DR. W. B. PARSONS TO BE BRIDEGROOM

Engagement to Rose Saltonstall Peabody of Groton, Mass., Announced.

OTHERS SOON TO MARRY

Isabel Yeomans and G. P. Brett, Jr., Margaret Slocum and J. G. Quinby, Jr.

The Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Endicott Peabody of Groton, Mass., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Rose Saltonstall Peabody, to Dr. William Barclay Parsons, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Barclay Parsons of this city. Miss Peabody returned recently from Europe on the Touraine after passing some time there aiding war relief work. She is one of four daughters of the Rev. and Mrs. Peabody. Her father is headmaster of Groton School, Groton, Mass.

Dr. Parsons, who was graduated from Harvard in 1910 and later from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, is attached to the Presbyterian Hospital. His father is one of the most prominent engineers of this country. Mr. Parsons's mother was Miss Anna Reed, and on his mother's side he is a grandson of the late Mrs. Sylvanus Reed, who for many years was head of a private school in this city. No date has been set for the wedding.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Isbel Stevenson Yeomans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Dallas Yeomans, to George Platt Brett, Jr., of this city. Miss Yeomans was introduced to society last winter. She is passing the summer with her parents at their country place, Cherry Hill, Plymouth, Mass. Their New York home is at 6 Washington Square North. Mr. Brett is a son of George Platt Brett, president of the Macmillan Publishing Company. He is a member of Squadron A and is with his troop at McAllen, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Slocum of Pembina Pines, Mass., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret Slocum, to John G. Quinby, Jr. of this city, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Quinby, who live at the Plaza. Miss Slocum was introduced to society last year. Mr. Quinby was graduated from Harvard in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Butts, 298 Jefferson avenue, Brooklyn, announced yesterday the engagement of their daughter, Miss Beatrice Duronda Butts, to Wilson Duke Reynolds, also of Brooklyn, who was graduated from Princeton in 1905. No date has been set for the wedding.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Sarah E. Marshall, daughter of S. Duncan Marshall, 150 East Eighty-first street, to Charles Van Zandt Didrichsen of this city. The wedding will take place this autumn.

Arrangements have been completed for the wedding of Miss Dorothy Perkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Perkins, to Edward W. Freeman, which will take place on the afternoon of September 23 in the Riverdale Presbyterian Church. A reception will follow at Glyndor, the country place of Mr. and Mrs. Perkins in Riverdale. Miss Dorothy Freeman, sister of the bridegroom, will be the maid of honor. Alexander L. Barbour will act as best man. The ushers will be E. Howard Baker, William Lippincott, Richard W. Babbins, George W. Perkins, Jr., of this city; Charles Noyes of Warren, Pa., and Benjamin R. C. Low of Brooklyn.

DR. FINLEY NOW A CHEVALIER

State Commissioner of Education Decorated by King of Italy.

ALBANY, Sept. 13.—Dr. John H. Finley, State Commissioner of Education, was notified to-night that he had been decorated by King Victor Emmanuel as a Chevalier of the Crown of Italy. The notification came from Joseph N. Francolini of New York.

Dr. Finley previously had been decorated with the Order of the Legion of Honor of France and the Imperial Order of the Rising Sun of Japan.

PLAYS AND PLAYERS.

Eddie Foy and all his seven precocious offspring have been engaged for the Dillingham-Ziegfeld production, "The Century Girl," at the Century Theatre next month.

The W. C. T. U. of Minneapolis indorsed Thomas H. Ince's "Civilization" at the monthly meeting held this week.

Forty members of the Fat Men's Club of Newark will attend the performance of "Fast and Grow Fat" at the Globe Theatre to-night.

A Russian wedding party will occupy a box at the Criterion Theatre to-night to see George Arliss in "Paganini." The box occupants will include His High Grace Alexander, Archbishop of the Russian churches in the United States; Bishop Tikhon of New York, Gen. Kunosoff and Father Gregory Liebkin of the Russian Red Cross, in addition to the bride and bridegroom.

W. Lawson Butt has been engaged for the part of Ford in Silvio Hein's production of "The Merry Wives of Windsor."

Viola Roach has been engaged by the players for the principal role in the Western company playing "Hobson's Choice."

"The Blue Paradise" company, with Cecil Lean, which played for a year at the Casino Theatre will open its season in Albany to-night.

Bernard Granville of the Follies has consented to sing songs which he has dedicated to the Actors Fund of America. They will be reproduced by the Pathe Freres Phonograph Company and the sales will be given for the benefit of the Actors Fund.

Paul Schindler has been engaged as orchestral conductor for the tour of "Hip Hip Hooray." Raymond Hubbell, as director, yesterday began the musical rehearsals.

