

DINNER AND DANCE FOR MISS MARKOE TWO DANCES ARE GIVEN FOR CHARITY

Many Other Entertainments Given for Debutantes of Vincent's Hospital Are the Beneficiaries.

TWO THEATRE PARTIES BIG ATTENDANCE AT EACH

Entertainments for debutantes continue to keep many persons occupied, and one of the largest of last evening was the dinner given by Mrs. James W. Markoe at Sherry's for her debutante daughter, Miss Annette Markoe, who was formally introduced at a reception given for her earlier in the season.

The guests at dinner were Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Iselin, Mr. and Mrs. W. Seward Webb, Jr., Mr. Arthur L. Devens, Jr., Mrs. Austin Gray, Mr. and Mrs. W. Redmond Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Sargent, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. William F. Whitehouse, Mr. and Mrs. William Greenough, Mr. and Mrs. A. Perry Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. McKee Miller, the Misses R. C. and M. J. O'Donoghue, Audrey Hoffman, Marion Dinsmore, Edith Farr, Irene Gibson, Marie Johnson, Adrienne Iselin, Frances Clark, Annette Markoe, Mrs. Joseph M. O'Donoghue, Ethel King, Eleanor Cuyler, Frederica Peterson, Rita Norrie, Mary Pyle, Harriet Post, Katherine de Berkley, Frances O'Connell, Margaret La Farge, Katherine Lawrence, Maryanna Lincoln, Jean Morris, Frances Morgan, Elizabeth Junell, Jeannette Olyphant, Gabrielle Warren, Blaine Wood, Louis Wood, Louis Trever, Helen Byrne, Priscilla Bartlett, Mary Crocker Alexander, Leonie Burrill, Pauline Crocker, Mrs. Joseph M. O'Donoghue, Blair, Ethel Potter, Gertrude Soderlin, Julia Zabriskie, Isabelle Taylor and Mary Jay Schiffelin.

Also at the dinner: Anderson Dana, Robert Henderson Robertson, W. Bruce Brown, Shelton Farr, John Jay Ide, W. Montague, George J. De Courcy Paley, Richard Gardner, F. W. Farley, Frederic R. King, Paul Hammond, Oliver Bird, Cleveland E. Dodge, James H. Brown, Henry Anderson, Maudslayi Hamilton, Arthur Armstrong, Charles S. Horn, Jr., Kenneth Budd, Louis Curtis, Harold Herrick, George Norton Miller, Jr., Charles Lanier Wadsworth, Jr., Lewis J. Cooper, Lord, Charles H. Marshall, Stephen C. Markoe, Robert Withrop Khan, H. Carey Morgan, John Monroe, Augustus Neil, Sidney Dillon Higley, Grant and Laura L. Hughes, Pennington Pearson, William H. Osborn, Seymour B. Olney, Schuyler L. Parsons, Jr., George B. Post, Jr., Marshall Russell, Charles Russell, Thomas Wilson, Erskine Wood, Lawrence White, Markoe Robertson, William Hauch, John A. Byrdam, Geoffrey Taylor, William H. Taylor, Gertrude Russell, Richard Whitney, Gray Zabriskie, Frederick H. Woolley, John Wing, Joseph Walker, Myer Wagstaff and E. Coester Wilmerding.

After the dinner there was dancing in the small ballroom, for which more than two hundred other guests came in. The dancing was continued until midnight, when a supper was served.

Dinner for Miss Bristol. Mr. and Mrs. George E. Turnure gave a dinner last night at Sherry's for Miss Grace Bristol, debutante of the winter, after taking their guests to the court theatre to see "Princess Act II."

Among others at the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Astor Bristol, Mr. and Mrs. David T. Dana, Mr. and Mrs. Allen F. Perry, Mrs. William H. Taylor, Mrs. Katherine Dahlgren, Alma de Gersford, Geraldine Adee, Isabel Stettinius, Madeleine Carey, Anita DeLafayette, Helen Vexler, Mrs. George E. Turnure, Jr., Francis Henderson, Richardson W. Stevenson, Jr., Frederick C. MacDonell, Francis M. Simpson, Mrs. George E. Turnure, Jr., Charles D. Shaw, John Hubert Hubbard and Robert F. Emmet.

Miss Alice Johnson gave a luncheon at Sherry's yesterday for Miss Mary Phillips, a debutante, after taking her guests to the Forty-fourth Street Theatre to see "Katinka," among others of the party were Miss Madeline Phillips, Miss Marie Demitt Jordan, Miss Leonie Knoderer, Miss Anna Burghard, Miss Betha Taylor, Mrs. George E. Turnure, and the Misses Regina and Anita Mulgrave.

