Riviera Misses Americans, and Shades Are Somber

Nice Continues Favorite With Golf the Attraction—Mentone and Cannes Notes.

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This year's Riviera may be considered as one without color, at least until the spring flowers bring their customary glory to the gay scenes usually thronged with American visitors. This is the first comment of visitors from overcas, who have always pictured the south of France as being ablaze with bright tints especially provided by Nature in an effort to keep up the color scheme provided by the feminine garb, but is not able to despite plenty of animation.

For morning, afternoon and evening somber shades are in full vogue, and as one American put it, "there is a profound contempt for anything speaking above a whisper."

Proprietors of Riviera resorts frankly admit that they do not like this any more than they like the fact that Americans are not as numerous this year as in previous seasons. The foreign colonies are made up of British, titled Russians and a few Germans, but more Scandinavians, Spaniards and Swiss than ever before.

Golf Enjoyed at Nice.

Nice continues to be the favorite, with its golf club accepting American members, and the races attracting the American section daily. Among those recently seen there are Mr. W. Shipley, Mr. J. B. Farish, Col. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. MacArthur, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cabell, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bullock, Mr and Mrs. S. Leggett and Mr. and Mrs. L. Ashmore, all of New York; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Flanagan of Boston and Mr. and Mrs. E. Austrian of Chicago.

The Negresse hotels are providing weekly gala entertainments reminiscent of the gayest days and are featuring Wanda, a child wonder, as well as Jack Gavin and his partner, Miss Gay.

At Mentone there is similar joymaking, but the colonies are principally British, although Carl F. Boker and Miss Rita Boker of New York have arrived at the Royal Westminster and there is a sprinkling of Western visitors at a few of the other hotels.

Since the adjournment of the Supreme Council Cannes has lost some of its rogue, but Billy Arnold's jazz, with a ballet of twenty-five, including Georgia Fontana and Marjorie Moss, is attracting tourists at the Ambassador. Among those noticed at Cannes last week were Mr. and Mrs. Chatfield Taylor of Santa Barbara, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Grinnell, of Newport, R. I., and Mr. Paul Drexel of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Drexel Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Drexel have entertained lavishly this month, as have also Princess Philippe de Bourbon, Mr. and Mrs. William Payne Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. T. Kabbe of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Williams of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Pratt of Long Island, and Mr. and Mrs. Soher of Trenton, N. J., are also prominent in Cannes, where the musically inclined society is making its headquarters in the handsome villa of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Grinnell, whose guests this week included the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess Cyril Vladimirovich.

No one seems able to explain why there are so few Americans in Monte Carlo this year. Perhaps there are as many as usual, but they are not playing heavily and only a few have taken advantage of the golf course, including Brookes of the American National Club, Hillman of the Linwood Golf Club, Atlantic City; Mr. Hosea Sparks, a manufacturer of Alton, Ill., and Mrs. Sparks.

At the Hotel de Paris.

Among those who registered last week at the Hotel de Paris were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McDonald, Mrs. W. Tripps and daughter of New York, Walter Rummel, pianist, and erstwhile accompanist for Isadora Duncan.

On the other side of the Italian frontier there likewise is a dearth of American tourists, although it is reported that many are coming at the end of February, after they have finished their winter tours in Egypt and southern Italy.

San Remo remains the favorite on the Italian Riviera. Among the New York visitors at villas and hotels there are Mr. and Mrs. Marion Leventritt, Mr. R. Clifford Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. George Dougherty, Mrs. Edith Hirsch, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Marshall.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

NEW YORK.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Blagden will give a dinner party at their home tonight.

Miss Agnes Carpenter, who has been in Atlantic City, has returned to her home at 54 East Fifty-seventh street.

Miss Elizabeth Clark, who was a guest of Mrs. Frederick F. Thompson, has gone to Boston, and later will join her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory W. Clark, in Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. William G. Rockefeller has returned to New York from a short stay in Greenwich, Conn.

Miss Florence Loew has returned from a visit to Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Winthrop McKim, who was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Hull in Short Hills, N. J., has returned to Tuxedo.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver de Lancey Coster will entertain a dinner party at their apartments, 565 Park avenue, on February 9.

Mr. Philip Rhinelander, who had been a guest of Mr. John Walker in Richmond, Va., has returned to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Howe, Jr., Mrs. Philip J. Britt and Mrs. Stowe Phelps started yesterday for Lake Placid to attend the skating contests.

Miss Suzanne Pierson with a party of friends has gone on a trip South. She will go to Palm Beach on February 1 to join her mother, Mrs. J. Fred Pierson, Jr.

