STAGE FAVORITES AID SMOKE FUND

Follies and Hitchy-Koo Players in Free Baseball Game To-morrow.

TOTAL NEARING $33,000

Notables to See Printers' Teams Compete on Ebbets Field Monday.

Just a few more dollars and THE SUN'S Tobacco Fund will be above the $33,000 line. There is every reason to believe it will pass that mark long before night. Next week promises to give the total a great boost, a series of boosts, in fact, for it is to be one continuous gala week, chock full of excitement and fun and contributions for Sammie and his smokes.

The latest recruits to the army of givers are the Ziegfeld Follies company and Raymond Hitchcock's "Hitchy-Koo" aggregation, who are going to play a benefit baseball game in City League Park at Great Neck to-morrow afternoon. The comedians among them may play horse on the stage but they insist this is going to be the real thing in the national pastime.

What with Billy Rock dancing on the coaching line and Will Rogers and Bert Williams and Hitchcock himself batting the umpire, if anybody can be found willing to officiate, there ought to be plenty of excitement from the first "Batter up" to the last "You're out."

Pretty Actresses to Be There.

An effort to obtain the full lineup last night was unsuccessful, but assurance was given that Ann Pennington, Grace La Rue, Fannie Brice, Frances White and many other diamond stars also will be present. They may not be in uniform—baseball uniforms, that is—but there will be a demand for them to do stunts during the seventh inning stretching intermission. Anyway they will be there to look at, and that's a lot. Also there will be a concert by Dabney's orchestra.

And not a penny will be charged for admission. The whole show is to be as free as air, and so will be every man and woman who attends—free to contribute to THE SUN'S Fund. For Hitchy and the rest while they hold the centre of the outdoor stage aren't going to let anybody forget Sammie and that tremendously serious extra inning game he has been signed to play against the Potsdam Pirates. And can any one think of a finer motor drive on a Sunday afternoon than to Great Neck?

This will be only the first of a big week's big doings. On both Sunday and Monday New York fans may be forgiven if they forget John McGraw and Bill Donovan. Monday they will transfer their attention to Ebbets Field, where the New York and Boston printers will settle the much discussed question of supremacy in what promises to be a sizzling contest.

Former Gov. John K. Tener of Pennsylvania, now president of the National League, will toss out the ball, Shannon's regimental band will play and there are to be extra athletic events by National Guardsmen. As Benny Leonard is to be one of the umpires there is likely to be little disputing of decisions. Gus Marshall, official umpire at West Point, will be the other official. There is no admission fee, but contribution boxes, ostentatiously displayed near the entrance, will invite dimes and quarters and halves and dollars for the smoke fund.

Seats for Comedies on Sale Monday

Monday the sale of seats for the benefit performance to be given Thursday and Friday nights by instructors and the graduating class of the Washington Square Players School will open at the Comedy Theatre, 110 West Forty-first street. On each of these nights "The Turtledove," "The Neighbors," "Overtones" and "The Age of Reason," each a clever comedy, will be produced.

The company held a rehearsal yesterday and an outsider who was privileged to be present is authority for the statement that no one can afford to miss the performances August 9 and 10. The productions will be given under the personal direction of Mrs. Clare Tree Major, director of the school. Mrs. Major, who formerly was connected with the London School of Dramatic Art, has scored dramatic successes both in England and this country and has been one of the principal factors in contributing to the popularity of the Washington Square Players' institution.

The public should do its ticket buying, like its Christmas shopping, early. The theatre is not large and the assured merit of the entertainment should mean a packed house on each occasion. The bigger the audience the more cigarettes and tobacco for the boys at the front, for the proceeds go to THE SUN'S fund.

Next week, too, and the week following are to have their special attractions. Moved by a generous spirit of patriotism, Joseph L. Pani announced yesterday two gala nights at his popular suburban restaurants. The first will be at Castles by the Sea, Long Beach, Friday, August 17, and the second at Woodmansten Inn, Westchester, Thursday, August 23.

On each of these occasions well known actresses will distribute specially attractive souvenirs and invite from each recipient a contribution to the tobacco fund.

Canada Helps Again.

Canada was represented in the donations again yesterday, a business man of Quebec province sending $5. Despite its horrors this war is developing a fine spirit of good fellowship and fraternity among many peoples of the earth. The idea of sending smokes to our fighters strikes a responsive chord everywhere.

Do soldiers appreciate tobacco? Ask the members of the Veteran Corps of Artillery, N. G. N. Y. A lot of them and several members of other batteries, who were in camp on Pelham Bay last week, contributed $1 each. Their combined check for $45 was received yesterday.

