

with ecru insertion, shaded toque; Miss Vera Bell, Royal blue voile, with wide sun-ray pleated frill, elaborately trimmed with Paris lace, hat to match; Mrs Bharman, cornflower blue cloth gown with wide insertions of Paris lace, and velvet of deeper shade, cream yoke, and pretty hat trimmed with cornflowers; Mrs Savage was in black crepe de chine, with deep lace collar, brown furs and pretty black hat; Miss Kathleen Hill, blue cloth coat and skirt, with white muslin and insertion blouse, hat to match; Miss Muriel Dawson wore a cream voile coatee and skirt, with beautiful lace applique yoke, black hat; Mrs Rees, white linen sac coat and skirt, with black hat; Mrs Thornton Jackson, cream hopsack coat, with cream insertion, cream vest and wide white satin folded belt, large black hat; Mrs Black, cream voile costume with Paris lace encrustations, wide satin corselet belt, black plumed hat; Misses Macfarlane both wore pretty white muslin frocks with large black hat and brown furs; Mrs Goodhue, blue and white figured foulard gown, black toque with pink roses; Mrs Smith, royal blue and white figured silk costume with smart toque to correspond; Miss Trix Smith, pale grey crash coatee and skirt with white tucked muslin blouse, pretty grey hat to match; Mrs Ansenne was gowned in black voile with black hat trimmed with ostrich feathers; Mrs Duthie, very pretty gown of navy blue voile finished with Paris lace and touches of pale green, large black hat; Mrs Holmes, white cloth gown with attached bands of same material, blue French sailor hat trimmed with chine ribbon and wings; Mrs Hill, pale grey voile skirt, grey muslin blouse inset with lace, black hat; Miss Wicheil, black voile coatee and skirt, with black silk blouse, large black hat; Mrs Harry Marsack, cream voile skirt, with dainty white blouse, green ceinture and pretty green and white hat; Mrs Bainford, handsome black moire skirt, with cream blouse, black toque; Mrs Wallace Lawson, black voile skirt, pink tucked silk blouse with Paris lace yoke, pink hat trimmed with roses and autumn leaves; Mrs Fred Ballin, black crepe de chine gown with smart green toque; and her sister wore a blue coat and skirt and white hat; Miss Isaacs, blue and white spotted delaine, shirred and trimmed with cream lace, hat to correspond; Miss Myers, cream cloth coatee and skirt, faced with black and white spotted silk, cream vest, and large white hat; Miss Cameron, dainty white tucked muslin frock inserted with lace, pale green ceinture, and white hat; Mrs Kerr-Taylor wore a navy blue cloth costume with white vest, hat to match; Miss Kerr-Taylor, pale green and white gown, with hat to correspond; Miss Banks, cream embroidered muslin frock, "Country Girl" hat wreathed with pink roses, white ostrich feather boa; Mrs Cheeseman, grey skirt with pretty pink blouse, cream silk paddock coat, shaded pink toque; Miss Byron Moore (Melbourne), champagne tinted canvas skirt trimmed with narrow black velvet ribbon, floral silk blouse and pretty black and white hat; Miss Robertson, black crepe de chine gown, relieved with Paris lace, large black picture hat; Mrs Henry Nolan, black silk voile gown trimmed with black applique, pretty heliotrope and pink toque;

Mrs. Bodle, pale blue frieze gown, inset with Paris-coloured insertion, hat en suite; Mrs. Banson, pale blue and black figured silk gown, with cream applique, pretty black and white chiffon toque, relieved with pale blue; Miss Edith Percival, black cloth gown, with blue and cream hat; Miss Eva Percival, white tucked muslin skirt, pretty white silk blouse, with wine-coloured lace yoke, burnt straw hat, trimmed with autumn leaves; Miss Ida Percival, pretty heliotrope tucked gown, with wide silk belt, white hat; Miss Dunningt, beautifully fitting black gown, with Oriental insertion and blue ceinture, smart black hat; Mrs. R. B. Lusk, cornflower blue cloth gown, with cream belt and cream net and lace collar, black plumed hat and brown furs; Mrs. Alison, very handsome shaded broad-cast silk gown, with deep cape collar of Paris lace, pretty green and violet toque; Mrs. Devore, dark grey frieze cloth gown, with pretty black and white bonnet, finished with violets; Miss Muriel Martin, dainty pale grey Russian coat and skirt, white vest, black hat; Miss Ailie Young, white hailshower muslin frock, with crimson sash and small crimson hat; Miss Smith (Sydney), Royal blue cloth coat and skirt, with cream Maltese lace vest and large black hat; Mrs. Bridson, smart black costume, relieved with ecru lace, lovely deep geranium pink floral toque; Miss Gordon, pretty heliotrope silk costume, with deep accordion-pleated frill, dark green and cream picture hat; Mrs. Hume, brown frieze coat and skirt, crimson hat trimmed with crimson berries; Miss Marjory Towle wore a pretty cream tucked voile gown, with black velvet ribbon sash, and large black picture hat; Mrs. Arthur Nathan, handsome black gown, with cream lace yoke and deep glaze silk collar, black and cream toque; Mrs. L. D. Nathan, beautiful black and white figured satin foulard, with white hat trimmed with black and white ostrich feathers; Mrs. Myers (England), cream sunray pleated voile gown, trimmed with beautiful cream applique, burnt straw hat wreathed with pink roses, beautiful ostrich feather boa; Mrs. Carminer, smart gown of tucked champagne voile, finished with Paris lace, large burnt straw hat, trimmed with black tulle and black ostrich feathers; Miss McLeod, striking gown of olive green figured velvet, with embroidered belt and cuffs, picture hat with shaded ostrich feathers and lovely sable furs; Mrs. Donald, beautiful pale grey figured silk with white vest, and grey toque to match; Miss Donald wore a pretty white cloth coat and skirt, with lace medallions outlined with turquoise blue ceinture of same shade, and large white and blue hat; Mrs. Benjamin, grey tucked canvas voile, with deep yoke of Paris lace, black and cream toque; Mrs. Harry Keesing, black silk gown, finished with cream lace medallions, cream vest and black and cream toque; Mrs. Barry Keesing, navy blue cloth Russian coat and skirt, with Oriental insertion trimmings, cream vest, and smart blue toque to match; Mrs. McLeod, dark blue cloth sac coat and skirt, white blouse and black plumed hat; Mrs. Dacre, very pretty gown of cream tucked voile, with cream yak lace hip yoke and collar, lace vest, and large white picture hat with white