Mrs. Lancaster Morgan gave a luncheon yesterday at the New Colony Club for her daughter, Miss Anne Marie Cantelano, among the guests were Mrs. Dabot J. Taylor, Jr., Mrs. Oliver Cary, Mrs. William W. Cary, Mrs. C. Ruxton and the Misses Marie and Elizabeth Cary, Mrs. Harry Gilbert, Christina Nichols, Lois Minton, Marion Perry, Katherine Peabody, Marion Hall, Cary Hackett, Estelle Gray, Josephine Seale, Ethel Alker, Louise Butler, Roxana Wentworth Bowen, Marion Danforth, Hope Polgate, Helen C. Kerr, Katherine Montgomery, Josephine Walla, Isabel Stettinius, Margery and Eugene Rand, Mary Singer and Joy Williams.

Notes of the Social World. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton W. Cary left yesterday for Palm Beach.

Mrs. Frank Greenwald gave a luncheon yesterday at the Ritz-Carlton.

Mrs. William T. Carrington will give a reception this afternoon at her home, 340 Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Murray Mitchell have returned from their trip to the Bahamas for a brief visit.

Mrs. Charles Astor Bristol will give a dinner for her debutante daughter, Miss Grace Bristol, at the Colony Club on January 11.

Ernest Falkenstein and her daughter, Miss Marion H. Perry, will be at home on Tuesdays in January at 22 West Forty-fourth street.

The choir of the Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist will give a concert in aid of the Home of the Holy Family on February 2, at the home of Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, 452 Madison avenue.

George Peabody Wetmore will give a dinner at Sherry's this evening for his daughter, Miss Sarah Larkin, in honor of whom her aunt, Mrs. Harold Brown, will give a dance also at Sherry's to-night.

Mrs. Harry Whitney McVicker will give a dinner this evening for Miss Helen Deane and Miss Sarah Larkin, debutantes, taking her guests afterward to Mrs. Harold Brown's dance.

Julius Glanzer, who will marry Miss Edith Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Adams, on February 2, will give his farewell bachelor dinner at the Ritz-Carlton on January 29.

A subscription dance for the benefit of the Boys Club of the Kips Bay Neighborhood Association will be given tonight at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel. The dance will be tableaux vivants posed by Miss Elizabeth Fisher. Among those interested are Mrs. W. Seward Webb, Mrs. Murray Young, Mrs. W. Pierson Hamilton, Mrs. William M. DeWitt, Mrs. Herbert L. Satterlee, Mrs. Hamilton F. Keon and Mrs. Robert G. G. G.



The highwayman.

ACTIVE BIDDING FOR CLARKE COLLECTION

First Day's Sale of Plates and Textiles Brings a Total of \$5,305.

The smaller objects in the Thomas B. Clarke collection of rare plates and textiles were sold yesterday afternoon at the first session of the auction by the American Art Association.

Wallace Irwin, brother of Will Irwin, has been known as a newspaper and magazine contributor and story writer for the last fifteen years.

Miss Wilhelmina Stursberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Albert Stursberg, was married to Eugene Watterman Mason, Jr., of this city yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents.

Reception at Home Follows a Quiet Church Ceremony.

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Miss Ethel P. Tyson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Tyson, of 687 Broadway, Flushing, and William J. Wood of Manhattan, were married yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents.

ENGAGEMENTS ANNOUNCED.

Major and Mrs. William A. Bryant of Hempstead, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Sheila Bryant, to Clarence E. Swenson of Buffalo, N. Y.

Miss Elizabeth Harding to Wed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—W. P. G. Harding of the Federal Reserve Board announced today the engagement of his daughter, Miss Elizabeth Harding, to Franklin H. Ellis, son of Mrs. (Miss Blair) Wood, of this city.

IN NEW YORK TO-DAY.

Chamber of Commerce, meeting, 48 Liberty street.

Meeting of the Club of America, lecture by Nelson P. Lewis, 330 P. M.

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THREAT TO CARRY MAIL DELIVERIES IN CITY

Representative Moon Believes Business Section Is Too Well Favored.

BIG PROTEST IS CERTAIN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—A curtailment of the number of mail deliveries in the business districts of New York city is under consideration, according to a statement made before the House Committee on Post Offices to-day by First Assistant Postmaster-General Roper.

"I think New York, Chicago and other large cities are treated more handsomely in this matter and they have nothing to kick about," said Mr. Moon.

"Yes and New York and Chicago pay the bills for the extra mail delivered to them," said Mr. Moon.

Frank S. Gardner, secretary of the New York City Chamber of Commerce, Transportation, characterized the stand taken by Mr. Roper and Chairman Moon as "preposterous" when told last night of the action in Washington.

