



ST. VINCENT'S HOSPITAL LAWN FESTIVAL, WHICH OPENED YESTERDAY.

ETHICAL SCHOOL GRADUATES.

Closing Exercises in Old Building—Diplomas for Kindergartners.

The Ethical Culture School held its last closing exercises in its old building, No. 100 West Fifty-fourth-st., yesterday afternoon, and the need for more commodious quarters was made unmistakably manifest by the difficulty of finding even standing room for all who wished to witness the ceremonies.

Both classes received their diplomas from Professor Felix Adler, founder of the school and chairman of the executive committee. The kindergartners, who all were becoming white frocks, with bunches of violets and roses at their belts, and who are an exceptionally promising group of young women...

Professor Adler made a short address to both classes, and advised the kindergartners to cultivate the faculty of clairvoyance, suggesting at the same time that this second sight, which perceives a child's real nature, might some time be made a part of the kindergarten's equipment.

ST. VINCENT'S LAWN PARTY.

A Five-Day Festival to Be Held at the Hospital by Sisters of Charity.

In the centre of St. Vincent's Hospital there is a big square court, and in the centre of the court stands a statue of St. Joseph, surmounting a fountain and a bed of red geraniums.

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PACIFIC COAST CLUBS.

Mrs. Gardiner Says Out There Women Are Not Ridiculed for Their Efforts.

California seems to be a paradise for clubwomen, according to Mrs. Sophie E. Gardiner, Editor of "The California Ladies' Magazine," who is now in New-York on her way to a banquet to be given in honor of the Pacific Coast Women's Press Clubs at the convention of the International League of Women's Press Clubs, which opens there on June 2.

"There isn't the slightest opposition to women's clubs in San Francisco," said Mrs. Gardiner to a Tribune reporter, "and women are not ridiculed for their efforts. The papers treat us with the utmost respect, and our most enthusiastic supporters are men. Perhaps the old California chivalry has something to do with this, but the clubs have done so much good that it is scarcely possible for any one to refuse to recognize the fact.

"There was some opposition to women's clubs when the first attempt was made to organize a club in San Francisco," said Mrs. Gardiner, "and we had to submit to considerable abuse and ridicule, but it has all passed away. A leading citizen of San Francisco said to me not long ago when his wife joined her first club he was quite convinced that he was never going to have any more peace at home, that he was now regarded as one of the most unfortunates in the city, and that he was now regarded as one of the most unfortunates in the city, and that he was now regarded as one of the most unfortunates in the city."

WOMEN STUDENTS AT DUBLIN.

Trinity College Council Advocates Their Admission to That Institution.

Dublin, June 1.—The council of Trinity College has recommended that the Senate approve the admission of women to that institution and the abolition of the compulsory study of Greek.

MONEY RECEIVED.

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REPORT OF JUNIOR BRANCH.

The Merrick, Long Island, junior branch has sent a large box of flowers by express to the Walden branch on Leonard-st. for the Italian children. Other good cheer work done by these juniors reflects much credit on their activity and kind heartedness.

GUIDE BOARD FOR THE BLIND.

A Florida branch president would like the address where the guide board for the blind can be bought. A friend who recently had an operation for cataract asks herself totally blind, and this board would be a greater comfort at this time than anything else. She is abundantly able to pay for this cheer, so only the address of the seller is required.

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NEW GALLAUDE HOME TO ASK AID FROM JEROME.

Opening of the Church Mission Building for the Deaf Mutes.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 1 (Special).—On Wednesday, June 2, which is the birthday of the Rev. Dr. Thomas Gallaudet, the new building of the Church Mission to the Deaf Mutes, which was formally opened with appropriate exercises, in charge of the Rev. Mr. Ashton, archdeacon of Dutchess, and the Rev. Dr. Chamberlain, of New-York, who succeeds Dr. Gallaudet as superintendent of the Church Mission to the Deaf Mutes.

The Church Mission to Deaf Mutes, an ecclesiastical organization, was founded by the late Rev. Bishop Potter in 1815. It was founded by the late Rev. Bishop Potter in 1815. It was founded by the late Rev. Bishop Potter in 1815.

The building is of the latest fireproof construction throughout, the floors being of concrete on iron beams, and the partitions of hollow brick blocks. No wood was used except for the floor covering, which is finished with a fine oil and wax.

MR. THOMPSON TO GET SALARY.

Controller, Not Civil Service Commission, Proper Official to Test His Eligibility.

