EVENTO LEDGER PRILITERIDATA SATURDAY NOVEMBER 28, 191-

SOCIAL LIFE IN AND ABOUT PHILADELPHIA

THE Rev. and Mrs. Clarence W. Bispham will entertain in honor of their daughter, Miss Sophy Bispham, at the Army and Navy game, November 28. The guests will be Miss Ruth Wilson, daughter of Captain Wilson, U. S. N., of Washington; Miss Dorethy Mason, daughter of Admiral Mason, U. S. N., of Washington; Miss Belle Thompson, of Baltimore, and Miss Eleanor Eyster, of Charlottesville, Va. After the game Mr. and Mrs. Bispham will entertain a number of the naval officers and their wives at their home. There will be informal dancing and a buffet supper. Mrs. Casey, wife of the late Admiral Casey and mother of Mrs. Bispham, and Miss Sophy Casey will arrive in this city today to be the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Bispham over Thanksgiving Day and the game. Miss Sophy Bispham will go to Washington the first week in December with Miss Wilson, where she will receive at Miss Wilson's debut. She will remain in Washington for several weeks.

Mrs. Percy C. Madeira will entertain at dinner Friday night in honor of Miss Marie Louise Wanamaker and Miss Mary Brown Warburton before the dance which Mr. and Mrs. Warburton will give in honor of Miss Wanamaker at Lindenhurst. Mrs. Madeira's guests will be Miss Mary Campbell Morris, Miss Elsa Reath, Miss Inez Drayton, Miss Wannmaker, Miss Warburton, George D. Widener, Jr., James Gamble, Andrew Gray, Theodore Voorhees, Jr., Benjamin Brannan Reath, 2d, and Livingston Sullivan.

The Zeta Psi Fraternity have issued invitations for a dansant, which will be given at the Fraternity house at 34th and Walnut streets after the Army and Navy game on November 28.

At the wedding of Miss Violet Ridgway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Ridgway, to Theodore Jackel, of New York, the bride will have Mrs. Edward Fales Coward as her only attendant and Mr. Jacckel will have his brother, Albert Jaeckel, as his best man.

Among those who attended the dinner dance which Mr. and Mrs. James Fahnestock gave last night to their daughter. Miss Charlotte Fahnestock, were Miss Phoebe Williams Adams, Miss Elinor J. Bean, Miss Eleanore Bispham, Miss Margaret H. Burton, Miss Roberta B. Downing, Miss Hansell French Earle, Miss Edith Gillingham, Miss Jane Harding, Miss Jean Morris Lillie, Miss Hope McMichael, Miss Huberta Potter, Miss Katharine Z. Ogden, Miss Dorothea Oberteuffer, Miss Frances Stoughton, Miss Katharine Tenney, Miss Anna Mary Walthour, Miss Elizabeth E. Wister, Miss Emilie Duval Williams, Henry Morris Adams, George Barker, L. Brooke Edwards, Samuel Bispham, 3r., Norman Dunning, Powell Fenton, Charles Y. Fox, George Harding, Woodson Hancock, Ludwig Clifford Lewis, Joseph Moulton, Joseph M. Patterson, 2d, Thomas Robinson, Alfred S. Reeves, George Roland Sergeant, Charles Wetter, Andrew Van Pelt, Arthur Sayres, Henry B. Hodge and Ashton Souder.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Flick, Jr., and their children returned to the city after several months spent in Chelsea.

Mrs. Horace Pettit, of this city, has moved to New York for the winter, and is at 706 River-4

ALONG THE MAIN LINE

OVERBROOK-Mr. and Mrs. John S. O'Connell have returned from their wedding tour, and are occupying their new home on Wynnewood avenue, Overbrook, where they will receive after December L. Mrs. O'Connell will be remembered as Miss Alice B. Mullin, the sister of Mr. and Mrs. Francis T. Mullin, of 1904 Spring Garden street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Bookmyer and their son returned from Atlantic City the latter part

CYNWYD-Among the numerous Main Liners who always make the cross-country trip to Cynwyd every year to see the Cynwyd boys' show were several who deemed last Saturday night's play, "Down on the Farm," so excellent that they are endeavoring to have a second production at the Merion Cricket Club in December, for the benefit of the Belgians. Mrs. Stephen B. Knowlton, of Haverford, whose son, Donald Knowlton, played his part as one of the town boys, was the first to start the idea, and now a number of other prominent Main Line women are working with her toward this end.