Here's a good letter from two small patriots:

"Please use the enclosed $5 from two little girls whose dolls 'want to get in' where the smoke curls less peacefully than through the fund of THE SUN. They are Elizabeth and Helen."

More contributions are promised by a woman who signs herself simply "Renie."

"Enclosed find check for $5, which I hope will help some Teddy boys to have a smoke. None of the men folks in my family are smokers, but from others I hear of the joys of a 'pipe dream' and will remember our brave boys several times in this way."

William P. Kiggins, 220 Broadway, is another repeater. He says:

"Enclosed please find my second check for $10 for smokes for our Yankee boys in France and you can count on me for similar donation monthly, as every little bit helps, and I thoroughly appreciate what tobacco means to our boys so far away and dependent upon all of us at home for any little comforts of this kind, and which, we smokers all know, will do so much to cheer them up in their spare moments."

R. L. Lloyd and H. S. M. also sent their regular monthly contributions.

Schulte Stores Aid Mightily.

Meanwhile the boxes in all the Schulte cigar stores continue to receive certificates and coupons and yawn for more. Every Mutual paper dropped in one of them helps swell the fund, and every dollar purchase made in a Schulte store means 30 cents toward the total.

The fund now stands:

THE SUN and THE EVENING SUN	$2,000.00
Previously acknowledged	29,971.77
New contributions	206.50
Total	$32,178.27
Through the Schulte Cigar Stores	635.01
Grand total	$32,813.28

The new contributors:

F. A. Cundell, Cap a l'Aigle, Charlevoix County, Quebec Province, Canada	$5.00
From One Who Uses Tobacco	25.00
Elizabeth and Helen	5.00
J. Henry Dick, 17 Montague st., B'klyn	50.00
H. S. M.	2.00
Wm. P. Kiggins, 220 Broadway	10.00
Miss Lora A. Mix, 31 Pleasant st., Stamford, Conn.	5.00
Maurice Frankfort, 15 East 48th st.	10.00
R. L. Lloyd	5.00
A. S. Bell, 220 Fifth av.	10.00
"Renie"	5.00
Wm. J. Wallace, Eddystone, Del. Co., Pa.	5.00
Mrs. Melvin Weston Rowell, U.S. Army	5.00
Wm. A. Sanborn, Hartford, Conn.	5.00
J. Mazee, Jr., 423 74th st., Brooklyn	1.00
Mr. Cash	1.00
H. W. Henning & Son, 80 Maiden lane	2.50
S. C. Wood	10.00

Some members of the Second Battery of the Veteran Corps of Artillery N. Y. N. G.:

Major Francis Russell Soddard, Jr., 165 Broadway, N. Y.	1.00
Capt. E. Edson Gage, 28 East 49th st.	1.00
Lieut. John Shillito Rogers, 27 Cedar st	1.00
Lieut. Douglas Campbell, 43 Exchange place	1.00
Sergt.-Major F. E. Davidson, 141 B'way	1.00
First Sergeant Francis L. Woodburn, Elmhurst, L. I.	1.00
Sergt. Walter R. Jones, 27 W. 11th st.	1.00
Sergt. Elgar R. Hollander, 1891 B'way	1.00
Supply Sergt. Walter C. Morrill, 20 E. 42d st.	1.00
Corporal Andrew A. Bibby, 534 5th av.	1.00
Corporal Wilfred W. Mack, 80 Maiden lane	1.00
Clarence Dunning, Garden City, L. I.	1.00
Walter E. Dutton, 109 W. 45th st.	1.00
Harvey E. Fisk, Jr., 14 Wall st.	1.00
Geo. L. Genung, 24 E. 28th st.	1.00
Charles S. Hart, Bronxville, N. Y.	1.00
Alvin M. Higgins, Spuyten Duyvil, N.Y	1.00
Artemas Holmes, 114 E. 76th st.	1.00
Sheldon Hopkins, 27 So. Washington st., Tarrytown, N. Y.	1.00
Edgar Day Knap, 4249 Broadway	1.00
James S. Laing, 407 Albemarle road, Brooklyn	1.00
Emerson Latting, 500 Madison av.	1.00
Oliver W. Mallaby, 112 W. 73d st.	1.00
Geo. T. Moon, Jr., 76 St. James place, Brooklyn	1.00
Raymond D. Monld, 316 W. 93d st.	1.00
C. L. Murray, 240 Stanford av., Flushing, L. I.	1.00
Thomas F. Murray, 43 Cedar st.	1.00
A. T. Owens, 107 E. 37th st.	1.00
Henry M. Post, 18 W. 68th st.	1.00
Stephen A. Powell, Jr., Upper Montclair, N. J.	1.00
Lester Riley, 1501 Broadway	1.00
Hugh A. Schroeder, 251 W. 98th st.	1.00
Robert Sedgwick, 107 E. 37th st.	1.00
A. Parker Smith, 57 W. 58th st.	1.00
Thomas Tileston 2d, 13 Liberty st.	1.00
Horace D. Tracy, 712 Broadway	1.00
H. Montagne Vickers, 36 Wall st.	1.00
Oliver C. Wagstaff, 121 E. 61st st.	1.00
Kenneth Tucker Wilson, 451 Washington av., Montclair, N. J.	1.00
Lewis H. Woodburn, 215 Broadway, Elmhurst, L. I.	1.00
Clarence H. Young, 50 Vanderbilt av.	1.00

