

TO CUT LONG OPERAS AT METROPOLITAN

Bodanzky, New Conductor, Will Eliminate Parts to Avoid Late Endings.

WAGNER SPECIAL MARK WILSON WIRES REGRETS

A new regime of conducting at the Metropolitan which will bring back...

Washington, D. C., October 7. I am sorry to say it will not be possible for me to be present at the banquet which the citizens of Indianapolis are planning to give in honor of James Whitcomb Riley on his birthday...

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MISS ANNA BOTTOMLEY BRIDE OF C. F. BURNAP

Ceremony Takes Place in St. Andrew's on the Dunes, Southampton, L. I.

SOUTHAMPTON, N. Y., Oct. 7.—The first of three interesting weddings which were held in Southampton this week took place at 1 o'clock to-day, when Miss Anna T. Bottomley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bottomley of New York, was united in marriage to C. F. Burnap, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Burnap of New York.

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J. P. MORGAN LEADS BISHOP CODMAN OF MURRAY HILL FIGHT

Effort to Prevent Heckscher Putting Up Office Building Meets Check.

NO EARLY TRIAL OF SUIT

Supreme Court Justice Newburger yesterday denied an application for an early trial of a suit by residents of the Murray Hill district for an injunction restraining August Heckscher, mine owner and real estate investor, from erecting a sixteen story steel business building at the southeast corner of the thirty-eighth street and Madison avenue.

Mr. Heckscher bought the property, now the Havemeyer residence, several months ago for \$600,000. At the time he notified that he had "bought a lawsuit" because the members of the Murray Hill Association, of which J. P. Morgan is president, announced that they would sue him if he carried out his intention to put an office building on the premises.

The suit is brought in the name of John Pierpont Morgan, Charles A. Penobly, William Church Osborn, Sylvanus L. Schenck, J. Allen Townsend, Ellis Fuller Guthrie and John J. Riker. The complaint alleges that the erection of the sixteen story building of steel skeleton construction at the southeast corner of the Murray Hill restrictive agreement made in 1847 by members of the Murray family, which excluded from the section bounded by Thirty-fourth and Thirty-eighth streets and Madison and Park avenues, including both sides of the avenues.

In his answer Mr. Heckscher alleges that his property is not affected by the restriction because it was sold by deed to Murray family before the covenant was made. He contends further that the character of the neighborhood has changed so that the value of property is now much greater if not restricted.

Edmund L. Baylies, counsel for the plaintiffs, asked Justice Newburger yesterday to set the suit down for trial on November 15 because great property interests are involved. He also said that a temporary injunction had not been obtained because the land necessary to be filed on an application for such an injunction would be large.

Justice Newburger ruled that the suit should be tried in its usual place on the calendar, which will delay it probably until next year.

It is understood that an allegation of the Heckscher answer, that Mr. Morgan has violated the restriction refers to his supposed ownership of an interest in the Professional Building, at the northeast corner of Madison and Park streets, and Madison avenue, part of which is at the edge of the restricted district. This building stands in the name of George W. Baker, who lives at 256 Madison avenue, and who bought the property from a builder who started an office building.

After unsuccessful efforts by Mr. John Bidler Porter of Washington, who was extended to four stories as an office building for professional men, late J. P. Morgan owned many parcels of property near this building and real estate men have understood that he was interested with Mr. Baker in buying the property.

LAW TO RULE NEWSPAPERS. Dr. Williams Predicts State Examinations for Future Editors.

Dr. Talcott Williams, director of the school of Journalism at Columbia University, is about to come under legislative regulation and that it will not be many years before those aspiring to enter the profession will be required to pass State examinations for admission to the profession, much the same as physicians and dentists are now required to pass examinations before being permitted to practice.

Dr. Williams expressed these views in a talk yesterday to the students of the school. Just how soon the new laws will appear on the statute books Dr. Williams did not think the time far off. He spoke also of the success of the school in placing its graduates in newspaper work and in the editorial offices of students of the school are employed by New York newspapers.

246 IRISH YOUTHS DODGE WAR. Denial That German Agents Paid Their Passage Across Sea.

Several of 246 young Irishmen, mostly in their teens, who arrived yesterday in the steamer of the American liner New York, were reported to have said at quarantine that they had received \$100 each and free passage to this port from Liverpool from agents of the German Government in Ireland, who said German agents wanted to see the enlistment of the Irish for the war. After the New York docked none of the Irish immigrants would admit that the story told by the German Government was true.

The Marquis and Marchioness of Aberdeen, who take much interest in Irish affairs, said yesterday that they held the highest position in the anti-sterge passengers who came over with them had been paid to sail either by agents of the German Government or by relatives in this country who did not want them to go to war.

WILLIAM DEVEREAUX TO WED. Polo Player to Marry Former Wife of Leonard Hammond.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 7.—Announcement was made to-day of the engagement of Mrs. Ruth Merill Hammond, daughter of a prominent financier, and William Devereaux, New York polo player and a member of the Meadow Brook team, who won distinction at the recent exposition tournament. The wedding will take place November 30.

BISHOP CODMAN OF MAINE IS DEAD

Episcopal Prelate, Married in September, Was Taken Ill on Honeymoon.

