

**Berkshires Artists
Open Exhibition at
Stockbridge Casino**

Forty-one of Summer Colony Represented at Twelfth Annual Event.

STOCKBRIDGE, MASS., Aug. 28.—Forty-one artists and sculptors are represented in the twelfth annual exhibition, which opened at the Stockbridge Casino this afternoon with a varnishing day reception. Portraits, landscapes and sketches in oil and water colors, miniatures and studies in bronze and plaster, the work of men and women prominent in the art and society life of the Berkshires, are in the collection.

Mr. Daniel Chester French is showing his group in plaster for the Hazard Memorial at Peace Dale, R. I., for Rowland G. Hazard, textile manufacturer. It represents life, time and the weaver. Life and time are woman standing back of a textile worker who is seated in front of an old fashioned hand operated machine. Mr. French also is showing the working model in bronze of the Lincoln Memorial at Washington. Miss Marjorie French, who also is a skilled worker in plaster, is showing three heads, one of which is that of Miss Elizabeth Caldwell.

One of the large portraits is that of Mrs. Richard C. Cabot of Boston by Mr. Walter L. Clark, while M. Jean McLane (Mrs. John C. Johnson) is exhibiting a lifelike picture of Master George W. Vanderbilt, son of Mrs. Raymond T. Baker. Miss Marie O. Kobbe's portraits in water colors attract attention, especially the children, little Peter Brooks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gorbam Brooks of Boston, and Barbara Osgood of Boston. There are also pictures by Miss Kobbe of Mr. Brooks and Mr. Francis B. Riggs.

Miss Ethelred F. Folsom is showing three water colors, entitled "From Hald Top," "On the Farm" and "The Aspinwall Hotel." She is also exhibiting two pastels of Narragansett Pier and "Gilbert Stuart's Birthplace from the Tea House." Mrs. Richard C. Disney is exhibiting a picture of the Massena Mountain from Tanglewood, her estate on the north shore of Lake Mahkeenac.

Mrs. William M. R. French of Cambridge, sister-in-law of Mr. Daniel Chester French, shows two water colors, entitled "The Garden in Spring" and "Winter Languing in the April Twilight." Mrs. Banyer Clarkson has "A July Garden in Vermont," showing a corner of her garden with delphinium in bloom.

Miss Emily Winthrop, daughter of Mr. Grenville L. Winthrop, sculptor of uncommon talent, is exhibiting a large medallion portrait of her sister, Miss Kate Winthrop. It is an attractive face in profile. Miss Winthrop also is showing a design for the back of a mirror in bronze, representing a woman in the nude, and a bronze head study, entitled "Dasha." "An Old Fashioned Bouquet" is shown by Ellen Emmet Rand, cousin of Miss Lydia Field Emmet, whose exhibit is a portrait of Mrs. Elizabeth Philadelphia. The Emmet family is still further represented in the water colors by Mrs. Wilfred G. de Glen (Jane Emmet).

Mr. John C. Johnson's contribution is three portraits in oils, showing Mr. Henry White at the American Peace Commission headquarters in Paris, Marshal Joffre at his Paris headquarters and Sir Arthur J. Balfour. The backgrounds of the French palace interiors are remarkable for detail and rich colorings. A portrait of Mr. Johnson himself is shown by Oliver Bennett Grever, who is exhibiting a picture of the time. Other new exhibitors are Carleton Fowler, George Lawrence Nelson, Henry W. Parton and Harry F. Waltman.

Mr. Walter Nettleton, one of the founders of the Stockbridge exhibition and whose Stockbridge scenes are always noteworthy, has three landscapes, entitled "Departing Steamers," "Black Winter Day" and "Bright Woodland Alley." Mr. Thomas Shields Clarke and his son, Mr. Charles J. Clarke, are represented with water colors. Mr. Charles Clarke's exhibits being Palm Beach scenes. Then there are monotypes by Ethel Bennett Schiffer, an oil by Charles A. Platt, showing his garden at Cornish, N. H.; a Hindu incense burner in bronze by Melvina Hoffman; an oil showing Lake Como by Mrs. Herman Kobbe; two water colors and an oil entitled "A Welmar Peasant" by Mr. Edward L. Morse of Pittsfield; a large portrait of Miss M. Symphora Bristol, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Astor Bristol, by Miss Matilda A. Brownell; two beautiful studies by Francis Day, captioned "The Color Page" and "A Bit of West," the subject for which is a West Stockbridge girl.