feathers; Miss Harper, black skirt, pretty white tucked silk blouse, and white hat trimmed with white satin ribbon; Miss Marks, grey tucked canvas voile gown, with white yoke, large black hat with ostrich feathers; Mrs Wright, black voile gown with yoke of cream lace, relieved with turquoise blue, black hat; Mrs Southey-Baker (Taranaki), blue cloth gown with deep collar and folded belt of navy blue glaze silk, cream vest, blue hat to match; Miss Lloyd wore royal blue crepe de chine trimmed with cream lace and blue fringe, fawn hat with sprays of violets; Mrs Dignan, very pale blue gown, trimmed with black velvet, pink floral toque; Miss Tolhurst, pretty pale blue crepe de chine, with deep collar and vest of Paris lace and net, chine silk sash and blue hat to match; Miss George, champagne canvas voile gown, with Paris lace motifs, choice ribbon sash, and black hat; Miss Ivy Walker, pale blue foulard with white vest and cream insertion, green belt and large white hat; Miss Nora Walker, black voile skirt, pretty black and white spotted silk blouse with faggotted yoke, large black hat; Mrs Abbott (Wellington), very noticeable gown of crimson cloth, with folded belt and large crimson hat trimmed with black feathers; Mrs George Bloomfield, black glazed crepe de chine with deep yoke of figured chiffon, white hat trimmed with black; Mrs E. Horton, cream hopsack costume with wide black velvet corselet belt, black hat; Miss Kenny, black voile gown with cream yoke, black picture hat; Mrs Blair (Melbourne), grey tweed coat and skirt with bands of green stitchery, cream vest, and pretty blue toque trimmed with black and white; Mrs Phillips, navy blue cloth sac coat and skirt, white blouse and black hat; Mrs John Reed, black costume with black toque; Miss Myra Reed, navy blue cloth coatee and skirt, with white facings and velvet bands, white hat trimmed with black and white; Mrs Ernest Bloomfield, dark grey cloth coat and skirt, with cream vest, purple velvet hat trimmed with pink; Miss Wauit, white cloth gown, white hat trimmed with shaded poppies; Miss Gorrie, dark grey tailor-made gown, white vest, black plumed hat; Miss Nora Gorrie, dark red cloth coat and skirt, with cream vest, hat en suite; Miss Gwen Gorrie, grey tweed coat and skirt, white vest, crimson ceinture and hat; Mrs Hanna, navy blue piped with green, cream vest and black hat; Miss Shephard, black voile coatee and skirt finished with black applique, cream vest relieved with yellow, black cream.

PHYLIS BROWN.

CAMBRIDGE.

Dear Bee,

April 2.

On Saturday evening Mr and Mrs Brooks, of the Bank of New Zealand, gave a most enjoyable evening, the first part being devoted to music, and the latter part to progressive games. Miss Clarke won first ladies' prize, and Mr Channing Buckland carried off the first gentleman's. A most delicious supper was served in the dining-room, the table decorations being most artistically carried out with crimson cactus dahlias and

white Japanese anemones and ferns. Mrs Brooks received her guests in a handsome black and crimson silk blouse, black skirt. She was ably assisted by her daughters, Miss Brooks wearing pink broche silk blouse with handkerchief collar and sleeves of white silk; white gink skirt; and Miss J. Brooks, pale blue striped silk blouse and large blue bow on corsage, black skirt. Miss Brooks (Auckland), wore a white silk blouse trimmed with deep Paris lace, black skirt; Miss Cousin (Auckland), pink flowered silk

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