NOTABLE MEN HEAR LAST RITES SAID FOR GEN. HORACE PORTER

Funeral Services in Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church Are Marked by Simplicity—His Military Hat and Sword Are Placed on Bier.

No funeral in recent years in New York brought together a more notable assemblage of men of prominence in civic, financial and industrial life than that which attended yesterday morning the last services for Gen. Horace Porter, soldier, diplomat and publicist, in the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, Fifth avenue and Fifty-fifth street. The congregation was not large, but in it were official representatives of the War Department and of the French Government, as well as men who are eminent in the public and private life of the nation.

The service was held at 10 o'clock. A few hours later the body was taken to Elberon, N. J., where it was placed in a vault to await the arrival from Europe of Gen. Porter's daughter, Mrs. Edwin Mende, of Berne, Switzerland. A military funeral will be held later.

According to the expressed wishes of Gen. Porter the service, which was conducted by the Rev. Dr. John Kelman, pastor of the church, was of extreme simplicity. There were no honorary pallbearers. No eulogy was pronounced by Dr. Kelman who, however, paid a brief but eloquent tribute to the dead soldier and diplomat in the one prayer he offered.

Historic Relics at Bier.

The simplicity of the service served to make more impressive its military note. Upon the American flag that covered the coffin was placed Gen. Porter's military hat and the sword he carried when, as a member of the staff of Gen. U. S. Grant, he witnessed the surrender of Gen. Lee at Appomattox Court House. Then, at the close, while the congregation remained standing after the benediction, Bugler Robert I. Clapham, Troop C of the First New York Cavalry, sounded taps. Elihu Root was only one of scores of long time associates of Gen. Porter who were moved to tears.

The flag covered coffin was carried to the foot of the pulpit platform and after it walked the following members of the family circle and close friends: Mrs. James M. Wheeler of Brookline, Mass., a sister of Gen. Porter; Henry McHarg a brother-in-law; Dr. Josephine Hildrup of Brookline, a niece; Miss Foster, who had been Gen. Porter's confidential secretary for many years; Mrs. S. M. Hamilton of New York; Mrs. John Routh Ogden, a daughter-in-law of Gen. Porter; John McHarg of Albany, Mrs. Henry McHarg of New York, Judge William Porter of Philadelphia, a nephew; Mrs. William Porter, Hobart Porter of Philadelphia, a grandnephew; Mrs. Hobart Porter, Andrew Porter, grandnephew; Van Zandt Wheeler of New York, a grandnephew; W. Sinclair Hamilton, grandnephew; Mrs. W. Sinclair Hamilton, Dr. James Hayden and Henry Hayden. Mrs. Van Zandt Wheeler, who had gone to her country place in West Point, Me., was unable to be present.

"Lead, Kindly Light," was sung by a mixed quartet in opening the service. Selections from the Scriptures were read by Dr. Kelman, after which the choir sang "There Is a Land Beyond the Setting Sun."

Tribute in the Prayer.

In his prayer, which preceded the final hymn, "Sleep Thy Last Sleep," Dr. Kelman said of Gen. Porter:

"His was a life of varied service in all that he did in the field of battle or in the fruitful fields of peace. Great was his affection for his leader. He performed great services for many nations and he was held high in honor in many lands. He brought about a better state of international relations and established for himself worldwide fame. He was a man of culture, spirit and of great simplicity. His was a great friendliness which made him one of the great gentlemen whom all men loved."

Brig.-Gen. William W. Weigel, Brig.-Gen. Robert Lee Bullard's Chief of Staff, represented the War Department. The French Government was represented by Major L. Dubreuil, acting military attache of the French Embassy in Washington. There also were present delegations from each of the following organizations: Grand Army of the Republic, Loyal Legion, Army and Navy Club, the U. S. Grant Post, G. A. R.; George Washington Post, G. A. R.; Military Order of Foreign Wars, Medal of Honor Legion, Society of the Cincinnati, Sons of the Revolution, the Authors Down Town, Union League, Lotos, Players, National Arts, University, Republican, Metropolitan and Williams College clubs and the Alliance Francaise.

In the delegation from the Chamber of Commerce were J. Pierpont Morgan, Cornelius N. Bliss, Jr., A. C. Bedford, Frank A. Vanderlip and Arthur Curtiss James.

One of the largest delegations came from the Lotos Club. It included Chester S. Lord, the president; Alexander C. Humphreys, Charles W. Price, Charles E. Finlay, Walter Stabler, Frederick G. Hobbs, James G. Shepherd Benjamin A. Hageman, Jr.; William A. Clark, Elbridge Gerry Snow, George Broadhurst, James F. Allen, Herbert S. Houston, Carl F. Ahlstrom, Nicholas Murray Butler, Frank Conover, Abram I. Elkus, J. Newton Gunn, Lee Kohns Ogden Reid, Edward G. Riggs, Charles M. Schwab, John Elderkin, Melville E. Stone, Louis Wiley, David H. Taylor, R. A. C. Smith and Frederick D. Underwood.