Some members of other batteries than the Second:

Adjutant First Lieut. Geo. William Burleigh, 52 Wall st., 1st Battalion	1.00
Mrs. Geo. William Burleigh, care Mr. Burleigh, 52 Wall st.	1.00
Sergt. Francis J. Hopson, 46 E. 62d st., 1st Battery	1.00
Archibald D. Tappan, 830 Park av., 1st Battery	1.00

DIED.

BEETSON.—Dorothy. Services "THE FUNERAL CHURCH," 1970 Broadway, Frank E. Campbell Bldg., Saturday morning, 10 o'clock.

BRECK.—Suddenly, at Garden City, L. I., on Thursday, August 2, Duer duPont Breck, son of the late Charles duPont Breck and Mary Duer Breck.

Services at Grace Church, Fulton street, Jamaica, Saturday, August 4, at 3 o'clock.

COOMBS.—On Friday morning, August 3, 1917, Gertrude Prince, widow of Charles Adams Coombs, at the residence of her nephew, Dr. Edmund P. Fowler, Spuyten Duyvil, N. Y.

Funeral private.

ELY.—Isadora Halleti, widow of the late Esra B. Ely, Jr., formerly of Bayonne, N. J., after a short illness, on Wednesday, August 1, at 11:15 P. M. Funeral will take place 244 West End avenue, Saturday, August 4, 2:30 P. M. Interment Greenwood Cemetery.

FLEISCHMANN.—Charles, son of Julius and Lilly A. Fleischmann of Cincinnati, Ohio, suddenly, August 2.

Funeral services Sunday, August 5, at 12:30 P. M. from U. S. Naval Air Station, Bay Shore, L. I. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

KIRCHENER.—Raphael. Services "THE FUNERAL CHURCH," 1970 Broadway, Frank E. Campbell Bldg., Saturday morning, eleven o'clock.

O'NEIL.—On Wednesday, August 1, Catharine O'Neil, in her seventy-seventh year.

Funeral from her late residence, 106 East Twelfth street, 9 A. M., thence to St. Ann's Church, Twelfth street near Fourth avenue.

ROE.—On August 3, 1917, at his residence, 174 West Seventy-second street, Albert Seely Roe, in the eighty-third year of his age.

Funeral services at St. Agnes's Chapel, Ninety-second street near Columbus avenue, on Monday morning, August 6, at half past 10 o'clock. Interment at Woodlawn Cemetery.

STEIGER.—Entered into rest, at Sea Gate, Ernest Steiger, in his eighty-fifth year. Funeral strictly private. Kindly omit flowers.

WESTON.—At Ossining Hospital, near his late residence, Briarcliff Manor, N. Y., on Friday morning, August 3, 1917, Major-Gen. John F. Weston, U. S. A., retired, beloved husband of Sarah Garlin Weston, in the seventy-second year of his age.

In Memoriam.

SCHAMBERGER.—In memory of our beloved mother, Maria J. Schamberger, who departed this life August 4, 1915. In God's care.

PERSONAL.

IF FREDERICK A. LORD, son of the late Henry F. Lord, will communicate with his mother, at Irvington-on-Hudson, he will learn something to his advantage.

ENGAGEMENTS ANNOUNCED.

Mrs. A. Pendleton Pell of Staten Island has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Dorothy Ogden Pell, to Leighton Dunning of Philadelphia. It is expected that the wedding will take place soon, as Mr. Dunning, who is a United States army engineer engaged in aeroplane work, is under orders from the Government.

The engagement is announced of Miss Aline Chester White, daughter of the late B. Ogden White, to William G. Irvine of Troop C, First New York Cavalry. Miss White's father was for some years secretary of the New York Stock Exchange and at one time its vice-president.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Darling Parker of Hartford, Conn., who are passing the summer in New Lebanon Center, N. Y., announced yesterday the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margery Sweet Parker, to Sydney Reed Smith of New York. Mr. Smith, who is the son of the librettist, Harry B. Smith, collaborated with Luke Thomas in the writing of "Love o' Mike!" He is a member of Squadron A, and is now at Plattsburg, having been recommended for a commission.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Kent of Brattleboro, Vt., formerly of Montclair, N. J., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Emily Kent, to John M. Van Heusen, Jr., son of Mrs. G. C. Summerfield of Montclair.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Bullock of Meadowbrook Farm, Williamstown, Mass., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret McCredie Bullock, to Charles F. Dickson of Cincinnati. The wedding will take place early in the autumn.