Rose Clayton, assisted by Constantine Romanoff, formerly of the Ballet Russe, and Peter Sheehan, will produce her new ballet, "Le Cafe Theatre on Monday.

Jack Norworth, returning on board the St. Paul, has a new act with which to open the Colonial Theatre season on Monday.

DIED.

DRUMMOND.—H. Adelbert. Services "THE FUNERAL CHURCH," Broadway, Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh (Frank Campbell Building), Saturday afternoon, 2 o'clock.

FOWLER.—Eliza Little, widow of Jonathan A. Fowler, on Monday, September 11, suddenly, at Glen Cove, L. I., in the eighty-seventh year of her age.

Funeral services at 11 o'clock to-day at Cherry Valley, N. Y.

OTIS.—September 11, at Amityville, L. I., Mrs. Julia M. Otis, mother of Elita Proctor Otis.

Funeral services at Powell & Robbins's undertaking establishment, Amityville, L. I., Thursday, September 14, 2:30 P. M.

STANTON.—On Tuesday, September 12, 1916, at his residence, Whitestone, Long Island, Frank McMillan Stanton, son of the late John and Elizabeth R. Stanton.

Funeral notice in next Sunday's paper.

WILSON.—Suddenly, at Kineo, Me., on September 13, Kenneth Torrance, son of the late Henry and Sarah Creighton Torrance, husband of Louise Meisel, in his 43d third year.

WILSON.—On September 12, 1916, Christopher W. Wilson, in his seventy-first year, at his summer residence, Sea Cliff, L. I.

Funeral services at his late residence, 232 Jefferson avenue, Brooklyn, on Thursday evening at 8:30 P. M.

EXPERTS SEEN ON HOT SPRINGS LINKS

Mrs. Alfred B. Thacher of East Orange Is Hostess at Tea on Lawn.

HOT SPRINGS, Va., Sept. 13.—John Heyburn of Louisville, captain of the Harvard golf team, and J. Appleton Allen of New York, also an amateur championship winner, played around the Hot Springs links together this morning. Others on the course were Mr. and Mrs. J. Robinson Duff, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smithers of New York and Baron and Baroness Rosenkrantz of Atlanta.

The first paper chase of the season was given this afternoon by a dozen members of the younger set. The route led from the Homestead Hotel over ten miles of trails to the racetrack of the Fassifern Hunt Club at Fassifern Farm. The riders went to the farmhouse for a Virginia dinner and returned by moonlight.

Among a number of teas given on the lawn during the afternoon concert was one at which Mrs. Alfred B. Thacher of East Orange, N. J., was hostess. Mrs. M. E. Ingalls, Mr. and Mrs. George Stimpson and Miss Jane Stimpson made up a group at one table. Other guests were Eric B. Dahlgren, M. L. Akers, Mrs. Charles McL. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Coster Steers, Mrs. Herbert M. Harriman, Mr. and Mrs. Angier B. Duke, Miss Charlotte Delafield, Mr. and Mrs. Dale B. Fitler, Senator J. A. O'Gorman and Mrs. O'Gorman.

Arrivals at the Homestead to-day included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry Hart, New York; Mrs. James Lancaster Morgan, Brooklyn; Mr. and Mrs. George B. Sandford and Miss Mary Drier, New York; Mrs. Raymond Robins, Chicago.

WHITE SULPHUR ACTIVITIES.

Dinner Given at Greenbrier in Honor of C. W. Bradley.

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. Va., Sept. 13.—George W. Stevens of Richmond, Va., entertained this evening at Greenbrier in honor of C. W. Bradley, superintendent of telegraph of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, on the occasion of his eightieth birthday. Among those present were H. W. Twickham, J. P. Nelson, J. W. Knapp, T. W. Grice, E. P. Goodwin, C. C. Walker, W. L. Booth, B. T. Jellison, L. L. Scherer, G. B. Wall, E. D. Hotchkiss, John D. Potts, M. T. Spicer, J. P. Stevens and Dr. W. T. Oppenheimer of Richmond, and J. R. Cary, L. B. Allen, W. R. Hudson, J. A. Fox, E. S. Rockwell, E. L. Bock, J. B. Harris, G. J. Derbyshire and J. B. Parrish of Cincinnati.

Judge and Mrs. Charles B. McMichael of Philadelphia gave a 5 o'clock tea yesterday afternoon at the Casino for Mr. and Mrs. John Moss, Jr., Mrs. William H. Newbold, Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Clark and Miss Josephine McClure of Philadelphia, and Mrs. John Churchill and Miss Heye.

Mrs. John Walker of Richmond arrived to-day, also the Rev. David R. Howard of Norfolk.

DINNERS AT BRETTON WOODS.