Starting last Monday, the Monday Afternoon Dancing Class will meet each week, from 4 until 5 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. John Story Eberbach, on Colwyn road. The members are all from the school set, and so far they include Miss Clara Farley, Miss Katherine Mirteenes, Miss Eleanor Pitzsimmons, Miss Jean Scott, Miss Margaret S. Eberbach, Miss Reba Moore, Miss Marion Morse, Archer Cross, Gordon Craige, Francis Supplec, Olin Mirteenes, William Herbert, Howard Cross, Wendell Stewert and Junior Stewert.

Mrs. Van Orden, of New York, is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gallaudet Trumbull, at their home on State

MERION-Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Gedfrey, Jr., will give a dinner at their home . Bowman avenue Friday, November 27, in honor of Miss Eunice Hinman, of New York, who will be their guest over the Army and Navy game. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Montague Lewis entertained informally at dinner last night at their home on Baird road. Mrs. Lewis, who is devoting a great deal of her time this winter to Red Cross work, has organized a little club that meets at her residence every Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Numerous surgical pieces have already been forwarded to Miss Christine Biddle, and other boxes will be completed by December 20. Those usaisting Mrs. Lewis in this work of relief are Ars. George Watt, Mrs. Leonard Finletter, Mrs. James H. Moffatt, Mrs. John R. Packer, Mrs. J. W. Lee, Jr., Mrs. Dougherty, Miss Marie Custus and Miss Helen

WYNNEWOOD-Miss Emily Ellison will entertain at bridge this afternoon at her home. Her suests will be Miss Amy Haxamer, Miss Ethel Kheass, Miss Jane Curran, Miss Esthryn Larkin, Miss Carris Back, Miss Minnesota Craig, Mrs. Rey Mason, Mrs. Fred Gelg. Mrs. Louis M. Schwarts, Mrs. Charles Gulick, Mrs. Radcliff, Mrs. Ray Signor, Mrs. Lazore, Miss Loona Surn and Miss Eleanor Long.

Dodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Primrose Baugh and their family will spend the greater part of the minter at their country place on Lancaster road.

GERMANTOWN

Mrs. Henry B. Gurren, of the Fairfax Apartments, will entertain more than 100 guests this afternoon. The affair will be a musicale and will be given by the ministure beliroom of the Constance Glosking, Miss Minnesota Craig, Miss | who was presented at a tes on October M.



Photo by Marceau MRS. BASIL HARRIS

Mrs. Harris, before her marriage, on October 19, was Miss Mary Ursula Dempsey. Mr. and Mrs. Harris have taken a house at St. Martin's on Willow Grove Avenue, where they will be at home after December 1.

Fairfax. The assisting artists will be Mrs. Sarah McDonald Sherridan, who will arrive from New York for the occasion, and will sing several songs; Mrs. Charles Willis, at the plano; Miss Helen Donlevy will play the harp, and there will also be the Russian 'cellist. Rogavoy. Those assisting Mrs. Curran will be Miss H. Huntley, Mrs. Charles Willis, Mrs. T. Conway, Miss C. Malcolm, Mrs. Samuel Bispham Bowen, Mrs H. Mason, Mrs. H. Beaver, Mrs. Paxson Deeter, Mrs. F. Williams, Miss Gertrude Douglas, Mrs L. Pratt, Miss Anna Lorimer, Miss Beatrice Lorimer, Mrs. W. B. Hill and Miss Lillian Hill,

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Warder, of 3119 West Penn street, have had as their guest for the past few days Josiah Harmer, of Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur R. Cruse, of West Penn street, have issued cards announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret Louise Cruse, to John Reece Lewis, on Saturday, November 14, Germantown.

Among those who will entertain at dinner Friday before the dance at Manheim given by the auxiliary of the Germantown Hospital are Mrs. Warner G. Earnshaw, Mrs. J. Nelson Purviance and Mrs. George Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Evitts Coulbourne have returned from their wedding trip and will be at home to their friends at 261 West Walnut lane. Mrs. Coulbourne was Miss Margaretta Madeleine Quin.

