

GERALDINE FARRAR YALE ALUMNI FLOCK SINGS 'BUTTERFLY' BACK TO NEW HAVEN

Puccini's Japanese Opera Is Well Performed at the Metropolitan. President Hadley Explains Sins of Many American Graduate Schools.

A CAST OF EXCELLENCE PLANS FOR ANNIVERSARY

'Madama Butterfly' was given at the Metropolitan Opera House last evening. The occasion was made especially interesting to the operating public by the re-entrance of Mme. Geraldine Farrar as Cio-Cio-San.

SYBIL VANE'S DEBUT

Welsh soprano proves to be interesting artist. Sybil Vane, a Welsh soprano, made her American debut in a recital at the Metropolitan Opera House yesterday afternoon.

YALE MUSIC FOR N. Y.

Clubs Promise Treat to-morrow in Fifth Anniversary Concert. New Haven, Feb. 23.—To celebrate the fifth anniversary of the founding of the Glee Club, the musical club of Yale University, the members of the club will give a concert in New York City on Friday evening.

CARUSO MAY SING IN HAVANA

Mme. Alda Also May Go for Six Weeks Season. Enrico Caruso, at the close of the present season at the Metropolitan Opera House, five weeks hence, may be engaged to sing with the Havana grand opera company for a limited season.

MISS CHRISTIE'S PLAYING

Pianist Again Wins Approval in Second Recital. Winifred Christie, a Scotch pianist who was heard here earlier in the season, gave her second recital yesterday afternoon in the PUNCH and JUDY Theatre.

NOTES OF THE SOCIAL WORLD

Mrs. George W. Schurman will give a luncheon at her home to-day for Miss Mary W. Munro, a debutante of the season. Miss Sibyl Eden will give a talk on Serbia to-morrow afternoon at the studio of Mrs. William P. Hamilton.

NEW FASHION SHOW OPENS

Pretty Girl Models Seen at Castles in the Air. A fashion show in connection with the new season at the Air stop at the Fifth Avenue Theatre, 660 Fifth Avenue, opened last evening for general excellence and brilliance.



The golden trough

HAROLD HARTSHORNE WEDS MISS CHAPIN

Large Company Attends Ceremony in Collegiate Church of St. Nicholas. Miss Marietta L. Chapin, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simon B. Chapin, was married yesterday afternoon to Harold Hartshorne, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hartshorne.

MRS. RHINELANDER'S ESTATE IS \$939,539

Divided Bulk Between Two Sons, Leaving \$1,000 to W. C. Rhinelander. The board of directors of the Metropolitan Opera Company have extended their contract with Giulio Gatti-Casazza as general manager until the end of May, 1916.

WILLS AND APPRAISALS

MISS ELIZABETH S. GOULD who died at her home, 123 Remsen street, Brooklyn, on March 1, 1915, left a gross estate of \$467,511, which is valued at \$425,121, net.

CAMPBELL-POWELL

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Powell Weds British Volunteer. TARRYTOWN, N. Y., Feb. 23.—Miss Elizabeth Hare Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Hare Powell, was married yesterday afternoon to William Hallie Campbell, son of the late Evan Fraser Campbell of Dunmore, Scotland.

FORDHAM FROM NEXT WEEK

One Thousand Copies Expected at Affair in Biltmore. Exercises marking the seventy-fifth anniversary of the founding of Fordham University will begin with the annual Biltmore Dinner of this city. Miss Helen Biltmore is the editor of the woman's page of THE EVENING SUN.

LAMBERT ART SHOW

TOTALS \$396,210 First Evening of Old Masters Nets \$90,715, and the Sculptures, \$3,950.

TWO GEMS AT \$8,100 EACH

The third session of the sale of the Lambert Collection in the Hotel Plaza ballroom by the American Art Association was a comparatively quiet one. A beginning was made in the dispersal of the 'old masters' but as the important paintings in this class had been held for to-night's session no great competitions occurred.

OLD WAR LETTERS SOLD

Revolutionary Preparedness Order in Joline Set Brings \$285. Naval preparedness in 1775 is detailed in an autograph letter from the Adrian H. Joline collection of signers of the Declaration of Independence.

French Minister to Peru Sells Collection to-morrow

The collection of Henri Desportes de la Posse, French Minister to Peru, is on view this week in the gallery of the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

JUDGE JERRE T. DURHAM

New York Mason and Business Man Dies in Palm Beach. Judge Jerre T. Durham, 62 West End avenue, New York, died suddenly of apoplexy in his apartment at the Breakers here to-day.

ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS

Albert—Arthur Bates, Rochester, N. Y.; Prince George—W. J. Porter, Pittsburgh; John C. Moore, New York University.

TO-NIGHT, PROMPTLY AT 8

In the Grand Ball Room of the Plaza Fifth Avenue, 58th to 59th Street (ADMISSION BY CARD, LIMITED TO THE CAPACITY OF THE ROOM) The Great Old Masters of the Famous Catholina Lambert Collection

- St. Catherine, M. Meinhard, 4,000; Antonio Pereda, The Breakers, 6,000; School of St. Anton Van Dyck, 600; Titian, The Deal Christ, 1,100; Allan Ramsay, 'George the Third', 525; Allan Ramsay, 'Queen Charlotte', 525; Dauler, Mrs. Marquis de Huxley, 850; Marchioness of Rockingham, 1,100; Two pictures headed the sale last night, selling for \$8,100 each.

MRS. PAULINE ELSNER

Widow of Physician Dies Week After Husband's Death. SYRACUSE, N. Y., Feb. 23.—Mrs. Pauline Elsner, widow of Dr. H. L. Elsner, a well known physician who died in Washington, Thursday, died here to-day.

James Conway

James Conway, who for years was the shepherd in Central Park, died at his home, 157 West Sixty-eighth street, of heart disease. He was 86 years old and a native of Ireland.

Mrs. H. E. Sheldon

LAKWOOD, N. J., Feb. 23.—Mrs. Harriette Emma Sheldon, 77 years old, widow of William H. Sheldon, died at her home in Lakewood to-day. She was the widow of John H. Lawrence Sheldon, U. S. Army, who saw the battle between the Monitor and Merrimack.

Albert C. Courter

NEWARK, Feb. 23.—Albert C. Courter, ex-School Commissioner and head of A. C. Courter, Inc., paint and chemical dealer, died yesterday in his home, 167 Lincoln avenue, Newark, at the age of sixty-four years.

Lewis R. Spence

BOSTON, Feb. 23.—Lewis R. Spence, aged 43, representative of the American Express Co., died at his home in Newton Centre to-day after a long illness. He was president of Alden Spence's Sons Company.

Charles Sewell King

CHARLES SEWELL KING, founder and manager of the New Jersey Central Railway Agency, Jersey City, died at his home, 87 Highland avenue, Jersey City, of heart disease to-day.

John Thomson

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 23.—John Thomson, librarian of the Free Library of Philadelphia, died here to-day. He was 80 years of age.

Miss Adele M. Fields

SEATTLE, Wash., Feb. 23.—Miss Adele M. Fields, author, lecturer and missionary, died here to-day, aged 77.

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