**Mrs. Astor Umpire,
Governor a Fielder
in Newport Game**

But City Officials' Nine Wins From Society Team by 11 to 8.

SPECIAL TO THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD. NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 28.—The ball game between society and the city officials was played to-day. For two hours Freebody Park was the scene of one of the jolliest times of the summer. The officials won, 11 to 8. Five innings were played. Every foot of parking space was sold at \$5 each. The game was played for the benefit of the Maternity Aid Fund of Newport and the Maternity Centre Association of New York.

The afternoon started with exhibition drills by 1,200 apprentice seaman from the station, with music by the Fort Adams and station bands. Then the teams paraded behind the bands. The society team had a goat for a mascot, but before the day was over the city officials got it.

All about the grounds was bunting and flags and young women of society sold pastries and cigarettes, carrying bright colored baskets. Among them were the Misses Florence and Evelyn Loew, Suzanne and Emily Pierson, Misses Sturlet Winthrop, Judith Lee Blonkovic, Nancy King, Polly Byrher, Marian Tiffany and Elizabeth Webb. Mr. Sumner Gerard, a one time Harvard player, was the mainstay of the society team and Gov. R. Livingston Beekman made a good fielder.

As the time for the game arrived Rear Admiral Ashley H. Robertson took his place as the umpire for balls and strikes. His golf suit and red and white checked shirt did not remind one of the navy. Mrs. Vincent Astor was the other umpire on the bases. She wore her usual sports costume, consisting of majenta sweater and white duck skirt. It was no trouble for her to make decisions and they were never disputed. Mrs. Sumner Gerard was chairman of the entertainment and she was assisted by several women of the villa colony, including Mrs. J. Frances A. Clarke.

The Colonists team was made up as follows: Thomas F. Ryan and Suydam Cutting, pitchers; Sumner Gerard, catcher; Charles Dunlap, first base; I. Townsend Burden, second base; Henry G. Gray, shortstop; Clarke Fosdick, third base; Gov. Beekman, right field; Lewis G. Morris, centre field, and Louis S. Treadwell, left.

The substitutes were Frank W. Frueauf, Alfred Frost, Theodore Grosvenor, Richard Wallach and George Peabody Gardner, Jr. Mayor Jeremiah P. Mahoney was one of the stars on the city nine, with Col. Edward A. Sherman on first base and Dr. Seth De Biols in the pitcher's box.

Mrs. Oliver G. Jennings had a large dinner party to-night at Bellaire, with dancing following.

The Italian Ambassador, Baron Camillo Romano Avezzana and the Baroness Romano gave a dinner for their daughter, Miss Romano Avezzana.

Mrs. Henry P. Russell, who is a member of a party, including Mr. Russell, at Beachwood with Mr. and Mrs. Astor, returned from Southampton to-day by aeroplane. She was the only passenger and the trip took only one hour and twenty-two minutes.

This morning at the Caslao a mixed doubles tennis tournament was started for prizes offered by Mrs. Lewis G. Morris. Those playing were Mr. and Mrs. Whitney Carpenter, Jr., Mrs. Irwin Laughlin and Lord Camoye, Mr. and Mrs. John Flavel Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. George Peabody Gardner, Jr., Mrs. Arthur Scott Burden and Mr. Oliver Forin, Mrs. Lewis G. Morris and Mr. Pennington Pearson, Mrs. Lovillard Spenser and Mr. Herbert C. Peil, Jr., and Mrs. George D. Widener and Mr. Williams P. Burden.

Additional yachting arrivals include auxiliary schooner yacht Simitar, Mr. Frederic Foster Carey; schooner yacht Kirin; Mr. Mx Agassia; steam yacht Cythera, Mrs. William L. Harkness, and power yacht Usona, Mr. Henry D. Whitton.

Rear Admiral Austin M. Knight, U. S. N., has concluded a few days' stay at the Newellville Hotel. Others there are Mrs. J. N. Bailey, from New York; Mr. Stanley Griffin and Miss Irene Borden, from New York.

Registered at the Casino to-day were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sturges, from Boston; Mrs. Frank Mebane, Mrs. Joseph Talbot Maclean, Mr. George London and Mr. Chester Alan Arthur, Jr.

Mr. L. Stuart Wing and his fiancée, Miss Helen Kroch, are passing Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Curtiss James at Beacon Hill House.

RESORT NOTES.