A sewing class has been organized at the Friends' Meeting House, Germantown avenue and Coulter street, which meets every morning at 10 o'clock. The articles are to be sent through the English branch for all refugees.

ALONG THE READING

Mrs. A. M. McBurney and Mrs. E. A. Weitenmayer, of Elkins Park, will give a large luncheon at the Huntingdon Valley Country Club at Noble on Friday, November 27, at 1:30 o'clock, followed by bridge and "500." There will be about 125 guests present.

On Saturday evening, November 21, there will be a card party of "Military 500" at the Old York Road Country Club. The committee in charge includes Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Larzelere and Dr. and Mrs. Walter Lake.

Mrs. Horace Kleinfelder, of Glenside, was hostess this afternoon to the members of her card club at luncheon and 500. Her guests were Mrs. John C. Allen, Jr., Mrs. Penrose Amtler, Mrs. Irvin Bair, Mrs. Harry Haug, Mrs. Edward E. Davis, Jr., Mrs. J. Ellwood Wicks, Mrs. Benjamin Foster, Mrs. W. P. Squibb, Mrs. Harry Rittenhouse, Mrs. Frederick Dittman, Mrs. John Stief, Mrs. John Wurst, Mrs. W. D. Chambers and Mrs. Edward Crawford.

The Tuesday evening dancing class of Oak Lane will meet this evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Groben, of Lakeside and Valley roads. The class usually meets alternate Tuesdays, but on account of Thanksgiving week coming in, the members decided on this Tuesday, and eliminating the next several weeks. The members of the class are: Mr. and Mrs. William E. Groben, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Deardin, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barnes, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. George Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Dougherty, Mr. and Mrs. John Halg.

WEST PHILADELPHIA

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis F. Clark, of 5805 Christian street, are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter, born November 9.

Mrs. Harry B. Hickman, of 617 South 48th street, will give a luncheon of 45 covers today at her home, to be followed by auction bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Bonsor, of 1100 South 46th street, gave a dinner last evening at the Manufacturers' Club and attended the club dance later in the evening. Their guests were Miss Claire Robinson, Charles T Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. George V. Ketterer.

Miss Maria Kelly, of 19 South 39th street, has returned from a trip to Porto Rico.

NORTH PHILADELPHIA

Mrs. D. William Flemming, of 1425 Girard avenue, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Sara E. Flemming, to Wilbur E. Fawcett, of Tioga. No definite date has been set for the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Ashbrook, of 2221 North 17th street, will entertain at cards this evening. Their guests will be Dr. and Mrs. G. Bardsley, Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Finkbiner, Mr. and Mrs. J. Boardman and Mr. and Mrs. William Rowbottom.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Violet S. Mansbach, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Mansbach, of 1433 Diamond street, to Maurice Bendann, of 406 Eutaw place, Baltimore, which will take place Thanksgiving

Miss Ethel Eness, of 256 North 16th street, entertained her cowing circle yesterday afternoon. Her guests were Miss Jane Curran, Miss

Regins Lents, Mrs. George N. Nicholson and

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Grelin, of 3508 North 29th street, announce the marriage of their daughter. Miss Mary Grells, to Harry Foley, of Tions.

Miss Kneass had for her guest over the weekend Miss Ada Runyon, of New York, who has been visiting in this city for the last three weeks:

TIOGA

Mr. and Mrs. H. Palmer Millard have returned from their wedding trip, and will hold their wedding reception this evening, from 8 until 10 o'clock, at their home, 3518 North 16th street. They will be assisted in receiving by Dr. and Mrs. Frank E. Buch, Mrs. C. E. Brooks, of Allentown: Miss Helen Smith, of Bryn Mawr, and Dr. Ernest Carr. Mrs. Millard was formerly Miss Mabel I. Buch. She is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Frank E. Buch.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Haymaker have returned from their wedding journey and are occupying their new home, 3158 North Camac street. Mrs. Haymaker will be remembered as Miss Clara Wnas.