Union League Delegation.

In the delegation from the Union League Club, of which Gen. Porter was president from 1893 until 1897, were Elihu Root, Samuel W. Fairchild, Henry P. Davison, James R. Sheffield, Frank A. Munsey, William H. Remick, Charles A. Fowler, Gilbert G. Thorne, W. I. Lincoln Adams, Benjamin B. Odell, Frederick J. Middlebrook, Henry C. Quinby, Gates W. McGarrah, Bertram H. Borden, William C. Breed, William D. Guthrie, Mortimer C. Adams, William G. Bates, John L. Brower, Charles W. Carpenter, Emory W. Clark, Henry Clews, Henry J. Cochran, George B. Cortelyou, Edward R. Finch, Horace W. Fuller, John W. Griggs, Ulysses S. Grant, Jr.; William S. Hawk, Warren M. Healy, A. Barton Hepburn, George W. Hodges, Charles Lanier, Henry C. Meyer, John E. Miller, Andrew Mills, William D. Murphy, Benjamin Parr, William H. Porter, Henry B. Quinby, P. Tecumseh Sherman, George H. Taylor, James N. Wheelan, Albert H. Wiggin and Clark Williams.

John Drew and Francis Wilson attended in behalf of their fellow members of the Players Club, of which Gen. Porter became a member upon its formation in 1888.

Others present were Prof. and Mrs. Henry Fairfield Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Berwind, J. Van Vechten Olcott, Louis Stern, Herbert L. Satterlee, C. Henry Butler of Washington, John Christopher O'Connor, George Ledlie, Mrs. Charles B. Alexander, George T. Wilson, Elbert H. Gary, Logan C. Murphy, E. J. Cushing, Albert Morris Bagby, Judge William B. Dickey, Dr. George W. Brush, past commander of the Medal of Honor Legion; Gen. Daniel Appleton, John du Fais, Charles D. Chapin, Walston Hill Brown, Mrs. Wilber Bloodgood, J. S. MacLean of the H. B. Claflin Post, G. A. R.; A. T. Gurletz, Major William M. Chadbourne, Dr. Louis Livingston Seaman, William R. Willcox, Tracy H. Harris, Gen. J. Fred Pierson, Charles F. Brooker, Major George Beck, George A. Bryce and Charles H. Dix, members of U. S. Grant Post, and Gen. W. W. Healey.

SERVICE FOR BROTHERS HEROES IN WORLD WAR

Harold and Roy Bothwell of Brooklyn Died in Action.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon for Second Lieut. Harold E. Bothwell, 32 years old, and memorial services for his brother, Lieutenant-Commander Roy A. Bothwell, United States Coast Guard, 23 years old. Both died during the world war. They were the only children of Thomas E. and Laura A. Bothwell of 167 Wyckoff street, Brooklyn.

Lieut. Bothwell was attached to the 306th Infantry, Seventy-seventh Division, and was killed in action on the Vesle River, August 14, 1918. Lieutenant-Commander Bothwell went down with the U. S. S. Tampa when the vessel was torpedoed in the Bristol Channel, England, September 26, 1918.

The services will be held at the Baptist Temple on Third avenue and Schermerhorn street. Interment of the body of Lieut. Bothwell, the soldier, will be made in Greenwood Cemetery.

MRS. KATE B. EVANS.

Funeral services will be held this morning for Mrs. Kate Ballantyne Evans, widow of George W. Evans, banker and the daughter of John Ballantyne, Scotch publisher. Mrs. Evans was born in Edinburgh 88 years ago. She was in Brooklyn during the civil war and as a member of Plymouth Church, of which Henry Ward Beecher was pastor, was active in the abolition crusade and in women's war work. She died Tuesday at her home, 181 Woodruff avenue, Flatbush, and is survived by a son.

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PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

NEW YORK.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sloane are at their house in Mount Kisco, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank K. Sturgis have gone to Newport to pass the summer.

Mrs. George A. Robbins will go to her house in Bar Harbor June 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliot Warren have gone to the Brae, their summer home at Lawrence, L. I.

Mrs. Henry Asher Robbins went yesterday to Asher House, her home in Southampton, to remain until November.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Forbes McCreery entertained at dinner last night in Delmonico's.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Whitman will divide their time this summer between Newport and the St. Regis, where they have an apartment.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Williams, who passed a few days at the Meadow Club, Southampton, have returned to New York.