FOOD BILL A SHAM, PERKINS ASSERTS

Measure at Albany Not Designed to Aid People, in His Opinion.

T. R. DECLINES TO SERVE

"Impossible to Accept," Says Colonel, but Adds Warning to Save Crops.

George W. Perkins, chairman of the Mayor's Food Supply Committee, declared yesterday afternoon that the food commission bill introduced at Albany on Thursday night is "a hollow sham." He made plain his opinion that the bill wasn't designed with any real idea of helping the people in the solution of the food problem, and said the position taken by the drafters of the bill was the position that the food gamblers, speculators and hoarders of food wanted the Legislature to take.

After digesting a copy of the bill introduced at the special session Mr. Perkins said:

Scents Deceit in Proposal.

"The food commission bill introduced at Albany last night is a hollow sham. It is clearly an attempt to mislead and deceive, postpone and delay and do nothing of a constructive nature for the people of this State. It is perfectly clear that the same forces are at work at Albany to defeat Gov. Whitman's plan for worth while legislation that have been at work in Washington in an attempt to defeat President Wilson plan for worth while food legislation.

"Section 11 of the bill reveals the real intent of the influences that are behind the bill. This section reads as follows:

Sec. 11. Any municipality in this State may, in case of famine or when deprivation of necessaries for any part of its inhabitants creates an emergency therefor, purchase food with municipal funds or on municipal credit and sell the same to its inhabitants, but before the exercise of any such power or authority by any municipality, it shall have the consent in writing from the State Food Commission to exercise such power. The Mayor, if any, and the governing body or bodies of any such municipality, shall file with the State Food Commission a resolution and certificate stating that such a necessity has arisen in said municipality, and otherwise satisfy the State Food Commission that such a necessity exists. The State Food Commission shall act upon the application as in its judgment the public interest requires.

Famine First, Then Relief.

"Summed up, this clearly means famine first, relief afterward. No preparation in advance; do nothing at all until actual famine arises and then maybe, perhaps, if, but, &c., something can be done to relieve actual famine. But even this could not be done for days and perhaps weeks, because under this section the Mayor would have to certify to a condition of famine, the Board of Estimate would meet and resolve, the Board of Aldermen would assemble and do the same thing—at each point the food profiteers having the right to be heard and thus to cause delay—and then the State food commission would, if satisfied that famine existed, issue its written consent to New York city's going ahead.

"A pleasing procedure for starving people! By the time all this red tape had been unwound, assuming that either famine or serious deprivation of necessaries existed, most of the people in New York would be dead.

"Thus does the effrontery of the men who inspired this bill stand out clearly. But the people of this city are not actually starving to death, and there is little danger of their actually starving to death. That is not the point—at least not at the moment. The point is the price the people are having to pay for food. It is perfectly evident from the draft of this section 11 that the men back of it think it makes no difference how high the price of food goes so long as it can be had at some price or other, and this is precisely the position that the gamblers, the speculators and the hoarders of food want the Legislature to take.

"Do these men think that the Legislature was called together in special session by the Governor to legislate for the producer and distributer and the consumer, or for the gambler, the speculator and the hoarder?"

ROOSEVELT WON'T SERVE

He Declines State Food Commissionership With Thanks.

Col. Theodore Roosevelt will not serve as a member of the State Food Control Commission to which he was named, together with James W. Wadsworth, Sr., and Morgan J. O'Brien, in the bill introduced in the Legislature Thursday. In declining the honor thrust upon him Col. Roosevelt had this to say:

"I appreciate the courteous intentions of the authors of the bill, but it is impossible for me to accept. In the first place, the postion should be filled by a man with knowledge and aptitude of a very specialized kind, and my activities and interests for the last three years have led along wholly different lines. In the next place, I belive that, save under exceptional conditions which do not obtain in this case, the Chief Executive should make all appointments to executive offices.

"But I am glad to take this chance to say how vital I deem this kind of preparedness and how all thoughtful people should hail the interest being taken in it by the national Legislature in Washington and by the Legislature of our own great State. Our first need is to raise and put on the battle front great masses of fighting men. But we cannot do so unless, and without any further and lamentable delay, we build quantities of ships, unless we grow and conserve the immense quantities of food which will be needed not only by us, but by our allies. This last is a matter of vital importance to us at home, to the armies abroad and to our own hard pressed allies abroad. There must be cooperation by all as regards the growing, conserving and marketing of the crops."

