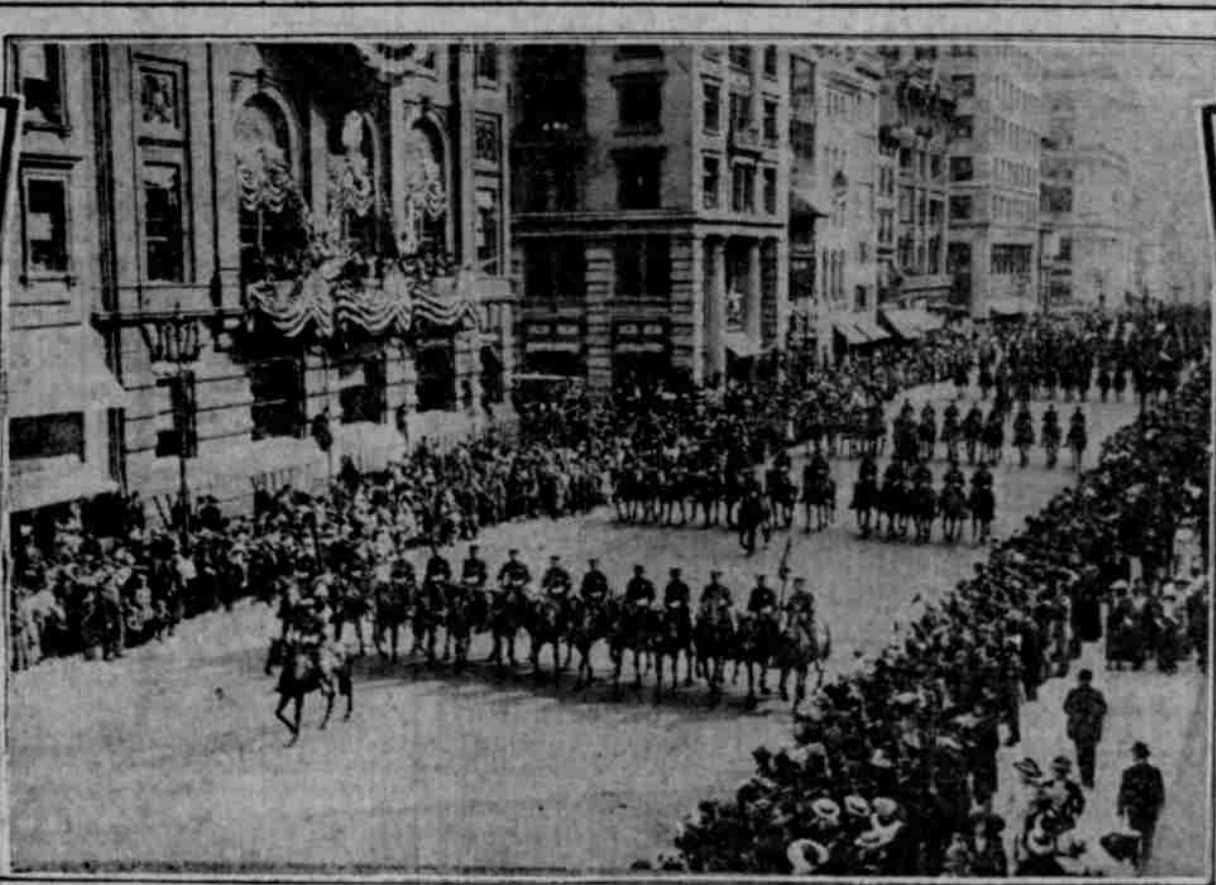


EVENTS OF NATIONAL INTEREST SEEN BY CAMERA'S EYE



International Arbitration Delegates. Left to right, E. C. Getsinger, Mrs. Getsinger, Dr. Ameen Farred, Mrs. Ahmed Sahrab Miza, Vargha, Sigard Aswadullah, Dr. Zia Bagdad. In front with white beard is Abdul Baha. Photo by American Press Assn.



New York Police Parade



Left to Right, Mrs. Clayton, Mrs. Beall, Mrs. W. J. Bryan and Norman E. Mack at Dolly Madison Breakfast. Photo by Salt.



Cincinnati Suffragette Posters



Galveston Causeway

NEW YORK, June 1.—(Special).—The 140th anniversary of Dolly Madison recently was celebrated in Washington and her choice as toastmistress proved a happy one. The toast "Dolly Madison" was responded to by Mrs. Bryan, who was cordially received. Galveston has completed the great

causeway of concrete which connects the city with the mainland. It cost \$2,000,000, but it practically puts Galveston on the mainland shore, and it is being strongly constructed that there is no danger that any storm which the Gulf has ever seen could destroy it. It was dedicated May 2.

A recent photograph shows two prominent suffragettes in Cincinnati posting bills. Miss Louise Hill is shown with a long brush and Mrs. Susan Fitzgerald is assisting to attach the poster. After finishing their work as bill posters the women passed in their labors to make a suffrage speech to the large

crowd which was attracted by the unusual spectacle. The newest and most formidable sea-fighter of the United States Navy was launched recently at Newport News from the ship yards of the Newport News Shipbuilding Company. The new battleship was christened the Texas by the daughter of Colonel Cecil Lyon, of Texas, Miss Claudia Lyon. The launching of the Texas not only gave Uncle Sam a new fighting craft, but gave the United States a new record for battleship construction. The keel of the Texas was laid 13 months ago. The vessel is already equipped with her boilers and

85 per cent of her machinery. In general appearance the Texas resembles the Delaware, the last ship launched at Newport News. The ship will cost \$14,000,000.

