



MRS. CORNELIUS ZABRISKIE, Of Brooklyn, who was yesterday elected president of the New-York State Federation of Women's Clubs. She succeeds Mrs. William Tom Helmut, of Manhattan. (Photograph by Almé Dupont.)

WHERE TO GO TO-DAY.

Regular meeting of the New York Wesleyan Club, at No. 52 East Fifty-seventh-st., 3 p. m. Address by Dr. Jane Robbins on "Settlement Work."

A LIVELY SESSION.

Animated discussion of industrial school at federation meeting.

LITTLE FRICTION THROUGHOUT THE FOUR DAYS OF THE CONVENTION—MRS. CORNELIUS ZABRISKIE ELECTED PRESIDENT.

Albany, Nov. 16 (Special).—The sixth annual meeting of the New-York State Federation has come and gone, and the unprejudiced spectator must admit it to have been, on the whole, a dignified and harmonious assembly.

MRS. BURNS RESIGNS.

Mrs. Burns then stated that her resignation, offered the day before, was final, whereupon Mrs. Henry Powell, of Brooklyn, immediately moved that the chairman be immediately reappointed and that the federation pledge hearty support in the future.

SOME SATIRICAL REMARKS.

In the audience satirical remarks were made, without the formality of addressing the Chair, to the effect that the committee could not be expected to supply brains as well as information.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM.

In the morning session Civil Service Reform was discussed, with Mrs. W. H. Scheffelin as chairman. It was stated that the gains since 1885, when the law was enacted, are recognized as encouraging.

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Colgate's Fine Soaps & Perfumes PARIS GRAND PRIX.

HINTS ON AFTERNOON TEAS.

LECTURE ON THE PREPARATION OF DAINTY DISHES AND DELICIOUS DRINKS.

"Afternoon Teas" was the subject of the demonstration given by Miss Helen Louise Johnson on Thursday afternoon before the Domestic Science Department of the Brooklyn Institute.

For loaves of all kinds, for lemonade, etc., Miss Johnson stated that it is always better to make a syrup by cooking the sugar and water together until it spins a small thread than to use the sugar and water separately, as a body is thus given to the compound, making it richer.

For the almond drops Miss Johnson beat the whites of five eggs until they were light and dry. To show how thoroughly the work had been done she inserted the platter upon which she had been beating the whites of the eggs into the water.

CHOCOLATE CHIPS.

In making the chocolate chips she beat one-half cupful of butter to a cream, and added gradually one cupful of granulated sugar, beating all the time. Beating two eggs light, without separating, she added them to the butter and sugar, and then stirred in four tablespoonfuls of melted cocoa.

TO MIX TEA PINCH.

For the tea pinch she made a strong infusion of English breakfast tea, allowing one teaspoonful to every cupful of water. She used one quart of freshly boiled water and four tablespoonfuls of tea. She next mixed one-half cupful of sugar with a little water and cooked it until it spun a thread.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MORAY.

Mrs. Trebble Moran, wife of James H. Moran, died on Wednesday afternoon at her home, No. 41 West Eighty-fourth-st. The funeral will be held at the Central Presbyterian Church, in West Fifty-seventh-st., between Broadway and Fifth-avenue, at 10 o'clock this morning.

NEW-YORK CITY CLUB REPRESENTATIVES AT THE ALBANY FEDERATION MEETING.



MRS. ALBERT EDWARD SCOTT. Of the James Monroe Woman's Relief Corps. MRS. GEORGE HOWES. Of the Society for Political Study. MRS. EMILIE D. MARTIN. Of the Chautauque Club. MRS. LEWIS W. BOYNTON. Of the Art Club.

member in the West End Women's Republican Association, all members of which body are invited to attend the funeral services to-day.

Muffs are to be larger than ever in Paris this winter and are in canoe shape. For taller costumes in black velvet, revers of the earlier type are the most fashionable, and are trimmed with small motifs of Empire style passementerie.

TOURISTS IN FLORIDA.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 16 (Special).—With the passing of politics the tourist season has opened in Florida, and a steady incoming train and steamer are crowded and local hotels are filled.

WILL POLAND BE FREE AGAIN?

Chicago, Nov. 16.—Dr. Felix Lengfeld, who represented the University of Chicago at the celebration of the five hundredth anniversary of the university in Cracow, Poland, last summer, predicted yesterday that Poland again would be an independent nation.

