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SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 26.—(Special.)—A scene of Oriental splendor more beautiful than any setting ever before attempted in the annals of local society and rivaling in its rich beauty the descriptions of the scenes borrowed from the Arabian Nights, greeted the 250 guests who were bidden to Mrs. Templeton Crocker's ball tonight at the St. Francis.

Costumes Are Extravagant. The gowns of Turkish and Egyptian design, each with its legendary history of romance, were said to be more attractive in their variety and extravagance than the fantastic creations that have appeared in recent seasons in London and Paris and in the capitals of fashion on the Continent. The ball is said to have surpassed the celebrated affair given by Mrs. Crocker's cousin, Mrs. Jack Gouraud, in New York not long ago.

Miniature Palace Created. A Sultan might have reigned appropriately in the ballroom which had been created within two days at the St. Francis. The ceiling of the room was covered with rare Oriental embroidery in places where royal Egyptian and Persian designs of tapestry.

Neatness and Beauty of American Women Impress. Around the walls were half curtained alcoves heavy with cushions where the guests lingered between dances or remained seated on fine tapestries and rugs brought from the land of luxury. Here the Sultans, with their favorites, and the picturesque company of Aladdin, Cleopatra, Caliph and other people of the East met for a social hour.

"TURKEY TROT" AMUSING. Fountain Suggests Alhambra. The center of the room was really the place of extravagant beauty that lent color and effective finish to the scene. There was a fountain with myriad colored waters falling in a brilliant spray into a deep, cool basin, and the suggestion was of the ancient garden of Alhambra.

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NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—The Duke of Connaught came back to New York this morning from his visit to President Taft in Washington. The Duke was delighted with his reception at the National Capital, being especially pleased with the democratic simplicity which marked the ceremonies at the White House and at the home of British Ambassador Bryce. The royal visitor had never seen the city and time he had never seen the city and time he had never seen the city.

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TROPICAL ROMANCE OUT. F. S. Gray Goes to Santa Barbara to Marry Miss Hassinger. News of a pretty romance that began beneath the tropical skies of the Hawaiian Islands and will be culminated at balmy Santa Barbara became known yesterday when P. S. Gray, of Balfour, Guthrie & Co.'s marine department, started for the exclusive California city to wed Miss Florence Hassinger.

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FIRST PHOTOGRAPHS OF ENGLISH ROYAL VISITORS IN NEW YORK



ABOVE, PRINCESS PATRICIA EMERGING FROM REID RESIDENCE—BELOW, DUKE OF CONNAUGHT (LEFT) WITH AMBASSADOR REID (RIGHT) EMERGING FROM REID RESIDENCE.

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Our entire stock of children's colored bonnet hats. Aviation hats in all this season's novel styles, white fur bonnets—hats trimmed with pretty contrasting colors, satin roses, shirred chiffon or tailored finish. Close-fitting styles, some with puffed crowns, others reverse finish.
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\$ 4.50 Bonnets \$2.25
\$10.00 Bonnets \$5.25

Rain Capes \$1.89

Regular prices to \$2.95
Made of plain red and blue rubberized sateen cloth. With full hood, plaid lined and arm slits.
Ages from 4 to 14 years.

Girls' Raincoats

Final \$2.95
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Children's and girls' raincoats between the ages of 4 to 14 years.
Made of rubberized cloth, some with striped and some plain serges.
Made with high collars, cuffs or strap sleeves. Have patch or inset pockets and double-breasted fronts.

Flannelette Gowns

For Children
At final prices.
63c, 69c, 85c
White flannelette gowns for children, made with yoke and turn-over collar or round neck finish. Some are hemstitched and others braid-trimmed. These gowns are made of the best quality flannelette.

Housefurnishing Sale
Wonderful Bargains
Nottingham, Cable Net and Swiss Curtains, in a variety of patterns, with plain or figured centers; in white, cream or Arabian color; 2 1/2 and 3 yards long by 45 to 52 inches wide.
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\$2.00 Lace Curtains \$1.35
\$2.50 Lace Curtains \$1.85
\$3.00 Lace Curtains \$2.25
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\$5.00 Lace Curtains \$3.48
\$33.00 Bigelow Electro Axminster \$22.45
100 new Bigelow electro Axminster rugs of superior quality of beautiful patterns in Oriental and floral designs in pretty brown and tan colorings. A large assortment at this price, and the patterns are all new.

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\$2.00 Tapestry Brussels Rug Samples 89c
\$3.50 Axminster Rug Samples \$1.33

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In this line of rugs are 500 handsome models of superior quality in beautiful patterns in Oriental and conventional designs, in an immense variety of small, neat, all-over effects, especially suitable for living-rooms and dining-rooms.
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\$30.00 Axminster Rugs, final \$18.95
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100 new wool and fiber art rugs in a large assortment of different patterns and small all-over effects and medallion designs. Colors of tan, brown, green, blue or gray. These rugs are all reversible and especially suitable for bedroom use.
\$12.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 9 by 12, final \$8.95
\$11.50 Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 8-3 by 10-6 \$8.45

Japanese and Chinese Imported Matting

Mattings imported direct from China and Japan in combinations of green, blue, tan and red; these colors are worked on light or dark backgrounds.
35c Japanese Mattings, final, a yard 22c
25c Chinese Mattings, final, a yard 15c
Chinese and Japanese Mattings, in tan, red, green and blue colorings. A large and well-selected stock in plain or figured patterns. These Mattings are sold by the roll only.
\$ 5.00 Mattings, in 20-yard rolls, final \$3.19
\$10.00 Mattings, in 40-yard rolls, final \$5.95
\$ 7.50 Mattings, in 20-yard rolls, final \$4.49

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The best standard inlaid and printed Linoleums, in a variety of new, attractive patterns in black and inlaid designs. Linoleums suitable for bathroom or kitchen.
75c Printed Linoleum, final price 47c
\$1.50 Inlaid Linoleum, final price \$1.15

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Heavy reversible tapestry couch covers in beautiful Oriental and conventional designs, 3 yards long and 60 inches wide.
\$ 1.50 Couch Covers, final removal 98c
\$ 2.23 Couch Covers, final removal \$ 1.49
\$ 4.50 Couch Covers, final removal \$ 2.98
\$ 5.00 Couch Covers, final removal \$ 3.95
\$ 6.50 Couch Covers, final removal \$ 4.79

Fancy Linens 1/2 Price

Syrian hand-embroidered Doilies, Squares, Centerpieces and Table Covers.
35c Centerpieces 18c
40c Centerpieces 20c
50c Centerpieces 25c
70c Centerpieces 35c
90c Centerpieces 45c
\$2.50 Centerpieces \$1.25
Linen Squares 18c
Former Price 25c.
Austrian Linen Squares, with hemstitched border and fancy hand drawnwork; size 24 inches square.

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