MISS JOSEPHINE MATHER

as an enthusiastic promoter of outdoor

sports. She is a great lover of horses and

ley, of Germantown, who have been traveling

for two years, returned on Monday and will

make their home at Wayne avenue and School-

Mrs. Kearn and Miss Huntley have been

making a tour of the United States, the Orient

and Europe, finishing in Egypt and the Holy

Miss Caroline Rosengarten and Miss Clara

Rosengarten returned on Wednesday to their

home in Germantown, after spending the sea-

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Neely and their

Miss Ida L. Douglass and Miss Gertrude H.

Douglass, of 6116 McCallum street, returned to

their home yesterday, after a season at Vent-

Wednesday, after a season at Pocono, Pa.

returned to her home in St. Martins.

CHESTNUT HILL

Miss Elizabeth P. Dallas, who has been spend-

ng several weeks in Kennebunkport, Me., has

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rowland, Miss Frances

Rowland and the Messrs. Rowland, who spent

the summer in Bay Head, have returned to their

Mr. and Mrs. Clement Reeves Wainwright,

who spent the summer in the Adirondacks, will

return to their home on Chestnut avenue about

Mrs. David Caldwell F. Rivinus and her

daughters, Miss Emilie M. M. Rivinus, Miss

Mary M. Rivinus and Miss Edith C. F. Rivinus,

have closed their house on Rex avenue and

returned to their home, 2119 De Lancey place.

WEST PHILADELPHIA

The Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Wyatt Bispham.

of 4220 Pine street, will close their cottage at

Ocean City about October 1 and return to

Mrs. Charles B. Fritz, who spent the sum-

mer at Great Barrington, Mass., has returned

just returned from a motor trip through Penn-

Pine streets, have closed their house at Ocean

Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Myers, of the War-

rington, 36th and Walnut streets, returned from

Ocean City, where they spent the summer with

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Arrott have left

Miss Nina F. Lewis and Miss Margaret L.

Bodine, of Hamilton Court, who are motoring

through New England, have reached Water-

NORTHWEST PHILADELPHIA

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sickels and their

iaughter, Miss Ruth Sickels, are occupying

their home, 2206 Diamond street, having re-

turned from Chelsea where they passed the

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Edmonds, of 1543

North 33d street, who spent the summer tour-

ing through New England, left yesterday for

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Peigel, of 2003 North

Mrs. Edward Schofield, of Sixteenth and Ox-

ford streets, has returned home from Ocean

Mrs. Henry Rothschild with her children,

Henrietta Hothschild and Leonard Rothschild.

of 2022 Green street, returned home last

night after spending three months in Roches-

City, where she passed the summer.

Broad street, have returned to their city home

Mrs. Myers' mother, Mrs. Edwin Clinton.

to her home, 3903 Spruce street.

City, N. J., will return in October.

City, and returned to town,

study music and the classies.

a motor trip up the Hudson.

from Germantown.

sylvania.

New York.

summer.

bury, Conn.

summer.

home on Navahoe avenue, Chestnut Hill.

Saturday, after three months in Europe.

usually exhibits at the various shows.

house lane for the winter.

son at Asbury Park.

the middle of October.

Miss Mather may be always counted upon

NUMBER of persons socially prominent A are much interested in the St. Francis Home for Convalencents at Lanadowne, and it has been decided to hold a Country Fair and Market Day on Saturday, October 3, from morning until night on the grounds.

The home was started a little over a year ago and has already accomplished a great work. Over 600 patients were cared for this summer. The property on which the house stands was originally the Lansdowne Country Club. Among these who are interested in the affair are Miss Frances L. Sullvan and Miss Leta Livingston Sullivan, Miss Emille M. M. Rivinus, Miss Mary M. Rivinus, Miss Mary E. Sinnott, Miss Matilda L. Jonkins, Mrs. James Mundy, Mrs. M. McMichen, Miss Jean Rowland Levis, Miss Agnes R. Levis, Mrs. Francis Patterson, Miss Gertrude Fetterman and very many others.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Williamson Roberts, who have been spending the summer in York Harbor, closed their house yesterday and will return to town by motor, reaching here Saturday. They will occupy the Craig Biddle house at 1713 Locust street for the winter. The Roberts are building a new house on the old Garrett property, which they purchased last year. It is expected that the house will he ready for occupancy about next May.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Horstmann, who spent July cruising with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lippincott, on their yacht Lady Betty, have returned from Northeast Harbor, Me., where they were visiting their daughter and son-inlaw, Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Fraley. Dr. and Mrs. Fraley will close Halcyon Monday, and will spend two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Horstman at Norwynden, Overbrook.

Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Reginald Allen will return Saturday from Lake George, where they have spent the summer.

Miss Placid Vogt is at present the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. Richard Norris.

Dr. C. H. Harbaugh, of this city, is staying in White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., for a few

The Neighbors' Club, a prominent social organization of Lansdowne, Pa., met at the home of Dr. G. Victor Janvier, on Runnemede avenue, Tuesday night. Music formed a part of the program. About 30 members attended.

ALONG THE MAIN LINE

MERION-Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Blake returned yesterday to their home on South Highland avenue after a three week's visit to Atlantic City.

Mrs. Walter W. Hartel, of Wynnewood and Union avenues, who recently underwent an operation, is convalescing, and is expected home the second week in October.

NARRERTH-Mr. and Mrs. George M. Colesworthy, of Iona avenue, will be among the guests at the house party to be given over this week-end by Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Jacoby

at their Cape May cottage. Mr. and Mrs. Jacoby, who have opened their cottage several times this summer for a two or three weeks' stay at Cape May, will return to Narberth the first week in October.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Wilson and Miss Elizabeth Louise Wilson have opened their home at the corner of Chestnut and Narberth avenues, after a summer spent at Kennebunkport. Me.

WYNNEWOOD-Mr. and Mrs. Frederick S. Koons have returned home after a month's stay in Chelsea.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Littell White, who with their children spent the greater part of the summer at Cape May, are back in Wynnewood again. Mrs. White is an interested visitor at the Horse Show each day.

Mrs. Charles A. Waterall and her four children have returned to their Penn road house after a visit to Chelsea.

ARDMORE-Mr. and Mrs. F. Clark Durant, Jr., who spent the summer at their camp in the Adirondacks, have opened their house, Roberts and Wister roads. Mrs. Durant returned this afternoon from a short trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. McIlvaine, Jr., have closed their summer residence at Watch Hill, R. L. and are now at Pine Hill.

ALONG THE READING

Mrs. J. Milton Colton, of Wyndhurst, Jenkintown, has as her guests her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Hand, of Wilkes-Barre, Mrs. Hand will be remembered as Miss Margaret Colton.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel B. Wentz have returned to The Orchard, their home in Wyncote, after spending some time at Eagle's Mere, Pa. Miss Mary Hohn Dern has returned to her

home in Jenkintown, after spending two years Miss Susan Ridgway has returned from Bush-

kill, Pa., and is the guest of her sister, Mre. Sumner H. Cross, at her home on York road. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edward Drayton, who spent the summer in Rockport, Mass., are at their home, the Cedars, in Penllyn, for the winter. Mrs. Drayton, Jr.'s, niece, Miss Anna M. Hecksher, will be among the debutantes of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Smith will move into town from their place in Gwynedd Valley about the first of November.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Norris have as their guest Miss Bond, of Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Fox are at their

farm in Springhouse for the fall months. Later they will take a house in town. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schoble, of the Oaks,

Wyncote, have sent out invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Chara Irene Schoble, and Willia McDonald Powell, of Montclair, N. J., on Wednesday evening, October 7. at their home. The maid of honor will be Miss Marguerite Bradway. Mr. Powell has selected his brother, Stephen Powell, for best man, The ceremony will be followed by a reception, On their return from an extended wedding fearney the couple will live at 522 Valley road. Montclair, N. J., where they will receive after November 15.

Miss Huzel Barke, of 3639 Old York road, will leave Saturday for her summer, home at Selieraville, Pa., to be gone about ten days. While away. Miss Barke will entertain a house party over the week-end.

GERMANTOWN

Miss Elizabeth Brockie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Warden, left yesterday for Westever. Conn., where she will attend boarding

school during the winter. Mr. and Mrs. William B. Kurtz, of Manheim street, are at home, having closed their Venther cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wayne, Jr., of 5520 Wayne avenue, will return to their home on Saturday, after a season spent at Atlantic

Mrs. Henry Kearn and Miss Harriet Hunt-

street, and her sister, Mrs. R. Taylor, have

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returned from a tour through Europe. A pretty wedding will take place at the Roosevelt, 2027 Chestnut street, October 8, when Miss Minna E. Kilgus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Kilgus, will become the bride of Otto F. Schoenhut, son of Mrs. Emily Schoenhut. A reception will folliw the ceremony.