Mrs. Robert M. Thompson has come from Washington to remain at the St. Regis a few days before going to Southampton, L. I.

Mrs. Townsend Phillips entertained six friends at dinner in the roof garden restaurant of the Ritz-Carlton last night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marshall Allen will give a dinner and dance to-night at Glenallyn, their country place in Convent, N. J., to celebrate the Twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage.

Mr. Augusto Cochrane de Alencar, the Brazilian Ambassador, arrived yesterday at the Ritz-Carlton, accompanied by Mr. Joaquin de Sousa Leao, Second Secretary of the embassy.

Mr. William K. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Robert Graves, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Brown of Baltimore and Mr. and Mrs. T. Suffern Tailer joined friends for luncheon yesterday in the Ambassador. Mr. and Mrs. George J. Gould, Jr., gave a dinner party there last night.

WASHINGTON.

Mr. Ira Nelson Morris, American Minister to Sweden, and Mrs. Morris have arrived in Washington and are at Wardman Park Hotel.

The Misses Matilda and Mary Mellon have closed their apartment at the Connecticut, and after a visit at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel, in Philadelphia, will go to New England for the summer.

Mrs. Davenport Brown, who has been the guest of her parents, Associate Justice and Mrs. Joseph McKenna, will be joined to-day by her husband. Mr. and Mrs. Brown will leave Saturday for New York and sail for Europe on June 9.

A luncheon was given by Mr. Maximo Zapeda, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Nicaragua, at the Metropolitan Club yesterday in honor of Secretary of State Hughes. Among the guests were the French Ambassador, the Chilean Ambassador, the Attorney General, Senator Phipps and Representative Porter.

NEWPORT.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus F. Kountze will arrive in July.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Tangeman will arrive to-morrow at the Shedd cottage for the summer.

Commander and Mrs. Howard H. Lammers are occupying their new home at 77 Washington street.

Mrs. Philip Rhinelander 2d returned from New York, where she had been to attend the Tiffany-Saportas wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Eustis will arrive next Monday from Washington to occupy the Moorings.

Mr. Alfred Tuckerman and Commander Leon S. Thompson arrived at 58 Kay street for the summer. They will be joined shortly by Mrs. Tuckerman.

Mrs. Edwin T. Pollock, wife of Capt. Pollock, U. S. N., gave a luncheon yesterday for her daughter, Miss Beatrice Pollock, who will be married Saturday to Commander Robert S. Chew, Jr., U. S. N.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hyde Ripley and their children are with Mrs. Frederick Pearson at Anglesea, Mr. and Mrs. R. Horace Gallatin are at Chepstow, Mr. and Mrs. I. Townsend Burden are at Fairlawn and Mrs. John Shafroth is at the Chace cottage.

Many arrivals from other cities presaged an early season for Newport, perhaps the earliest in four years. Among those arriving were Mrs. Austin Gray, who is at Pinard cottage No. 2, with her children; Mr. and Mrs. Frank K. Sturgis, who are at their estate, the Cliffs, and Mrs. Charles Moran, who is occupying her Red Cross avenue cottage.

IN THE BERKSHIRES.

Mrs. John C. Mallery of New York has arrived at the Lenox Club for the season.

Mrs. Francis C. Barlow of New York has arrived at the Curtis Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wheeler Francis and Mr. Arthur R. Manice of New York are at the Greylock Hotel in Williamstown.

Mr. Joseph Simeon Drake of New York opened the Manatuck Farm cottage in Stockbridge yesterday.

WEDDING NOTES.

Cards have been issued for the wedding of Miss Janet Linn Cobb to Charles Douglas Murray of Baltimore, which will take place in St. John's Episcopal Church at Clifton, Staten Island, on Wednesday afternoon, June 15. Miss Cobb is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Julius Ola Cobb. Dr. Cobb is in charge of the public health service hospital at Fox Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. John Randolph Grymes have sent out invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Marie Medora Grymes, to Mr. David Ralph Jacques Arnold in Christ Church, New Brighton, Staten Island, on the night of June 22.

Announcement was made yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Slevin of 248 West Seventy-first street of the engagement of their daughter, Miss May Slevin, to Mr. Frederick Brennan of Boston, Mass.

MISS FARRELL IS ENGAGED.

Mrs. James C. Farrell of Albany announced yesterday the engagement of her daughter, Miss Marcia Ann Brady Farrell, to Mr. John McPike Keresey of this city. Miss Farrell is a granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Anthony N. Brady of Albany and a niece of Mr. Nicholas F. Brady of this city. No date has been set for the wedding.

Take his photograph with you.
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Miss C. L. Wyeth Becomes Bride of John R. Thorndike

Ceremony in St. James's Church Followed by Reception at the Gotham.