Miss Grace Eldridge of Newport and New York will sail for France in February for a stay of several months at Cannes.

Mrs. Vanderbilt will give a dance tonight at 2 West Fifty-eighth street. In advance of it Mr. and Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney will give a dinner at 871 Fifth avenue.

Mrs. Joseph Palmer Knapp of 247 Fifth avenue held yesterday the last of a series of reception.

WASHINGTON.

The Secretary of Agriculture, Mr. Henry C. Wallace, was entertained at dinner on Saturday evening by the Czecho-Slovak Minister, Dr. Bedrich Stepanek.

Brig.-Gen. James S. Parker, U. S. A., has arrived and is at Wardman Park Hotel.

Mrs. Ralston Holmes, wife of Capt. Holmes, commandant of the Mayflower, held an informal reception yesterday.

Mrs. Charles S. Bromwell, who is at her Washington residence after having spent several months in Europe, is arranging a series of dinner parties. She had one on Saturday evening and will give another on February 14 for Princess Bertha Cantacuzene-Speranskey and Miss Louise Todd.

At Washington Hotels.

New York arrivals at Washington hotels include:

The Willard—T. R. Lewis, T. F. Reynolds, T. N. Newman, M. K. Yoakum, Earl F. Zimmerman, Miss Helen M. Winslow, B. M. Martin, F. A. Decker, Mrs. J. N. Teal, Miss B. B. Johnson, Mee E. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hutchinson and F. L. White.

The Shoreham—W. F. Wakeman, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bradley and W. T. Bowman.

The Wardman Park—Robert Stephens and Mrs. James Finnigan.

MRS. BAKER DENIES SHE SEEKS DIVORCE

Says in Paris There Is Absolutely No Truth in Reports.

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"There is absolutely no truth to such reports," declared Mrs. Raymond T. Baker at the Hotel Crillon to-day when asked regarding the rumors that she was here for the purpose of seeking a divorce or separation.

"I am leaving to-morrow to spend a few weeks in Menton and other Riviera cities, but I will be back in New York, probably not later than April," continued Mrs. Baker.

London Expects Mr. Harvey To-day From Cannes Trip

American Ambassador Completely Recovered From Accident in France.

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The American Ambassador and Mrs. George Harvey are expected here today from France. It is believed that Ambassador Harvey will be at the Embassy to-morrow. He has completely recovered from the accident which happened to him while he was in Cannes attending the allied Supreme Council conference.

Lillian Russell and her husband, Alexander P. Moore of Pittsburgh, are at the Carlton Hotel, where they are besieged by visitors from all walks of life, including politicians, immigration experts, social workers, actors and managerr. Mrs. Moore said she has not started her new work yet, but is merely renewing old acquaintances. They expect to remain in London a week and then go to Paris and the Riviera before going to Bremen, where Mrs. Moore will make an investigation of emigration conditions.

Mr. Bainbridge Colby is at the Piccadilly after having made a tour of Spain. He intends to make another trip to the Continent on business before returning to New York.

Dr. Joseph Saul Kornfeld, the new American Minister to Persia, has been entertained by friends here. He intends to start for his new post in a few days.

Rear-Admiral Nathan C. Twining, naval attache at the American Embassy, and Mrs. Twining have returned to the Belgravia Hotel after a sojourn in Hastings.

Mr. Oliver B. Harriman, the new first secretary at the American Embassy in London, has arrived from Montevideo.

Walter Damrosch is here taking the place of Albert Coates, conductor of the London Symphony Orchestra, who now is in New York.

Miss Ruth Walkinshaw of New York, who has been studying immigration problems with the world committee of the Young Women's Christian Association, has gone to Montevideo for work.

Mr. William K. Vanderbilt has arrived at the Ritz Hotel from Paris. Other Americans at the Ritz include Mr. Colin Kemper and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goelet.

Memorial services for Viscount Bryce, formerly British Ambassador to the United States, at Westminster Abbey last week were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Post Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Boylston Beale and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Skinner, representing the American Embassy and Consulate in London.

Among the Americans who will be passengers aboard the steamship Aquitania, bound for New York, this week will be H. R. Mandel, who has been in Palestine; E. L. Beadell, who has just ended a trip to Holland, and Cecil de Mille.

Mrs. S. R. Guggenheim of New York has returned to Paris after visiting friends in London.

Miss Elizabeth R. Butler of New York is in London after a trip to Italy and Algiers.