A mock trial will be held by the Young Men's Division of the Pannonia Beneficial Association in their clubhouse, at Franklin and Poplar streets, next Sunday night.

The playlet given will be "Breach of Promise," by J. H. Friedman The cast will include S. Cohn, as judge; I. Griver and L. Marmorstein will be attorneys, H. Marmorstein will act as interpreter. A Hungarian count will be S. Stern. The defendant will be represented by D. Odell, and H. Lewis will be a client. The jury of 12 will be headed by H. Uchin as foreman.

SOUTHWEST PHILADELPHIA

Miss Teresa Burke, of 1438 South Broad street, who has been spending the summer at Atlantic City, returned last week, very much

Improved in health. Miss Mary Fallon entertained at cuchre on Tuesday evening at her home, 1731 Morris street. Among the guests were Miss Mary Jeffers, Miss Margerie Jeffers, Miss Mary Hanrahan, J. W. Burke, J. Maroney and Dr. James Galligan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Hollard, who have spent the summer at Atlantic City, have returned to their home, 1717 Mifflin street.

Mrs. Eva Veidt, of 2225 Beachwood street, announces the marriage, on September 19, of her daughter, Miss Evelyn Gertrude Veldt, and Joseph Edward Fox, of Terre Haute, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. John J. Carr and their chil-

dren have closed their cottage at Ocean City,

where they have been since June 1, and returned to their home, 2419 Carpenter street. Miss Winifred Cosgrove, of 1732 Moore street, has returned from Europe. Miss Cosgrove left about May 1 for the British Isles, and toured the continent during July and August.

TIOGA

Mrs. George H. Wobensmith, chairman of the Executive Committee of the Suffrage party of the 23d Legislative District, entertained the members of her committee Tuesday night at her home, 1813 West Ontario street. Her guests were Miss Laura G. Cramp, Miss Florence T. Bernheimer, Mrs. Josephine Paul, Mrs. Lydia Whitmore, Mrs. E. Bernheimer, Miss Frances Lichten, Miss Blanche Barton, Miss Marie Weedstrem, Miss Gladys Watson, Miss Nettle L. Hahn and Miss Helen Lukens. Arrangements were made to secure headquarters in Tioga.

Mr. and Mrs. Raynor Bowman, of West Tioga street, left on Monday for a week's motor trip to Stroudsburg and the Delaware Water Gap. Mr. and Mrs. David Bacharach, of 4153 North Broad street, have returned from an all summer

stay in Atlantic City. Mrs. Edwin J. Wilkinson, Jr., gave a delightful luncheon today at her home, 1302 Hunting Park avenue. Asters, combined with ferns, formed attractive decorations. The guests were: Mrs. John Costello, Mrs. Thomas Poole, Mrs. Thomas H. Jackson, Mrs. Henry Balber, Mrs. Phy, Mrs. Frank Thomas, Mrs. Frederick J. Halterman, Mrs. Henry Dading, Mrs. William K. Grauer, Mrs. Louis Meinhardt, Mrs. Edward Gilmore, Mrs. Thomas Kay, Mrs. Wil-

liam W. Smith, Mrs. Franklin Sheib and Miss daughter, Miss Frances Neely, of 43 West Tul-Mary F. Wilkinson. The luncheon was folpehocken street, returned to their home on lowed by cards. Robert D. Lodge and William S. Brogan have arranged a tally-ho party for this Saturday. They will leave the Malta Boat Club in the park late in the afternoon for Lansdowne. On their return they will stop at the Willows,

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence S. Miller, of 450 West where an elaborate dinner will be served. Bringhurst street, returned to their home on Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Maharg, Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Cochrane and H. Hather Maharg have returned from an automobile trip to Lake Hopakong and the Delaware Water Gap.

