ONLY WOMAN'S PAGE.

WATER CARRIERS OF BOMBAY.

WHERE TO GO TO-DAY.

Special meeting of the Daughters of Lafayette Post, at the home of Miss Maude Morison, No. 214 East Fifty-third-st., 3 p. m. Election of officers, etc.

Laying of the cornerstone of the Cottage Hospital of St. John's Guild, to be erected as a memorial to Master Frederic Chandler Lewis, on the grounds of the Seaside Hospital, New-Dorp, Staten Island, afternoon.

Annual meeting of the New-York State Audubon Society in the lecture hall of the American Museum of Natural History, 8 p. m. Illustrated address by Frank M. Chapman on "The Birds of Fashion."

Unveiling of a tablet by the Washington Heights Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, at the Morris House, or old Jumel Mansion, One-hundred-and-eixtieth-st. and Edgecombe Road, 3 p. m.

IN THE PUBLIC PARKS.

SOME OF THEIR INTERESTING FEATURES DISCUSSED AT THE BROOKLYN WOMAN SUFFRAGE ASSOCIATION.

The annual luncheon of the Brooklyn Woman Suffrage Association was held in the Farm House at Prospect Park yesterday afternoon. George V. Brower, Park Commissioner for Brooklyn and Queens, was one of the guests and the only man present. Mrs. Mary H. Loines, president of the society, presided. At her table were Mr. Brower, Mrs. C. O. Craigie, president of the Brooklyn Public Library Association; Mrs. Annie E. Merritt, president of the Kings County Political Equality League, and Mrs. Mariana W. Chapman, president of the New-York State Woman Suffrage Association.

At the close of the luncheon Mrs. Loines, before introducing Mr. Brower, stated that although he was the only man present he should not feel out of place, because numbered among the members of the organization were a judge, the principal of an institute and several business men. The hour of the day, she explained, was responsible for the absence of these members, as well as of other masculine friends.

"Law changes," she said, "but customs linger. While man and woman are one the man has heretofore usually been the one, because he has taken the brunt of things. Now, however, women are beginning to share his burdens and difficulties."

Mr. Brower in a short address said that he appreciated the influence that organizations had on women whose lives would otherwise be narrow. He was particularly glad to welcome the women to the Park and to that especial spot, because it was through a woman's efforts that they had been permitted to come to the Farm House. A number of years ago, he said, he had driven with his wife to that very spot and she had ejaculated with surprise, "Why have I never seen this part of the Park before?" Mr. Brower replied that it was because the public was not allowed in that part, and that if she had not been a Commissioner's wife she would probably never have seen it. "It is needless to say," he added, with a mischievous twinkle in his eye, "that it was opened to the public the very next week." He urged those present who had seen much of other lands to visit the Rose Garden, the Vale of Cashmere, the Colonial and formal flower gardens and all the other attractions of Prospect Park, and if they still could say that they had seen more beauties in parks of other countries he would guarantee to go them "one better" on the following year. He thanked Mrs. Craigie for teaching him the added good that parks can do and for her tireless efforts to establish park library branches.

Mrs. Chapman, the next speaker, had visited the principal parks and gardens of Europe, but had found nothing to compare favorably with the parks of this city. The parks and gardens of Europe, she said, did not have beautiful places upon which one comes unawares as in Central and Prospect parks.

Mrs. Merritt reported four hundred active members of the association in Kings County and one thousand associate members.

"Nature and Culture" was the subject of Mrs. Craigie's talk. Character, she declared, was the highest form of nature, and every character a force in the world. The Woman's Suffrage Association, she declared, was working not for the ballot alone, but for all things that good men and women in all the world were striving to attain.

Among those present were Mrs. Clarence Moore, Miss Cora Reynolds Miss Florence Reynolds, Mrs. Richard Lacey and Mrs. M. D. Jackson. Piano music was furnished by Mrs. C. L. Mundy.

AN ENTERTAINING COMPOSITION.

Some of the compositions written by Indian students in the various schools are often quaint and amusing. The construction of the sentences is unique, and yet perfectly comprehensible. One student wrote a composition on bears in this fashion:

I guess I will describe about the bears. White Polar bear lives in most northerly. Where found bears? From Europe, America and parts of Asia, North America. Mostly in rocky mountains they found most fiercest animals. They found all differences animals in North America. Sometimes they found nine feet long. Its hair is shaggy. But the bear hugs his enemy to death, and his back teeth are very smoothed down. I tell you the bear, he can chew the vegetable food and can limped up the trees.

IN HOT WEATHER,
A Few Drops of
Colgate & Co's
VIOLET WATER
Will Prove Refreshing and Invigorating.

PLAGUE SUPERSTITION.

SOME NATIVES BELIEVE THAT A YOGI CALLED DOWN A CURSE ON THE CITY OF BOMBAY.

