

Maugham's Play Opens on Saturday

Somerset Maugham's "The Sacred Flame," as the March production of the Civic Theater, will open a week's run Saturday night at the Playhouse.

In this production, Hale MacKeen, director, will make his first appearance as an actor, taking the part of the crippled aviator around whom the play is built.

The cast will be headed by Judith Lowry, guest artist, who will play the role of the mother and will include David Clark in the leading juvenile role; Miss Ruth Hayes, feminine lead; Mary Allen, David Milligan and Sherwood Blue.

Miss Hayes was a member of MacKeen's company in Nashville, Tenn.

For April, "Saints' Parade" is scheduled with the author, Whitefield Cook, as guest director.

"Aladdin's Lamp" also will be produced in April by the Children's theater, headed by Miss Rosamond Van Camp. This production is the third of a series of four plays produced this season for children. The Children's theater is an outgrowth of the children's hour.

Further activities of the Civic theater include the gold rush ball, sponsored by the actors' and workers' guild to be held at the Antineum Saturday night, March 26.

MANNERS AND MORALS BY JANE JORDAN

ARE you struggling with a problem which you can not tell to a soul? Write to Jane Jordan, who will answer your questions in this column.

Dear Jane Jordan—I am a working girl, aged 27. Last spring I met a very nice man of 30. We had a date now and then, but he never made love to me. He said he was fond of me. Then he called me and said he couldn't come one night, but would be seeing me. That was three months ago and I really am hungry to see him.

I never call my men friends if they won't call me. He may think I should, but I don't think so. I am getting so tired of working. I would love to have a home to work in, and have dinner all set for the right man. Would you call him up, or just let him alone?

Dear B. W. H.—Men never pursue women unless they run in the opposite direction. And how they avoid the girl who shows she is anxious to get married! It is far better to pretend that you don't want to get married at all. Then they will try to change your mind for you. Let the man alone. Somebody else will turn up if he does not.

Dear Jane Jordan—My husband and I have been married five years and we both desire children. But for the last year or so he has been so nervous and so badly that I am afraid to have a child. Do you think that a child would be a blessing to us? I have heard that family quarrels are dangerous for children, and I'm wondering whether I should have a child or not. I don't actually dislike him. It is just that I don't love him. What do you advise?

THOUGHTFUL.

Dear Thoughtful—A child is no cure for maladjusted temperaments. You have no right to thrust a new life into such a situation. Divorce is the only remedy I know of for a seriously unhappy marriage, and it is far better to make the break before there are children to suffer from your bickering.

Dear Jane Jordan—I married my husband because my parents thought I ought to. He was such a nice steady young man and he took my support off their hands. Now we have two little daughters. They are a great comfort to me and always stand up for me against their father. I have heard that family quarrels are dangerous for children, and I'm wondering whether I should have a child or not. I don't actually dislike him. It is just that I don't love him. What do you advise?

TROUBLED MOTHER.

Dear Troubled Mother—A marriage seldom succeeds unless the partners are so completely in love that they can't help marrying. Now that the mischief is done and two children have been brought into this loveless atmosphere, it is your duty to conceal the real or imagined unworthiness of their father from them, at any cost to yourself.

Psychologists have proved again and again that the young girl who is brought up to hold her father in contempt never makes a good wife. Her emotions are warped early in life by a wrong attitude toward men and she seldom, if ever, achieves happiness in her own marriage.

The most vicious thing about an unhappy marriage is that the sins of the father and the mother are visited upon the children. Actual statistics show that the children tend to repeat the unhappy experiences of the parents in their own lives. So, for heaven's sake, either preserve the semblance of mutual respect or separate for the sake of these little girls.

Dear Jane Jordan—I am with a girl friend who is awfully nice and we have good times together. She is a year or two older than I am, nearly 20 in fact. The only thing that she does that I do not like is smoke cigars. What do you think about it? Please send me something in your column that I can show to her.

CHUM.

Dear Chum—I think that it is your girl friend's own business whether she smokes, and I would not presume to comment upon her private affairs. The pleasantest way to support life is to take people as they are, without trying to reform them according to your own ideas. Enjoy what points of contact you have with your friend and refrain from intrusion upon her privacy.