W. F. Dunspaugh Entertains for Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Calder.

BRETTON WOODS, N. H., Sept. 13.—Among the dinners to-day was one given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Calder of Providence by W. F. Dunspaugh, president of the Maplewood Hotel Company, and another at her cottage there by Mrs. Fiske Hammond, who took her sixteen guests to the hotel for dancing and supper in the grill.

Mr. and Mrs. Percival Hill gave a dinner in the Cave grill at the Mount Washington for Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Reed, who will give a return dinner on Saturday evening. Miss Grace Reed and the Misses Gertrude and Catharine Hill were among the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Blanchard, who were married on the summit of Mount Washington, are spending their honeymoon at Sandwich, N. H.

TOURISTS BY AUTOMOBILE.

MANCHESTER, Vt., Sept. 13.—Arrivals by automobile at the Equinox House: Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Doubleday, Oyster Bay (Packard); Mrs. S. Helsey Williams, Carroll P. Davis, Mrs. Davis, Pittsburg (Packard); Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dexter, W. C. Dexter, J. Decker, Springfield, Mass. (Stevens); Mrs. Henry Hobart Brown, Mrs. Nathan Trotter, Philadelphia (Reo); Mrs. Daubignen, Mrs. W. Longsdon, London, England (Cadillac); Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Connelly, Trenton (Hudson); Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Hudson, Buffalo (Cadillac); Mrs. R. C. Kellogg, Mrs. Levi S. Pond, Elizabethtown; Miss C. Richards, Miss S. Clark, Warrensburg (Pierce).

WATERBURY, Conn., Sept. 13.—Motor arrivals at the Hotel Elton: F. G. Bourne, George Bourne, Miss M. C. Bourne, Miss M. Bourne, Oakdale, L. I. (Rolls Royce); Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Dench, New York (Hudson); C. W. Morton, Miss Morton, Philadelphia (Reo); Fred Blanchard, Charles McBride, S. C. Lathrop, E. Lance, Troy, N. Y. (Cadillac); Mr. and Mrs. William Gemmi, Margaret and Isaac Herzell, Philadelphia (Cadillac); Mrs. A. Ingersoll, Miss Estelle Ingersoll, Miss Lily Furman, Shreveport, La. (Packard); Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dexter, Miss Dexter, Overbrook, Pa. (Pierce); Mrs. L. Cartier and child, Miss Dreck, Floyd Cartier, New York (Packard); Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Whiteford, New York (Peerless).

WATKINS, N. Y., Sept. 13.—Motor arrivals at the Glen Springs: Mrs. Isidore Newman, Miss Newman, New Orleans (Simplex); Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Schuyler, Rochester (Packard); Mrs. Whitelaw, Miss Douglas, Cleveland (Pierce-Arrow); Mr. and Mrs. George B. Williams, Mrs. John M. Pattison, Cincinnati (Cadillac); Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Carr, Mrs. C. C. Campbell, Vernon, N. Y. (Chalmers); Mrs. S. M. Clement Stuart, H. Clement, Buffalo (Cadillac); Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hulbert, Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Woodward, New York (Locomobile); Mrs. Charles H. Gifford, Jamestown; Mrs. A. B. Currie, London, England (Locomobile); J. J. Van Nostrand, W. B. Leonard, Owego (Pierce-Arrow); Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Montgomery, Madison, Wis. (Packard); Miss Lang, Mrs. E. B. Egan, Miss E. Gearhart, Buffalo (Pierce-Arrow); Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dole, Evanston, Ill. (Locomobile); Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hendry, L. S. Baker, Chicago (Speedwell); Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hunter, Devon, Pa. (Pierce-Arrow).

COOPERSTOWN, N. Y., Sept. 13.—Automobile arrivals at the Otesaga: J. P. Chamberlain, Philip Brown, New York (Wilton); W. W. Russell, Baltimore (Pierce-Arrow); Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Warren, Kingston, N. Y. (MacFarland); Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cox, Chicago, Miss Cook, Springfield, Ill. (Pierce-Arrow); Mr. and Mrs. William G. Waidron, Alice V. Waldron, Amsterdam, Walter H. Eisenhut, Albany, Isaac Bellows, Amsterdam (Pierce-Arrow); H. H. Littell, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Littell, Buffalo (Stearns); Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Maurice, Eagle Springs, N. C. (Overland); Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hitchcock, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Austen, Hinsa (Dodge); Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Brown, Rochester (Pierce-Arrow); Mrs. James D. Colt, Jr., Boston, Mrs. Hamilton Harris, Mrs. Frederick Harris, Gilbertsville, N. Y. (Pierce-Arrow).