Mrs. Franklin Kribbs, of 104 West Tioga street, entertained her card club at pinochle yesterday afternoon. The game was followed by a buffet luncheon. Her guests included Miss McFarland, Mrs. Ernest Ermhold, Mrs. William Schultz, Mrs. C. Edward Hallowell, Mrs. Frederick Jennings, Mrs. James Hogg and Mrs. Henry Barry.

Miss Florence Irey, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. Irey, of 3442 North 18th street, has returned to York, Pa., to remain through the winter.

ROXBOROUGH

Miss Ray M. Sumner, of 4215 Boone street, gave a dinner, followed by cards, last night. Yellow and white chrysanthemums were combined with oak leaves in the decorations. Mr. and Mrs. James Hindle were the guests of honor. Others present were Miss E. Jones, Miss Irene Vass, Miss Mary Sumner, Miss Anna Du Gan, Miss Elsie Thompson. Miss Rae Wert, Miss Eva Sumner, Dr. G. Frederick Myers, H. Mertz, M. Kern, Alec Allan, A. West, Joseph Sumner and M. Purcell.

Mrs. Clifford McMaster, of Pechin street and Monastery avenue, entertained the members of the Roxborough Thimble Club last night at her home. Her guests were Mrs. Theodore Baldwin, Mrs. Walter Earley, Mrs. S. J. Rorer, Mrs. James Frame, Mrs. Charles Haberlein, Mrs. James Rothwell, Mrs. Verner Frame, Mrs. Robert Whiteside, Mrs. J. E. Sumner and Mrs. William Stetler.

FRANKFORD

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Purcell have returned to their home at Penn Argyle, Pa., after spending a few days with T. T. Taylor, of Torresdale avenue. Mrs. Taylor entertained Mr. Cotton, deputy scout commissioner of the Boy Scouts of Pennsylvania, last week at dinner.

Howard George, Robert Hilt and John Hilt, of Frankford, are on a gunning trip in Bradford County. They are expected to return this week.

KENSINGTON

A big minstrel show and dance will be given by the Ascension Catholic Club Wednesday, December 2, at Textile Hall, Kensington avenue and Cumberland street. Members of the club will take part in the minstrels.

"The Jonah," a comedy sketch in three acts, will be given on Wednesday, November 18, at the East Baptist Church, by some of the young people in this section of the city.

DEBUTANTE AFFAIRS

A Tea, Three Theatre Parties, a Rabbit and Dance Complete Today's Schedule.

The seeming "let-up" in social activity which has marked the past few days will come to an untimely end today, for six events will take place in society in the debutantes' honor this afternoon and evening. Mr. and Mrs. Theodore W. Reath will start the ball rolling with a large tea which they will give at their home, 1538 Pine street, this afternoon. The large house, which is situated at the corner of Pine and 16th streets, has long been in the Reath family. It was occupied by Mr. Reath's mother, who died several years ago. The house will be handsomely decorated with palms and ferns and many exquisite blooms. Miss Reath will wear a charming frock of satin and white tulle which is trimmed with silver lace. Mrs. Reath will have a number of ladies receiving with her. They will include her sisters-inlaw, Mrs. Thomas Reath, Mrs. Benjamin B. Reath, Mrs. George W. B. Roberts and Mrs. Thomas Roberts, Jr., Mrs. J. Cheston Morris, Mrs. Logan M. Bullitt, Jr., Miss Elizabeth Bissell Roberts and Miss Nancy A. Reath.

The debutantes who will receive with Miss Reath will include Miss Jean Newbold Thompson, Miss Virginia Roberts, Miss Ruth Coxe, Miss Charlotte Harding Brown, Miss Mary Stuart Wurts, Miss Alice Chapman Thompson, Miss Margaret Hardy Burton, Miss Marie Louise Wanamaker, Miss Mary Brown Warburton, Miss Edith H. Baily, Miss Edith R. Ellison, Miss Inex Drayton, Miss Mary E. Clayton, Miss Emma Ashton Dorr and Miss Margaret Berwind.

In the early afternoon Mrs. William Wurts Harmar and Mrs. Joseph J. Brown, Jr., will give a theatre party, to be followed by tea, in honor of Miss Isabel Wurts Page, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Byrd Page. The guests will include Miss Mary Tyson Denckla, Miss Charlotte Rush, Miss Hilda Tunis, Miss Katharine Ashhurst Bowle, Miss Edith Neville Smythe, Miss Emily La Farge Claston and Miss Mary Stuart Wurts.