Daily Recipe

BANANA AND PEANUT SALAD

5 bananas
1 cup chopped nuts
Lettuce
Salad dressing

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SHUN RADICAL STYLE CHANGES

But Patou Offers Distinct Fashions for New Season

PARIS, March 8.—A somewhat complicated question usually arises before presentation of a summer mode which, to all appearances, seems to have been satisfactorily settled this season. Many are the people who wonder whether they were to expect a radically new style or merely different variations on the theme ruling last season.

It never occurred to me, while preparing my spring collection, to contemplate either. I was of the opinion that the present time scarcely was propitious to the launching of any important change in the mode. But, on the other hand, I never have been satisfied to offer a style that was merely a variation of a preceding one.



This spring model, from Patou's collection, stresses the three colors which he uses this season. Midnight blue are the hat, gloves, bag and shoes. The design on the dress shows the midnight blue—Patou's new shade—and his cornflower blue in a charming, modernized design. The dress is big cut and has an inverted fold both front and back.

It is evident that in the present economic crisis a couturier would have been sadly lacking in psychology if he had attempted completely to transform women's wardrobes.

A fashion creator always must adapt himself to circumstances. That is not the only reason, however, why I did not see the necessity of staging even a minor revolution in present styles.

The fact is that women have not tired of the general theme on which their clothes have been created during the last six months, and we are far from having exhausted its possibilities.

The changes that are to be noted in the new styles are sufficiently novel to make them look absolutely different.

Another thing which I am very much against is offering models of lesser value from the point of view of workmanship or fabric to facilitate or promote sales. I therefore followed the idea that I should offer some change, even a great deal of change, combined with the utmost simplicity.

Allied to this simplicity, so that it never could be interpreted as a lack of imagination or energy, is the introduction of a much more scientific technique of cut.

Simple, Yet Complicated

The mode which I am offering for the coming season is, therefore, a very simple expression of complicated workmanship. It is not the reflection of difficult times, but simply marks the evolution of a mode undergoing a process of stabilization and destined to be worn during a period of waiting.

At the end of this period, which already is in sight, fashions certainly will undergo a very definite change.

My present collection is particularly arresting because it radiates gaiety, partly due to the choice of fabrics and colors.

Hidden Under Dark Coats

The fact also that these bright dresses are hidden under darker coats makes the surprise even greater when the outer garment is removed, yet the somber and simple exterior, which is the only smart street wear, is carefully preserved.

The line of demarcation is not drawn so finely between morning and afternoon clothes, but evening dresses offer a great variety of new ideas.

The change is the silhouette is more noticeable here because the high-waisted effect is stressed and the constitution of the ensemble, nearly always composed of a dress and short jacket, achieves some effects totally different from what has already been seen.

W. C. T. U. GROUP WILL BE FETED

Vayhinger W. C. T. U. will have an all-day meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Everett, 570 East drive, Woodruff Place. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon. A musical program will be given by Mrs. G. B. Katzenburg and Mrs. E. H. Hughes, who will lead community singing.

Mrs. Ira Underwood, evangelistic director, will lead the afternoon devotion. Mrs. Bessie Hart, parliamentarian, will give a drill on parliamentary law; Mrs. E. P. Messick will present a short playlet, assisted by Mrs. Nellie Pittman and Mrs. Carl Gruelle; Mrs. Floyd E. Williams, director of the Union Signal will give a demonstration, assisted by Mrs. Ruby Yount, and Mrs. Charles Sommers will read a biographical sketch of Frances Willard. A business session will be held with the president, Mrs. H. T. Gullett, presiding.

FASHION DINNER IS PLANNED AT AYRES

Spring fashions modeled by members of local society will be presented at a fashion dinner in Ayres' tearoom Thursday night. Dinner, a tearoom innovation, will be served at 6:30 to those obtaining tickets before that evening.

Supplementing Ayres' mannequins will be Mesdames Charles Latham, Sylvester Johnson Jr., Gal. Sayles, John L. Ott, Charles L. Dierck, Norman Metzger, Frederick T. Holliday, William N. Wilson; Misses Mary Ellen McNamee, Betty Brown, Eleanor Stickney and Jane Watson.

Musical will be by Jack Tilson's orchestra.

DETROIT VISITOR IS HONORED AT TEA

Mrs. D. J. McCarthy entertained a small group of friends this afternoon tea at her home, 440 Central avenue, for Miss Theodora McNair, Detroit, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Francis Fox Jr., and Mr. Fox, Golden Hill.

Omega Phis to Meet
Alpha chapter, Omega Phi Tau sorority, will meet for a business session at 8:30 Wednesday night in the Oak room at Selig's. The final rush party will be planned.