BRETTON WOODS, N. H., Sept. 13.—Automobile arrivals at the Mount Washington: Thomas Thatcher, New York (Packard); Henry H. Taylor, New York (Cadillac); Luther A. Crossett, Boston (Pierce); James Whitehead, New York (Cadillac); Nelson J. Goss, New York (Pierce); Benjamin B. Conrad, Boston (Marmon); the Rev. Joseph G. Anderson, Cambridge (Pierce); Francis Eanes, Philadelphia (Buick); Dudley M. Peck, Montclair (Packard); James Ellis, Cleveland (Haynes); Elwood M. Boyd, Philadelphia (Cadillac); Hugh S. Bunnell, New York (Chandler); Arthur L. Howes, New York (Cole); Henry B. Dillenback, New York (Peerless); Arthur Selden, New York (Stearns); Andrew B. Cregg, New Haven (Overland); Charles F. Estrout, Portland (Packard); Mrs. Benjamin Bruner, Philadelphia (Overland).

WILLS AND APPRAISALS.

CHARLES BERGER, died December 14, 1915 (Appraiser Kopp). Total assets, $12,440; net estate, $11,191. Mrs. Mary Berger, widow, was the beneficiary.

ARAMINTA D. SMALL, who died at Asbury Park, September 2, left $15,000 out of an estate of "more than $20,000" to her maid, Charlotte M. Nacke, "as a token of appreciation." The money is left in trust. The remainder of the estate, with the exception of $1,000 to charity, goes to relatives. The testator lived at 126 Reid avenue, Brooklyn.

RISING DEATH RATE DISTURBS EXPERTS

Leaps to 80 Per Cent. as Epidemic in Infantile Paralysis Wanes.

LECTURES TO TEACHERS

City Instructors Hear Series of Talks Regarding Poliomyelitis Symptoms.

Fifteen hundred principals, assistant principals and supervisors of physical instruction in the public schools met at the Washington Irving High School yesterday afternoon to listen to the first of a series of health talks designed to give them instruction in the care of children relative to the epidemic of infantile paralysis.

Health matters were discussed in detail by Commissioner Haven Emerson, William G. Wilcox, president of the Board of Education, and Dr. Charles F. Bolduan, head of the bureau of public health education. Dr. C. Ward Crampton, director of physical training and hygiene in the public schools, presided.

New cases of poliomyelitis reported to the Health Department totalled thirty-one, a decrease of seven from the figures of the previous day. The deaths for the day were nine, a decrease of nine from Tuesday. The slight drop in the number of new cases did not wholly satisfy Health Department officials or the Federal officers in charge of Dr. Charles E. Banks, who had looked for a much larger falling off.

Health Certificates Necessary.

The Acting City Superintendent of Schools announced last night that he will send the following notice to all schools within a few days:

"In accordance with the recommendation of the Commissioner of Health children who have resided in localities outside of the limits of New York city within two weeks prior to the opening of the schools September 25 will be required to present certificates from the health officials of such localities stating that they have not resided in infected premises and have not been exposed to any active case of infantile paralysis within the preceding two weeks."

There were some at the Board of Health who expressed the opinion that if the epidemic does not recede more quickly the school opening date may have to be postponed a second time. Dr. Emerson was, however, optimistic, and saw no reason why present plans should not be carried out.

In commenting on the day's figures the Health Commissioner said the proportion of deaths to the number of cases of the disease is not more than 25 per cent. for the entire period of the epidemic. In the past few weeks, however, the death rate has been growing steadily. For the week ending yesterday it was more than 30 per cent. To date there have been 8,614 cases and 2,151 deaths.

Hospitals Discharge 286.

Two hundred and eighty-six afflicted children were discharged from their homes and from hospitals yesterday. This is a larger figure than the greatest number of cases reported on any one day during the height of the epidemic, and is looked upon as being decidedly encouraging.

Dr. Charles E. Banks of the United States public health service announced yesterday that erroneous reports circulated that the epidemic had died out were responsible for confusion in inspecting outgoing traffic. Persons leaving the city with children still require health certificates certifying that they do not come from infected districts.

Forty new cases of infantile paralysis were reported from New York State outside New York city yesterday and three deaths. The deaths were reported from Poughkeepsie and Goshen. The total of cases is now 2,730 and deaths 288.

New Jersey reported thirty cases for the twenty-four hours ending at noon yesterday, making a total to date of 3,199 cases. The new cases were recorded from Newark, 4; Vineland and Plainfield, 3 each; Camden, Mercer, Trenton, Paterson, 2 each; Lodi, Nutley, Deal, Avon, Belmar and several other townships, 1 each.

PARALYSIS RECORD.

Day's Deaths and New Cases as Reported by Boroughs.

Deaths and new cases of infantile paralysis reported by the Health Department yesterday follow:

DEATHS.

Manhattan.

Evelyn Cohen, 507 West 168th street; Florence Schaller, 345 East Fifty-first street; Frank Mango, 321 East 100th street; Gioseule Miglio, 20 Hancock street; Marie Schneider, 402 East Fifty-third street; Janice Jacobi, 601 West 139th street.