Among the passengers on board the steamship George Washington, leaving Southampton Tuesday for New York, will be John T. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. David Bachenheimer, G. D. Cooper, Miss Anna Chuden, Mr. and Mrs. George Daugherty, Mr. and Mrs. Amandus Frey, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gross, Mrs. Claritta Ihle, Mrs. Katherine Kraus, Mrs. Charlotte E. Netzer, Mrs. Alice Paris, E. L. Quarles, Mrs. Erda Raders, Bruno Rothschild, Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Skinner, Max Vogelsang and William A. Winter.

SOCIAL NOTES.

The annual dance for the benefit of the Blue Ridge Industrial School of Greene county, Va., will be held to-night in the Della Robbia room of the Vanderbilt. Among those who will give dinners in advance are Mmes. George Gordon Battle, J. Herbert Claiborne, F. Graham Cootes, Graham Holly, Gerrard Glen Stuart, G. Gibboney and Ronald Tree.

Mrs. Herman Plaut of 150 West 79th street will give a reception and tea tomorrow afternoon for Miss Estelle Lieb-ling.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus King of Cincinnati arrived yesterday and are at the Hotel Ambassador. They will sail Thursday on board the Canada to spend the remainder of the winter at the Mediterranean resorts. To-morrow night they will give a small after the theater dancing party at the Biltmore.

Mrs. Alfred Kessler, Mr. and Mrs. W. Dixon Ellis, Senator and Mrs. Truman H. Newberry, Mrs. William Graham Fleming and Mrs. Robert Lee were among those giving dinner parties last night at the Plaza and later attending the concert.

MANY TRAVELERS STARTING FOR THE MEDITERRANEAN TRIP

Empress of Scotland Taking Throng—Miss Rockefeller on Long Tour.

Several hundred persons from various parts of the United States will embark on board the steamship Empress of Scotland, which sails from this port February 4 for the Mediterranean on the seventeenth of the Frank G. Clark cruises.

Among those from New York will be Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hunt Burgoyne, Mr. and Mrs. Victor W. Cupples, Mrs. Philip G. Hubert, Miss Matilda Kroehle, Mrs. James Chapman, Miss E. M. Bell, Mrs. Penelope de Neaux, Mr. Frank Diehl Fackenthal, Mrs. A. S. Buckner and Mr. Charles A. Keller; Mr. and Mrs. George S. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene S. Mapes, Mrs. Henry Wardell, Miss Harriet Wardell, Mrs. William F. White, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Yule, Col. Clarence Wainwright Murphy and Mrs. C. M. McCoy.

Brooklyn will be represented by Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Morton Mead, Miss Elsie W. Atwater, Mr. nd Mrs. James P. Kelly, Mr. J. Donald Kelly, Miss Marion Diller Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Freeth and Mrs. M. A. Wahlstrom. From Short Hills, N. J., there will be Mrs. Samuel P. Davidge and Miss Davidge; from Watertown, Conn., Miss Frances C. Jackson, and from Boston, Mass., Dr. and Mrs. Martin T. Field. Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Thompson of New Haven will be passengers, as also will Dr. and Mrs. Maurice F. Linquist of that city.

Other passengers will include Mr. and Mrs. George S. Conkey of Canton, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Edwin Bull, Syracuse; Mr and Mrs. Albert H. Fuller of Brockton, Mass, Mr. and Mrs. H. Clarence Dickinson, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. Currier, Montclair, N. J.; Mrs. Frederick C. Thomas and Mr. Frederick C. Thomas, Jr., Cold Spring, Harbor, L. I.; Mrs. C. A. Voight, Pelham Manor; Mr. Walter Lewis Ross and Miss Margaret Ross, Philadelphia; the Rev. Frederick R. Sanford, Stonington, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Noyes, Cambridge, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. George B. Stewart, Auburn, N. Y.

Sailing on board the Carona on Saturday with a party of friends was Miss Isabel Rockefeller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy A. Rockefeller, for a two months' cruise in the Mediterranean. Her trip will take her first to Madeira. Then there will be visits to Cadiz, Gibraltar and Algiers. She will stop at Monte Carlo and Nice, and from there will go to Naples. Several days will be given to Cairo and a trip on the Nile. The cruise then will continue to Palestine, Constantinople and Greece. By the time Miss Rockefeller shall have returned in April she will have traveled more than 12,000 miles.

Miss Isabel Rockefeller.

MRS. PEABODY WEDS SAME DAY AS DIVORCE

Becomes Bride of Mr. A. Kinniard Tod at Palm Beach.