Bombay, which is now being scourged by the plague, is considered the finest modern city in Asia. It has street railroads, electric lighting and all other practical illustrations of science necessary to modern life, and in addition retains most of its native character and picturesqueness. At dawn women of the lower caste, robed in the clinging, graceful saree, carry on their heads vessels of new milk to the market, and at sunset wealthy Parsee women, in soft silks and rich embroideries, gather under the trees by the sea and chatter softly in their liquid tones.

The Hindoos are deeply religious and superstitious, and in some sections of India they attribute the plague to a Yogi who became incensed at the refusal of a request and called down a curse every year for seven years upon the city. Three of these curses, they say, have fallen. By the fire of 1892 half the city was destroyed. It was scourged by the cholera, and now the plague has come. More than seven years have elapsed, it is true, since the prediction, but a trifle like that does not disturb a believer's faith.

FOR THE PICNIC LUNCHEON.

Appetite usually waits on the picnic luncheon, be it ever so simply prepared, but if the luncheon is to furnish a delightful memory it must be all that is dainty, delicious and appetizing. If steam cars, trolleys or boats are to convey the party, paper boxes are the best for carrying the food, as they can be thrown away and will not burden the return trip. The wooden plates used by grocers are desirable for the same reason. Salt and pepper shakers, knives, forks and spoons are the only utensils besides the table cloth, napkins and cups, that will need to be returned. The can opener and corkscrew should be put in exposed positions on the previous day, so they will not be forgotten.

Of sandwiches there should always be an abundance, and in preparing them it will be safe to count on at least 50 per cent over the usual home appetites. The boxes should be lined with parafine paper, and unless mixed flavors are desired, only one kind of food should be placed in any box. Especially should cheese, pickles and any onion flavored dish be given exclusive quarters.

Sandwich fads may come and go, but for hungry people chicken, ham and tongue sandwiches are the standbys.

To make ham sandwiches grind one pound of ham fine. Mix together thoroughly the yolk of two hard boiled eggs with two tablespoonfuls of butter, one teaspoonful of English mustard and salt and pepper to taste. A teaspoonful of shallot and a tablespoonful of capers, both finely chopped, may be added to a part of the mixture if different flavors are wanted. Cut a long, square shaped loaf of bread into thin slices and remove the crust. Spread a tablespoonful of the mixture between each two slices and cut them in two diagonally.

Sardines and anchovies may be used in place of the ham.

If the luncheon is to be prepared several hours before it is served the sandwiches are better without lettuce or cress. The latter, however, keeps fresh the longer and may be placed between the slices after they are spread.

For chicken sandwiches, chop one pound of meat, dark and white, fine. Add one tablespoonful of butter, one tablespoonful of mayonnaise dressing, and season to taste with salt, pepper and celery salt, adding chopped capers if they are liked. A tablespoonful of finely chopped celery may be substituted for the celery salt.

For devilling, only fresh eggs will answer. Boil the eggs for fifteen minutes. When they are cold remove the shells, cut them in halves and remove the yolks. To save trouble keep the two pieces of the white of each egg together. Rub the yolks to a paste with melted butter, and season them with salt and pepper and English mustard or with chow-chow. Fill the hollows in the white portions with the mixture. Place the parts of each egg together and wrap it in paraffine paper.

Tomato salad can be easily prepared at home, but will require careful packing. Select large, round tomatoes, wash them, and remove the pulp from the inside, leaving a cup with a good stout wall. Season the pulp with salt, pepper and mayonnaise dressing and return to the tomato cups. Pack them closely, and carry the box containing them right side up.

A salad that harmonizes with woodland appetites is made of new potatoes. Boil the potatoes, if possible, the day they are wanted, and cut them into dice, but handle them with care, to prevent their getting "salvy." Make a boiled dressing as follows: Boil one-half cupful of vinegar and pour it over one well beaten egg which has been mixed with one tablespoonful of melted butter, one teaspoonful of English mustard, one teaspoonful of sugar, and salt and pepper to taste. Cook the mixture until it is limpid. Add one-half cupful of cream whipped stiff. Put into a tight, wide mouthed bottle. Add to the potato one tablespoonful of chopped onion to every quart of the potato. Put it into a fruit jar. At luncheon serve each person with the potato and dressing separately, leaving each to do his own mixing.

Fruit, olives, salted almonds, bonbons, lemonade and cold coffee are prime essentials of a picnic. Lemon juice sufficient for a large party will occupy a small bottle. Extra sugar should be taken, as tastes vary in lemonade as in other things. The coffee should be seasoned while it is hot. If care is used in the packing, bundles may be distributed among the party so that no one will be overburdened.

SHUTTING HIM OFF.

From The Chicago News.