The Berkshires.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond T. Baker had a dinner at Holmwood, Lenox, last night for her mother, Mrs. Charles H. Baashor, and sister, Mrs. Daley Emerson McVickar of New York. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frederick S. DeLafield, Mr. and Mrs. Giraud Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Astor Bristol and Miss Isabel D. Shoter.

Mrs. Carlos M. de Heredia gave a dinner last night at Wheatleigh, Lenox, for Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Montague of Buffalo, N. Y.

Mrs. Alexander Sedgwick was in charge of the tea at the varnishing day reception for the opening of the twelfth annual art exhibition in Stockbridge yesterday. Mrs. James Graham Parsons poured tea at the Stockbridge Golf Club.

Mrs. Banyer Clarkson, Mrs. Carl A. de Geradorff and Mrs. Joseph S. Whistler were among those in Lenox, who had friends at luncheon yesterday. Arriving at the Red Lion Inn, Stock-

bridge, were Mrs. Horace Wolcott Robinson, Mrs. George L. Curtis, Mrs. Fredrick Tilden Brown, Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. R. N. Wallace of New York and Mrs. Ernest A. Robbins of Baltimore.

Mr. Arthur Outram Sherman, Miss Audrey T. Sherman and Mr. Esaslech S. Sherman of Rye, N. Y., are at Heaton Hall, Stockbridge. Mrs. Alfred L. White and Miss Ella F. Cusack of New York, who were there, went to Brian Cliff Lodge, N. Y.

Miss Charlotte Swan and Mr. Charles W. MacMullen of New York are guests of Mrs. Thomas Sears Young in Stockbridge.

Bishop Thomas Frederick Davies and sister, Miss Marion Davies, who were in Rome, Italy, for four months, arrived at their place in Lenox last night.

Lady Maud Mackintosh, who was with Senator and Mrs. John Stewart McLennan at Ashintully, in Tyringham, started yesterday for Ottawa. She will be accompanied by her parents, the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, for a tour of the Canadian Rockies.

Mrs. George W. Vanderbilt and Miss

Cornelia Vanderbilt have left Lenox for their place at Billmore, N. C.

Hot Springs.

In the challenge tennis match played yesterday on the Homestead courts between Mr. Frank Akers and Miss Le-moine Dunlop, winners of the week's tennis tournament, and Mr. J. Morris Wistar and Miss Margaret Dunlop the latter won 4-1, 6-3.

Mrs. Archibald M. McCrea entertained at dinner last night at the Pillars the Baron and Baroness Rosenkrantz, the Misses Mary and Helen Patten and Mr. William F. R. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Witherspoon gave a dinner last night at Valley View. Col. William Armistead Lane arrived at the Homestead yesterday from New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin W. Littleton, Jr., now on their honeymoon, were among those having tea yesterday on the Casino lawn. Others there were Miss Alice V. Payne, Mrs. John Sidney Webb, Mrs. J. Morris Wistar, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Heckscher Wetherill, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Herberton, Mrs. William C. McBride.

Mr. Clement March and Mr. and Mrs. Henry O. Talmadge.

White Sulphur Springs.

Mr. Henry W. Taft has arrived and joined Mrs. Taft at the Greenbrier. Douglas Parmenter of New York arrived yesterday and was one of the early players on the golf links.

Mr. Archibald Watson and Miss Nancy Watson of New York have arrived for the autumn season.

Mrs. Mortimer Schiff of New York and children arrived at the Greenbrier yesterday.

Social Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bertram Jordan and family, of 58 West Eighty-eighth street, are spending the summer at the Essex and Sussex, Spring Lake, N. J. Miss Kathryn Jordan is the guest of Miss Gloria Gould at Georgian Court, Lakewood, for a few days.

Mrs. Frederic Schaeffer, of the Hotel Berkeley, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Edward O'Brien, at the Essex and Sussex, Spring Lake, N. J.

Mrs. John Adams Drake will sail Tuesday by the Dante Alighieri for a tour of Italy in the interest of the American Free Milk and Relief for

Italy, of which she is president and founder. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Walton H. Marshall of the organization. They will be met by Mr. John Moffat, president of the National Allied Relief.

Mrs. George Sloane of 3 East Sixty-second street is entertaining at the Mountain House, Lake Mohonk, her daughter, Mrs. Albert Henry Flint Her son, Mr. Parker, is at the Homestead, Hot Springs, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson S. Dunn will leave Sea Gate soon for their country place at Ipswich, Mass., to pass the autumn.

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