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PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan. 29.—Mrs. Constance U. Peabody, who received a divorce yesterday from Lincoln Rea Peabody of New York, was married later in the day in West Palm Beach to A. Kinniard Tod of New York.

The divorce from Mr. Peabody was granted on the grounds of desertion. The only witnesses in the case were Mrs. Peabody and her daughter, Miss Constance Endicott Peabody, who is with her mother here. Mr. and Mrs. Peabody were married about twenty years ago and spent much of their time in Europe. He was graduated from Harvard in 1887 and now makes his home at the University Club, New York city.

Mr. Tod is a graduate of the University of Edinburgh and was well known as an oarsman there.

SOCIETY LEADERS READY TO RUN THE BILTMORE

Outline Program in Aid of Tuberculosis Society.

A definite program of the women who are to operate the Hotel Biltmore for one day on February 20 for the benefit of the Society for the Prevention and Relief of Tuberculosis will be outlined at meetings of the various committees to-morrow.

The women engaged in the operation of the hotel will wear distinctive uniforms, which will be designed by one of the city's foremost modistes. Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson will have charge of the flower booths at the hotel, the fashion show will be under the direction of Mrs. H. H. Rogers, and Mrs. Cornelius N. Bliss, Jr., will have charge of the progressive bridge game. Others who will have charge of various entertainment features are Mrs. John H. Prentice, Mrs. Frank Gray Griswold, Mrs. Delancey Kountze and Mrs. Nicholas Riddle.

MRS. M'COLLUM LECTURES.

Mrs. Harriet Luella McCollum inaugurated a series of thirty free public lectures on applied psychology yesterday at the Union Methodist Episcopal Church, known as the "Union Church," in West Forty-eighth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. In the afternoon her subject was "What May Psychology Mean to You?" and in the evening "Psychology's Contribution to Religion." The lectures, twice daily, at 2:30 and 8 o'clock, will continue at the Union Church until Sunday, February 12.

MT. ST. VINCENT BALL FEB. 6.

The Alumnæ Association of the College of Mount St. Vincent will hold its annual reception in the Waldorf-Astoria on the evening of February 6. The proceeds will be used to swell the college building fund. The president of the association is Mrs. Nora Cotter Brosnan. An entertainment committee, with Mrs. Alfred J. Talley as chairman, is assisting the officers. Arrangements for the supper are in charge of Mrs. John Francis Galvin, Jr.

WEATHER AT RESORTS.

The following temperatures and weather conditions were reported yesterday at the winter resorts: Ormond, 66, clear; St. Augustine, 60, clear; Key West, 66, clear; Palm Beach, 68, clear; Miami, 66, clear; Camden, 60, fair; Aiken, 50, fair.

DINNER AND DANCE HELD AT PALM BEACH

Mr. and Mrs. E. Clarence Jones Entertain Friends.

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PALM BEACH, Jan. 29.— The second dinner and dance was given at he Everglades Club to-night. Among those entertaining friends were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Love, Mr. and Mrs. E. Clarence Jones, Mrs. Clarence M. Bush, Col. Thomas E. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Pilsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Napoleon Bonaparte, Mrs. Whitney Lyon and Mrs. A. P. Teed.

Mrs. John Sanford, the Misses Sarah J. and Gertrude Sanford and Stephen Sanford of New York have arrived and are at one of the Everglades Club villas. Messrs. Benjamin Ellsworth and William Starr Miller of New York also arrived.

Mrs. Barclay H. Warburton arrives Thursday and Miss Mary Brown Warburton, who has been sojourning with Mrs. C. A. Munn, will go to the Everglades with her mother.

The amateur and professional golf tourney played to-day at the Palm Beach Country Club was won by Francis Gabriel and Arthur Fenn, with a card of 72. Others golfing there were Messrs. Harold S. Vanderbilt, C. S. Woolworth, E. Clarence Jones, Mortimer Schiff, H. Cary Morgan and Frederick Gould of New York.

At the Casino Beach yesterday were Henry L. Sloane, Baron and Baroness Amaury de la Grange, Mr. and Mrs. E. Clarence Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome N. Bonaparte, Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Thomas, Mr. Rodney Thayer and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hansel.

Mr. Samuel Untermyer arrived here on board his yacht, the Noroda, which is anchored in Lake Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Thomas will give a dinner at their home on Sunset avenue to eight guests on Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Carstairs will entertain friends on board the yacht Nadesah for dinner also on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams gave a dinner last night aboard the Ubdam for Mrs. Charles L. Harding. Frank Daniels and others. Mr. Harding will join Mrs. Harding February at their new Spanish villa. Otto H. Kahn is expected here early in February; at their new Spanish villa on South Ocean Boulevard.