TABLET FOR HISTORIC SPOT

TWO HUNDRED COLONIAL DAMES ATTEND UNVEILING CEREMONIES AT VAN CORTLANDT MANSION—MRS. SAMUEL VERPLANCK—PLANCK'S SPEECH.

Van Cortlandt Manor was decked out for a festival on Thursday, when two hundred Colonial Dames of the State of New-York and their guests assembled to celebrate the unveiling of a tablet, which is affixed to the front of the historic old mansion.

A special train conveyed the delegation in the early afternoon to Van Cortlandt Park, where they were greeted by a gay picture of flags floating from various parts of the building. The flags were presented to the society by the Sons of the Revolution, and they mark the different periods of Colonial rule in America.

CORTLANDT HOUSE.

Built by Frederick Van Cortlandt, MDCCLXVIII. Placed in the custody of the Colonial Dames of the State of New York, MDCCLXXVI. This large estate has been built continuously by the descendants of the Van Cortlandts, and was purchased by the Mayor of the City, 1719. Purchased for the City, 1733. MDCCLXXXIX. Virtutes Majorum Filii Conservant.

The members and guests stood on the steps and lawn while the addresses were delivered from the porch. Mrs. Samuel Verplanck made the presentation address, and referred feelingly to the stately old Van Cortlandt mansion, that has stood for 152 years on this spot.

Thanks were extended by Mrs. Verplanck to Mrs. Howard Townsend, president of the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America, chairman of the Tablet Committee, Mrs. W. B. Beckman, as chairman of the Van Cortlandt Committee, accepted the tablet.

QUESTIONS OF GOOD FORT.

Miss B.: In furnishing a Colonial bedroom it would be appropriate to use a four post bed with a tester, having the sides draped back toward the head and a valance around the bottom.

SENT TO PRISON FOR "A JOKE."

Why, Judge, I've known this girl for years, and I know she had no money for a joke on her. It was all just for a joke, and in a moment she was in the County Jail.

JONES GOES TO HOUSE OF DETENTION.

Charles F. Jones, valet to the late William M. Rice, who, with Albert T. Patrick, the lawyer, has been in the County Jail for a week, charged with forgery, was taken before Recorder Goff yesterday.

REN DOWN IN FRONT OF THE WALDORF.

A hansom cab driven by Max Silva, of No. 215 East Twenty-ninth-st., ran into Matthew Farrell, of No. 41 West Thirty-first-st., who was riding a bicycle, in front of the Waldorf-Astoria at noon yesterday.

TO SPEAK ON MISSIONARY LANDS.

A meeting will take place Monday morning at 11 o'clock at St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church, West End-ave., and Secretary-at-Large of the Missionary Society of the General Missionary Conference, now being held in that church.

MRS. CLARENCE L. COLLINS DIVORCED.

Mrs. Rosalita Beecher Collins has obtained in Pennsylvania a decree of divorce from Clarence Lyman Collins, the ground stated being desertion.

TO FIT THE WORK.

From the Chicago Tribune. "What kind of work" asked the leader of the mandolin orchestra, "do you think your wife will do?" "I think she will do anything," said the man who had called, "it's a sewing society of some kind that's to meet at the home of my kind of ragtime music would be appropriate."

MOURNING YOUNG MOORE'S DEATH.

Flags raised at half-mast at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Boston, Nov. 16.—Flags were raised at half-mast over the buildings of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology to-day, in respect to the memory of H. C. Moore, of Rochester, N. Y., the freshman killed in the case which yesterday.

CLERGYMAN SUED FOR DAMAGES.

THE REV. DR. STEPHENS, OF ROCHESTER, DEFENDANT IN AN ACTION FOR \$10,000.

Oswego, N. Y., Nov. 16.—Edward Shortleeve, of Oswego town, has begun an action for \$10,000 damages against the Rev. Dr. H. H. Stephens, of Rochester, a Presbyterian clergyman. Shortleeve claims that while his wife was driving last summer Dr. Stephens and son, who were on bicycles, frightened the horse which Mrs. Shortleeve was driving, causing her to fall. Shortleeve received injuries from which she died.

FISH DEALERS ALLEGED CONSPIRATORS.

RIVAL MERCHANT ACCUSES THEM OF TRYING TO RUIN HIS TRADE.

