Every Three Hours, but Its No Use.

DESPITE NO COIN MAN WEDS

Washingtonian Arrested and Bride of Day Remains Fate.

LEWISTON, Idaho, Jan. 18.—(Special.)—Financial embarrassment did not deter Douglas Taylor, of Astoria, Wash., from getting married Tuesday, but according to the police, he proceeded to write a couple of checks on an Astoria bank, where he had no funds.

WILSON IS EXCRATED HERE

opinion of Governor Wilson. Mr. Ryan, who is one of the leading Democrats of the state, made the unqualified statement that he believes the Wilson-Harvey incident and the Bryan letter will put Wilson out of the race.

"Of course," said Mr. Ryan, "I am a Harmon man and I may be prejudiced, but I think Woodrow Wilson made a grave mistake. In Oregon perhaps it did not make a great deal of difference because I think the principal support of Governor Wilson is the U'Len class of Republicans. His loss of bulk of his prestige when he visited us lined up with W. S. U'Len, who supervised this action on his part a large number of the Democrats refused to attend his banquet. My opinion is that he is a flash in the pan, about the same as Volk."

"The Bryan letter is a matter of the past, but I consider it undignified. I think Bryan would make a good candidate. I admire his tenacity."

ULSTER WOMEN APPEAL

"MEN FOLK" TO BE AIDED IN FIGHT ON HOME RULE.

No "Rebel Parliament" in Dublin. Wanted, Says Duchess of Abercorn, Who Presides.

BELFAST, Ireland, Jan. 18.—Fifty thousand women members of the Ulster Unionists' Association today issued a very manifesto to their sisters in Great Britain to aid them in defeating the home rule bill.

The Duchess of Abercorn presided at the meeting of the Council of the Ulster Association, which made the appeal. In her appeal she said:

"We will not accept home rule, and, if we are thrown out of our heritage, we shall stand by our men folk, resisting to the uttermost the domination of a rebel Parliament in Dublin."

The manifesto declares the Unionists' determination to hold Ulster for the empire, and asserts that home rule "will reduce the whole country to the rags and poverty which are found in Ireland only in those districts where rule of the Nationalist League is supreme."

Base Ingratitude Seen. "We Democrats did not look for such action. It seems to me as base ingratitude inasmuch as Mr. Harvey had promoted Wilson's welfare for years. As to Mr. Bryan I do not think he would make a good candidate. I believe his series of defeats has eliminated him from the class of sound candidates."

John H. Stevenson, a candidate for delegate to the National Democratic convention, looks at the Wilson incident as insignificant in comparison with the capital which is being made of it.

"It is my opinion that Governor Wilson is strong in this state," said Mr. Stevenson. "At the annual banquet of

the Jackson Club, January 8, there was extremely loud applause when Wilson's name was read off with Harmon, Clark and Bryan. Applause followed the reading of each name, but it assumed the aspect of a general uproar or thunder when the name of Wilson was read. The Wilson-Harvey incident is unfortunate for Governor Wilson's candidacy. It has hurt him and will continue to do so. Whether it should or not is another question. After all it seems to me to be but an incident embracing nothing more than personal affairs between individuals and in the concrete it ought neither to add nor detract from Governor Wilson's worth as a Presidential candidate. The Bryan letter is an insignificant incident. It belongs to the past and ought to remain there, but like many a petty matter it is blazoned forth at a psychological political moment and has been magnified to a magnitude out of all proportion to its importance."

Opposition Seems General. Many prominent Democrats refused to express their opinions for publication but added their opinion to what appeared to be the general Democratic belief that Governor Wilson made a mistake in both the Harvey incident and in the Bryan letter. Out of 13 persons interviewed in the day, practically all agreed that they were surprised at the actions of Governor Wilson and considered the Harvey incident in particular to be a sign of ingratitude which spoke strongly against Governor Wilson.

Lively proceedings are expected at

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SPOKANE WOMAN AIDED

MILLIONAIRE OFFERS TO BACK FLORIST TO ANY AMOUNT.

Colonel I. N. Peyton Declares Mrs. Howell Needs Guardian and Opposes Her Husband's Plea.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 18.—(Special.)—I. N. Peyton, a Spokane millionaire, witness in the suit to have a guardian appointed for Mrs. Margaret Armstrong Howell, declared in Probate Court today that he was interested in Mrs. Howell's welfare and would back up her guardianship with any amount of money.

Mrs. Howell married George Howell recently at San Diego and soon afterward left him. Her attorney, J. D. Steeley, applied for letters of guardianship last Saturday. The husband is opposing the application.

"Do you think Mrs. Howell needs a guardian?" Attorney Steeley asked I. N. Peyton.

"I most certainly do," replied the witness. "Why, she sold her florist business in Spokane for \$10,000, when her name alone was worth twice that amount. To say nothing of the stock and fixtures."

Dr. Charles L. Allen and Dr. C. B. Wadsworth, of Spokane, told the court how Mrs. Howell's physical and mental condition.

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Russian and Hungarian, Working Together, Are Sentenced.

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Youths \$15 and \$18 Overcoats, with convertible collars, \$9.35

Ben Selling

Leading Clothier Morrison at Fourth Street

Every article in the store is reduced, except contract goods

West, resigned today on request of Commissioner of Public Safety Z. E. Hayden. Proof that the chief made a personal profit on the sale to the city of two scaling ladders last August, admitted by the chief to Hayden after Purchasing Agent J. C. Argall

had laid the fact before the Commissioner, caused the resignation to be asked. "It is true that the ladders were mine and that I sold them to the city through Stillwell, who obtained 10 per cent," said Myers. "I do not believe

yet that I did anything wrong, nor that I ever have during the 16 years I have been chief. The sale of the ladders is probably a violation of the letter of the new charter. It was a small matter and I never thought much of it at the time nor afterward."

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