Mrs. Leland Sterry of New York entertained at luncheon at the Everglades Club. Her guests were Mrs. Pierre Lorillard Barbey, Mrs. John S. Curtis, Mrs. William A. Gaston, Mrs. Gorge Silsbee and Mrs. Walter Mitchell.

Mrs. Charles F. Choate entertained a number of guests at her cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Henry Alexandre and J. Sydney Smith are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Schiff of New York, who have leased one of Otto H. Kahn's villas, adjoining the new Kahn residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Woerz and their two daughters, Mrs. Rene Marvin and Mrs. Lester Hamilton of New York are at the Breakers. Mr. Percy A. Rockefeller entertained there at dinner. His guests included Messrs. Charles E. Mitchell, E. P. Swenson and Guy Cary of New York. Others there include Mr. Benjamin H. Burden, Miss Emma Stuart, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Shipley and Miss Helen A. Rogers of New York.

ARRIVALS AT ATLANTIC CITY.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wanamaker, Jr., Among Sojourners.

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ATLANTIC CITY, Jan. 29.—While the storm was at its height yesterday Assemblyman David C. Blizzard of Port Norris, N. J., arrived at the Ritz-Carlton. Other arrivals from New York at the Traymore included Miss Katharine Repley, Mrs. Herbert Brick, Miss Gwendolyn Wilson, Miss Blanche Galvin, Mr. Lester Jones, Miss Alice Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Dillon, Miss Dorothy Dillon, Miss Edith Ripley, Mr. and Mrs. George Kean, Mr. Sanford Sacks, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bondy, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Wilson and State Senator Loring M. Black of Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wanamaker, Jr., of New York arrived at the Shelburne.

Ritz-Carlton—Dr. and Mrs. E. Terry Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Sabin, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sawyer, Mr. and Mrs. John Wade Morris, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene V. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Nevins, and Mrs. H. C. Blasheston.

Dennis—Mrs. George L. Broadhead, Mr. A. J. McCarthy and Miss Lauretta McCarthy, former Supreme Court Justice Edward J. McGoldrick and Miss Helen M. McGoldrick and Mr. Catholine Lambert of Paterson.

Ambassador—Mrs. Haggerty Pell and Miss Pell, Mr. Pierrepont D. Schreiber, Mrs. Edgar Rickard and Miss Fain Burke.

Marlborough-Blenheim—Mrs. W. O. Ford and Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Whatley.

Chalfonte—Mrs. H. P. Parsons, Mrs. L. D. Ray, Mr. Ernest Seymour, Mr. and Mrs. Collins P. Bliss, Mr. John C. Bliss and Mr. Benton Brennan and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Knox of Brooklyn.

Gambol Enriches Lambs' Treasury by Over $10,000

Show at Globe Theater Sparkles With Highly Amusing Travesties.

"The best ever" is a phrase so often used for benefits and the like that it has lost much of its meaning, but it can be applied to the Lambs' midwinter Gambol last night just as if it were a new phrase. The entertainment presented at the Globe Theater by courtesy of Charles Dillingham not only brought more than $10,000 to the club treasury, but it netted laughs and thrills whose value, conservatively speaking, ran into the millions.

One of the highly amusing gems of the evening was "The Curse of Gold," a hilarious travesty on the Western melodrama, with a corpse brought into a railroad station in a coffin and coming to life in order to rob the safe. Frank Morgan gave one of the best burlesque performances ever displayed by a Lamb as *Nell*, the desert woman, who saved the money—so she could have a good time with it amid the white lights. Byron Beasley and Alphonz Ethier contributed to the success of the skit, which moved with speed, as parodies often don't, and had a hurrican surprise finish, with enough shooting for a movie.

Another offering that had the attention in a program that had no dragging moments was "The Great Relief," a one act playlet by Percival Knight, in which a bedraggled flower seller and a vagrant coster expressed the belief outside Westminster Abbey that England's newly buried unknown hero was known to them. The wife revealed her conviction that it was her husband, and the coster, his dead war pal. Though hardly dramatic, it was a vivid and appealing "slice of life," and Creighton Hale as the girl and Knight himself as the man made every moment tell.

Among the single performers Frank Crumit had the crowded house humming and tapping feet to the lilt of his negro melodies, rendered with his agreeable tenor and his mandolin. In "Down by Biloxi Bay" he exploited a number that is likely to become very popular, not merely from sentimental reasons.