In St. James's Church, Madison avenue and Seventy-first street, yesterday Miss Caroline Lydia Wyeth, daughter by a former marriage of Mrs. Stephen Guion Williams of 1155 Park avenue, was married to Mr. John Richard Thorndike of Boston by the rector, the Rev. Frank W. Crowder. The bride entered the church with her stepfather, Mr. Williams. Her sister, Mrs. E. Kenneth Hadden, was the matron of honor and the bridesmaids were Misses Adrienne Iselin, Elsie Croll, Elizabeth J. Russell and Frances Judson.

Mr. Robert W. Means of Boston served as Mr. Thorndike's best man. The ushers were Messrs. Richard K. Thorndike, cousin of the bridegroom; W. Gordon Means and James W. Spring of Boston; Gouverneur M. Carnochan, a cousin of the bride; Alfred Macy and Robert Sedgwick, Jr. After the ceremony there was a reception in the ballroom of the Gotham. Mr. and Mrs. Thorndike will live in Brookline, Mass.

The bride wore with her gown of white satin some old point de Venise lace which, with her veil of rose point lace, had once been worn by her maternal great-grandmother, the late Mrs. Jasper Grosvenor, and also by her grandmother, the late Mrs. Frederic Goodridge of this city and Riverdale-on-Hudson.

MISS DEACON AND DUKE TO WED THIS SUMMER

Understood That Marriage Will Take Place in Paris.

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New York Herald Bureau, Paris, June 2.

While the date of the marriage of Miss Gladys Deacon, daughter of the late Edward Parker Deacon of Boston, to the Duke of Marlborough has not yet been definitely settled, it is stated that it will take place in Paris some time this summer.

For many years Miss Deacon has been one of the most notable figures in the American colony and has been a leader in literary and art circles. Her mother, who was prominent in Continental society until her death two years ago, was the owner of the Villa Caprorola in Rome.

HEMMING—HENDERSON.

Mrs. Helen Brown Henderson, widow of George Henderson, formerly of Galveston, Tex., was married to Mr. Henry Glover Hemming on Wednesday in Christ Church, Broadway and Seventy-first street, by the rector, the Rev. John R. Atkinson. The bride is a daughter of the late John Brown of Texas and is a sister of Mr. Hemming's wife, who died two years ago. Mr. John G. Hemming served as his father's best man, and the bride was attended by her small daughter, Helen Ashton Henderson. Mr. and Mrs. Hemming will live in Northport, L. I.

DR. HERVEY WEDS WRITER.

Special Despatch to THE NEW YORK HERALD.

BATH, Me., June 2.—Miss Hanna Rion, author, journalist, painter and composer, was married here yesterday to the Rev. Dr. Alpheus Baker Hervey, former president of St. Lawrence University, author and translator of scientific works and specialist in algae.

During the war Miss Rion was a special writer on Lord Northcliffe's *Weekly Despatch* of London and was instrumental in establishing eleven maternity hospitals in England. In 1917 she was appointed matron of a maternity hospital in London. She has written several books, including "Let's Make a Flower Garden" and "The Truth about Twilight Sleep."

ENTERTAINS MRS. WILDE.

Mrs. George M. Wilde of 100 West Fifty-ninth street gave a small reception yesterday afternoon for her daughter, Mrs. Georgine Wilde, and her fiance, Mr. Pietro Alfredo Guazzone, of the Italian diplomatic service, whose engagement was announced last week. Mr. Guazzone has been appointed First Secretary of the Italian embassy in Tokio. He will marry Mrs. Georgine Wilde this month in New York and soon afterward start for Japan. He arrived here recently from Italy.

MISS AGER TO BE MARRIED.

Dr. and Mrs. Louis Curtis Ager of Brooklyn have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Muriel Ager, to Mr. Albert Ashton Lakeland, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Lakeland, also of Brooklyn. Miss Ager was graduated last year from the Brooklyn Heights Seminary and is a member of the Junior League. Mr. Lakeland served overseas as a private in the Twenty-seventh Division after service on the Mexican border in the National Guard.

NEW MUSICIANS FOR STADIUM.

Committee to Hear Candidate Singers and Instrumentalists.

Arrangements have been made by the Stadium concert committee to hear any singer or instrumentalist residing within Greater New York who wishes to make an appearance at the Stadium concerts this summer. An audition committee has been appointed, headed by Miss Annie Shingleur. The candidates will be heard in Aeolian Hall at a time to be announced later. The best six or eight heard will be selected to sing in the Lewisohn Stadium.

NOTES OF THE THEATRES.