ROXBOROUGH

Mrs. Charles Bennett will entertain the members of the Roxborough Auxiliary of Camp Devitt, Deer Mountain, Allenwood, Pa., on Tuesday afternoon. October 6, at her home on Manayunk avenue. The association will give several large affairs during the winter in aid of the work. The business meetings, which will be followed by luncheon and cards, will be held monthly. The officers and members are: Mrs. Clarence C. Keever, president; Mrs. Benfamin Johnson, vice president:; Mrs. Charles P. Martyn, secretary; Mrs. William Davitt, treasurer; Mrs. Harry D. Rarick, Mrs. Charles Bennett, Miss Florence Bennett, Mrs. Joseph McManus, Mrs. William Shappell, Mrs. Harry Carty, Mrs. Louis Wagner, Miss Elizabeth Earl. Mrs. Eliwood Beatty, Mrs. Frederick Whitney

and Mrs. Albert Rommel. Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Ward, of 564 East Leverington avenue, have returned from an automobile trip to Long Island and Connecticut. They were accompanied by Mrs. Charles Schofield and Miss Ellen Schofield, of 620 East Lev-

Maurice Horter, of 211 North 38th street, has erington avenue. The Rev. Dr. John B. Champion, Mrs. Champion and their daughter, Miss Una Champion, Mrs. Frank T. Anderson, of 7123 Woodland of 561 Leverington avenue, have returned from avenue, who is spending some time at Ocean a summer's visit to Prince Edward Island and Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Howell, of 39th and Ontario, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Simpson, of Ridge avenue, returned Yesterday from a motor trip to the Delaware Water Gap. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilkinson, of 452 Lyceum

avenue, have returned from Ocean City, where they spent the summer and early fall. Miss Amanda Keely, of Lakemary, Fla., is

Jefferson, N. H., and are at Briarcliff Manor, visiting Mrs. James Walter Keely, of Green lane. Miss Keely will return South the end Dr and Mrs. Maxwell Langdon, of Locust of October. street and St. Mark's place, have closed their Mr. and Mrs. John Bowker have returned

cottage at Cape May, where they spent the from a summer's stay at Eaglesmere. Miss Dorothy McDowell and Miss Marian Blanchard Smith left for Massachusetts. They have entered Mt. Holyoke College and will

An automobile party that returned on Tuesday from a week-end trip to Stroudsburg and the Delaware Water Gap, included Mr. and Mrs. D. Adams, of Ridge avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. George G. Littlewood, of 445 Lyceum

Mrs. William Burhouse is spending the full in Providence, Mass. Miss Hettie Elizabeth Sheldrake, of Lyceum avenue, will entertain the Current Events Club

CAMDEN AND VICINITY

on Friday night, October 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley C. Muschamp, Jr., of North Sixth street, have returned from a two months' stay in Maseachusetts.

Mrs. Thomas West Cloggett and her small son, of Baltimore, came over to welcome Mrs. Cloggett's mother, Mrs. John F. Starr, on her return from Europe last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hillman, of Haddonfield. have returned from their summer home at Pocono Pines

Mr. and Mrs. S. Conrad Ott have returned from Moosehead Lake, Me., to their apartments at Third and Cooper streets.

Mrs. John H. Heaton entertained at luncheon and a card party at the Ocean City Yacht Ciub before returning to her home on North Fourth street last week, having spent the season in Miss Mary B. Peirce, of 1616 North Broad her cottage at Ocean City Gardens.

CHESTER AND VICINITY

Miss Janet I. Mowry, of East Broad street, is spending a fortnight's vacation with friends in Pittsburgh. Joseph Lane is entertaining James F. Ham-

mond, of Chicago, Ill. Miss Jane B. Provost, of Walnut street, has veturned from an extended four along the Pacific coast. She also visited Alaska.

Miss Edith Campion has returned to her home at Leavenworth, Kan., after spending the summer as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Henry M. Hirkson, of East Fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hannum, of Upland, are entertaining Mrs. Oscar Lewis, of Anselma, Pa. G. Lloyd Wilson has returned to his home in Ridley Park, after a summer's stay at Ocean City, N. J.

Miss Gretta Kerr, of Eddystone, recently entertained a party of friends on the occasion of her birthday.

Mrs. Anna Herbert, of Overbrook, is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. D. W. Mackelduff, at Prospect Park.