Alpha Betas to Meet
Alpha Beta Chi sorority will meet at 8 tonight at the home of Mrs. James Pope, 2931 East New York street.

Council to Meet
Alfaranta council, Past Pocahontas, will meet at 8 Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Cassie Drane, 1306 Comer avenue.

War Mothers to Meet
Capital City chapter, American War Mothers, will hold a business meeting at 2 Wednesday at the Armory.

Thesi Club Will Meet
Thesi Club will meet at 8 tonight at the home of Miss Alice June Holloway, 4127 Sutherland avenue.



This evening ensemble shows some of the new features of Patou's spring collection. The dress is of chiffon, with the new and cornflower blues worked out in a beautiful floral design. The velvet coat is in midnight blue velvet.

What's in Fashion?

Smart Gloves and Handbags

Directed By AMOS PARRISH



NEW YORK, March 8.—In your own hands lies the ability to make your Easter costume a thrilling success. For—correctly gloved and clasping the right handbag—they add just the right decorative accent.

So they're working together—these Easter gloves and handbags. The hand that holds the smooth calf bag can be gloved in smooth kid. While the suede bag is clasped fashionably by suede gloved fingers. Capeskin gloves go with the new capeskin bags. There's pignskin for both, too. Even the suede-like fabric that makes those practical, smart gloves, is making equally smart handbags.

Often it's clever to match their colors, especially when gloves and bags are chosen in light or bright shades to accent a dark costume. Or in dark colors to accent a light costume.

For example, you'll see biege coat sleeves ending over dark brown gloves that clasp a dark brown bag. And you'll notice how beige gloves and bag make a pleasant accent on navy blue costumes.

These Easter gloves are smartest when they dip into a close-fitting suit, sleeve, a demimousquetaire... the glove with the slight flare above the wrist. And while perfectly plain gloves are still most fashionable, a bit of decoration on the glove is not out of place with the very plain costume.

Just a simple insert or a contrasting lining to turn down as a cuff, or a flared band like a cuff, or contrasting stitching... the gloves in the illustration show the type.

Smart bags are simple, too. With metal locks, initials, chains or frames. Or ornaments in a color that ties up with some other accent color in the costume.

Self-color stitching is a fine trimming. And if the bag you choose is a bit unusual in shape, so much the better.

Next: Read about the coats you'll see in the Easter parade.

CITY GIRL WEDDED TO NEW YORK MAN

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Grace Harrell, Columbus, O., daughter of Mrs. Isaac L. Harrell, Indianapolis, to Glen U. Van Clef, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Van Clef, Rochester, N. Y., which took place March 2 in the Glendale Methodist church, Columbus.

Federation Gives Help to Jobless

An experiment of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs to help solve the unemployment problem by the contribution of 60,000 hours of paid work a week to unemployed women, will climax National Business Women's week now being observed.

Between Jan. 20 and Feb. 20 more than thirteen hundred business and professional women's clubs throughout the country have participated. Each club was assigned a quota of work hours to furnish equivalent to its employed membership.

Business and professional women were asked to provide work for other women by employing them for sewing, mending, cleaning, laundry work, cooking and various forms of personal service.

The plan is based upon the assumption that every woman actually employed can without serious sacrifice, spent at least 50 cents a week in helping an unemployed woman.

Plea Made to 60,000 Members

Calculation was made at federation headquarters that if every one of the 60,000 members of the national federation to whom Mrs. Gerline MacDonald Bowman, national president, appealed for support of the plan contributed a single work hour weekly, an aggregate of \$120,000 would be spent during the four weeks of the experiment.

In proposing the plan to 1,325 business and professional women's clubs, Mrs. Bowman stated frankly that she was making the experiment in her own organization with a view to recommending it to other women's organizations if it was practical. Reports have been flooding in to Mrs. Bowman with information as to how individual business and professional women's clubs have co-operated.

These reports are being summarized as rapidly as possible. And announcement of the success of the experiment will be made during national business women's week.

Not Favored Here

Complying with this request of Mrs. Bowman, a questionnaire was submitted to members of the local Business and Professional Women's Club by the public relations committee, headed by Miss Glen Dora Anderson.

It was learned from the questionnaire that the members were assisting families critically affected by unemployment, individually or through organizations, and that all had contributed to the Community Fund. As a result, only four or five were able to promise to give an hour's employment, week to a needy woman, and comment was not in favor of the plan.

