

MRS. BELMONT OPENS NEW TEA HOUSE SOON

Pavilion at Newport Represents Long Study of Chinese Lore.

SUGGESTS MING DYNASTY

Building Is Unique in Showing First Use of Lacquer in America.

Overlooking the Atlantic from the cliffs of Newport on the grounds of Marble House, the summer home of Mrs. Oliver H. Belmont, is a Chinese tea house designed by Richard Howland Hunt of Hunt & Hunt, New York architects, after months of study of Chinese lore. It suggests the Ming dynasty.

The tea house will be formally opened early in July with the Duchess of Marlborough present. Several women suffrage meetings will be held there during the summer and a number of notable entertainments are planned for July and August.

The mural paintings embellishing the tea house are the work of William Andrew Mackay, who executed the series of decorations depicting the "Legend of the Sargasso Sea" for Howard Gould's castle, built on Long Island. They show the first successful application in America of lacquer, following the formulas of the Ming dynasty.

Mr. Mackay was assisted by Langdon Loring, an expert chemist, who has been conducting experiments in colors for years. Lacquer is color applied in varnish and is built up by a process of placing layer upon layer until the desired tone is obtained. There is no priming of lead and the many coats being built upon the first coat of lacquer, each coat being polished to perfect the surface for the following layer. The colors used must not only stand the test of inclement weather but must resist the bleaching effects of the sun.

There are twelve panels of oblong shape on which are Chinese hieroglyphics. The decorations are copies of Chinese pictures and are followed after artists famous in the Ming dynasty and schools of the world. Some of the pictures are of world-wide fame. They include such scenes, Bodhisas, hermits and other figures, with landscapes. They are painted in thin glazes on white pine, tinctured to a cool Chinese cinnamon.

Mr. Mackay made his first color notes from examples of Chinese art shown to him by the curators of the Metropolitan Museum of Art. In writing the Chinese atmosphere. The color scheme of the interior is of Chinese yellow, relieved by deep violet and blue. The principal color of the exterior is vermilion, relieved by secondary notes of green, blue and black.

Only Nine Colors Used.

From a field of 1,000 colors tested in preliminary work nine only were chosen for much experimenting. Of all the various shades obtainable only nine were selected: blue, green, yellow, red, white, black, brown, purple and pink. The Chinese gate at the north entrance to the tea house is of red wood lacquer, with copper discs in panels. The ornamental brackets are formed by carved dragons lacquered to represent wood, while the stone sea wall has been toned to present the effect of age. It is built over the cliff walk, Chinese banners in keeping with the decorative tea house will be unfurled. On the banners will appear inscriptions in Chinese.

DINERS DANCE AT ARDSLEY.

Guests in Several Parties Unite in Ball at Clubhouse.

ARDSLEY-ON-HUDSON, June 28.—There were several large dinner parties at the Ardsley Club last evening. A big dance followed.

Among those who entertained were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Spraker Fuller, who had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Anson E. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. W. Fuller. Others in dinner parties were Col. and Mrs. F. Q. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Watson H. Brown, Miss Eva Ingersoll Brown, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Dula, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Leon, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Jaffray, Mrs. Hendrick Hudson, Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Lambert, Miss Anna Deane Paulding, J. Terry West, J. E. Mabon, C. C. Chalmers, C. D. Dwyer, R. D. Westcott, P. O. Coffin, W. F. Haskin, C. W. Lyman, R. W. B. Brown, C. D. Fraser, E. K. Baird and S. R. Kenny.

TOURISTS BY AUTOMOBILE.

GREENWICH, Conn., June 28.—Those who arrived at Edgewood Inn by automobile from New York include the following: Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Conroy, Mrs. Joseph M. and Mrs. Elbridge Gerry Snow, in a Packard; A. F. Spaulding and E. G. Arthur, in a Chalmers; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Underhill, in a Peerless; Mr. and Mrs. A. Small, in a Stevens-Duryea; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wall, in a Pierce-Arrow; Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Seymour, in a Fiat; Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Pierce, in a Packard; Mrs. R. J. Walsh, in a Buick; Mr. and Mrs. H. Horton, in a Simplex; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barker, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Peters, in an Oldsmobile; Mr. and Mrs. John Shearson, in a Packard; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Spotsford, in a Peerless; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Denton, in a Chalmers; Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Dennis, in a Packard.

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National Arts Club, exhibition of painting, 119 East Nineteenth street.

SUFFRAGE CAMPAIGN DAY SET.

Aid for Fund for States Out of Field to Be Asked August 15.

WASHINGTON, June 28.—The executive board of the National American Woman Suffrage Association has set August 15 as a special campaign day, when every State organization and suffragist will be asked to do something for the fund for the campaign States. The date chosen is the Saturday of the week of August 15, a day celebrated by suffragists as the birthday anniversary of Lucy Stone, founder of the American Woman Suffrage Association.