ROCHESTER, Oct. 7.—Bishop Robert Codman of the Episcopal diocese of Maine died at the Peter Bent Hospital this afternoon.

The following statement was issued tonight on behalf of the Codman family:

"When Bishop Codman died his wife, sister and brothers were present. The cause of death was polycythemia and an aneurysm. The funeral will be at Portland, Me., in St. Luke's Cathedral, on Monday at 12:30 P. M. Burial at Forest Hills, Private."

The Right Rev. Robert Codman, Bishop of Maine, was born in Boston on December 30, 1859, the son of Robert Codman, a noted member of the Massachusetts bar. His family was one of the oldest in the State. The Bishop was elected to follow in the footsteps of his father in the legal profession, but soon turned to the ministry. He was ordained in 1882 and was graduated three years later. In 1886 he was admitted to the Suffolk bar.

For several years Bishop Codman was associated with his father in the practice of law, but after the death of his father he turned to the ministry. He was going to take up the work of a missionary priest in the Episcopal Church. Soon afterward he closed his law practice and became a student of the General Theological Seminary in New York. Following three years of study he was appointed a deacon and ordained a priest in 1891. He was first an assistant in a Philadelphia parish and then came to All Souls Church in Ashmont, Mass., a suburb of Boston, where he remained for two years.

Upon the death of the Right Rev. Henry Adams Neely, Bishop of Maine, he was elected to the office in 1899. Bishop Codman was then but 39 years of age, and it was only after long deliberation that he decided to accept the office. He was ordained Bishop in 1900. While at Bar Harbor during the past summer his engagement to Miss Margaret Bidler Porter, daughter of Mr. John Bidler Porter of Washington, was announced. Miss Porter had for some years been prominent in Bar Harbor and had been a member of the Episcopal Church. Her wedding took place during the middle of September, when they started on their honeymoon aboard the Bishop's yacht, the "St. Lawrence," which was captained by J. P. Morgan. During the trip the illness which caused the Bishop's death came on and he was taken to Boston for treatment. The Bishop was a close friend of the late J. P. Morgan.

WILLS AND APPRAISALS. ANTHONY PRINCE, who died May 11, 1912, left an estate of \$11,000, of which the bulk went to his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Prince, and his daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Prince. The remainder went to his father, son and two daughters.

ANTON JOSEPH QUANTZ, who died April 24, 1912, and was associated with Plattman & Co., left an estate of \$60,000, of which the bulk went to his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Prince, and his daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Prince. The remainder went to his father, son and two daughters.

ALBERT BRICH, who died in Brooklyn, N. Y., on October 2, 1915, left an estate of \$17,175 to his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Prince, and his daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Prince.

MRS. SARAH H. BERT, who died in Brooklyn, N. Y., on October 2, 1915, left an estate of \$14,000, of which the bulk went to her husband, Mr. John H. Bert, and his daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Prince. The remainder went to her father, son and two daughters.

MRS. CHARLOTTE K. CALDWELL, wife of Frank Caldwell, died in Brooklyn, N. Y., on October 2, 1915, and was associated with Plattman & Co. She left an estate of \$10,000, of which the bulk went to her husband, Mr. Frank Caldwell, and his daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Prince. The remainder went to her father, son and two daughters.

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THE GORDIAN KNOT.

Dr. Thomas Francis Harrington of Boston, the ceremony was performed in the chapel of the papal legation by Mr. Bonanno, Apostolic Delegate to the United States.

Miss Celina Calvo, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor; Miss Kathleen Anderson and Miss Clara Jaeger of Montclair, N. J., were the bridesmaids; Miss Josephine Weller acted as flower girl. William Edward Harrington, brother of the bridegroom, was best man; the groomsmen were John A. Langan of Albany and Joseph La Mottelle of Philadelphia.

NATHANIEL HERRESHOFF WEDS. Noted Yacht Builder Marries Professional Nurse.

Bristol, R. I., Oct. 7.—Nathaniel Greene Herreshoff, the noted yacht designer, and Miss Ann Roebuck, a professional nurse of Providence, were married to-day at the chantry of St. Michael's Episcopal Church. The Rev. George Le Lockie, D. D., rector of St. Michael's, performed the ceremony.

Frank Roebuck, a brother of the bride, acted as best man. The bride and groom were accompanied by the bride's father, who was in a motor car. The ceremony was held in the chapel of the papal legation by Mr. Bonanno, Apostolic Delegate to the United States.

ANNOUNCEMENT WAS MADE IN BRISTOL ON September 8 of the engagement of Mr. Herreshoff and Miss Roebuck. Miss Roebuck was born in Canada and moved to Providence when a child. She became a professional nurse and attended Mr. Herreshoff's wife in her last illness. Ten years ago she was married to Mr. Herreshoff, who is a graduate of the Rhode Island hospital at Providence and is more than twenty years younger than Mr. Herreshoff. The wedding was held in the chapel of the papal legation by Mr. Bonanno, Apostolic Delegate to the United States.

ENGAGEMENTS ANNOUNCED. Mr. and Mrs. Guy E. Tripp of 667 Madison avenue have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Tripp, to Clifford Hemphill, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander J. Hemphill of this city. Mr. Hemphill was graduated from Williams College in 1911. The wedding will take place next spring.

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