Seventy-five healthy young sailors started today on the training ship Newport for their annual cruise. They belong to the New York Nautical School. Before returning to these shores the boys will have skirted along the British coast and through the Kiel Canal. They will also have seen the Olympic games at Stockholm, where many of them will take part in the regatta of deep-sea boats.

At the annual conference on international arbitration, which assembled recently at Lake Mohonk, N. Y., representatives from several foreign nations were in attendance. Among them were E. C. Getsinger, Mrs. Getsinger, Dr. Ameen Farred, Mrs. Ahmed Sahrab, Mrs. Vargha, Sigard Aswadullah, Dr. Zia Bagdad. A new religion of peace was represented by Abdul Baha, an aged man with flowing beard and dressed in a long white robe.

HIGH CLASS FRENCH COMPOSITIONS TO SUPPLANT QUESTIONABLE PLAYS

Singers Leave for Europe to Rest; Nordica Goes to London, Mary Garden to Paris and Scotland—Hope Is Entertained That Gatti-Casazza May Yet Be Prevailed Upon to Appear Here Next Season.

BY EMILIE FRANCES BAUER. NEW YORK, June 1.—(Special).—While America and Americans think they hear all the French dramas that are worth while, it may be suggested that only those which are sensational and "Frenchy," if there be those who recognize in this designation that which borders upon the outer edges of life, reach the American stage. It looks, however, now, as if next season were to bring French drama more prominently into this country. Of course this does not include the splendid examples we have had from Rostand, Maeterlinck and Henri Bernstein, who, however, is not in the class with the others named, although he may make a more popular appeal.

As has already been stated we will hear Pierre Loti's "Daughter of Heaven," the great Chinese drama, in which he had the collaboration of Judith Gautier and the charming French novelist will come himself to superintend the mounting of the spectacle which Laeblor & Co. promise shall be even more elaborate than "The Garden of Allah."

Bourget is another name which may become known as well in theatrical circles as it was a few years ago when every one was reading "Cosmopolis." But Bourget, the dramatist, is a wonderful man, a man of singular power and of tremendous logic. He grapples with great problems and he treats them with distinction and with rare understanding, but they have elements which must of necessity militate against them in this country where the average playgoers does not want to think, or, if he does, he does not want to study French politics and in this direction the playwright leans strongly.

NEW YORK ALDERMEN ADD TO GRIEFS OF AUTO OWNERS; SPEED LIMIT CUT

General Sessions Court Hears Reports From 125 Suspended Sentence Cases—Sunday School Teacher Holds Job 68 Years—Cuban Sugar Importers Say Revolts Haven't Hurt Business—Rains May Stop Cane Planting.

BY LLOYD F. LONERGAN. NEW YORK, June 1.—(Special).—Auto owners are preparing to make a bitter fight on this ordinance, but their victory is doubtful.

There was an interesting ceremony in general sessions the other night, when 125 men and women who got suspended sentence by grace of Judge Thomas C. Crain, and appeared by invitation to show how regular they have been in reporting to the probation officers, and that they have steady jobs.

A youth dressed in his uniform, showing that he is now a conductor on a trolley car, rushed in late, straight from his last run for the evening and gave a good accounting of himself, which the Rev. Father James Lynch, who looks after a section of the suspended cases, backed up. Some were a few minutes late because they now owned their little stores, tobacco and pop counters, and were late in closing up shop.

It was a decently dressed crowd of young men and boys such as one might see on the bleachers of a ball game any day, and in view of the cross fire which certain of the Judiciary are now getting, Judge Crain's inquiry into their doings was of interest enough to bring to the courtroom, among other spectators, Father Luke Evers, Chaplain of the Tomb, Henry W. Hyde, the candy manufacturer; Paul Fuller, Dean of the Fordham School; the Rev. Father Curry; the Rev. Father Thomas Lynch, and John Deere of the State Prison Commission.

Sixty-eight years as Sunday school teacher in this city is the reason a testimonial meeting was recently given in the Misaph Chapel, 459 Sixty-seventh street, to William Mickens. In 1844 shortly after he came to town, at the age of 15, he began to teach in a Presbyterian church at West Twentieth street, and 23 years ago, when the Misaph Chapel opened on Tenth avenue near Fifty-sixth street, he began to teach there since. He has a class of girls there now.

Cuban sugar producers who have spent in the West, at the University of California, Dr. J. Fred Wolfe resumed the direction of the Bach Festival Chorus, and the first activity of this organization will be held in Packer Memorial Church, Lehigh University, May 31 and June 1, with a quartet consisting of Mary Missam de Moss, Gertrude Stein-Balley, Nicholas Douy and Frank Croxon. The orchestral support will be supplied by members of the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra. Mrs. Bailey and Mr. Douy have sung at all of the six festivals of Bethlehem. Dr. Wolfe has been rehearsing the Bach Choir of 200 voices all Winter in the B minor mass.

Among the departing singers this week were Mary Garden and Alessandro Bonel, and Mrs. Nordica sailed also to take a house in London for the season. Miss Garden filled a great number of concert tours with a symphony orchestra and she will also appear with the Chicago Opera Company, with which she will go as far as the Pacific Coast.

Meanwhile Caruso has advanced his price to \$1000 a performance. This Summer she will rest at her home on Avenue Malakoff, in Paris, and then will motor on the continent before spending a month in Scotland. She was accompanied by her mother, who will remain abroad until Miss Garden is ready to return. Just before sailing she said: "I shall be happy all Summer in the thought of doing 'Thais' and 'Salome' in San Francisco. I know how thoroughly both of these works will be appreciated in that great music center. I can assure you, San Francisco will get the best I have to give."