The Bronx.

Margaret McCarthy, 1696 Topping avenue.

Brooklyn.

Beckie Auerbach, 330 Georgia avenue; Jos. Wallis, 1728 Sixty-first street.

Queens.

None.

Richmond.

None.

NEW CASES.

Manhattan.

Alex. Katz, 111 Orchard street; Seymour Golub, 86 Cedar street; Eleanor Obersky, 739 East Eleventh street; Saddie Mischell, 199 First avenue; Mary Snyder, 402 East Fifty-third street; Thomas Marion, 611 West 176th street; Stella E. Cousins, 598 West 124th street; Joseph Lapurno, 234 East 109th street; Frank Zarga, 32 West 113th street.

The Bronx.

Boy Schiller, 842 Beck street; Elsie Prince, 622 East 136th street; Martin Steiman, 521 East 135th street; Dorothy Donohue, 2329 Webster avenue; Ruth Goldberg, 2110 Arthur avenue; Bert ——, 1150 Tiffany street; John and Gordon Link, 916 East 176th street.

Brooklyn.

Sylvia Roseman, 305 South Third street; Caroline Antiman, 1646 Park place; Thomas Bradditch, 125 Marion street; Walter Heruchkorn, 400 Bradford street; William Galush, 1413 Belmont avenue; Nathan Wohlgemuth, 7708 Nineteenth avenue; Gertrude Rohrich, 4421 Fifteenth avenue; Katherine Kennedy, 2752 East Twenty-first street.

Queens.

Samuel Littell, 154 Twenty-fifth street, Elmhurst; Helen Andrickus, 1043 Central avenue, Far Rockaway; Catherine Neinberger, 94 North Lincoln avenue, Rockaway Park; Fred Shore, 3680 Beaufort avenue, Union Course; Arthur Backus, 4053 Jerome avenue.

Richmond.

Marjorie Blau, 1010 Castleton avenue, West New Brighton.

DR. McCOMAS AT TRINITY.

He Assumes His New Duties as Senior Curate of Parish.

The Rev. Dr. Joseph Patton McComas, formerly rector of St. Ann's Church at Annapolis, Md., has assumed his new duties as senior curate of the parish of old Trinity Church.

Dr. McComas was graduated from Dickinson College in 1890 and from the General Theological Seminary in 1895. Since then he has been curate and rector of the Annapolis church. He was a delegate to the Pan-Anglican Church Congress in London in 1908 and a member of the primary synod of the province of Washington in 1914. He is a son of A. J. McComas of Hagerstown, Md., and a nephew of the late Lewis E. McComas, United States Senator from Maryland.

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WILLIS H. WILCOX.

Greenwich Banker Dies in Motor on Way to Mountains.

GREENWICH, Conn., Sept. 13.—Willis H. Wilcox, 75 years old, died suddenly to-day in an automobile while on his way to the White Mountains. He left Greenwich in company with his wife and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Wilcox, for a few weeks stay in Bethlehem, N. H. While passing through North Haven he was stricken with heart disease and died before medical aid could be summoned.

Mr. Wilcox for many years was at the head of the Wilcox factory established by his father in Riversville, where carriage hardware and tinners' tools were manufactured. He was president of the Greenwich Savings Bank and director in a number of other banking institutions.

JEAN GURAN HOEY.

Was Wife of Charles Hoey of Famous Vaudeville Team.

Jean Guran Hoey, wife of Charles Hoey, of the vaudeville team of Hoey and Lee, died yesterday at her home, 3514 Clarendon road, Brooklyn. Mrs. Hoey, before her marriage, was known on the stage as Jean Powell. Her husband and a daughter survive.

Miss Harriet M. Tenny.

GREENWICH, Conn., Sept. 13.—Miss Harriet Maria Tenny, prominent as a church and temperance worker here, died to-day at the age of 87. She was a teacher in Dr. Ward's private school in Brooklyn in 1850 and later taught under Miss Wadleigh in the Twenty-third street public school. She also established a school in this city.

Albert F. Kreinbrink.

Albert F. Kreinbrink, a retired manufacturer of wagons and carriages, died on Tuesday in his home, 78 Rutland road. He was born in Feldberg, Germany, seventy-five years ago and came to this country in 1886. His wife, Barbara C. Kreinbrink, a son and a daughter survive.

Harold P. Moseley.

WESTFIELD, Mass., Sept. 13.—Harold P. Moseley, former Representative and State Senator, died at his home here early to-day. He was 44 years of age.

NOTES OF THE SOCIAL WORLD.

Miss Anna Barclay Nevins, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Nevins of Philadelphia, will be married to Seabury Lawrence to-day at Siasconset, Mass.