Other numbers, each one of which made an individual impression, despite the fact that it was sompeting with probably the best acts ever put forward by Lambs, were "O Wondrous Star," a musical playlet centering around Joseph and Mary, written by George V. Hobart, with music by Gitz Rice; "The Ushers," a boy and girl sketch with lyrics by Harry Clarke, in which various Lambs frolicked as usherar and usherettes; the "Valiant," a trenchant play of prison by Robert Middlemass, with Ralph Morgan in a prominent role, and "Evolution," or the "Descent of Musical Comedy," another sprightly musical travesty by Roy and Kenneth Webb.

Lewis James sana several attractive numbers, and Ed Wynn was, as usual, perfect in his foolishness. Purnell Pratt, collie of the Lambs, supervised the production.

Among the other actors taking part were John Willard, Alfred Kappeler, William Danforth, Frederick Graham, Fred. Santley, Arthur Burckly, Charles Hart, Bob Rice, Frank Doane, Craufurd Kent, William Powell, Jack Rutherford, James Spottswood, Stuart Sage, Charles Trowbridge, Stanley Ridges, Glenn Anders.

Also Harry Short, Donald Macdonald, Horace Braham, James Gleason, Percy Helton, Louis Kimball, William Lynn, Victor Morley, Douglas Stevenson, Herbert Waterous and Ned Sparkes.

FOUR PLAYS TO BE GIVEN.

Producing Society Announces Its Program.

Miss Ruth Helen Davis of 33 West Forty-second street, organizer of the Play Producing Society of New York, announced after a meeting of the society yesterday at Delmonico's that her organization will present four plays by professional actors during the present season.

The plays being considered include "The Idiot," a Russian novel, adapted for the stage by John Cooper Poeys, in which Reginald Poel will appear; "The Talking Parrot," by Hutchinson Boyd, with Beryl Mercer; "Crabbed Youth," with Effie Shannon; two plays, in one of which Hilda Spong will appear; a play by Pauline Bradford Mackaye; two plays, entitled "The Stand" and "King Money"; a play called "God's Pal," by Theodore Lieber, Jr., and two by Mark Swann, creator of bedroom farces.

MOROSCO LEASES THEATERS.

Pasadena, Hollywood and Bowling Green Added to Chain.

Oliver Morosco has acquired leases of three theaters which will be added to the chain of the Morosco Holding Company, a corporation recently formed which consolidates Mr. Morosco's various theatrical enterprises including theaters here and in the West, stage and picture productions and real estate holdings. The theaters acquired are the big new Diamond Theater in Bowling Green, Ky., a recently built theater in Hollywood, Cal., and the Pasadena Theater in Pasadena. Hereafter these theaters will be known as Morosco Theaters and will be operated as combination houses playing both legitimate stage productions and motion pictures.

THACKERAY SALE FEBRUARY 6

One of the most important sales of Thackeray material ever held in this country is announced for February 6 and 7 at the Anderson Galleries. It comprises the collection of Henry Sayre Van Duzer of New York, and represents the results of nearly a lifetime of collecting on the part of this Thackeray specialist. The material offered includes writings in initial magazine and pamphlet instalments, first editions, autograph letters, original sketches, Lord Leighton's oil portrait of Thackeray, a replica of the marble bust in Westminster Abbey and various interesting manuscripts.

Probably the most conspicuous treasures to be offered in this sale are the several novels which have appeared in parts. Mr. Van Duzer, as shown in his exhaustive Thackeray bibliography, has devoted much time to the collation of the advertisements that accompanied the various parts of the novels, and it is probable that these copies of "Vanity Fair," "Pendennis," "The Newcomes" and "The Virginians" are more perfect than any other copies ever before offered for sale.

Other rare items are superb copies of "The Snob" and "The Gownsman," of "The Exquisites" and "King Glumpus," of "The Second Funeral of Napoleon" and "The Book of Snobs," as also "The Brittania," "The Anti-Corn Law Circular," "The Pictorial Times," "The Corsair" and all the numbers of the London *Times* containing critical essays by Thackeray.

CONCERT FOR BRAZIL FUND.

An interesting concert for the benefit of Bishop Lucien Lee Kinsolving's educational work in Brazil was given last night in the studio of Mr. A. A. Anderson, 80 West Fortieth street. The artists were Mr. Channing Lefebvre, organ; Miss Anna Louise David, harp, and choristers from the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, who were directed by Dr. Miles Farrow.