HOUSE IN APPROVAL OF TWO FOOD BILLS

Conference Reports on Control and Survey Measures Are Adopted.

Special Despatch to THE SUN.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 3.—Conference reports on the Administration food control and food survey bills were adopted in the House to-day without much opposition.

Representative Powers of Kentucky, after an unsuccessful effort to recommit the long disputed report on the control measure, voted in the negative, and then changed his vote. Representative McLemore of Texas merely voted "present." On the survey measure the vote was viva voce, with only a few scattered "noes."

The bills will be taken up in the Senate to-morrow, but probably not adopted before Tuesday. Opposition by Senator Gore, Democrat, chairman of the Agricultural Committee, who may file a minority report, now appears to be the only dangerous stumbling block for them.

Adoption of the conference report on food control was featured by the speeches of not less than two dozen Representatives who declared that although they were against the bill for various reasons they would vote for it anyway. A similar number, chiefly Democrats, made speeches of congratulation to members of the conference committee on the report. About forty or fifty members spoke for one minute each to obtain the privilege of extending their remarks in the record.

"I think this is a very fine bill. I ask unonimous consent to extend my remarks in the record," was the text of most of these speeches.

Representative Gillett, Massachusetts, criticised the committee for not giving the House a chance to consider or vote on the proposal for a joint Congressional committee on war expenditures. He also criticised Chairman Lever for asking the opinion of the President on the bill, although he did not give the House a chance to express an opinion.

Representatives Reavis of Nebraska and Focht, Pennsylvania, expressed grave doubts as to the wisdom of the bill. "The result of the bill will be to spread confusion and disaster throughout the land," Representative Focht said.

Representative Kahn, Republican, who was born in Germany, congratulated the committee for leaving out the joint Congressional committee proposal. "I want to congratulate you," said Mr. Kahn, "for not putting in the 'snooping' committee. When the Democrats came into power in the Sixty-second Congress they appointed about a dozen of these 'snooping' committees. They spent thousands and thousands of dollars, and what did they accomplish? Not a God blessed thing."

Attacks on the bill because it failed to provide that clerks employed in the food administration should be under the civil service law were made by Representative La Guardia, New York, and others.

Contrary to expectations, neither the changes in the prohibition section nor the elimination of the war expenditures committee provision caused much discussion. Representative Barkley of Kentucky, one of the dry leaders, declared his satisfaction with the revised prohibition section, which would prohibit manufacture of distilled liquors and give the President power to commandeer liquor and to prohibit the making of beer and wines.

"If the war is to last two or three years," Mr. Barkley said, "the time will come when we shall have to put aside every luxury which will contribute to a shortage of the food supply. I am glad that the President is given the power to take such action in relation to wine and beer."

NOTES OF THE SOCIAL WORLD.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Sumner Welles have gone to Pine Bank, Milton, Mass., to visit Mrs. Horatio Slater.

Miss Margaret Appletone Means, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David MacGregor Means, will be married to Charles Thomas Payne of this city on September 8, at Stonecrop Lodge, the country place of her parents in Middlebury, Vt.

Mr. and Mrs. Arden M. Robbins have gone to Bar Harbor for a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Jules S. Bache left New York yesterday for Camp Wenonah, Saranac Inn, N. Y.

Mrs. J. Ellis Fisher, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Lenox Banks, Jr., in Newport, will start for Winnipeg, Canada, to-morrow.

Mrs. Lydig Hoyt and Mrs. A. Gifford Cochran have left the Ritz-Carlton to pass some time in Newport.

Mrs. Auguste La Montagne and her daughter, Mrs. Nicholas Murray Butler, are at the Curtis Hotel in Lenox.

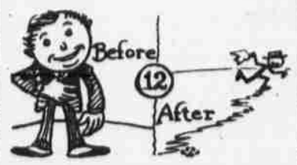
Mr. and Mrs. Bryan L. Kennelly have left their country place, Kennellworth, in Purchase, N. Y., for a trip to Belgrade Lakes, Me.

Heustis—Cornell.

Lieut. Andrew L. Heustis of 54 Maurice avenue, Elmhurst, who is attached to the Paymaster's Department of the United States navy, married Miss Alice M. Cornell, daughter of William H. Cornell of Little Neck road, Little Neck, L. I., at a simple home wedding yesterday.

Lexa—Eberhart.

Lieut. Joseph Lexa, stationed at Fort Fisher, was married to Miss Theresa Eberhart of 1622 Hancock street, Ridgewood, on Thursday. The bride is a daughter of Jacob Eberhart and was born in Austria. Lieut. Lexa was born in Bohemia.