Miss Helena Elliott, daughter of the late John Stuart Elliott of this city, will be married to Frederic Huidekoper of Washington to-day in Osterville, Mass. A reception will follow at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Thomas T. Gaff.

Frits V. Holm has gone to Lenox for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Taft have left Bretton Woods, N. H., by motor for New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Twombly are passing a few days at the New Cliffs Hotel in Newport.

Mrs. Charles Cook and her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Porter, will return from Elberon, N. J., to 41 East Thirty-eighth street next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry La Montagne will return next week to their place in Westbury, L. I.

Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer, who has been passing the summer in Newport, will leave there to-day for her country place at Lancaster, Mass.

ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS.

Waldorf-Astoria—Christian Girl, H. H. Johnson, H. A. Kelly, Cleveland; S. P. Shaner, John I. Rice, St. Louis; M. H. McGovern, Chicago; E. T. Huffman, Dayton.

Belmont—J. Benjamin Dinnick, Scranton; Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Stephens, Montreal; E. G. Bushnell, Cleveland; L. W. Phelps, Pittsburg; Thomas W. Heath, Philadelphia; J. F. Booth, Ottawa.

McAlpin—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jones, Houston; K. Lund and family, Panama; Richard P. Momsen, Rio Janeiro; W. E. and Mrs. Peters, Buffalo; De Witt C. Mitchell, San Diego; E. T. Caldwell, Cleveland.

Claridge—E. W. Medlockin, Detroit; Alphonse Cerisia, Lyman W. Cleveland, Philadelphia; John O'Connel, Toronto.

Manhattan—Lewis Dempsey, Chicago; Marvin B. May, Boston; C. M. Knox, Philadelphia; Charles J. Magee, William S. Towne, Jr., Pittsburg; E. G. Connette, Buffalo; Charles Cox, Lou, Syracuse, A. J. Brown, Atlanta, Ala.

Knickerbocker—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Robinson, London; C. B. and Mrs. Dale, Glens Falls, N. Y.; H. Moore, Detroit, and Mrs. R. G. Kreitler, Akron, Ohio, and Mrs. Duggan, Indianapolis, Henry Davis, Pittsburg.

Vanderbilt—G. A. Lord, Los Angeles; H. G. Cox, P. O. Graham, D. E. Jackson, Pittsburg.

Astor—Commander J. Bjurner, Swedish Admiralty, Stockholm; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Ryan, Coronado; P. R. Mallory, Boston, New Orleans; J. J. Shubert, New York city; James A. Mee and Miss Agnes H. Mesier, Washington; S. M. Ia and Mrs. Madura, Curacoa; D. W. L. Richard, Barcelona, Spain; Louis Major, L. S. Miller, Capt. and Mrs. C. E. Deitch, U. S. A.

Plaza—Senator Le Barron Colt, Rhode Island; P. J. Elze, London; Mrs. Herbert Schertz, South Orange, N. J., and Mrs. W. D. Earle, Boston; Van H. Manning, Washington.

Ritz-Carlton—Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Clark, St. Catharines, Ontario; Carlile, Toronto; Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Ayer, Glen Cove, L. I.; W. O. and Mrs. Harrison, Chicago; Livingston Pryer, St. Davids, Pa.; G. W. Farrell, Montreal.

Murray Hill—J. B. Thursfield, Torrington, Conn.; E. S. Goodrich, Hartford; E. H. Potter, Providence; James J. Keane, Dubuque, Ia.; Mrs. C. W. Frame, New Canaan, Conn.; Francis M. Hugo, Albany.

Stratford—Mr. and Mrs. A. Hayes, Toronto; W. and Mrs. Leonard, Buffalo.

Park Avenue—P. J. Carver, Baltimore; H. C. Curtis, Bermuda; J. R. and Mrs. Doyle, Philadelphia; R. B. Dole, United States Geodetic Survey; Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Swift, Albany.

Wolcott—M. S. Frey, Baltimore; F. G. Means, Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. John S. Kennedy, Philadelphia; H. H. Wade, Mercersburg, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Beebe, Utica.

Herald Square—R. and Mrs. Bowles, Baltimore; A. W. Bolton, Berkeley, Cal.; John C. Holman, Wheeling; O. P. Hazard, Schenectady; W. Dangaix, Birmingham, Ala.; Merle W. Ewell, Philadelphia; J. W. and Mrs. Coleman, Richmond; H. A. and Mrs. Miller, Panama.

Imperial—J. J. Humphlett, Norfolk; C. H. Boardman, Columbus; Mrs. L. C. Stone, Spokane; C. J. Armitage, Rochester; Dr. Rose Heichler, Philadelphia; W. H. J. Vander Loeun, The Hague.