The Civil Service Commission yesterday was advised by Corporation Counsel Rivers that it could not issue a question the legality of President Cantor's appointment of Henry S. Thompson as Superintendent of Buildings. The Corporation Counsel said that Mr. Thompson's name and that of his secretary must be restored to the May payroll, and holds that the Controller, and not the commission, is the proper officer to test Mr. Thompson's eligibility.

JEWISH CELEBRATION OF PENTECOST.

The observance of the Jewish holiday of Pentecost began yesterday, and today the flower decorated temples, which will figure prominently in the confirmation peculiar to the festival, of sons and daughters who have reached the age of thirteen, include Temple Emanuel, Temple Beth-El and the East High-Sixth-st. and Madison-ave. temples.

LOST JEWELRY FROM HER STOCKING.

Wife of Cigar Company's President Recovers It Five Weeks Later.

Mrs. Max Rosenblom, of No. 3 Rutherford Place, the wife of the president of the Independent Cigar Company, appeared in Yorkville Court yesterday and claimed as hers a bag of jewelry found at Second-ave. and Fifteenth-st. by Antonio Loretto, an Italian, of No. 37 East Eleventh-st., some time ago.

GAELIC SOCIETY INCORPORATED.

The certificate of incorporation of the Gaelic Society was filed in the office of the County Clerk yesterday by Francis W. Pollock, the attorney of the organization. The objects of the society are to promote and foster the study and propagation of the Gaelic language, literature, music and art of Ireland; to extend an acquaintance with the history of the Gaelic people of the Irish race, and particularly with the history of the Irish in America and the development of the American Republic.

CONFERENCE ABOUT CITY LIGHTING.

Mayor Low, Controller Groat, Commissioner Monroe of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity and President Harrison E. Gawtry of the Consolidated Gas Company were in conference yesterday at the Mayor's office concerning the step taken by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to obtain lower rates for municipal lighting. Commissioner Monroe, at a recent meeting of the board, was authorized to reject the bids of the lighting trust, pending further action by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

NEW GUIDE TO ADIRONDACK RESORTS.

A guide to the Adirondack summer resorts has appeared recently, under the title of "A Summer Paradise." The book is of a convenient pocket size, and in value and variety of information far exceeds any other book of the kind. It contains a list of hotels, boarding houses, and the way to get there. The rates of the various houses and the railroad fares are also given.

CHANGES DAY OF SAILING.

The Southern Pacific Company announces that, beginning with to-morrow, the date of sailing of its New-Orleans passenger steamers will be changed from Saturday to Wednesday, at 5 p. m. The first boat will sail under the new schedule on June 3, and every week thereafter. The names of the steamers will be published later.

MADISON SAFE DEPOSIT CO.

has provided FIRE and BURGLAR PROOF ALLY'S in which boxes for safe-keeping of valuable papers, jewels, etc., can be had for as low as \$5 per year. 208 Fifth Avenue. 1128 Broadway (Madison Square).

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GOOD CHEER. Have you had a kindness about? Pass it on. 'Tis not given for you alone—'Tis for the world to share.

Let it travel down the years. Let it wipe another's tears. Till in heaven's dear presence—Pass it on.

THE BLUEBIRD. Some time in heaven scoured this bird, And there the chant of the seraph heard. One note of the theme it repeats still—'Cherish, cherish, oh! cherish'—and thrills with the song swept blue above.

Therefore the bloom to the apple bough, The flower to the wood knoll springing now. And leaf mist gathers in copious rain. Let the cherub, oh! cherish, again. The flute voice calls for the blue above. How shall I do that? 'Tis not for me. How shall I do that? 'Tis not for me.

Not now can the seed be pent underground, The bud in its winter sheath be bound. Nor the spirit in its cloud can be dark. To the seraph, oh! cherish, again. But if the song be not for me, Who shall it be that will reach thee? 'Cherish Love.' —Edith M. Thomas.

The Sunshine young folk will please remember the birthday of Bessie Foynter, Monday, June 1, on June 6, and send her a few sunny rays.

A pleasant call was received at the office on Friday from Miss Edith Duncombe, of the Nassau (Bahamas) branch. She brought a collection of letters a letter from the president and a box of pretty cards and mats made from silk. Miss Duncombe will remain in the States about six weeks.

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Truth is stranger than fiction, as a Chicago woman who recently visited New-Orleans found to her pleasure. Like most pilgrims and strangers from distant parts, she first wanted to see French Market, and then she began a tour of the curio and second-hand and pawn shops for souvenirs.

Upon which my father took snuff with a whimsical air. "What shall we do, prithzee," says he, "to warn old-widde woosers? Dress her in lineas de Princesa Pocahontas? Would a bone ring in thy nose be of any profit, to keep a gold one from thy wedding finger?"

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