"If they try that stunt there'll be the biggest row from New York that Washington ever heard of," said Mr. Gardner.

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The Sales will be conducted by MR. THOMAS E. KIRBY and his assistants, AMERICAN ART ASSOCIATION, Managers MADISON Sq. South, Entrance at East 23d Street, New York.

OBITUARIES.

H. M. Ward. PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 5.—H. M. Ward, a member of the Junior class of the Wharton school of the University of Pennsylvania and a son of George S. Ward of 155 Riverside Drive, New York, president of the Greater New York Federal League Baseball Club and an official of the Ward Bakers, died last afternoon in the Municipal Hospital of scarlet fever.

Charles O. Brinckerhoff. CHARLES O. BRINCKERHOFF, 52 years old, captain of the Second Battalion, Naval Militia, and manager of the Bedford branch of the Brooklyn Trust Company, died yesterday from heart trouble at the Brooklyn Hospital. He had been at 159 W. 110th street, New York, since he came to this city in 1903. He joined the Second Naval Battalion during the Spanish-American war as an ordinary seaman and served on the USS "Albatross," and was promoted to lieutenant in 1904. He was a member of the Brooklyn Athletic Club and the Motor Club of Brooklyn, the Lincoln Club and the Inevitable Club.

Samuel I. Rothapel Takes Over Management of Theatre. Samuel I. Rothapel, formerly managing director of the Strand, has taken over the management of the Knickerbocker Theatre, and pending the installation of several novel effects in the presentation thereof, will continue to manage the theatre until January 15.

William H. Bowker. BOSTON, Jan. 5.—William Henry Bowker, 62 years old, president of the Bowker Printing Company, died at his residence yesterday. He was a member of the first class to graduate from the Massachusetts Agricultural College and was engaged in the sale of agricultural machinery in the United States and Canada. He was also a director of the American Agricultural Chemical Company and other trusts. He was married to Mrs. Mary Bowker, nee of his alma mater.

Hans Schumann-Heink. SAN DIEGO, Cal., Jan. 5.—Hans Schumann-Heink, son of Mrs. Schumann-Heink, died at his residence in San Diego yesterday. He was a member of the first class to graduate from the Massachusetts Agricultural College and was engaged in the sale of agricultural machinery in the United States and Canada. He was also a director of the American Agricultural Chemical Company and other trusts. He was married to Mrs. Mary Schumann-Heink, nee of his alma mater.

Mark M. Salomon. MARK M. SALOMON, president of the United Jewish Anti-Slavery Society, died yesterday at Kingston, N. Y., where he was on business, after a short illness with pneumonia. Mr. Salomon was formerly a member of the Brooklyn Hebrew Association and the New York County Law Association, the Unity Club, the Brooklyn Hebrew Club and the Congregation Beth Shalom. The funeral service will be conducted by Fortitude Lodge No. 10, at his residence, 852 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn. He is survived by his widow, who was Jennette Loterman.

Hugh V. Monahan. HUGH V. MONAHAN, 74 years old, a respected furniture merchant, died at a hospital yesterday at his home, 108 Montague street, Brooklyn. He came from Ireland when young and had a long career in the furniture business. He was married to Mrs. Mary Monahan, nee of his alma mater. He is survived by two sons, who are engaged in the wholesale furniture business.

Charles Reynolds. CHARLES REYNOLDS, 55 years old, of 99 Douglas street, Brooklyn, assistant superintendent in the building department of Abraham S. Straus, died on Tuesday from injuries sustained by being struck by a trolley car on New York's night.

Arrivals at the Hotels. Albert J. Jacobson, Birmingham, Ala., W. P. Sharp, Albany.

Brasileiro, Walter S. Young, Los Angeles, W. H. Brown, New York.

Vanderbilt, M. S. Waldman, Albany, N. Y., George M. Dickson, Indianapolis.

Prince George, S. H. Peller, Pittsburgh, Pa., Mrs. A. G. G. G.

Blum, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. DeLage, Waterville, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reynolds, Detroit, Mich.

Knickerbocker—Miss A. Storer, J. B. Storer and H. A. Frank, Cleveland; Harry Miller, Detroit; Mrs. J. H. McCall, Cambridge; Miss A. Santandrea, Seattle, Wash.; Mr. and Mrs. G. Lombard, Berkeley; Miss A. G. G.

Bellevue—Mrs. E. Gray, London; Mr. and Mrs. George Washington, Long, Erie, Pa.; Mrs. William H. McCallister, Washington.

Waldorf-Astoria—Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Cox, Cincinnati; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hoff, New York; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hoff, New York; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hoff, New York.