Grand—David F. Aitken, Buffalo; Fred R. Foulke, Boston; John R. Holloway, Camden, N. J.; A. H. Chamberlain, Chattanooga; H. H. Howard, Port of Spain, Trinidad; Carl O. Landau, Gothenburg, Sweden; Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Rowland, Westfield, Mass.; A. T. Terry, New Orleans.

MISS SCOTT MAKES GIFT TO NEWPORT

Offers Flagstaff Similar to One Presented by Mrs. F. W. Vanderbilt.

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 13.—Another of Newport's playgrounds is to be equipped with a flagstaff through the generosity of a summer resident. Miss Louise B. Scott, after consulting with the City Park Commission and the supervisor of recreation, has offered a large flagstaff similar to the ones Mrs. Fred W. Vanderbilt and Guy Norman gave for Aquidneck and King parks, to be erected at the Vernon avenue playfield. This will be in memory of her brother, George I. Scott, who died last winter and was the originator of the aeroplane fund for the Rhode Island militia.

Miss Charlotte L. Pell gave a dinner at Beacon Lodge this evening, and Mrs. William F. Draper gave a dinner at the Orchard.

Registered at the Casino to-day were William A. Delano of New York, a guest of Henry Clews, and Alexander Hume of New Milford, Conn., guest of H. O. Havemeyer.

Mrs. David Nevins of Methuen, Mass., has rented for next season Miss E. B. Waring's estate in Catherine street.

Mrs. Joseph Gazzam gave a luncheon to-day for Mrs. George Barnett of Washington. Mrs. Gazzam left later for a motor trip and will be away until the middle of next week.

Milton Baldridge of New York is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. Norman de R. Whitehouse.

Mrs. D. M. Bedell of New Rochelle is spending a week here. Mr. and Mrs. Jerome N. Bonaparte are leaving for Hot Springs, Va., next week, closing their residence in Middletown. Mr. and Mrs. T. Shaw Safe are returning from their country place at East Greenwich next Tuesday. Mrs. James F. D. Lanier has closed her season and returned to New York. James Brown Potter is sailing for Europe next Saturday.

WILL STAGE A BULL FIGHT.

To Be Feature of Castles in the Air Review.

"The Bull Ring" is the name of the review which will open the Castles in the Air, atop the Forty-fourth Street Theatre, on Thursday evening, September 28. The place has been transformed into a reproduction of the Granada bull ring. A travesty of "Carmen" with a terpsichorean bull fight will be the feature of the performance.

The cast for the review is headed by Helen Trix. It includes Ernest Hare, Patsy O'Hearn, Alice Van Ryker and a chorus of fifty. "Carmen" will be followed by a fox trot, "When the Boys Return," written by Miss Trix in honor of the return of the New York regiments. The review is staged by Edward F. Temple, formerly of the Hippodrome.

Admission will be charged to "The Bull Ring," which will open at 11 o'clock. The performance will begin at midnight.

THE SEAGOERS.

Sailing to-day on the Scandinavian American liner United States, for Copenhagen by way of Kirkwall and Christiansand: Axel Amundsen.

Mrs. Mathilda Bischoff.	Dr. F. W. Rinken berger.
Gerson van Gelder.	Hughes Richardson.
Arthur A. Maron.	Dr. Jean Strandgard.
	S. Sidney Stern.

Arrivals by the French liner La Touraine, from Bordeaux:

Marquis de Giafferri.	Endicott Peabody.
Mr. and Mrs Windell Sheehan.	Dr. D. J. Morton.
	Raymond P. Baldwin.
Dr. and Mrs. A. U. Desjardins.	Dr. J. W. MacCarran.
	Dr. R. C. Bryan.
Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barri.	Lloyd C. Hodgins.
	Wood Pendle.
Dr. Jules d'Argent.	Samuel P. Gist.
Martin Goode.	

Arrivals by the Munson line steamship Munamar, from Antilla:

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Jennings.	Carl Cant, and Mrs. Ray mond Swane.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Rice.	Daniel L. Lord.
	Albert Bourne.
Charles F. Rust.	William Heilman.
Henry S. Faber.	Solomon Spence.
T. Howard Barnes.	

By the Ward liner Morro Castle, sailing to day for Havana:

D. A. Fox.	August Beck.
Earle Phillips.	Max H. G. Aguilar.
John W. Crowther.	Robert S. Barrett.
W. A. Mott.	Carlos Soler.

MOVEMENTS OF YACHTS.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Sept. 13.—The steam yacht Corsair, J. P. Morgan, the power yacht Whisperwind, Julius Rosenwald, and the yawl Dawn have arrived. The auxiliary schooner yacht Fedalma, chartered by Edwin N. Brown, the schooner yacht Enchantress, William J. Leslie, the power yachts Ariadne, Charles Ivelin, the power yachts Ariadne, Charles Ivelin, John Herbert Ware, and the Cynthia III, Merrill B. Mills, have left here. The Cynthia III. started for Larchmont on her way to southern waters.