"Now, if I were only an ostrich," began the mean man at the breakfast table as he picked up one of his wife's biscuits, "then"—

"Yes," interrupted the patient better half, "then I might get a few feathers for that old hat I've worn for three winters."

DAINTINESS IN NECKWEAR

COLLARS, SCARFS AND BOAS THAT ARE FAVORITES—BILLOWS OF WHITE CHIFFON.

There never were so many pretty oddities and bewitching novelties in neckwear as this summer. Every large drygoods house tries to outdo every other in the matter, and the result is a bewilderment, if not an embarrassment, of riches. One cannot go far astray as to "the fashion" when practically everything is fashionable.

There is one mode, however, of dressing the neck that is distinctly out of date, and that is the high starched collar. For this mercy many women are truly thankful, as the fashion never was pretty, comfortable or becoming, yet those who disliked it were obliged to submit to its tyranny or be out of the world. This season fluffiness reigns. Lace and chiffon are the approved materials, and are put together so exquisitely that they are a joy to behold, in addition to permitting at least as much comfort as the weather allows.

One charming example is composed of tucked tulle, mounted on a frame of extremely fine white silk wire. This is edged by a tiny ruching of white ribbon, and a large rosette of tulle with ribbon centre covers the fastening at the back. In front is a similar rosette, from which fall two long ends of the tucked tulle nearly a foot wide. Several rows of ribbon ruching are applied on each end. One advantage of this neck scarf is that the collar portion can be renewed whenever necessary as long as the ties remain fresh.

EFFECTIVE NECK DRAPERY.

A fichu of cream mousseline de soie, trimmed with a number of rows of Chantilly or other lace, is an effective adjunct to the summer toilet. It is draped over the shoulders and caught in front under a large bow of white ribbon. The ends should fall nearly to the knee. A jabot of Irish lace has the transparent collar, with full ends of the lace appliqued on wash blond. A knot of the blond conceals the place where the ends are attached.

In simpler ties the butterfly bow of tulle or mousseline, edged with narrow lace or velvet ribbon, is popular. The bat wing bow of silk, too, is liked. Crêpe de chine and chiffon scarfs, with fringed ends, are worn as "twice around" ties. They may be used without a separate stock by having a wired collar of firm white net, unlined. This supports the tie and prevents it from wrinkling.

Handsome fastenings are used for these long scarfs in many cases, and really good lace pins of the old fashioned kind have emerged triumphantly from their long and ignominious seclusion in the jewel box. The favorite jewelled ring is hinged, and clasps the scarf easily and gracefully without crushing.

For evening or day there is a new boa that seems like the crest of a wave caught and made permanent. White silk muslin is accordion pleated—yards of it—and the middle third is then gathered in innumerable fine tucks into a space somewhat longer than enough to encircle the throat easily. A yard on each end is left ungathered, and the remaining length is gathered in two or three groupings to the edge. The ends are caught by a jewelled fastening or tied by a large bow of white satin ribbon. Completed, it should be at least two and three-quarters yards in length.

PRETTY YOKES AND SLEEVES.

The popularity of transparent yokes and sleeves has enforced equal favor for dainty shoulder wraps of net, silk and crêpe, ruffled, appliqued and embroidered with lavish hand. These may be of a color to match a particular gown, or made in black or white to accompany any costume. A jaunty cape seen recently was of corn yellow brocaded silk, completely covered with narrow ruffles of black tulle, ribbon edged. The collar was high and flaring, and covered with chiffon closely shirred, edged by a narrow ruching. From the fastening at the throat fell two long scarf ends of accordion pleated chiffon, under a large bow of corn yellow tulle.

The plastron effects, for wear with Eton jackets,

A BECOMING CHIFFON BOA.

are extremely pretty and generally becoming. They are made in surplice fashion, as well as straight, and lace, malines, mull and China silk are employed in their construction. The stock worn with them may be the same, or simply a crossed over tie of ribbon.

HER BUSINESSLIKE METHODS.

A bank cashier says that the ranks of the women who know how to indorse a check are slowly filling up. The banks have always nourished this particular grievance, and it is comforting to know that women are dwelling upon the gravity of their offences in this line sufficiently to wish to correct them.

But the most ingenious woman yet comes from Arkansas. She came to New-York with that faith in people and things that is only to be found where the South and West meet and clasp hands. She had spent all her money before she realized that the check in her purse was not to be cashed so easily, perhaps, in New-York as in her native town of X——. But she remembered having noticed downtown a bank that had a particularly unpretentious and friendly look, so thither she decided to take her check on the X—— Trust Company of Arkansas.