Algonquin—Mr. and Mrs. P. R. B. Hoff, New York; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hoff, New York; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hoff, New York.

Manhattan—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. L. Hoff, New York; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hoff, New York; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hoff, New York.

Belmont—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. L. Hoff, New York; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hoff, New York; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hoff, New York.

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DESTINN AS TOSCA REPEATS SUCCESS

De Luca Applauded in Creditable First Appearance as Scarpia.

Puccini's "Tosca" was sung at the Metropolitan Opera House last evening and there was an audience of large size.

The opera, which is one of the favorites of the public, had been heard but once before the course of the season. This was because of the absence of Miss Farrar, who has in recent years taken almost exclusive possession of the title role and because the company contained no other established representative of the Roman singer.

A matinee performance was given at the Metropolitan Opera House last afternoon at the request of Miss Destinn, who is a member of the Boston company. She was heard with pleasure, though she left behind her no lasting impression. However, with the return of Miss Destinn to the company it was assured that "Tosca" would resume its familiar place in the repertory.

The performance of last evening had some further interest by reason of Mr. De Luca's first appearance here as Scarpia. The role has so long been associated with the name and the fame of Mr. Scott that it is almost a thankless task for any one else to undertake an impersonation of the minister of police. Mr. De Luca has proved to be a suitable substitute for the company and it was to be expected that he would give at least a commendable representation of Scarpia.

He acted the part with much dignity and with an assumption of nervous force, if not of profound power. Intelligence and a knowledge of stage business were conspicuous factors in his impersonation. He sang the music very well indeed, with good tone, correctness of style and excellence of diction. What more can be said of a substitute for the original?

Scott, and can be heard in the role again with pleasure.

Mr. Destinn's Tosca, though not presented in the best way known to habitual opera-goers, whose admiration it won long ago and easily retains. Her distinguished soprano was an excellent substitute for the original. Her other Tosca since Miss Terina has sung the popular "Vissi d'arte" as well as she. Mr. Martiniello is a fine, upstanding young tenor, who is not only a good singer, but is romantically, and defies Scarpia in the act.

Mr. Maletta was the Scarpia of last evening. Mr. Leonard had the part at the first performance. Mr. DeLuca conducted with much skill and an orchestra played with excellent tone and elasticity.

EVERETT WARNER won the \$100 first prize in the competition for the best piano solo in the world, which was organized by the Association of Women Painters and Sculptors. The second prize, \$50, offered by Charles Ingham, was won by Roland Knoderer, and the third prize, \$20, offered by Roland Knoderer, to Helen E. Luquand, and a fourth prize, \$25, to Tony Nell. Designs by Herbert Martini and Ernest W. Watson received honorable mention.

The exhibition of 300 designs is now on public view in the Municipal Art Gallery, in Irving place.

RARE BOOKS SOLD.

Volume of Kate Greenaway's Works Brings \$100.

At the afternoon session of the sale of rare books and bindings at Anderson's Galleries the Spielmann and Layard volumes of Kate Greenaway's works brought the highest price, \$100, which was given by W. M. Hill.

The other purchases were No. 347, "Margaret, Queen of Navarre," in three volumes, by D. J. Marston, for \$20; No. 348, four volumes of the works of Michael de Montaigne, by George D. Smith, for \$15; No. 372, William Morris's poem "The Earthly Paradise," and No. 373, "The Story of the Glittering Plain," by William Morris, both for \$19; by J. P. Drake.

Miss Parlow's Recital. Kathleen Parlow, violinist, was heard for the first time here this season in a recital at Aeolian Hall yesterday afternoon. Her programme comprised Glazounoff's concerto in A minor, the Vitale chaconne, a Brahms Hungarian dance transcribed by Joachim and other numbers by Suk, Tur-Aulin and Sarasate.

The Russian composer's concerto is not frequently heard and indeed it does not court the attention of violinists. It has been industriously played, but towards its advocates scantily. It has some thematic matter of great beauty, but the composition is not effectively developed and its last movement is neither original nor interesting. Furthermore, no small part of the work seems to lack true violin character, and it is in this that the player loses with little result. Miss Parlow played the concerto well; albeit there were moments of uncertainty in intonation.

Her solo was better displayed in the Vitale chaconne, in spite of the fact that some modern touches in the version developed with her, but she played it with style and depth of tone were both in evidence in the violinist's performance.

Miss Parlow seems to have gained in temperamental quality since she made her debut here. At times yesterday her tone was uncommonly warm and her shading alive with an elasticity and a her earlier performance. Her playing was not only of a high standard, but her musical personality is interesting.

George Falkenstein was her accompanist.

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