Miss Ethel Barrymore will step direct from her engagement at the Empire Theatre in "Clair de Lune" to the Palace Theatre for a week in Sir James M. Barrie's playlet, "The Twelve Pound Look," to be followed by six weeks in other Keith vaudeville houses. She will close her engagement at the Empire Theatre on June 11 and open at the Palace the following Monday.

Alma Clayburgh, the five year old daughter of Mme. Alma Clayburgh of 270 Park avenue, will make her debut on the stage Sunday night as one of the Cherry Hill children in the production of one act of "Salvation Nell" for the Actors' Fidelity Association in the Amsterdam Theatre.

An extra box for "The Last Waltz," the Oscar Straus operetta at the Century Theatre, has been opened at the Winter Garden.

Ross Hamilton, playing the principal part with the dumbbells in "Biff Bing Bang" at the Ambassador Theatre, was arrested yesterday morning for speeding in Hohokus, N. J., but was let off with a reprimand.

"Miss Lulu Bett," scheduled to close this Saturday, will continue at the Belmont Theatre for a limited period because of the interest aroused by the award of the Pulitzer prize of $1,000 to Miss Zona Gale for having written the best American play.

Capt. Jack Gleason, dean of the Friars, sent a check for $250 to the New Amsterdam Theatre for an upper box for the Actors Fidelity League benefit to be held there on Sunday.

Janet Stone, dancer, was engaged yesterday by Florenz Ziegfeld, Jr., for the forthcoming "Ziegfeld Follies."

"June Love" will end its engagement at the Knickerbocker Theatre this Saturday. It will be sent to Chicago for an autumn engagement.

"COUNTRY Boarders Wanted" is one of the most popular classifications in The Herald's Want Ad. section. They're the Better Sort of places—*Adv.*

Bayes, Fields and Hopper Burlesque Broadway's Plays

Miss Nora Bayes.

Three Stars Appear in 'Snapshots of 1921' at the Selwyn Theatre.

Miss Nora Bayes, who is always giving parties, and the Selwyns, who are always paying for parties, and Lew Fields, who is always having a good time, and De Wolf Hopper, who is always making speeches, did so last night in "Snapshots of 1921." This was presented by the Selwyns and Fields at the Selwyn Theatre as the first of a series of annual revues to run around in circles in that theatre, and the triumvirate of stars carried on white burlesquing current Broadway successes as no triumvirate in Roman history was ever known to do.

The Selwyn Theatre for some time to come is likely to be a bad place for a man susceptible to apoplexy, for it is decidedly possible that he will exit laughing into his grave. "Snapshots of 1921" is the laughing, roaring, chortling, wheezing and chuckling event of the summer. It is one of those romping party affairs at which every one gets up and mimics a general acquaintance and the fat man gets red in the face from laughing and spills his lemonade.

Here for once in a way is a revue that actually fulfils the purpose for which such productions were originally designed and, instead of depending on bathing costumes and dimpled knees for its principal theme, "reviews" or burlesques other theatrical productions, though why it should depart from common practice so daringly is hard to explain. Starting tepidly enough with a skit on "Deburau," written by Frances Nordstrom, it rose by leaps and bounds of fun until it reached its peak in "Clara da Loon," the merriest and brightest burlesque of the evening.

The parody of the Barrymore play, written by H. I. Phillips, had some very racy lines and moments, but it moved at such a headlong, hilarious pace that one forgot the spiciness of one line in wondering what the next would be.

Nora Bayes as the Queen made a striking picture in a white gown suggestive of Ethel Barrymore's, and while she had only a slight bit—she was fed only slight bits throughout the evening, in fact—she did it in a manner to satisfy a packed house clear up to the ceiling. In this piece Miss Bayes appears to be resting from her exertions with her own recent offering, but resting with her does not mean forgetting the spotlight.

Lulu McConnell, if occasionally somewhat noisy in a vaudevillian fashion, made herself very favorably known as *Clara, the ex-Duchess of Worcestershire*, who got the thrill she craved only after an affectionate wrestling match between herself and De Wolf Hopper as *Sympleme*.

Fields, as the blind girl, who in this instance must have lost her sight after catching a glimpse of herself in the mirror, brought the audience almost to their last gasp.

It was Fields who lifted the production to the point of saturation with laughs when he appeared in the hat shop travesty, by Glen MacDonough, and in a typical knockabout scene of robustious comedy tried various ghastly hats on Miss McConnell till it was a wonder she had any hair left. Again, after Miss Bayes, Hopper and Ernest Lambart had amusingly exemplified the American conception of the English triangle play, as written by John Hastings Turner, Fields was the mainstay of James Montgomery Flagg's version of the English conception of the American triangle, with every one wearing six shooters in a Fifth avenue mansion.