Now, as some millionaires look exactly like other plain people, only a little plainer, so their banks may also appear very unpretentious. When the Southern-Western woman, possessing not the guile of the effete East, presented her little $50 check at the teller's window, the quizzical man in charge asked her if she had any one to identify her. It may have been her ingenuousness, or it may have been the masculine spirit of levity, or it may have been her hat—but, anyway, he directed her to the next window, where she was passed on to the next window, and the next, and then the next. She stood to her guns, and finally she found herself at the door of the bank president's sanctum. Never for an instant doubting her right to the cash on that check, she presented herself to the grave and courteous elderly man who sat at the great desk in the private office. He invited her to be seated, and she at once presented her case. She wanted the check cashed, and in answer to his question said she had no one to identify her.

"I will turn the check in for collection, madam," he said, "and in about a week we will have the money for you."

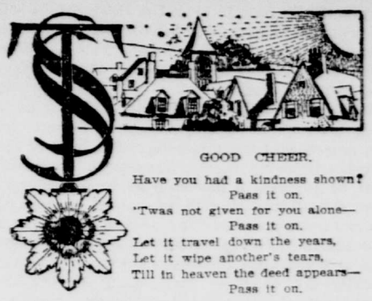
"Oh!" she gasped in genuine alarm, "but I am quite out of money. I must have it at once. What am I to do? I know Mr. So-and-so in the East Orange Bank. Couldn't you call him up by telephone? He will be glad to identify me."

"He could scarcely identify you over the telephone, madam," he replied, not unkindly.

"But what am I to do, then? Don't you think I'm an honest woman? I have stock in the X—— Trust Company—quite a lot of it. Everybody knows me in X——."

What she said was so anxious, so naïve, so unconscious of the unbusinesslike nature of the request that the custodian of finance, who was really very human, and who had not reached his present age and position without having gained wisdom relative to human nature, responded so naturally that she never suspected that he was venturing along unusual lines:

"I'll tell you what I'll do," he said. "I will advance you $10 on the check, if that will be a help in your present emergency." And he did so, and her face beamed as she bowed herself out with the money he had taken from a drawer in his desk.



GOOD CHEER.

Have you had a kindness shown?
Pass it on.
'Twas not given for you alone—
Pass it on.
Let it travel down the years,
Let it wipe another's tears,
Till in heaven the deed appears—
Pass it on.

"THE FOOTPATH TO PEACE."

To be glad of life because it gives you the chance to love and to work and to play and to look up at the stars; to be satisfied with your possessions but not contented with yourself until you have made the best of them; to despise nothing in the world except falsehood and meanness, and to fear nothing except cowardice; to be governed by your admirations rather than by your disgusts; to covet nothing that is your neighbor's except his kindness of heart and gentleness of manners; to think seldom of your enemies, often of your friends and every day of Christ, and to spend as much time as you can with body and spirit in God's out of doors—these are little guide posts on the footpath to peace.—(Henry van Dyke.

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NEW MEMBERS.

The latest additions to the rollbook of The Tribune Sunshine Society are William M. Cork, Miss Anna Thompson, Mrs. W. M. Cooper, Miss Maude Cooper, Mrs. Frederic Cornwall, Miss J. E. Whittinghaus, Mrs. William Billups, Miss Cecil Billups, Mrs. J. N. Gilchrist and Mrs. W. A. Haddon. These members live in Maryland, Arizona, New-Jersey Connecticut, Iowa and New-York State, which shows the widespread interest in T. S. S. work.

SUNSHINE DISTRIBUTED.

Two invalid members, in need of immediate sunshine, received yesterday contributions from the special fund. One lives in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and the other at Hampton, Va. The total amount of the dime fund to date is $18 75. No money is placed to the credit of this fund, except such sums as are specially designated for this purpose by the senders. Greetings and parcels have been sent to T. S. S. members this week in New-Mexico, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, Virginia and Tennessee.

If the thoughful member of Bath, N. Y., could have witnessed the delight and happiness shown by Mrs. M. A. Burlingame when she received the box of beautiful flowers, the donor would have been repaid for all her trouble in sending this fragrant sunshine.

Mrs. James A. Fairman, who has been confined to the house by illness, has enjoyed a full measure of sunshine from the number of potted plants sent by Mrs. M. A. Stone to cheer and brighten the sick room. The white, fleecy shoulder shawl forwarded from the main office added also to Mrs. Fairman's comfort.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Mrs. W. L. Moore has sent a large package of sheet music; Mrs. George Ryan, a parcel containing wearing apparel, unfinished work, worsteds and quilt pieces sufficient to furnish work for many busy fingers; Miss Mary F. Johnson, two boxes, in which were two black hats, a black skirt and two handsome waists, two pairs of bed socks, a pair of shoes, a dressing sack and several miscellaneous articles, and Mrs. Charles Grant two rolls of reading matter.

CONTRIBUTIONS OF FLOWERS.