AT THE COUNTRY CLUBS

Variety of Steps in Fox Trot and Tango at Man-

heim Show Different Summer Resorts. Early as it is for much interest to be displayed in social functions, the dinner dances at the various clubs are growing in popularity every day. There was a noticeable number of people from the different seashore resorts last night at Manhelm, each resort having its own version of the fox trot and the tango. Those noticed dancing were Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Flood, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Etherington, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Wliliam Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Dudley. Dr. and Mrs. Harold Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tilden, Mr. and Mrs. John Blakley, Mr. and Mrs. H. Evan Taylor, Miss Helen Van Dusen, Miss Helen Gormley, Miss Louise Me-Cale, Miss Florence Bear, Sargent Robinson, Wheeler Lord, Charles Riley, George Purviance, Frank Green, Orne Goodwin, Logan Howard-Smith, Jack Moffly, Harold Ewing. Rowland Foulke, James A. Walker.

BRETTON WOODS

BRETTON WOODS, N. H., Sept. 24.-Richard Y. Cooke has left for Philadelphia. Mrs. Cooke and Miss Cooke will remain at Mount Wash-Ington indefinitely.

Registered at the Bethlehem Country Club are George V. Rehfus, Overbrook, Pa.; Charles E. Thomas and Edwin Thomas, of St. Louis. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ackerman and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bellis, of New Jersey, arrived from Profile House, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Crawford, Jr., of Gwynedd, Pa., motored from the Berk-

shires today. Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Landell, Miss Clara Landell, Miss Lucy Newhall and W. P. Newhall are Philadelphia arrivals here.

Miss H. J. Wright, of Philadelphia, has joined friends at Bretton Woods.

NEWPORT

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 24.-Mrs. J. J. Wysong gave a luncheon at Greystone today. Mrs. Frank Taylor Evans gave a luncheon at the United States Navy Training Station today.

Mrs. Alexander J. Cassatt and Miss Lois B. Cassatt closed their season here today and returned to Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Hoffman are closing their season here next Saturday. Francis Roche has returned from the Bryn Mawr Horse Show. While there he purchased

a hunter called Pickering, from William J. Clothier, of Philadelphia. WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. Va., Sept.

24.-Mrs. Barton H. Grundy gave an old Virginia supper at her cottage tonight Mr. and Mrs. Van Lear Perry Shriver have arrived in their motor from Pittsburgh, for

Other registrations here include Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Van Reed, of Reading, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Wallace M. Reld, of Pittsburgh, and G.

SOME SHORTHAND BLUNDERS

H. Harbaugh, of Philadelphia.

Many Mistakes Due To Use of Wrong Vowels A volume could be filled with amusing stories of shorthand mistakes, the greater number of them due to mistaken vowels. For instance, 'This day is big with fate" was transcribed This day is big with fat," while "Do not indulge in spite" came out "Do not indulge in spit," and "A house of many gables" was transcribed into "A house of many gabbles."

The use of the wrong vowel may have the most amusing result, as in the phrase, "Man know thyself," which was once converted in the report of a sermon into "Man, gnaw thyself." To misplace a vowel is in shorthand the easiest thing in the world. T. A. Reed, the well-known reporter, tells of a pupil who by this means turned "mighty acts" into "mighty cats," and another report of a sermon was spoiled by the advice, "Return a blow with an ax." instead of "a kiss." The reporting style, in which the vowels are

emitted altogether for the sake of rapidity, is responsible for the famous American story of the shorthand clerk who took down a note of his wife's instruction to "be sure to remember to bring home some castile soap." and, as a result, returned home with a tin of extail soup!-London Strand Magazine.

In a Hole

Uncle Joe Cannon said at a Danville po-litical picnic last month: Finance such as that, gentlemen, will land country in the hole wherein Mrs. Bill ith found herself.

Mrs. Bill Smith spent with her husband a two-week vacation at Atlantic City. It was an extravagant vacation. It cleaned them 'As they rode back home on the train, sun-

burned and fatigued, their pockerhooks empty and the next payday two weeks off, Mrs. Smith sighed and said: 'Well, anyhow, Bill, we'll be all right as soon as we get home. The morning we started off I hid a ten-dollar bill under the pink plush album in the parlor."
"Yes.' said Bill, grimly, 'yes, I know you did. I found it."—Washington Star. soon as we get home. The morning

A Broken Pledge

There used to be in Albany an eccentric o be neither shaved nor shorn until S A. Douglas came to the Presidency not keep his resolution, however. One day John Morgan, a Negro, who had acted as barser for many Governors and who described simself on a sign over his shop door in Greene street as a "tonsorial operator and capillary abridger," had a slip pasted on the mirror in front of his "operating chair" on which he had written, "Douglas not elected, but Pete's hair is off."—Exchange.