In MacDonough's "Children's Hour in a Modern Nursery," with youngsters lifting flasks off pa's hip as part of their early training, Fields was again a joy in the part of the dear little boy dragged to the party in Lord Fauntleroy costume by his sister.

"Who Done It?" Miss Nordstrom's skit on the detective drama, was not so well done, because it was befogged with rhymed couplets. This was atoned for soon afterward by Miss Bayes in a special little act wherein she sang her songs.

All the fifteen scenes in the two acts have been elaborately mounted, and costumes of the *nth* power have been heaped on the exceptionally pretty chorus, while Leon Errol in staging it has made the "Snapshots" move with the celerity of a motion picture machine.

In "The Bamboula," a sort of Argentine dance that is one of the many novelties in the production, there is revealed the most striking musical comedy effect of the season, and it is only on the musical side, done by Mel Franklin and George Gershwin, that it is weak.

Ruth Hale and George McKay were others deserving of notice.

MRS. MARY ELLEN SAUNDERS.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Saunders, widow of Alexander Saunders, died suddenly yesterday in her home, 260 Warburton avenue, Yonkers, at the age of 81. Mrs. Saunders was born in Poughkeepsie, and went to Yonkers when a girl. Her husband, former president of D. Saunders Sons, Inc., manufacturers of steam and gas fittings, died February 1, 1916. Her charities were extensive. In 1915 she erected a memorial hall in Pine Plains, Dutchess county, in memory of her mother and maternal grandparents. She is survived by a son, William L., vice-president of D. Saunders Sons, Inc., and two daughters.

THERE are dozens of Country Board Advertisements in The Herald Want Ad. section. Look them over.—*Adv.*

Erlanger Buys The Gaiety and Fulton Theatres

Office Building Also Included in Notable $3,200,000 Transaction.

A. L. Erlanger yesterday purchased from the Forty-sixth Street and Broadway Realty Company, of which Maurice Wertheim is the president, the property at the southwest corner of Broadway and Forty-sixth street, occupied by the Gaiety and Fulton theatres and large adjoining office buildings. The purchase price with added expenses will amount to more than $3,200,000.

This is said to be the largest real estate transaction ever made in the country by an individual theatrical manager. There were several other bidders for the property, one of the most valuable in the theatre district, but Mr. Erlanger's offer was regarded as the most advantageous.

The negotiations were carried on personally by Mr. Erlanger and Mr. Wertheim, and were put through without any of the delays that often attend a transaction of this magnitude. The two principals signed the contracts yesterday.

This gives Mr. Erlanger control either individually or with associates of six playhouses in New York, and when the Model is built for him in West Forty-fourth street, adjoining the Little Theatre, as announced recently, he will be able to say they are seven. The others are the New Amsterdam, Liberty, George M. Cohan and Knickerbocker Theatres.

The Fulton was built for the late Henry B. Harris and opened as the Folies Bergere, patterned after Paris, and was the first combination theatre and eating house in New York. It was not a success as such. The restaurant idea was quickly given up and it became a regular theatre. Its most conspicuous attraction has been "Enter Madame" which recently vacated the theatre, and "Lilliom," the Theatre Guild's success, is now there. The Harris estate has always controlled it, though Oliver Bailey is the present lessee.

The Gaiety was opened August 31, 1908, with George M. Cohan in "The Yankee Prince." Some of its other notable attractions have been "The Travelling Salesman," "The Fortune Hunter," "Officer 666," "Get Rich Quick Wallingford," "Excuse Me," "Erstwhile Susan," "Daddy Long Legs," "The Country Cousin" and the John Golden attractions "Turn to the Right" and "Lightnin'" which have occupied it for the last four years. Klaw and Erlanger have been lessees of the Gaiety since it was built.

MUSICALE FOR SCHOOL.

The annual musicale and tea for the benefit of the Hudson River Music School will be held to-morrow afternoon at the country place of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Q. Brown in Dobbs Ferry. Among the patrons and patronesses are Mrs. Maitland F. Griggs, Mrs. Albert Shaw, Mr. Adolph Lewisohn, Dr. and Mrs. Carroll Dunham, Mrs. Alfred Rossin, Mr. Theodore Wood, Mrs. Joseph Clendenin, Mrs. H. Van Derventer Black, Mrs. Sidney Borg, Mrs. Otto Eidlitz, Mrs. Henry D. Estabrook and Mrs. Edward S. Jaffray.

PHEBE A. HANAFORD, SUFFRAGIST, DIES

Was Second American Woman Ordained to Ministry

ROCHESTER, June 2.—The Rev. Phebe Ann Hanaford, famous suffrage worker and the second woman in the United States to be ordained to the ministry, died here to-day in her ninety-third year.