The Sunshine room was redolent yesterday with the perfume of flowers. Mrs. Frank L. Drummond, president of the Allendale (N. J.) T. S. S. Branch, called at the office in the morning and brought a box of beautiful pansies and a large bunch of syringa; Mrs. Charles Grant sent a large box filled with lovely flowers—red and yellow climbing roses, iveigelia, snowballs, yellow lilies, ferns, etc. Mrs. C. L. Hendrickson contributed wild flowers. Three invalids in Manhattan shared in these sunny gifts.

ACKNOWLEDGES SUNSHINE.

Georgia Smith, the invalid girl living at No. 217 South Fifth-st., Brooklyn, has been made happy by the receipt of sunshine in different forms from many thoughtful people. Reading matter came to her from Mount Vernon, Chatham and Auburn, N. Y.; Paterson and New-Brunswick, N. J.; Berkeley, Cal.; Randolph, Vt.; Lincoln, Neb.; E. Phillips, Mrs. P. M. Thompson, Mrs. Roe, Mrs. Porter and John Dougall, of Manhattan; Ashland Place, Brooklyn; flowers from Rutherford, N. J.; Sag Harbor, Long Island; East Arlington, Vt., and Barnardsville, N. J. She has received many letters, and has acknowledged the gifts, which were all thankfully received. After reading the books she will pass them on to other "shut in" T. S. S. members.

FOR BADGES.

Mrs. William Jebb has sent 15 cents for badges for new members of her branch; Mrs. J. Moran, 35 cents; Mrs. Breem, 35 cents; Mrs. Drummond, 8 cents.

A LETTER FROM ARIZONA.

A pleasant letter was received at headquarters yesterday from Mrs. Emma Paddock Telford, a T. S. S. member now sojourning in Arizona. Mrs. Telford has been West nearly a year helping to care for an invalid sister, Mrs. Wing, of San Francisco, also a Tribune Sunshine member. As a means to health for the invalid they have been camping out in Arizona, but are now preparing to go to the mountains to find cooler weather. It is a pleasure to note that Mrs. Telford has received a new honor—an urgent call to Lake Erie College, to take charge of the department of household science. The place she is invited to fill was made vacant by the appointment of Miss Beviers to the University of Chicago. Mrs. Telford has sent in the names of two members in Arizona, both of whom, she declares, "are good workers, and will do their part toward an exchange of Sunshine amenities." They have paid their dues by sending reading matter to Washington in response to a request published in the T. S. S. column.

I wrote down my troubles every day;
And after a few short years,
When I turned to the heartaches passed away,
I read them with smiles, not tears.
—(John Boyle O'Reilly.

Master Percy Thompson, who was disappointed in not securing the Maltese kitten offered by Mrs. Breem, now rejoices in the possession of a coal black one, which Mrs. Breem has given him. Notwithstanding the color, it has been named Sunshine, and wears the society colors, which Percy thinks are so becoming.

Violet Cairns, of Wisconsin, desires to acknowledge the receipt of sunshine in the form of books, scrap pictures and flower seeds from Mrs. F. B. Walker, Miss Clapp, Mrs. S. Bernstein and Miss Kate Hawkins. All these remembrances have helped to cheer the lonely life of this "shut in" member.

AN OFFER OF A DOG.

Miss J. E. W., of Tarrytown, N. Y., offers to give to some Sunshine member a female fox terrier. She is a fine watch dog, gentle and affectionate, and will be sent by express prepaid. The reason given by the owner for offering the dog through the T. S. S. is that she knows the animal will be sure to get a good home.

THE ROENTGEN RAZOR.

From The Pall Mall Gazette.

It seems that the office of barber-surgeon is about to be revived again, and that under distinguished auspices. At the London Hospital for Diseases of the Skin, in Fitzroy Square, I witnessed lately a most interesting series of demonstrations. A poor woman who had suffered from that most terrible affliction, for one of her sex, a well grown beard and mustache, was placed on a couch; her eyes and face were covered with a leaden mask, in which was an aperture, and the chest was also protected by a metallic covering. There was a buzzing noise as the electric current was turned on, and the darkened room was lit by the ghostly, greenish light of the Röntgen rays. For some fifteen minutes the patient lay quiescent, while the rays played upon the aperture in the mask, immediately over the thick tuft of hair that was to be destroyed. Then the patient rose from the couch, the operation for that day being complete.

"Had you any disagreeable or painful sensations?" I asked.

"None at all," was the reply.

This woman, with a worn looking, patient face, which told of years of work and possible privation, told me that her disfigurement had been a great hindrance to her in obtaining a situation. A great portion of the beard on one side of the face had already disappeared; it had died away like sun dried hay, as the doctor said.