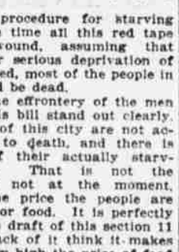
You have all morning long to get the things you will need after twelve.

White flannels. Blue serge suit. Norfolk, knitted or homespun. Bathing suit. Tennis balls. Rackets. Golf Balls. Clubs.

For Soldiers!
Army Officers' uniforms of highest quality O. D. serge. Ready-to-wear, $30. "Westpointer" shoes. The last officially approved for West Point Cadets. Regulation tan, $7.50.
The Roll-a-Feet Camp Toilet Case, $3.25.

ROGERS PEET COMPANY
Broadway at 13th St. | "The Four Corners" | Broadway at 34th St.
Broadway at Warren | | Fifth Ave. at 41st St.

Kennedy 12 Cortlandt St.
"Gee, the Water's Fine!"



Wool Bathing Suits $3.50 & $4.50 Bought in 1916 Worth Now $5 & $6
Bates Street Fine Soft Shirts $1.75 each
$2 & $2.50 Grades
Tennis Shirts 98c to $1.75
Cheviot & Madras
FOR YOUR OUTING
Khaki & Duck Trousers, $1 & $1.50
Khaki Shirts, 79c, $1.15 up to $3
Silk Shirts, $2.98, $3.98, $6.50
White Flannel Trousers, $3.65
OUTING HATS & CAPS, 50c, 95c in Silk, Duck, Tweed, Mohair, Etc.

THRONG AT FUNERAL OF JERE J. COHAN

Many Notables Attend Last Service for Actor and Old Soldier.

With the edifice crowded and more than a thousand persons standing in the street the funeral of Jere J. Cohan, actor, war veteran and father of George M. Cohan, was held at the Church of the Blessed Sacrament, Broadway and Seventy-second street, yesterday. Solemn requiem mass was celebrated by the Rev. Father Stuart Chambers, with the Rev. Fathers Leo F. Ryan and John Murphy as deacon and sub-deacon, respectively.

The stage, the bar, the bench and the G. A. R. all were represented in the throng. The floral offerings were so profuse that they not only covered the casket but filled three large automobiles, which bore them to the grave in Woodlawn Cemetery. The pall bearers were Sam H. Harris, Dr. Oscar Lieser, F. F. Proctor, Francis X. Hope, Charles J. Gebhest, Bert Fiebelman, Dennis O'Brien, Thomas A. O'Brien, Jr., Bert E. W. Dunn and Walter J. Moore.

Among those noted in the church were Amelia Bingham, former Justice Morgan J. O'Brien, Andrew Mack, Raymond Hitchcock, Morris Gest, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Russell, Richard Carle, Loney Haskill, Julian Mitchell, Mrs. Timothy P. Sullivan, widow of "Little Tim"; her son Joseph, George Nicolai, Harrison and Hugo Fisher, Laura Bennett, James Doyle and Harland Dixon. Billy Wood of Wood and Sheppard fame, Mark Sullivan, "Irish Billy" Carroll, George White, Jules Garrison, James Montgomery, Wallace Munro, James J. Corbett, William Collier, Otto Hauerbach, Charles K. Harris, Dr. Philip Grausman, John Gorman, David Ferguson, Richard Ferguson, Charles Murray of Buffalo, B. Russel Throckmorton, Billy Murray, Frank Tannehill, Barney Gilman, Benny Sugerman, Louis Hahn of the St. Regis, Charles Evans, E. F. Albee, Jack Gleason, James J. Riordon, James Sullivan, John W. Rumsey, Irving Berlin, Mrs. Billy Jerome, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Rice, George Sidney, James J. Morton, Mrs. Henry Miller, Billy Clifford, Bernard Dillon and George Lemaire.

OBITUARIES.

MAJOR-GEN. JOHN F. WESTON.

A veteran of the civil, Indian and Spanish wars, Major-Gen. John F. Weston, 71, died yesterday at the Ossining Hospital the victim of bronchial pneumonia. He is survived by his widow and two daughters, Misses Catherine and Mary Weston, who live at Briarcliff. Funeral services will be held at Ossining this afternoon at 5 o'clock, after which the body will be taken to Washington and interred at Arlington.

Gen. Weston was born in Louisville, Ky., and at the start of the civil war he enlisted in the Fourth Kentucky Volunteer Cavalry as a private. He was but 16 years old then, but it was not long before he was made a Lieutenant.