TOURAINE BRINGS WAR NEWS.

French Helmets Increase Mortality, Says Dr. R. C. Bryan.

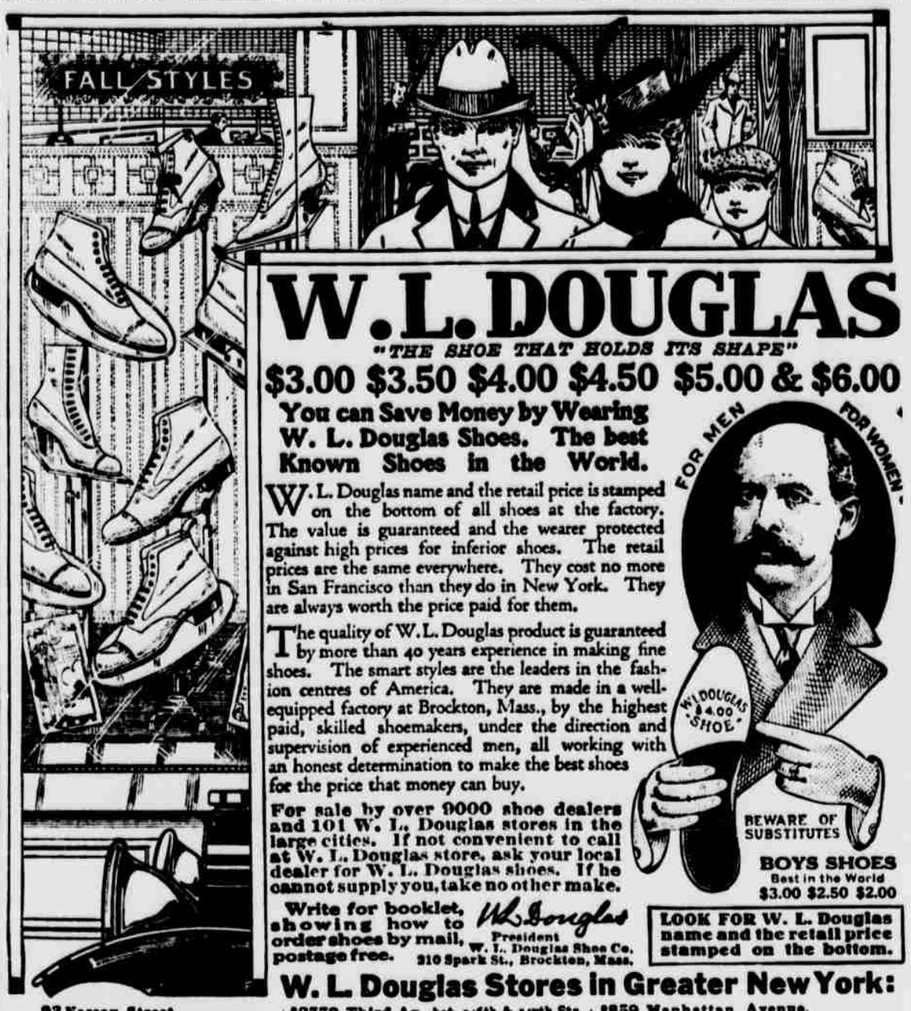
Dr. R. C. Bryan, head of Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney's hospital at Juilly, France, who arrived last evening by the French liner La Touraine, from Bordeaux, said that since the French soldiers had been using the steel helmet there had been high mortality from wounds in the head, just below the protection of the helmet.

Before the adoption of the helmet many who were hit in the skull recovered. The security of the helmet prompted daring ones to risk their lives by putting their heads too high above the trenches.

Other passengers by the Touraine included the Marquis Paul Louis Giafferri, representing a Parisian syndicate of dressmakers, who will exhibit gowns in this city, Boston and Chicago and lecture on the ancient costumes of France; Dr. Jules d'Argent, who will represent the French Health Service at the convention of dentists at Montreal; Dr. A. U. Desjardins, assistant to Dr. Joseph Blake, who was ill when Dr. Desjardins left Paris; Winfield Sheehan of the Fox Film Company and Mrs. Sheehan and eighteen American collegians who have been acting as ambulance drivers on the French war front. They are returning to resume their studies.

Anna Pavlowa Sued for $5,000.

A suit against Anna Pavlowa, the dancer, for $5,000 alleged to be due on an unpaid note was begun yesterday in the Supreme Court by James L. Stewart, as executor of the will of Charles Dickinson Stickney, who died last March.



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