There are many women, young and old, in England, who are afflicted in this way—young women who lead secluded lives, and old women who rarely creep out into the sunlight; rich women who are debarred from society, and poor women who are hampered in the earning of their bread. I trust that for these a brighter day has dawned. For some years it had been observed that those who worked with the Röntgen rays were apt to lose the hair on the backs of their hands. This was the first hint of the therapeutic value of the X rays. Schiff, of Vienna, was one of the first to use them in medicine, but I believe that the present installation is the first that has been placed in any hospital in England for the use of the poor, for "hirsuties," as it is called.

INCIDENTS IN SOCIETY.

A small wedding yesterday afternoon was that of Miss Georgia Havemeyer Belloni to Dr. George E. McLaughlin, attached to the staff of Christ Hospital, Jersey City, which was celebrated at 5 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Louis J. Belloni, No. 14 East Sixty-sixth-st. Only the relatives were present at the ceremony, as the family of the bride is in mourning. The bride, who is a niece of Henry O. Havemeyer, wore a gown of white satin, made with a fichu of point lace. Her veil of tulle was fastened with a diamond sunburst, a gift from the bridegroom. She carried a bouquet of white orchids and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaids were Miss Sadie Belloni, sister of the bride; Miss Elma Baker, Miss Alida Conover and Miss Taunt O'Shea, of this city; Miss Edith Gambrill, of Baltimore, and Miss Florence Beach, of Denver. Edward T. McLaughlin attended his brother as best man. The ushers were Charles Detwiller, Frederick Gubelman, Shaler Carrington and Leon W. Manton. After the ceremony there was a reception. Some of the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Henry O. Havemeyer, Dr. and Mrs. Henry D. Heller, Mr. and Mrs. George Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Harrison, Mrs. Theodore A. Havemeyer, sr., Miss Adeline Havemeyer, Mr. and Mrs. Talbot Root, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Jackson, Dr. and Mrs. Burt Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Elgin MacBurney, Dr. and Mrs. George Wilkinson, Talbot Hyde, Miss Josephine Hyde, Miss May Bogert, Miss Alice Ireland, Miss Laura Detwiller, Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Rector, Mrs. Henrietta Hellier, Mr. and Mrs. Benedict Vichtor, Miss Schott, Miss Elizabeth Detwiller, Miss Marie Satterfield, Dr. and Mrs. Henry Spence, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Holden, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Flannery, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lilliendahl, Miss Jessie Libby, Jacob Detwiller, Edward Hyne, Hubert E. Roberts, William B. Brown, Harold Holmes, Austin D. Heller, Clarence Detwiller and Jacob Detwiller. Dr. and Mrs. McLaughlin will sail today for a four months' tour through Europe.

The marriage of Miss Laura Sanford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Sanford, to Walter Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Hoffman, will take place in Lenox, Mass., to-day. The church ceremony will be supplemented by a reception at the Joy villa.

Mrs. A. J. Adams's guests on the public road coach Pioneer yesterday on its regular trip from the Holland House to the Ardsley Casino at Ardsley-on-the-Hudson were Miss Ida Adams, Miss Evelyn Adams, Miss Kelly, Miss Fletcher, the Rev. John Huske, Walter Adams, Franklin Lawrence, Malcolm Faire and Lawrence Adams. Reginald W. Rives was the coachman. The last trip of the Pioneer for the season will be made to-day.

The engagement is announced of Miss Gertrude Minturn, daughter of Mrs. Robert B. Minturn, to Amos R. Pinchot, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Pinchot, of No. 2 Gramercy Park, a grandson of Amos R. Eno and a graduate of Yale University, class of '97.

An out of town wedding of interest to-day will be that of Miss Katherine Livingston, daughter of John Henry Livingston, of Clermont, Tivoli-on-the-Hudson, to Lawrence Timpson, son of the late Theodore Timpson, of Maizeland, Barrytown-on-the-Hudson, which will be celebrated at noon in St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, Tivoli. The bride will have as her bridesmaids Miss Alice Morton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Levi P. Morton; Miss Esther Hare, Miss Emily Gaw, Miss Mary Roberts Coles and Miss Virginia Campbell, of Philadelphia, and Miss Nancy Hutchinson. The bridegroom's best man will be Schuyler Schieffelin, and the ushers will be Bronson Winthrop, Edward De Peyster Livingston, James B. Ludlow, Duncan McR. Livingston, Charles Keller Beekman, Wainwright Parish and E. Mansfield Patterson. The wedding breakfast will follow at the home of the bride's father.

The wedding of Miss Jermain Stoddard, daughter of the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Charles Augustus Stoddard, of No. 300 West Seventy-second-st., to Stuart Duncan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Duncan, of this city, will be celebrated at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the Rutgers Riverside Presbyterian Church, Seventy-third-st. and Broadway. The reception will be held at the home of the bride's parents.