At the end of the war he was mustered out of service with the rank of Major. He then obtained a commission in the regular army and served with great distinction through the Indian wars under Gen. Custer. In 1875 he entered the Commissary Department and in 1898 became the Assistant Commissary General of the army. In the Spanish American War he served as Brigadier-General in the volunteer army, and in 1900 he was appointed Commissary General. As a Major-General he was assigned to the Philippine division in 1905 and four years later was retired.

CAPT. EDWIN BILL.

Capt. Edwin Bill, 94, old time whaler and Sag Harbor's oldest resident, died on Thursday in his home in Division street.

When 18 he shipped aboard the Daniel Webster, a whaler, which sailed from Sag Harbor in the days when whaling was an important Long Island industry. On his first voyage Capt. Bill went around the world.

When gold was discovered in California in 1849, Capt. Bill set out for the gold fields with a company of Long Island argonauts in the ship Little Hamilton of Sag Harbor. He did not strike it rich in the gold fields and soon returned to the sea. He volunteered in the 127th Regiment of New York when the civil war began, serving throughout the conflict.

ADONIRAM CLARK.

Adoniram Clark, the oldest member of the New York Produce Exchange, died Thursday night at his home in White Plains. He was born in Westfield, Mass., December 3, 1826.

Mr. Clark was senior member of the grain firm of Clark & Allen at Thirty-second street and East River. He established this firm on April 10, 1867, and only recently the Produce Exchange celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of the partnership of Mr. Clark and Edward A. Allen. Mr. Clark is survived by a son, H. Ross Clark of White Plains, and two grandchildren.

MRS. CATHERINE J. E. WARD.

Mrs. Catherine J. E. Ward, widow of Sylvester L'Hommedieu Ward and daughter of the late Rear Admiral Jacob Walton, Royal Navy, died Thursday at the home of her son, Delancy Ward, 162 Madison avenue, Flushing. Mrs. Ward was in her ninety-first year. She was one of the oldest members of Trinity Episcopal Church, Manhattan, and the funeral services will be held there on Sunday afternoon.

HAMILTON MUSK.

Hamilton Musk, secretary of the Thomas A. Edison Company, died in his home, 10 Lawrence avenue, West Orange, N. J., yesterday. Mr. Musk had been ill for several months. He was born at Park Ridge, N. J., forty years ago, and had been with the Edison people for two years. Before going to the Edison plant he was connected with the business department of the American Press Association.

Mr. Musk was a member of the Elks and of the Royal Arcanum. A wife, daughter, father, brother and two sisters survive.

JAMES H. CULLEN.

James H. Cullen, widely known as a merchant, barge builder and politician, died yesterday in his home, 254 Eighty-third street, Brooklyn. He was born in County Cavan, Ireland, in 1847, and came to this country when he was three years of age. He always took a lively interest in politics, without seeking public place for himself. Mr. Cullen was a charter member of the Kingston, N. Y., Elks lodge. The widow, a daughter, Miss Genevieve, and four sons, Edward F., James H., Robert L. and Arthur R. Cullen, survive.

Funeral services will be held at the Church of Our Lady of Angels, Brooklyn, and the interment will be at Kingston, N. Y.

MRS. ANNA ELIZABETH CRASKE.

Mrs. Anna Elizabeth Craske, widow of Charles Craske, who invented the rolled stereotyping plate, died Thursday at the home of her son-in-law, Dr. Orando S. Ritch, 78 Halsey street, Brooklyn. Two sons, Christopher H. and Charles E. Craske, and three daughters, Mrs. Margaret Ritch, Mrs. Bessie M. Brestell and Miss Caroline Craske, survive. Interment will be in Green-Wood Cemetery.

TOURISTS BY AUTOMOBILE.

Special Despatch to THE SUN.

MANCHESTER, Vt., Aug. 3.—Arrivals by automobile at the Equinox House included: Mr. and Mrs. Bunnell, Miss Bunnell, Pelham, N. Y. (Mercer); Mr. and Mrs. Anson Farrel, Ansonia, Conn. (Packard); Joseph S. Merline, Dr. J. J. Meyer, New York (Chevrolet); Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Jackson, Boston (Cadillac); Miss A. Thomey, Miss M. N. Aliey, Miss Mary T. Seaman, Brooklyn (Packard); Mr. and Mrs. George J. Patterson, Garden City; Mrs. M. Patterson, Miss Patterson, Brooklyn (Paige); Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Reynolds, Passaic, N. J. (Mitchell); Dr. and Mrs. Talbott, Jr., Mrs. Robert R. Forgan, Chicago (Franklin); Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Feeney, Boston (Simplex); Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Brown, Lake Forest, Ill.; W. Eugene Kimball, New York (Lanier); A. Norton, Norwich, Conn. (Buick).