Amounts to the Same Thing

Two young Clevelanders met on the street One of them said: "Well, I understand that our old friend Griggs has gone and married a wife." It's not true. I understand nothing of

the sort."
"What? Well, what did you hear about it?"
"I understand that a widow has gone and married our friend Griggs."—Cleveland Plain



To appear in "Pilate's Daughter," Chestnut Street Opera House, next week.

FEW CANARIES COMING HERE

Blockade of German Ports Keeps Birds In Fatherland

Those who may have been under the impression that canary birds imported into this country come from the Canary Islands will auffor a severe disillusionment at this time, especially if the family thinks that a canary bird is needed, and someone proceeds to "buy" a conary. The fact is, that in times of peace canary birds come from the Hartz Mountains, in Germany, where they are bred by the peasants in garrets and spare rooms of their cottages. One New York firm alone imports 160,000 canaries annually.

At present no canaries can be bought in the bird stores because of the blockade of German ports. Ordinarily, these birds sell for \$35 to \$50 per dozen. The individual bird is sold on his merits, as indicated by his looks and his voice. The female capacy is a poor singer and sells for half the price of the male. The birds sing best between the ages of a half-year and six years. Frequently they live to be 12 years old. The bird dealers also suffer from lack of

cages for other birds. The canaries are shipped in individual wooden cages made in Germany and are sent in lots of 100 to 500. These birds have to be fed dally on canary seed and hard boiled eggs as well as given fresh water. A. its longevity, often living as long as 300 years. skilled attendant has to accompany them on | My scarab died a year ago in its infancy-It the voyage and frequently a young peasant earns his traveling expenses to this country in that manner.

QUICKSILVER PRODUCTION

Slight Decrease Shown In World's Aggregate Last Year

The quicksilver production of the world during 1913 is estimated at 4171 metric tons, against 4962 tons in 1912 and 4083 tons in 1911. The countries of production last year were: United States, 688 tons; Austria-Hungary, 855 tons; Italy, 988 tons; Spain, 1490 tons; Mexico and others, 150 tens. These figures were gathered by the United States Geological Survey

Quicksliver is used mainly in the manufacture of fulminate for explosive caps, of drugs, of electric appliances and scientific apparatus, and in the recovery of precious metals, especially gold, by amalgamation. A new use in Scotland is the floating of lights of lighthouses upon a United States and possibly elsewhere, is the coating of ships' bottoms with a paint containing quicksilver to prevent organic growth. Mercuric oxide (red oxide of mercury) is the active poison in anti-fouling paint successfully used on shins' bottoms. The metal appears to be little employed in silvering mirrors, as nitrate of silver is now chiefly used for the purpose. Increasing use of quickstiver is probably to be expected in the manufacture of electrical appliances and of fulminates, and tossibly of

paints for protective contings on metals. The demand for quicksilver for amalgamating gold and silver has greatly decreased, as is well known, with the decreased supply of free milling ores and the increased application of cyantdution to gold and silver ores. Industrial chemistry and inventive genius are to be looked to for increasing the demand.

Getting Even

The teacher was telling the children a long, highly embellished story about Santa Claus, and Willie Jones began giggling with mirth, ich finally got beyond his control. Willie! What did I whip you for yesterasked the teacher severals "Fer lyin"!" promptly answered Willie --

Not So Awfully Plain

An Irish girl called at Mrs. Green's to get "Are you a plain cook?" inquired Mrs.

"Well, mum," replied the girl, "yes may think so, but Officer Mulligan war afther tell-in me that me eyes wor lolke the Lakes av Killarney."—Ladies Home Journal.

AMUSEMENTS FORREST-Last 3 Nights Last Mat. ZIEGFELD FOLLIES MONTGOMERY AND STONE in a New Musical Farmany CHIN-CHIN Music BROAD—Last 3 Nights Last Matthew JOHN MASON in Drugged

ADELPHI POPULAR AL MATTINER TODAY!
HELEN WARE In Edward Locker "THE REVOLT"

OF PLAY WITH EXCHILING QUALIFTIES

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EMPIRE

MATINEE TODAY

GLOBE TROTTERS

THE DRAMA

THEATRICAL BAEDEKER

ADELPHI-"The Revolt," by Edward Loc starring Helen Ware. Should a wife take the same liberties as her husband? She should not! A sermon for derelict benedicts.