The public relations committee, whose members include Dr. Marie B. Kast, Mesdames Mary Kynett, Stella B. Colman; Mesdames Mammie L. Bass, Pearl L. Holloway, Amelia Klipple and Marie Tudor, will be in charge of the meeting Thursday night in observance of National Business Women's week.

Broad Ripple W.C.T.U. Will Hold Institute

Broad Ripple W. C. T. U. will hold an all-day institute Wednesday at the Broad Ripple Christian church, Sixty-second street and Carrollton avenue.

Mrs. Robert McKay, county president, will speak, and reports of local and county department directors will be heard during the morning.

Luncheon will be served at noon in the church dining room, with the Rev. N. G. Talbot in charge of the noon program. In the afternoon the session will open with group singing led by Mrs. T. A. Berry, followed by an address by the Rev. W. W. Want of the North Methodist church on "Ten Reasons Why the W. C. T. U. Should Carry On."

Mrs. James Tilsley and Mrs. George Hawkins will sing a duet. Miss Margaret Kent will give a reading, and closing devotions will be led by the Rev. James Tilsley, pastor of the church. Mrs. William Haigh will be in charge, assisted by Mrs. McKay.

SUNNYSIDE GUILD OFFICERS RENAMED

Members of Sunnyside Guild re-elected Mrs. Carrie T. Hammel president at a luncheon Monday at the Columbia Club. Other officers, all of whom were re-elected, are: Mesdames A. P. Harvey and D. B. Sullivan, vice-presidents; Charles Martin, secretary; W. E. Hanning, assistant secretary; Wayne O. Stone, treasurer; Le Roy C. Martin, corresponding secretary; Fred S. Duesenberg, Frank E. Gaines and R. B. Tuttle, directors.

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KAPPA SIGMAS TO HAVE STATE DANCE

Approximately 150 members of active chapters of Kappa Sigma fraternity from Indiana and Purdue universities and Wabash college will attend the formal state dance Saturday night at the Severin, according to Edwin Nelson of the Wabash chapter, dance chairman. The dance will be held in the roof garden.

Friday night members of the active chapters will be guests of the Indianapolis Alumni organization at a smoker at the hotel. Stewart Howe, national alumni secretary, Champaign, Ill., is expected to attend. O. H. Grant, president of the Indianapolis chapter has announced.

Club to Entertain

Indiana Wellesley Club will entertain with a bridge party for members, their husbands, and friends, Friday night at the home of Mrs. John H. Bailey, 317 North Pennsylvania street. The committee assisting the hostess is Mesdames Thomas Garber, W. J. E. Weber, Arthur Mellicott, John Bailey, and Miss Elizabeth Hisey.

Riding Club Members to Have Dance

Forty members and guests of Algonquin Riding Club will be entertained at a dinner dance tonight at the club house. Arrangements have been in charge of the entertainment committee, headed by Mrs. Ferdinand Born, assisted by Mrs. E. E. Martin and Lawrence G. Cummins.

A program has been arranged by Mrs. Born and her committee to include entertainment during the spring and summer.

For the first and third Sundays of each month, early morning rides are scheduled, to be followed by breakfasts at the club house. Evening rides will be held on Wednesday during the spring and summer. A luncheon and bridge party for wives of members and their guests will follow a morning ride each Wednesday and there will be a dinner party the second Tuesday of each month.

Mrs. Horn has planned the spring three-day cross-country ride featuring picnic luncheons and dinner parties for the last week-end in April in Brown county.

A horse show also has been scheduled for late spring, to be held in the new outdoor ring of the club under the direction of Dr. Perry Bonham. Mrs. Born also is chairman of this project, assisted by Mrs. Martin and Mr. Cummins.

Robert A. MacGill is president of the riding club.

Gretchaninoff, Two Aids to Be Dinner Guests

Mrs. Robert I. Blakeman, 3649 North Pennsylvania street, president of the Indianapolis Matinee Musicale, will entertain at dinner tonight for Alexander Gretchaninoff, Albert Rappaport, and Cecilia Roth Rappaport, who will give a concert following the dinner in sculpture court at the John Herron Art institute, under the auspices of the musicale.

Gretchaninoff is a Russian composer and pianist; Rappaport is a tenor with the Chicago Civic Opera Company, and Mrs. Rappaport is a pianist. Compositions of Gretchaninoff will make up the major part of the program.

A reception will be held for the artists following the performance, in the court, with members of the Musicale acting as hostesses.

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