SERVICES TO-MORROW FOR DR. BASKERVILLE

City College Director to Be Buried in Raleigh, N. C.

Funeral services for Dr. Charles Baskerville, director of the chemical laboratories of the College of the City of New York, who died Saturday in his home, 610 West 110th street, will be held in the Chapel of the Intercession, Broadway and 155th street, to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The body will be taken to Raleigh, N. C., for burial.

Mr. Baskerville, who was 52 years old, was born in Noxubee county, Mississippi. He was a graduate of the University of Virginia and studied in several other universities both in the United States and abroad. From 1891 to 1904 he was a member of the chemistry staff of the University of North Carolina and was called from that institution to the chair of chemistry of the College of the City of New York.

He was councillor of the American Chemical Society and a member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, Chemical Society of London, Society of Chemical Industry, American Electro-Chemical Society, New York Academy of Sciences, Franklin Institute, Phi Beta Kappa Society, Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity and Kane Lodge, No. 454, F. and A. M. He was a member also of the Century, Chemists' Graduate, City College, Colonnade, Southern and Authors clubs. He leaves his wife and two children.

HOWARD B. VANNOTE DEAD.

Identified With Philanthropic and Civic Movements.

Howard B. Vannote, president of the H. M. Storms Company, typewriter supplies, 53 Park Row, died of heart disease yesterday at his home, 321 East Eighteenth street. Mr. Vannote had been identified with various philanthropic movements and with civic improvements in Hasbrouck Heights, N. J., where he formerly resided. He leaves his wife and three sons.

He was a collector of rare Greek and Roman coins, and was interested in archaeological research.

For many years Mr. Vannote was chairman of the Bergen County Mosquito Extermination Commission. He was secretary to the board of trustees of the New York Medical College and Hospital for Women, and acted in a similar capacity for the board of directors of Community Hospital. Mr. Vannote was a member of the Rotary Club and the New York Press Club and of the Masonic Bowling Spring Lodge of Rutherford, N. J.

FUNERAL OF NELLIE BLY.

Many Newspaper and Professional People at Services.

Funeral services for Mrs. Robert L. Seaman (Nellie Bly) were held in the Church of the Ascension, Fifth avenue and Tenth street, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. She died Friday. Many newspaper and professional folk were among the hundreds who crowded the church to pay final tribute to the memory of the woman who, in 1889-1890, made a trip around the world in a little over seventy-two days to prove the practical possibility of Verne's imaginative romance "Around the World in Eighty Days."

The services were conducted by the Rev. Percy Stickney Grant, pastor of the Church of the Ascension. Burial was private.

CARL H. A. BJERREGAARD.

Carl H. A. Bjerregaard, aged 77, considered an authority on mysticism and chief of the reading room of the New York Public Library, died Saturday in his home, 541 West 124th street. In 1879 Mr. Bjerregaard obtained employment with the old Astor Library, and from that time until he became ill he was conected with that or similar institutions. He had written several books, including "Mysticism and Nature Worship" and "The Great Mothers." Mr. Bjerregaard was a native of Denmark and was a graduate of both the University of Copenhagen and the Military Academy of Denmark. He came to America in 1873.

FRED E. WHEATON.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 29.—Fred E. Wheaton, 59, Democratic National Committeeman from Minnesota, died at a hospital to-day after a long illness. Death was due to heart disease brought on by overwork.

JOHN DUNBAR PRINGLE.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 29.—John Dunbar Pringle, aged 64, well known in labor and newspaper circles, died in his home here to-day. He suffered a stroke of paralysis late last week.

BALL FOR ITALIAN FUND.

The annual Italian intercollegiate ball will be held on February 11 at the Hotel Biltmore under the direction of the Italian Intercollegiate Association for the benefit of its scholarship fund. The Italian Intercollegiate Association is composed of the students of the various colleges and universities of New York city who are interested in the promotion of a closer intellectual relationship between Italy and America. The purpose of the scholarship fund is to enable the association to send qualified students to Italy to pursue graduate studies.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—IN OR ABOUT KNICKERBOCKER THEATRE, WEDNESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 25, AMBER TORTOISE SHELL COMB WITH DIAMONDS; REWARD. JAMES A. BYRNE, 14 WALL ST. TELEPHONE RECTOR 8140.

LOST—Brown handbag, containing money, keys, eyeglasses, address book, ticket, on 86th st. and Broadway; keep money; return bag with contents. FOLWELL, 272 W. 90th.