Mrs. Hanaford when she was ordained a minister of the Universalist Church in Hingham, Mass., in 1868, was the first woman in New England to be admitted to the Christian ministry. She was born on the island of Nantucket in 1829, the daughter of a ship captain and owner, and determined as a child that she would some day be the pastor of a church. At the age of 20 she became the wife of Joseph A. Hanaford.

Her first pastorate was in Providence, R. I. From there she was called to a church in Jersey City and later to one in New Haven. Altogether she served for forty years as pastor of the three churches, but her best known work was done on the lecture platform in the course of numerous tours about the country.

She was one of the early group of suffragists, which included Susan B. Anthony and Elizabeth Cady Stanton, and from the day of her ordination until the passage of the Constitutional amendment giving women the vote was unflagging in her devotion to the cause and tireless in her energies in behalf of it. Up to a few months before the amendment was adopted she was still writing pamphlets and magazine articles in support of suffrage.

GEORGE L. SPAULDING, AUTHOR OF SONGS, DIES

Had Written Several Thousand Light Operettas

George L. Spaulding, composer and publisher of popular music and author of "Two Little Girls in Blue," died late Wednesday in his home, 312 Walnut street, Roselle Park, N. J., after an illness of three weeks. He was 57 years old.

Born in Newburgh, the son of William Douglas Spaulding, prominent in local opera in his generation, Mr. Spaulding came to New York at the age of 16. One of his first jobs was as errand boy in a music store. His genius for rhyming and composition grew in this environment, and he produced "My Mary Green" as his first song, which yielded him $15 outright. Later he engaged in business in Brooklyn under the firm name of Spaulding & Kornder. His early works appeared under the name of "Henry Lamb." Later he wrote as "Paul Lawson" or "Daniel Reeve," and used his own name in collaborating with his wife, formerly Miss Jessica Moore.

His compositions, principally light operettas and music for children, number several thousand. Among the best known are "The Volunteer Organist," "The Popular Man About Town," "When You Know the Girl You Love Loves You" and "Take Back the Engagement Ring."

DAVID C. BENNETT.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon for David C. Bennett, formerly an assessor of the old town of New Utrecht. Mr. Bennett was 81 years old and died on Tuesday at the Bennett homestead, 416 Seventy-ninth street, Brooklyn. He was known in the Bay Ridge section as an authority on land and farm values. He leaves four sons and two daughters.

MICHAEL J. DADY, ILL THREE MONTHS, DEAD

End Comes to Veteran Politician in Brooklyn Hospital.

Michael J. Dady, Republican leader in Kings county and for more than forty years a political power in Brooklyn, died yesterday in St. Mary's Hospital in that borough. He had been ill for three months and from the first day of the illness practically no hope was entertained of his recovery, as his age, 71, was against him.

He was born in the Fifth ward of Brooklyn in 1850, attended the public schools until he was 12 years old and then went to work "running copy" in the office of the old Brooklyn *Standard*.

Soon after becoming of age he struck out in the contracting business for himself, forming a partnership with John H. O'Rourke, which continued until 1893. Then the Michael J. Dady Contracting Company was organized. As the head of this concern, Mr. Dady was identified with some of the most important municipal and Federal building and engineering construction in this country. The Municipal Building in Brooklyn is one of his monuments, a wing of the Metropolitan Museum of Art another. He has put up public buildings also in Washington, Philadelphia and Baltimore.

In the early nineties his attention was attracted to Cuba and received from the Spanish Government a contract to install an elaborate drainage system for the city of Havana. The pipes and their tributaries were to have cost $14,000,000. Then the Spanish war was declared, and the new Cuban Government set Dady's contract aside after voting him $250,000. He was, however, active as a contractor in Cuba ever since.

In politics Dady was a force often heard from in the days when Jacob Worth, Timothy L. Woodruff, Hugh McLaughlin and Patrick McCarren were the political luminaries in Kings county. Dady always was a Republican. The First Assembly district, which takes in the Brooklyn Heights section, was his stronghold, and he made his home at the St. George Hotel. At various times there were schemes to pry him from power. Once Tim Woodruff, who had come to cross purposes with him, read him out of the party.

He never held office, although he did hold a city job or two in the building and construction departments, but he was chairman of the Kings county Republican campaign committee for five terms, chairman of the executive committee of the county Republican general committee for the same time, member of the election commission twice, a delegate to three Republican national conventions and a Presidential Elector for President McKinley. For more than twenty years he was a member of the Republican State committee.

Mr. Dady married a Miss Goff of this city. They had two sons, Chester Arthur Dady and Harold Blaine Dady.

ALFRED R. TURNER.