A second theatre party will be given by the Misses Bispham in honor of their niece, Miss Eleanore Bispham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bispham. The guests will have tea at the Bellevue-Stratford. Among the debutantes will be Miss Barbara C. Bispham, of Claymont. Del.; Miss Elinor Judd Bean, Miss Eleanor B. Watt, Miss Margaret Atlee, Miss Katherine Seeler and Miss Christine Rehn.

In the evening Mr. and Mrs. George Peterson, of Ardmore, will give a dinner at the Bellevue-Stratford, followed by a theatre party, in honor of Miss Katharine Zimmerman Ogden, caughter of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Ogden. The guests will include Miss Hansell French Earle, Miss Eleanore Dougherty, John F. G. Keen, Andrew Van Pelt and Joseph G. B. Molton.

There will be a delightful Rabbit party tonight given by Mr. and Mrs. William Struthers Ellis in honor of their daughter, Miss Holen

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chauncey Savage, of Graver's lane, Chestnut Hill, will give a small dation in honor of Miss Marian Eyre Bavage.

WEDDINGS TODAY ARE VERY MANY

Miss Marie W. Young Married to Gilbert Augustus Coe in Chapel of St. Luke and Epiphany-Other Brides.

The wording of Miss Murie Westcott Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey D. Young, of 33 South 19th street, to Gilbert Augustus Coe took place at noon today in the chapel of St. Luke and the Epiphany.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was gowned in soft white charmeuse veiled in chiffon and trimmed with duchess lace made with a court train. Her vell was of tulle, caught with orange blossoms, and she carried white chrysanthemums. The maid of honor, Miss Mary C. Biddle, of Riverton, N. J., wore a gown of electric blue chiffon velvet with a picture hat of black lace trimmed with blue plumes and carried pink chrysanthemums.

Howard S. Coe acted as best man and the ushers were Horace R. Coe, Curtis Fitzgerald, John Cooper and Robert P. Thomas. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. T. William Davidson, assisted by the Rev. Irving Mc-Grew. A wedding breakfast for the immediate families of the bride and bridegroom followed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Coe will live at 33 South 19th street, where they will be at home Wednesdays during January.

BALTZ-HUCKEL

A quiet wedding will take place this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock when Miss Hazel Kirk Huckel, daughter of Samuel Huckel, Jr., will be married to Robert Joseph Baltz. The ceremony will take place at the home of the bride's father, 502 West Chelten avenue, and will be performed by the Rev. Oliver Huckel, D. D., S. T. D., of Baltimore, an uncle of the bride. Mrs. Watkins Bennerman will act as matron of honor and Mr. Balts will have as best man Hilllard Bain. Mr. and Mrs. Baltz will be at home after December 15 at 552 West Chelten

CONNELL-KESSLER

A pretty wedding will take place this evening when Miss Bessie Marie Kessler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Kessler, of 6434 Woodland avenue, will become the bride of Raymond Joseph Connell, of 2221 South 15th street. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Father Gibbons, in St. Clement's Church, 71st street and Woodland avenue, at 5:45 o'clock. The bride, who will be given in marriage by her father, will wear a soft gown of white crepe meteor, made en train. Her veil will be attached to a dainty face cap, and held in place by a cluster of orange blossoms. She will carry a shower bouquet of orchids and Illies of the valley.

Miss May Shinn will act as mald of honor. Mr. Connell will have for his best man his brother, Joseph Elmer Connell, and the ushers will be Wilbur Kessler and John J. Connell. A supper will be served at the home of the bride, after which the couple will leave for a trip through the Southern States. They will be at home after December 1 at 5828 Windsor

STOUT-RUHL.

A pretty wedding will take place in St. Veronica's Catholic Church, 6th street and Erie avenue, this afternoon, when Miss Jane A. Ruhl, daughter of William Ruhl, of 465 West Erie avenue, will become the bride of Dr. Henry J. Stout, of Erie avenue and 5th street. The Rev. Joseph McCloskey, the assistant rector of the church, will perform the ceremony. Miss Ruhl will be given in marriage by her father, and will be attended by Miss Edith Coyle as bridesmaid. Dr. Joseph Carleveau, of Springfield, Mass, will be the bridegroom's best mun.