Cards for the wedding of Miss Minnie Blumenthal, of Marion, Ind., and Maurice B. Blumenthal, an Assistant-District-Attorney of this city, have been issued. The wedding, at which the Rev. Joseph Stoltz, of Chicago, will officiate, will take place at noon on Thursday, June 21, in the Auditorium Annex, Chicago. Invitations have been restricted to the immediate relatives, and the guests from this city and Rochester will be conveyed to Chicago by special train. Miss Nettie New, the fiancée of the bride's brother, will act as the bride's attendant, and Daniel Webster Blumenthal, brother of the bridegroom, will be best man. After the wedding the couple will start for an extended trip to the Northern lakes.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Berliner, of No. 10 West One-hundred-and-thirty-first-st., announce the engagement of their daughter, Lillian Viola, to Moses H. Grossman. Miss Berliner and her fiancée will receive at her home to-morrow from 3 until 6 o'clock. The exact wedding date has not been set, but the ceremony will take place late in June or early in July. It will be followed by a European trip, the honeymoon to continue during the entire summer.

Passaic, N. J., June 1 (Special).—Miss Grace Elizabeth Anderson and Walter Carolus Morrill were married last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Spence Anderson, No. 109 Lafayette-ave., by the Rev. Dr. Thomas D. Anderson, of Providence, R. I., an uncle of the bride. The bride's gown was of white silk, with an overdress of mousseline de soie. Her tulle veil was caught up with orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley. The maid of honor was Miss Alice Lucia Spencer, of this city, and the bridesmaids were Miss Emma Gifford, Miss Carrie Von Der Smith and Miss Mabel Crosby, of Passaic, and Miss Florence Hartshorn, of Somerville, Mass. The best man was George Burnham Morrill, of Portland, Me., a cousin of the bridegroom. The ushers were Fred Collins, Clarence Betts, Philip Hoover and Frank Berdan, all of New-York. Mr. and Mrs. Morrill will live at No. 94 Lafayette-ave., this city.

SUGAR ADVANCED FURTHER.

MORE TALK ABOUT THE PROJECTED NEW COMBINATION OF REFINERS.

Still another advance of 10 points, equivalent to 10 cents a hundred pounds, in the price of refined sugars was made yesterday by the American Sugar Refining Company, the independent concerns promptly taking the same action. This makes a total advance in the last ten days of 45 points. The difference in price between raw and refined sugar is now 84 cents a hundred pounds, so that, deducting 50 cents as the estimated cost of refining, there remains a profit of 34 cents a hundred pounds at the prices now prevailing for the refined grades—a profit which is being made by the Trust and its rivals alike.

The successive advances in the price of the refined were ascribed yesterday by James H. Post, of B. H. Howell, Son & Co., to the fact that the demand for sugars at this time is almost unprecedented. He was unable to say, however, how it was that the advance was being so promptly met by all hands, including the Arbuckles; but the consensus of opinion in the sugar trade is that "the sugar war is over," and that an understanding exists by which there will be no more competitive cutting of prices. Concerning the projected new National Sugar Refining Company of New-Jersey, which is to be a consolidation of the National, Mollenhauer and New-York Sugar Refining companies, Mr. Post said:

"There will be a meeting in Jersey City at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning, at which the final details of the organization of the new company will be settled, and the amount of common stock to be issued will be decided upon. None of the outside capital was furnished by Mr. Havemeyer, and he will not be a director of the new company."

"Will Mr. Havemeyer be interested in the company?" was asked.

"That I will not answer," said Mr. Post.

It is reported that the new National Sugar Refining Company of New-Jersey, which it is expected will be incorporated at Trenton to-day, will have $10,000,000 common stock. It has already been announced that the amount of its preferred stock will be $10,000,000.

Arbuckle Brothers, who have been the most determined antagonists of the Trust, continue silent on the probable results of the newest combination. Their attitude gives rise to the belief that they will in some way figure in the new order of things.

American Sugar Refining stock closed yesterday on the Stock Exchange at 118⅛, unchanged from Thursday.

LAST NIGHT OF PRINTING EXPOSITION.

The Printing Exhibition at Grand Central Palace closes its one month's run to-night with the introduction of many novel features. A special souvenir commemorating the fiftieth anniversary of Big Six will be distributed. Arrangements have been made to present to each visitor a metal bar containing his name in type. Delegations from out of town organizations will be present in large numbers. The Central Federated Union will also attend in a body, and this last night of the show has been dedicated to that body. Vaudeville and dancing will wind up one of the most successful expositions ever held in America.

NEW HAMBURG-AMERICAN SERVICE.

It is announced by the Hamburg-American Line that on October 1 it will establish a service from New-York to Hayti, the United States of Colombia, Port Limon and Jamaica, dispatching a steamer every ten days.

DELLA FOX IN AN ASYLUM.