The campaign is part of far-reaching plans for helping the fall campaign in North and South Dakota, Nevada, Montana, Missouri, Nebraska and Ohio. The national board has appointed a special campaign committee with Mrs. Medill McCormick as chairman and with headquarters in Chicago. Mrs. Stanley McCormick as chairman will collect the funds for this phase of the national work.

The committee will send out the best speakers the national association can produce, including Miss Jane Addams and Mrs. Desha Breckinridge.

SANDWICHES TO WIN VOTES.

Suffragists Will Open Lunch Stand to Tempt Mere Men.

The men who did not succumb and trade their votes for suffrage flowers last week are to be tempted in a different and more subtle way to-morrow. Promptly at noon a sandwich market will be opened at Broad and Park places. There will be not only the familiar ham and beef varieties, but others unknown to the lunch counter.

Some of these will be made of cottage cheese, chicken, bar-le-due, tomatoes, cream cheese, lettuce, olives, eggs, nuts, bananas, oranges, all spread with special kinds of salad dressing, will be offered for the delectation of the hungry financial district. Most of the sandwiches come from Long Island, and of course they will all be built upon a foundation of the sort of bread that mother used to make.

PEACE UNION TURNS TO PRIESTS.

Will Send Out 25,000 Copies of Pope's Allocution.

The Church Peace Union, founded in February by Andrew Carnegie with an endowment of \$2,000,000, it was announced yesterday, will begin its educational activities in behalf of disarmament and arbitration among the clergy of the Roman Catholic Church. The union will send to each of the 22,000 priests in the United States and Canada a copy of the allocution of Pope Pius, delivered in May, when thirteen new Cardinals were created, in which he referred to "men of distinction and force planning schemes for preventing the calamities of war and for insuring the blessings of peace."

The plan to distribute the allocution to priests was worked out by Dr. Frederick Lynch, secretary of the Carnegie union, and Dr. James J. Walsh, pastor of the Roman Catholic Church of the Immaculate Conception of the thirteenth century, Pope Innocent III, Honorius III, and Alexander III, had developed the idea of international arbitration in their day in a way that was worth while studying.

TO HEAD PRINCETON SEMINARY.

Dr. J. Ross Stevenson Accepts Presidency of Theological School.

BALTIMORE, June 28.—The Rev. Dr. J. Ross Stevenson of Brown Memorial Presbyterian Church here announced to his congregation this morning that he had accepted of the presidency of the Princeton Theological Seminary.

Dr. Stevenson is one of the leading ministers of the Presbyterian denomination in this country. He was pastor of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church from 1902 to 1909, when he resigned to assume the pastorate of the Brown Memorial Church in Baltimore.

He was formerly professor of ecclesiastical history at the McCormick Theological Seminary and received his higher education at Washington and Jefferson College and the University of Berlin. He is 48 years old.

Dr. Francis Landey Patton, formerly president of Princeton University, was recently elected to the theological seminary. Upon his resignation, Dr. B. B. Warfield then became acting president. The seminary is the leading institution of the kind in the country, and the president of the denomination of the Presbyterian Church. It is heavily endowed.

TANGO DINNER AT BRIARCLIFF.

Henry H. Law Entertains a Party at the Lodge.

BRIARCLIFF MANOR, June 28.—Mrs. Pierre W. Wiley of New York is at the Briarcliff manor for the summer stay. Other arrivals for the season include Mrs. and Mrs. J. W. Benning and J. W. Benning, Jr., Mrs. John J. Burchell and Miss Burchell of New York, Mr. and Mrs. David B. Van Emburgh and F. C. McQuade.

One hundred and fifty representatives of the Yale & Towne Manufacturing company made the Lodge headquarters for the convention yesterday. The programme included field sports, golf and tennis contests, with a banquet in the evening.

ZIONISTS OPEN CONVENTION.

Delegates From All Parts of Country Meet in Rochester.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 28.—With hundreds of prominent Jews from all over the United States in attendance, the convention of the American Federation of Zionists, whose object is to foster the "back to Palestine" movement, opened today in Rochester.

A mass meeting was held this evening, when addresses were made to 4,500 people. Nathan Straus and Louis D. Brandeis, who were announced to speak, were unable to be present. A movement was started to raise \$60,000 to equip a daily and weekly Yiddish and English newspaper.

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EIGHT NEWPORT WOMEN WILL GIVE LAWN DANCE

Costume Affair on Gillespie Grounds Will Be for Historical Society.

NEWPORT, June 28.—Eight young women prominent in the summer colony here, but whose names have not been announced, will give a costume dance on the lawn of Mrs. Lawrence L. Gillespie's home on Bellevue avenue as a special feature of the lawn fete on July 18 to be given for the Newport Historical Society. A professional dancer also will give an exhibition.