The bride will wear a handsome gown of golden brown velvet, trimmed with ermine and a hat of white velvet ornamented with a white aigrette and ermine. Wistaria crepe meteor will form the gown of the bridesmaid. Her velvet hat will match the gown in color. Dr. and Mrs. Stout will leave for a short wedding journey, and will be at home after December 1 at 213 West Erie avenue.

McCARTHY-KELLEHER.

Another wedding of much interest was that of Miss Helena Raphael Kelleher, daughter of William J. Kelleher, of 3908 Brown street to Charles Joseph McCarthy, of 4706 Girard avenue, which took place this morning at 2 o'clock in St. Agatha's Church, 38th and Spring Garden streets. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. D. M. Dalley, who also said the Nuptial Mass. The bride, who was given away by her father, were a handsome gown of duchess satin, made with a court train, and a dainty overdress of duchess lace. The bodics was of lace and trimmed with pearls. Her tulle veil was arranged with a wreath of orange blossoms. and she carried a shower bouquet of bridge roses. The maid of honor was her sister, Miss Marguerite Kelleher.

A wedding breakfast for about 60 persons was served at the home of the bride, after which the couple left for an extended tour of the South. They will be at home after December 1 at 1007 North 43d street.

ASCH-BEAR.

A wedding of much interest in this city was solemnized in Sandusky, O., this morning, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Bear, when their daughter, Miss Ruth Bear, was given in marriage by her father to Leo M. Asch, son of Mrs. Fanny Asch, and brother of Mrs. Emil Cohn, of 3615 North 21st street. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Wolsey, of Cleveland, O., and was followed by a wedding breakfast. Mr. and Mrs. Asch left for a tour through the Northwest, and on their return will live at 2113 West Eris avenue, Tioga, where they will receive from 3 to 6 o'clock on Sunday, December 27.

SMITH-MYERS.

A pretty but quiet wedding took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John I. Myers, 4505 Regent street, when their daughter Beatrice became the bride of J. Edward Smith, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Smith, of 4005 Spring Garden street. The bride was given in marriage by her father, and was attended by her sister, Louise Lewis Myers, as maid of honor. The best man was Norman Smith, brother of the groom. After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Smith will be at home after January 1 at 821 South 54th

SOUTH PHILADELPHIA The first game of a "bridge" tournament was

played last night at the home of Lieutenant T. H. Winters and Mrs. Winters, 2539 South Garnet street, in the Girard Estate. There will be three games in the tournament, and the second will be played on Saturday evening at the home of Lieutenant Commander and Mrs. G. A. Bissett. Among those present last evening were Lieutenant Commander G. A. Bissett, U. S. N., and Mrs. Bissett; Lieutenant Taylor, U. S. N.; Lieutenant Charles A. Lutz, U. S. M. C., and Mrs. Lutz; Mr. and Mrs. Gilluspic, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis and Mrs.

THE DRAMA



ANN MURDOCK "The Beautiful Adventure"-Broad

Uplift of Vaudeville

There has, perhaps, never been a season when vaudeville boasted of more big stars. There has been, during the past half dozen years, a raising of standards in vaudeville so that now, at the first-class houses, one can enjoy an entertainment of as high quality as at the regular thea-

Until she appears in a new play in January, Ethel Barrymore, one of the latest recruits, will appear in vaudeville. Kitty Gordon and Elsle Janis have been headliners. Recently, at Keith's in this city, we saw Mlle. Gence dance delightfully, and Blanche Ring sing captivatingly in a sketch Miss Ring declared, while she was here, that she enjoys her vaudeville performances more than those in musical comedies. The encores were more heartly veciferous! Douglass Fairbanks, Edwin Stevens, Carter de Haven, Clifton Crawford are all traveling the circuit. Among other top-notch stars there are booked for appearances at Kelth's, Emma Carus, Gertrude Hoffmann, in her dances; Nora Bayes, Willa Holt Wakefield and, great among singers, David Hispham, the baritone. Speaking with Manager Jordan, of Keith's,

yesterday, we commented on the increasingly nigh standard of vaudeville entertainments and the unusual galaxy of dramatic stars booked this season.