BROAD—"Drugged," melodrama by Owen Davie, with John Mason as railroad magnate with a penitentiary past. As like real life as the novels of Hall Corell and Marie Caine. Shows why you shouldn't accuse another ma of murder if you've done the deed yourself; CHESTNUT STREET OPERA HOUSE-"CAbirm." moving-picture drama, by Gabriel D'Annunzio, of the third century B. C. truly marvelous feat on the reel, with a con-

FORREST-"Ziegfeld Follies," a potpourri of songs, jokes and spectacular effects; enter-taining without consuming brain-phosphorus. GARRICK-"Adele," French operatta, with capin love, with a Reversals husband falling in love with his wife.
KEITH'S-Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Castle-their

dances are the music of motion. WALNUT-"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," by Kate Douglas Wiggin. Return lar, simple and appealing play. Return of this popus

FLASHES FROM "STARS"

A. F. MacCollin, who plays the genial and delightful stage driver, Joremiah Cobb, in Kate Douglas Wiggin and Charlotte Thomps. son's comedy, "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," at the Walnut Street Theatre, is one of the oldest living actors. Mr. MacCollin was one of the organizers of the Wheatley Dramatic Association in Philadelphia in 1865, which enrolled such names as John McCullough, E. H. Hearn and D. W. Farrell. He was a member of the famous Ford Company, producers of standard operas, and originated the part of Ralph Rakestraw, the leading tenor role in Gilbert and Sullivan's opera, "Pinafore," in this country. After several years with this organization he joined D'Oyley Carte at the Fifth Avenue Theatre in New York for the production of the "Pirates of Penzance," and played the principal comedy role. When "The Mikado" was produced, the part of Koko was assigned to the late Roland Reed, who opened, but after two performances was compelled to give it up on account of illness. Mr. MacCollin succeeded him, and was accredited as the originator of this role. For five years he was a member of the Stetson Company, playing a repertoire of the light operus. In the last few years Mr. MacCollin has been identified with the Savage, Frohman and Shubert forces, playing principally dramatic comedy roles. He is now succeeding the late Archie Boyd in the part of Jeremiah Cobb in "Rebecca of Sunnybrook

Farm," a most congenial role. Helen Ware, star of "The Revolt," the current attraction at the Adelphi Theatre, says she once owned a pet Egyptian scarab, an insect resembling the cricket. "Above all things else," said Miss Ware, "the scarab is noted for was only 100 years old. I had it for only three years of its life. It was the most unique pet I ever had, and I got terribly attached to it. It fived in a little case, and I fed it on sugarwater. Once I gave it sugar diluted in champagne, and you should have seen that beetleit got quite tipsy. Its antics were terribly funny. Sometimes I were the scarab attached to a thin gold chain. I called it 'Amenoteph.' The Exyptians used to worship the scarab, you know. I adored my pet, and wept at its demise. I'd thought of having a little tombstone made over a tiny urn; but I lost the dead pet in trave. eling. On the tombstone I would have had, Here les Amenoteph, who died in his infancy -he was only a hundred."

"Alas," sighed Miss Ware, "if only the youth of plays were no less brief!"

In Lawrence Eyre's play, "The Things That Count," presented last season at William A. Brady's New York Playhouse, one of the perinl successes was made by Violet de Biccar a child of 12. George T. Brennan, managing director of "Pilate's Daughter," to open at the Chestnut Street Opera House next week, was one of the thousands who admired the work of the child. When it came time for organizing the cast of "Pilate's Daughter" Mr. Brennan sought Miss de Biccari, and, fortunately, was able to place her under contract for the production. She will play the leading role in the first act of the play. Violet is proud of the fact that she has the famous prima donna. Marcella. Sembrich, as godmother and that Caruso, Scottl and Andreas Dippel are among her friends. Violet's father is a boxhood friend of Caruso and a fellow countryman. Like other talented children of the stage, Miss de Biccari has made a success in posing in motion pictures and she has also a number of stage successes to her credit. She played in "The Top of the Merning" and "Hop o' My Thumb." Her ambition is to become a great singer.

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