Alfred R. Turner, vice-president of the Linen Thread Company, died yesterday at his home, 200 Broadway, Paterson, N. J., at the age of 70. He was a director of the Paterson National Bank, the Hamilton Trust Company and the United Shoe Machinery Company and a member of the Hamilton Club of Paterson, Arcola Country Club, Union League Club and Merchants Club of New York and Kane Lodge of Masons. During the war he was president of Paterson Chapter of the American Red Cross. Mr. Turner leaves his wife and three sons.

R. MARNETTE LOCKWOOD.

R. Marnette Lockwood, 85, of Riverside, Conn., died yesterday at Greenwich. He was a brother of the late Luke A. Lockwood, a member of the law firm of Lockwood & Hill of New York. He was an uncle of Luke Vincent Lockwood.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST or stolen on or about May 24, vicinity of Andes, N. Y., 100 shares of the Wabash Railroad, common stock, serial number 5873; of no value to any one except original owner; shares stopped; liberal reward for return; no questions asked. Owner, ANDREW T. GIBBS, Andes, N. Y.

LOST—Black travelling bag on Merrick Road, Monday evening; reward. Apt. 88, 440 Riverside Drive. Phone Morningside 6694.

LOST—Small yellow change purse, containing ticket to Buffalo. Finder please return to Mrs. H. R. L., 125 W. 12th st. Reward.

LOST—Gent's brown grip, containing clothes and kodak; Suffern to Goshen road; reward. H. J. VEECK, Vanderbilt 188.

LOST—$25 reward for return of gray steel beaded bag. MINGOT, 2A E. 46th st.

Jewelry.

A REWARD OF $75 for return of gold vanity case, monogrammed "M. R. W.," lost May 28, vicinity of Hotel Astor. BLACK, STARR & FROST, 5th av. and 48th st.

LOST—$50 reward for gold eyeglass case, with glasses, engraved L. H. B. (inside June, 1912); lost June 1 vicinity 34th st., 5th and 6th avs. TIFFANY & CO., Fifth av. and 37th st.

LOST—Between Hotel York and Pennsylvania station, gold ring, sapphire centre, surrounded by 10 diamonds, set in platinum; liberal reward. CAVAN, Grand Central 1090.

LOST—Saturday evening, diamond bowknot pin, coming out of 39th St. Theatre, or in taxi, or Montmartre; very generous reward. L. V. M., 160 Riverside Drive.

LOST—Diamond circle, between 122 East 76th st. and 49 East 63d st., on Tuesday, between 1 and 2 P. M.; suitable reward offered. Telephone 3589 Rhinelander.

LOST—Between Macy's and Hudson Tubes, a diamond pin; liberal reward to finder; no questions asked. NATHAN HARRIS, 738 Broad st., Newark, N. J.

LOST—Near Mount Sinai Hospital or Fifth avenue bus, green cameo pendant, surrounded pearls; reward. MOUNT SINAI HOSPITAL, Social Service Dept. 1, E. 100th.

LOST—At Ocean and Parkside entrance to Prospect Park, gold snake, diamond and two rubies in head; reward. Apt. 4A, 162 Parkside av., Brooklyn.

LOST—Wednesday evening, in taxi, between Blue Horse restaurant, Greenwich Village, and 48th st., green stone from earring; reward. 66 West 48th st.

LOST—Jade green earring set with pink quartz at Long Island Station or on 10:30 train from Woodmere on Tuesday morning; reward offered. Phone Woodmere 3659.

LOST—Round pin, pearls and diamonds, Rye to New York; reward. Lost Article Dept., Grand Central Terminal.

LOST—Last week, diamond and onyx pointed oval brooch. Liberal reward and no questions asked return to UDALL & BALLOU, 574 5th av.

$100 REWARD.

Lost—Pink and green gold cigarette case with engraved crest. Return to CARTIER, 653 5th av.

Wearing Apparel.

LOST—Small Hudson sable neckpiece, left in dress circle of Century Theatre, New York, at matinee Saturday, May 28. Finder please communicate with owner, Miss DAVEY, 41 S. Munn av., E. Orange, N. J. Telephone Orange 167; reward.

LOST—On South country road, Monday, May 30, between Patchogue and South Hampton, a suit case containing wearing apparel, clothing marked "J. H. Hyde;" liberal reward offered. Phone Vanderbilt 2540.

LOST—Sable scarf piece, June 1, between Hotel Embassy, 71st and B'way, and Hotel Hamilton; liberal reward. Communicate with Mrs. LOUIS MANSBACH, Hotel Embassy.

LOST—Mink neckpiece in or near Klaw Theatre, West 45th st., Tuesday evening, May 31; reward. JACKSON, Hotel Laureldon, 147 W. 55th. Circle 240.

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