"Well, I'll tell you," said Mr. Jordan. "When

Madam Bernhardt went into vaudeville some years ago she opened the field to stage stars. after Bernhardt had appeared others felt they could enter vaudeville and not lose caste. Actors find vaudeville advantageous. They get considerable advertising, play before greater numbers of people and make friends, who, later, when they appear in plays, go to see them. Moreover, they play only 15 minutes to a half hour each day-which means little work compared to playing in drama." One of the reasons for the superexcellence of

many vaudeville attractions this season is that big European vaudevillians, on account of the theatricals affected by the business depression, many producers are holding off important productions until January, when they look for a reaction. Until then stars have found it profitable, both financially and in keeping before the public, to appear in skits and sketches.

FLASHES FROM "STARS"

Harold Chapin, the author of "The Marriage of Columbine," whose whereabouts Charles Hopkins, director of the Punch and Judy Theatre, has been trying to establish for over two months, has been located. A letter received recently from Mr. Chapin in London says he has been "wielding a stretcher" in the hospital corps of the British Army. He has been serving in Belgium, but at the time of writing was home on sick leave.

James Forbes, author of "The Chorus Lady" and "The Traveling Salesman," has written a

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KEITH'S-Irene Franklin, and a varied bill. LITTLE THEATRE-"Hindle Wakes," Stanley Houghton. First production in this city of play which created a generation in London. A girl, having been compromised, refuses to marry, thus challenging the old code and asserting the independence of the new feminism. Splendidly acted.

LYRIC-"The Story of the Rosary," by Walter Howard, a inelodrama staged as claborately as the gingerbread and candy castles of fairy lore, with a battle off stage, artillery and a wife saved from becoming a nun by the timely return of her husband hero. WALNUT-"Damaged Goods," much discussed play by Eugene Brieux.

new play, which Selwyn & Co. have accepted for immediate production.

When Lucien L. Bonheur, president of the French Drama Society, was at school in France years ago, a classmate was Pierre Wolf, who is today one of France's most distinguished playwrights. The two men also performed their military service together as comrades, and when Mr. Bonheur went to Paris early this year to engage artists for the French season in this country, M. Wolf remembered the old friendship so well that he released Mile. Guerande from her contract to create the principal part in his new play. Thus she was enabled to come to New York for the French Society season. Mile. Guerande has won a reputation as a beautiful and accomplished actress.

Kenneth Douglas, leading man in "A Pair of Silk Stockings," was once a market gardener outside of London. Cyril Harcourt, the author of the play, was a mechanical engineer.

Charles Frohman's next production, which is scheduled to open in this city, will be "Driven," a four-act comedy by E. Temple Thurston, which was first given at the Haymarket Theatre, London, where the leading parts were taken by Alexandra Carlisle, Owen Nares and Audrey Smith. After its engagement here, "Driven" will go on tour before going to New York.

"The Big Idea," formerly known as "Wanted, \$22,000," by Clayton Hamilton and A. H. Thomas, was given its New York premiers at the Hudson Theatre Monday. The play, prasented by Charles Gilmore, under the direction of Cohan & Harris, has William Courtleigh, Desmond Kelley and Ernest Glendinning in the leading roles.

Joseph Brooks is planning to launch two new important productions on or about the holidays. The first will be a comedy built upon the Edna Ferber series of stories, "Roast Beef Medium" and "Buttered Side," George V. Hobert has entered into an arrangement with Mr. Brooks and Miss Ferber to dramatize Edna MacChesney, the heroine of the stories, and Mr. Brooks is now seeking an actress for the title role. The second play which he has in contemplation for midwinter consumption is Rachel Crothers' "Mother Carey's Chickens."

E. M. Reizenstein, author of the play, "On Trial," now playing at the Candler Theatre, New York, and a student at Columbia University, was awarded the silver cup offered by the Columbia University Dramatic Association for the best play turned into the association by students of the university. The title of the play which won the prize is "The Passing of Chow Chow."

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