

A. V. TACK PORTRAYS ORIENTAL SCENES

Artist's New Exhibits Tend More Than Previously to Chinese Standards.

SOME FINE SPECIMENS

Fantastic and Decorative Landscapes Are Painted With Japanese Accent.

Augustus Vincent Tack, one of the bright particular stars in the galaxy attached to the Tuckman Galleries, is now exhibiting those rooms his latest work.

There is quite a flourishing group of young Oriental artists who are doing their best to paint in the European manner, and it must be confessed that they come quite as near to it as most young Americans who are easygoing in their attitude in the same fashion.

Most of the new pictures are fantastic and decorative landscapes. The Japanese accent in the use of pigments, which remains European.

MARRIED.

HORN-LURCH-February 14, 1918, at St. James' Episcopal Church, 115 East 70th street, to Miss Lurch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lurch, 185 East 70th street, to John A. Horn of New York City.

SMITH-RAND-At San Antonio, Tex., on Friday, February 15, 1918. Eugene, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, 100 West 10th street, to Miss Rand, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ten Brock Jackson, to George Valentine Smith, Lieutenant of the Aviation Section of the Signal Corps.

DIED.

BATTEN-On Saturday, February 16, 1918, George Batten, at his home, Montclair, N. J., in his sixty-fourth year.

BROWN-On February 15, 1918, Mrs. Elizabeth, beloved wife of the late John Crosby Brown and daughter of the late Mr. William C. Brown, died at her home, 150 West 10th street, on Monday, February 18, at 2:30 o'clock. It is respectfully requested that no flowers be sent.

BRIMLEY-Mary Adela Viole, after a short illness, at Flushing, L. I., in the seventy-third year of her age, on Saturday, February 16, 1918, at 10 o'clock. Interment at the convenience of the family.

COHEN-At Yonkers, N. Y., on Saturday, February 16, 1918, Emma, beloved wife of Alexander Cohen.

CORTAZZO-Suddenly, at Lakewood, N. J., on Saturday, February 16, 1918, in the seventy-sixth year of her age, at 10 o'clock. Interment at the residence, 215 West 14th street.

LEWIS-On Friday, February 15, 1918, at 10 o'clock, at his residence, 11 East 86th street, John Hutton, in his sixty-second year of his age.

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Military Ball Friday for Camp Upton Hall Fund.

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Only a small gathering of relatives and intimate friends witnessed the ceremony, which took place before a temporary altar in one of the apartments of the hotel.

PASSION PLAY OPENS TO-DAY.

"Veronica's Veil" Presented for Fourth Season in Hoboken.

The fourth season of Hoboken's annual religious play, sometimes called America's Passion Play, begins to-day at 8:30 P. M. in the auditorium of Central avenue and Traphagen street, west Hoboken.

Special performance for children are to be given this year, more than 10,000 children having seen the play in past seasons.

The National League for Women's Service will present a pageant, "The Road to Victory," in the Academy of Music in Brooklyn on the evenings of February 17 and 18.

The present is to be given for the purpose of raising funds to assist the League in their efforts for American troops in France.

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GREENWICH, Feb. 16.—A fire of mysterious origin destroyed the residence of Mrs. E. W. Russell in Upper North street last night, entailing a loss of \$250,000. Furniture, paintings, tapestries, and other valuable objects were consumed.

BOSTON EVENING RECORD SOLD.

Local Syndicate Buys Newspaper From C. S. Bird.

Boston, Feb. 16.—The Boston Evening Record was sold to-day by Francis W. Bird to a syndicate of local men headed by Louis P. Page, president and general manager of the Page Company, book publishers, and former owner of the Boston National League baseball club.

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MANY MOURN FOR MRS. DUFFY.

2,000 Follow Funeral Cortege for Half a Mile on Foot.

Requiem mass was chanted yesterday morning for the Very Rev. Mr. James Duffy in St. Agnes' Church, Brooklyn, which he founded forty years ago. In the sanctuary were more than 200 priests from many sections of the country.

FREE WOOD FOR NEW YORK'S POOR

Refuse of Parks, Subways and Rivers to Be Given to Needy.

800 CORDS ARE AVAILABLE Mayor's Committee of Women Doing Effective Work in Alleviating Suffering.

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LATE AMBASSADOR IS BURIED SIMPLY

Sir Cecil Spring Rice Laid to Rest at Ottawa With Quiet Ceremony.

OTTAWA, Feb. 16.—Wartime simplicity marked the funeral here to-day of Sir Cecil Spring Rice, former British Ambassador to the United States, who died suddenly last Thursday at Government House, although leading representatives of the diplomatic, military, professional and business interests of the Dominion assembled at St. Bartholomew's Church to do him honor.

The casket, covered with the Union Jack, reposed in front of the chancel and was banked with a profusion of flowers, which included an exquisite wreath bearing the crest of President Wilson.

Four women, principally women, who went to the undertaker's chapel to do the body of Sir Cecil and his family as their close friends and who had come here for the funeral. Other tributes were from men widely known in the United States and Canada.

Religious services were held previous to the start of the military funeral procession to the train.

SCHUMANN CLUB SINGS.

"Choral Song Recital" Given in Aeolian Hall.

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