LOST—Bunch of keys, between 37th and 3d av. and 5th av. and 47th st., Sunday morning. Tel. Bryant 1891.

Jewelry.

LOST—Gold mesh chain purse, sapphire clasp, between 49th st. and 5th av. and West 59th st. Thursday night; reward; no questions asked. Phone Columbus 9090.

LOST—Thursday evening, probably in taxi from Plaza Hotel to 55th st., drop pearl earring; reward. 15 E. 55th st.

$400 REWARD

for return of flexible bracelet containing 47 rubies, lost Jan. 26 between 39th St. Theater, Plaza Hotel, East 62d st. or in taxicab. UDALL & BALLOU, 574 5th av.

Cats, Dogs &c.

LOST—Dog, white with brown spot on back, vicinity of 71st st. and Columbus av., Jan. 27; reward $100. Notify Mrs. BLOCH, Columbus 7624.

$10 reward for return of English and Boston bull, 8 months old, lost around 85th st. and 3d av. JULIUS KESSLER, 220 E. 86th.

DIED.

Baskerville, Charles
Brown, James T.
Carpenter, Myra L.
Chase, Catharine A.
Chatellier, John
Clinton, Eugene Z.
Cubit, Annie S.
Doering, Oscar A.
Towyer, James J.
Giles, Nellie L.
Hand, Marjorie L.
Hopkins, Samuel M. B
Kaufman, Bertha
Lent, D. Storm
Levy, Hannah
Lewis, Daniel F.
MacGregor, Ethel F.
McKiernan, James F.
Northrup, James A.
Ogston, Frank F.
Pratt, Anna Marion
Purdy, Charles R.
Reynolds, Genevieve
Ruddy, Catherine
Russell, Charles W.
Samuels, Lewis
Sankey, I. Allan
Smolen, Anna A.
Somerville, Hannah M
Sutton, Leonora B.
Weenolsen, Amelia F
Weston, Frank
Whitehead, Jane K.
Whitlock, Charles
Wooldridge, Catharine

In Memoriam.

Fisher, Reuben M.

DIED.

BASKERVILLE.—Kane Lodge, No. 454, F. and A. M.—Brethren: We announce with sorrow the death of Brother Charles Baskerville on Saturday, January 28, 1922, at New York city. You are hereby requested to attend the funeral services, to be held on Tuesday, January 31, 1922, at 2:30 P. M., at the Chapel of the Intercession, Broadway and 155th st.
John Edmond Hewitt, Master.
Henry N. Moeller, Secretary.

BROWN.—On January 29, 1922, Lieut. James T. Brown, member of Hook and Ladder Company, No. 45, N. Y. F. D., beloved son of Mary Brown (nee Cavanaugh) and brother of Catherine Brown, Jennie Sandfeld, Elizabeth Brown and Mary Shinners. Funeral Wednesday, 9:30 A. M., from his late residence, 552 West 174th st. Solemn high mass 10 o'clock, Church of Incarnation, 175th st., near St. Nicholas av. Interment St. Raymond's Cemetery. Automobile cortege.

CARPENTER.—At Rutherford, N. J., January 29, 1922, Myra Louise, beloved wife of Harry Carpenter, at her residence, 104 Highland Cross. Notice of funeral hereafter.

CHASE.—On Friday, January 27, 1922, Catharine Astor, daughter of the late William Henry and Maria Rogers Brown Chase and sister of Cornelia M. Jennings and Julia Sergeant Chase. Funeral service at Church of St. Edward the Martyr, 109th st., east of 5th av., on Monday morning, at 10:30 o'clock.

CHATELLIER.—On January 29, 1922, John, husband of Mary Woods Chatellier. Funeral services at his late home, 53 Glenwood road, Upper Montclair, on Wednesday, February 1, at 11:30 A. M. Interment Greenwood Cemetery. Train leaves Erie station, Jersey City, 10:22, to Mountain av. station.

CLINTON.—Eugene Z. Campbell Funeral Church, B'way, 66th st., Monday, 10 A. M.

CUBIT.—Annie S., at Milburn, N. J., on Sunday, January 29, 1922. Services at her late residence, Milburn av., Tuesday, January 31, at 3 o'clock.

DOERING.—Oscar A., on January 28, 1922, beloved husband of Marie Doering. Services at his late residence, 2809 Pond place, Bronx, January 30, 1922, at 8 P. M. Interment Woodlawn Cemetery.

DWYER.—James J., beloved son of the late James and Mary Dwyer (formerly of East 16th st.), at All Souls' Hospital, Morristown