NEW LONDON, Conn., Aug. 3.—Arrivals by automobile at the Mohican Hotel today included: Mrs. W. Parker, Sag Harbor (Buick); Mildred M. Cusick, Boston (Dodge); William L. Brown, Boston (Dodge); Mrs. Charles E. Pellew, Miss Anna C. Pellew, New York (Buick); Mr. and Mrs. R. W. E. Leach, Boston (Packard); Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hiscox, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Sturgis, New Bedford (National); Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Criss, Hoboken (Packard); V. B. Wolf and wife, Brooklyn (Winton); Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Clark, McKeesport, Pa. (Cadillac); Mrs. D. G. Archibald and son, Miss E. Feigenspan, Newark (Cadillac); Mr. and Mrs. Charles Capron Marsh, Ralph T. Marsh, Miss Elizabeth S. Marsh, Lerroll B. Marsh, Master Edward C. Marsh, East Orange (Pierce Arrow); J. A. Lengland, wife and child, Hartford (Buick); W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., and party, New York (Packard); Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dewey (Mitchell).

COOPERSTOWN, N. Y., Aug. 3.—Automobile arrivals at the Otesaga to-day included: Mr. and Mrs. Asa S. Gardiner, Baltimore; Miss E. J. Cooney, Howard Campbell, Jr., New York (Hudson); Mrs. Alfred Degraff, Miss Degraff, Fonda, N. Y.; Miss Ella Moore, Kingston, N. Y. (Packard); Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Creelman, Mrs. J. M. Taylor, Miss Taylor, Rochester (Cadillac); Mr. and Mrs. James D. Rogers, Warren, Pa. (Apperson); Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Lang, Oneonta; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Vogt, Brooklyn (Peerless); Mr. and Mrs. David Young, Towaco, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Price, Newark (Velie); Mrs. D. A. Tower, Miss Belle Tower, Mrs. W. T. Damreuther, New York (Pierce Arrow); Mr. and Mrs. Frank Remsen, Brooklyn (Cadillac).

NEWCASTLE, N. H., Aug. 3.—To-day's arrivals at the Wentworth by automobile included: Countess De Langier Villars and Miss A. Livingston, New York (Pierce); Mrs. John Bowne Mott, Bellport, L. I.; Mrs. Walter S. Gurnee, Jr., Oyster Bay (Pierce); Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Nutting, Framingham (Owen); Dr. and Mrs. G. Seligman, New York (Pierce); Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cawley, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Armes, Fair Haven, Mass. (Cadillac); Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Swift, Mr. and Mrs. J. Madison Porter, Easton, Pa. (Packard); Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Rowley, Miss Grace Rowley, Montreal (Pierce); Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McRae, Frank Dudley, Attleboro (Peerless); Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hayes, Peabody (Packard); Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Jordan and family, Cambridge (Flat); Mr. and Mrs. J. Nathan, New York (Pierce); Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kittridge, Evanston, Ill. (Packard); Mrs. C. A. Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wilkinson, Providence (Packard); Miss N. Daveud, Hartford; Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Leon, New York (Cadillac); Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ely, Richard Ely, Westfield, Mass. (Cadillac); Charles Spencer Sergeant, Miss Elizabeth Sergeant, Brookline (Hudson); Dr. and Mrs. John Woodford Farlow, Boston (Packard); Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bartlett, Miss Bartlett, Oxford, Mass. (Packard); Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dalrymple, Audrey Earl, Montreal (Buick); Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Love, St. Louis; Mrs. F. E. Bartner, Canajoharie, N. Y. (Marmon); J. A. Skinner and family, Holyoke (Packard); Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bailey, Groton (Stevens Duryea); Mr. and Mrs. George G. Hull, Brookline (Cadillac); Mr. and Mrs. John H. Butte, Miss Effie N. Butte, Providence (Packard).

WATERBURY, Conn., Aug. 3.—Arrivals by automobile at the Elton include: Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Roberts and daughter, New York (Knox); Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Remington, New York (Buick); Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Martin, Mrs. H. W. Taylor, the Misses West and Martin, Philadelphia (Cadillac); Mrs. F. A. Dallett and daughter, Setauket, L. I. (Packard); Mr. and Mrs. J. Allen Hearne, New York (National); Miss C. L. Sippen, Miss J. Abbey, Seabright, N. J. (Hudson); Mr. and Mrs. J. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. C. Raymond, New York (Mercer); Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bair, Miss Bair, Master Bair, Homestead, Pa. (Murray); Mrs. James Cronan, Miss Helen Close, Mrs. Thomas Eyrucue, Miss Katherine Eyrucue, East Orange, N. J. (Packard).

BRETTON WOODS, N. H., Aug. 3.—Automobile arrivals to-day at the Mount Washington Hotel