Registered at the Newport Golf Club to-day were Mrs. Thomas Snowden, Mr. and Mrs. F. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. A. Devereux, H. Henry, A. Gray, Robert K. Cassatt and Marshall Kernochan. Mrs. Bradford Norman was a luncheon entertainer at Brook Farm to-day. Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Cassatt of Philadelphia have arrived for the summer at the Lanier cottage. Miss Maria de Barril will arrive here on July 2.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson Spencer are expected here from Paris next month. Mr. and Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish did not reach Newport to-day, but they are expected on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips A. Clark will sail for Europe in August.

Mrs. Henry Winthrop Gray of Washington will reach Newport to-morrow. She will stay at the La Forge cottage until she takes the Needham cottage on Parker avenue.

Miss Mildred Rives and Mrs. Lawrence L. Gillespie, Mrs. Stuart Duncan and Mrs. Lorillard Spencer, Jr., Miss Mimi Scott and Miss Margaret H. Dusk, Miss Edna Barger and Mrs. Howard G. Gushing, Miss Anita Grosvener and Miss Frederika Paine, Mrs. John Borland and Miss Eleanor T. Darlington are the pairs entered in the subscription women's hand-picked singles tournament to start at the Newport Casino to-morrow.

Mrs. William F. Amsden, in honor of her sister, Miss Dunham of Philadelphia, will give a dance at her home on Gibbs street to-morrow afternoon. Mrs. John P. Dalton has announced a dance for the evening of July 9. Mrs. J. R. Morrison was a luncheon entertainer to-day.

Those who registered at the Casino to-day included Stephen O. Metcalf of Providence, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Kelley and Miss Dorothy Dempster of Providence, Miss Eunice Brower of Lexington, Ky.; Ruthford O. Ainslie of Oak Park, Ill.; and Wallace Goodrich of Boston.

Pembroke Jones spent to-day here on the steam yacht Nevada, on board of which he gave a luncheon this afternoon. His guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harriman, Miss Miriam Harriman, Miss Maud Croft, Miss Mary Alexander, Miss Augusta Bishop, Pembroke Jones, Jr., Alan Harriman, Rex Auchincloss, Don Kelley and Barclay Park. Mr. Jones started for New York after lunch and with Mrs. Jones is expected later in the week.

BISHOP BURKE OPENS JUBILEE.

Forty Thousand Catholics Parade the Streets of Albany.

ALBANY, June 28.—More than 40,000 Catholics came to Albany to-day to take part in the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the ordination as a priest of the Right Rev. Thomas M. Burke, bishop of Albany. Nearly 40,000 men paraded the streets during the afternoon. Rev. Glynn stood beside the Bishop in the reviewing stand.

Benediction of the blessed sacrament attended by the thousands who came from all the parishes in the diocese was held in front of the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception. Bishop Burke, assisted by the clergy in the diocese, officiated. Many State officials and those of the cities and towns in the diocese attended the celebration, which is the commencement of jubilee week.

MR. AND MRS. MORRIS GIVE DINNER AT LENOX

The Bonsals and the Clarkes Also Entertain—Haying Will Begin To-day.

LENOX, June 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Newbold Morris gave a dinner party this evening in honor of their guests, Henry Coleman Drayton and Miss Meta Mackay. Mr. and Mrs. W. Roscoe Bonsal had a dinner party at Deerpensie this afternoon. Miss Emily Tuckerman gave a luncheon in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman, Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Tuckerman and Alfred Tuckerman, who are her guests.

Beginning to-morrow the Lenox owners of large estates will begin their haying. Mr. and Mrs. George E. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Newbold Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Pease, Miss Lucie Shoter, Mr. and Mrs. William D. Sloane will have house parties for the Fourth of July.

Among those who arrived to-day at the Hotel Aspinwall were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stetson, Misses Jean and Dorothy Stetson, Oak Lane, Pa.; Mrs. Daniel T. Moore, Washington; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Perrier, touring with Mrs. E. W. Pinchon, and Miss Evelyn Pinchon of Denton, England; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Eager, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lynch, Mrs. W. H. Sturgen, Boston; Mrs. James A. McKenna is entertaining E. H. Holmes, Jr., and H. S. Durand of New York at the Hotel Aspinwall, Pa.

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ANTIS OPEN DOORS OF SAPHIRA CLUB

Notice of Formation of Rival to Ananias Society Sent to Wilson.

WASHINGTON, June 28.—President Wilson has become the storm center of the suffragist fight in the General Federation of Women's Clubs. The board of directors of the National Association Opposed to Women's Suffrage, acting through the organization's president, Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge of New York, to-day forwarded to the President the copy of a statement indorsed by the directors denying that the 1,000,000 women of the federation are in favor of woman suffrage and rebuking in sweeping terms the General Federation for the tactics it employed in its biennial convention in Chicago recently in carrying a vote for woman suffrage. Incidentally she opens the doors of the Sapphira Club, a complementary organization to the Ananias Club.