Several men were arraigned in the Yorkville police court yesterday afternoon on complaint of Abraham Kanes, a smoked fish dealer, of No. 26 Raymond-st., Brooklyn, who charged them with conspiring to ruin his business.

NO HAT, COAT OR MONEY, BUT ACQUITTED.

Lewis Stuyvesant Chanler gives his own coat to man cleared of alleged stabbing.

Henry Allshoff was tried and acquitted before Recorder Goff on Thursday of the charge of stabbing Patrick Murphy, of No. 328 West Twenty-fourth-st., at Tenth-ave. and Twenty-fourth-st., on October 24. As Allshoff stood before the Recorder he was coatless and hatless, and he had no money to buy a coat or hat.

MAN WHO STOLE A WOMAN'S PURSE SAID HE WAS IN FUN.

Because of what he termed a moment of playfulness Charles Hedrick, twenty-five years old, a waiter, of No. 30 Third-ave., was yesterday sentenced by Judge McMahon, in Part II of General Sessions, to six years and seven months in State's prison.

SCHOOLBOY DIES FROM A FALL.

THIPPED BY A FELLOW STUDENT AS HE WAS GOING DOWNSTAIRS.

Charles Schmitt, thirteen years old, of No. 513 East One-hundred-and-sixteenth-st., died at the Mount Sinai Hospital on Wednesday night from the effects of a fall he received in Grammar School No. 25, in One-hundred-and-twenty-fifth-st., on Thursday, November 8.

MAYFLOWER DESCENDANTS TO DINE.

The sixth annual meeting and dinner of the Society of Mayflower Descendants in the State of New-York will be held at Delmonico's on next Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

REMOVED STANDARD OIL FOREIGN DEAL.

A report was current yesterday that agents of the Standard Oil Company were negotiating at Bucharest with the Rumanian Government for the purchase of oil fields and for a concession to lay a pipeline from the fields to the port of Constantza.

MRS. JEWELL LOSES HER SUIT.

JUSTICE GAYNOR SAYS FLOUR TRUST ORGANIZERS DID NOT COMMIT A BREACH OF TRUST.

A decision for the defendants was handed down yesterday by Justice Gaynor of the Supreme Court. In the suit of Mrs. Ora M. Jewell against Thomas A. McInerney, the Franklin Trust Company and the United States Flour Milling Company, the suit was brought by Mrs. Jewell to regain possession of 340 shares of the preferred stock of the Hecker-Jones-Jewell Milling Company, of Brooklyn, and twenty-two bonds of the same company, which she surrendered as a preliminary step to the formation of the Flour Trust. She alleged that the formation of the trust, which is known as the United States Flour Milling Company, was never completed according to the terms of the agreement under which she parted with her stocks and bonds, and that several large mills in the West and elsewhere were to be joined to the trust.

BALTES TO HAVE FURTHER HEARING.

The case of Fernando Baltes, of No. 147 East Sixty-second-st., formerly president of the Mechanics and Traders' Bank, who is charged with the larceny of \$9,008, constituting part of a trust fund of the Edward Waring estate, of which he is executor, was adjourned until November 30, when Mr. Baltes was arraigned for examination before Magistrate Meade in the West Side court yesterday afternoon.

MANHATTAN RAILWAY BRIDGE HEARING.

The Aldermen's Committee on Railroads granted a hearing yesterday afternoon to persons interested in the matter of building a bridge at One-hundred-and-eighty-st., in The Bronx, by the Manhattan Railway Company.

ALDERMEN'S COMMITTEE HEARS THE OPPOSITION FROM THE BRONX.

The property holders present objected on the grounds that it would be on public property, which was disapproved by Mr. Skitt. They also said that recently One-hundred-and-eighty-st. was widened to eighty feet from fifty feet, thus making one of the widest streets in the city and also that One-hundred-and-eighty-st. was an approach to the Zoological Gardens and Bronx Park.

SALESMAN HAS \$19,008 LIABILITIES.

Thomas B. Reynolds, a salesman employed by the Whiting Paper Company, at No. 150 Duane-st., has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of \$19,008 and no assets. Of the liabilities \$13,170 is to thirty-four personal creditors and the balance is all on account of the White Paper Company, of Ohio, which went into the hands of a receiver in December, 1898, and has since been wound up and paid a dividend of 4 per cent to the creditors.

EX-OFFICIAL OF AN OHIO PAPER COMPANY FILES BANKRUPTCY PETITION.

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