COMIC OPERA SINGER'S MIND GIVES WAY SOON AFTER A SERIOUS ILLNESS.

Della May Fox, the comic opera singer, yesterday was committed by Justice McAdam, of the Supreme Court, to the asylum for the insane at Wave Crest, Astoria. The commitment was made on the application of A. H. Hummel, who appeared for Miss Fox's brother, William H. Fox. The petition set forth the fact that the actress was suffering from mental hallucinations caused by the excessive use of stimulants. It was supported by affidavits by Drs. Austin Flint, jr., and Edward D. Fisher.

Miss Fox is twenty-seven years old, and the daughter of a photographer in St. Louis. Her mother died recently, just as Miss Fox was recovering from a serious illness in which her life was despaired of. Her father is at present seriously ill. Following her recent illness, Miss Fox has been playing at Proctor's theatres and has been working very hard.

Miss Fox has been living for some time at the Parker House, Thirty-ninth-st. and Broadway. For several weeks she has been undergoing a severe nervous strain, and has recently been acting in a peculiar manner. She has been laboring under the delusion that her friends and

MISS DELLA FOX,
Who has been committed to an asylum.

relatives were her enemies, and were trying to get possession of her money and jewels. Although provided with the best of medical care, she resisted the doctors' efforts to keep her quiet, and resorted to the use of stimulants to keep her strength. She appeared to believe she was being persecuted. Her brother, on the advice of the physicians, who were afraid she would do herself harm, had her committed to the asylum at Wave Crest. She was taken there yesterday afternoon. Her physicians think that a few weeks of quiet will be instrumental in restoring Miss Fox to complete health.

Miss Fox suffered a long and serious attack of pneumonia, following an attack of appendicitis last winter, when it was thought that the actress would not recover. She remained in a serious condition for a week, but rallied, and later returned to the stage.

OFFICERS AT THE WAR COLLEGE.

PROBLEMS TO BE DISCUSSED—FORMAL OPENING TO-DAY.

Newport, R. I., June 1.—The officers ordered to the Naval War College for the summer course of instruction reported this morning for duty, and were received by Captain C. H. Stockton, president of the college, who briefly outlined the course and explained the problems to be worked out. They are the defence of the northwest coast of the United States north of the Columbia River and the protection of the insular possessions in the Pacific.

The class ordered to instruction is made up of captains, commanders and lieutenant-commanders of the Navy, officers of the Marine Corps and Revenue Service and, for the first time in the history of the college, a number of Army officers, who have been ordered to attend the lectures. At the conclusion of the reception by the president of the college the officers were divided into committees for study.

To-morrow morning the formal opening of the War College will take place, and Assistant Secretary of the Navy Frank W. Hackett will make the opening address and give a reception to the officers. The United States steamer Dispatch, with Assistant Secretary Hackett on board, arrived from Washington to-day.

EXPLOSION AT KODAK WORKS.

FOREMAN KILLED, SEVERAL INJURED, IN CHEMICAL ROOM OF EASTMAN COMPANY.

Rochester, N. Y., June 1.—At 1 o'clock to-day a heavy explosion took place in the chemical room of the Eastman Kodak Company's works, on Charlotte Boulevard. The explosion was heard for nearly a mile, and the ground for hundreds of feet away trembled as if shaken by an earthquake. George R. Tracy, twenty-five years old, the foreman, who was in the room at the time, was struck on the head, apparently by a piece of flying wood, and instantly killed. Another workman, Frank Maynard, was painfully injured about the hands, face and arms. Six or seven other men employed in the room at the time escaped with minor injuries. Mr. Tracy formerly lived at New-London, Conn.

The cause of the explosion is unknown. The room in which the explosion occurred is a complete wreck. The partitions and windows were blown out and nearly every article of furniture in it was broken. Fire broke out immediately after the explosion, but was extinguished by the fire brigade at the works before it had added much to the damage already wrought. The loss will probably reach $4,000.

INCREASE OF EXPOSITION'S STOCK.

Buffalo, June 1.—The capital stock of the Pan-American Exposition Company will be supplemented by the issuance of bonds to the amount of $2,500,000. The Exposition officials do not think that it will be necessary to offer the bonds at popular sale, as it is believed the Buffalo banking institutions and corporations will take all, one bank having already subscribed for $250,000. This will increase the capital stock to $5,000,000.

PLANS FOR UPTOWN SKYSCRAPER.

The outline published in The Tribune yesterday of the plans for a twenty-six story office building, with a two story arcade, designed to replace the Fifth Avenue Hotel, was confirmed as substantially correct yesterday by Francis Kimball, the architect, of No. 71 Broadway, who drew them. Mr. Kimball said, however, that the plans as drawn by him for Mr. Eno were largely provisional, and therefore subject to change. In speaking of the wisdom of putting up an office building in this section of the city,