This communication was sent to Mr. Wilson in anticipation of the announced visit to him Tuesday of a delegation of suffragists from the General Federation. The declaration of the "antis" reads in part:

"If the patriots and politicians who have been indifferent to the demands of the 1,000,000 women of the federation are to be brought up in Chicago, and many have the action of suffragists at the biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs at Chicago they will read the handwriting on the wall and be a source of their lethargy to a realization of some of the dangers the future holds for them politically, for the action indorsing woman suffrage was a clear case of gag rule in a packed convention, worthy of the much despised political machines."

"The most conservative suffragists in the different State federations of clubs have opposed the indorsement of suffrage by the State or General Federation of Clubs, not only because they are alarmed at the disruption of the harmony that has always existed in club work but because that work in general has been humanitarian and never the dissemination of a propaganda."

"If the State federations seventeen have indorsed suffrage and several had voted not to indorse it, while by far the greater number have refused to allow the subject to be discussed at their conventions. In many of the State federations the suffragists have been maneuvering for years to secure suffrage delegates to the biennial convention of the General Federation. Many suffragists hoped until the last moment that the question would be brought up in Chicago, and many have since said openly that they regretted that the resolution was brought before the convention."

"The suffragists are already quoting widely that only those who are actively indorsing woman suffrage, who are throughout the country that refuse to indorse it, and there are hundreds and thousands of women belonging to clubs that have indorsed it who are actively opposed to woman suffrage. A very large majority of the clubwomen of the South are opposed, and there is widespread disapproval of this indorsement being expressed both in public and in private."

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NEW VICTOR HERBERT OPERA.

Composer Accepts Proposal to Write Piece for Arthur Hammerstein.

Victor Herbert accepted yesterday a proposition made to him as he stepped off the Imperator last Thursday to write a new comic opera for Arthur Hammerstein to be produced in 1915 with Miss Edith Thayer as the particular star. Otto Haerbach will take care of the book and lyrics. The new piece will be the only new addition for a year to Mr. Hammerstein's present holdings, as the Victoria Theatre demands all his time.

Miss Edith Thayer, who has been promoted from the No. 2 "Firefly" company of last season, will be starred in the No. 1 "Firefly" the coming season, succeeding Miss Emma Trentini. She has been a star a little more than a year, Mr. Hammerstein having discovered her in a chorus. She is a coloratura soprano and has had four years tutelage under Jean de Reszke.

POTTER SIGNS VOCALISTS.

Mme. Metzger, Mme. Rio and Letterman to Sing Here.

Howard E. Potter announces that he has a contract for the coming season with Mme. Ottilie Metzger, the German soprano; Mme. Anita Rio, the American singer who has just appeared with great success in Italy, and Theodor Letterman, a baritone of reputation in Germany. All of these artists will appear in concert under the management of Mr. Potter.

Mme. Rio, who has been abroad for several seasons, appearing during the time in opera at the Teatro Costanzi, in Rome; at the Rossini, in Venice, and at the Carlo, Felice, will make many appearances at the musical festivals. Mme. Metzger, who has just appeared with great success at Stadt Theatre in Hamburg, where she is regarded as the successor of Mme. Schumann-Heink, will give vocal recitals. Associated with her will be Theodor Letterman, also of the Hamburg opera. He has sung in all the opera houses with success and is well known in Germany as a leader singer.

OPERA AT FAR ROCKAWAY.

Orville Harold Heads Company Which Will Sing Twice.

Two performances of opera will be given this week at Far Rockaway by the Imperial Italian Opera Company under the auspices of the Church of St. Mary Star of the Sea.

Orville Harold heads the company, which will give the Lyceum on Broadway "Rigoletto" on Friday and "The Bohemians" on Saturday. Deborah Byrne will be in charge of the endeavor.

SHOWERS FOR PALACE ACTORS.

Players Will Be Made Comfortable During the Summer.

According to the announcement of Walter Kingsley, official publicity promoter for the Palace Theatre, special measures are to be taken this summer for the comfort of the players, as the hall will be kept open during the entire summer. The Palace's announcement is: "Hot and cold showers, bathing machines installed on every floor of the Palace Theatre dressing rooms and a masseur and masseuse engaged for the summer to look after the vaudeville artists on the principal floor. The Palace management is convinced that physical comfort has a great deal to do with a player's reception by an audience, hence the arrangements for shower baths and rub-downs. Besides this the Palace directors have arranged with the Oxford Club, the athletic instructor, for a special summer rate for artists needing physical training."

It will be seen that no provision is made for the safety and comfort of the spectators who will be compelled to look out for themselves.