

BETROTHAL OF MISS MARGARETTA BIDDLE PORTER ANNOUNCED

Daughter of Mrs. John Biddle Porter, of This City and Washington, to become the Bride of Rt. Rev. Robert Codman, Bishop of Maine Diocese—Personals

MRS. JOHN BIDDLE PORTER, of this city and Washington, has announced the betrothal of her daughter, Miss Margaretta Biddle Porter, to the Rt. Rev. Robert Codman, Bishop of the Maine Diocese of the Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Maine. Miss Porter is the daughter of the late Colonel Porter, who died this summer at Leavenworth, Kan., and his wife, Mrs. Porter. The wedding will be some time within the next two months.

The announcement was made from the summer home of the Porters, at Bar Harbor, Me. Miss Porter has been a popular member of society there for several years and has taken an active interest in church work. Miss Porter's father was Lieutenant Colonel of the Judge Advocate General's Department of the United States Army. He was a senior instructor in the department of law at the army service schools at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., until his sudden death. At the time of the American occupation of Vera Cruz he was attached to the American forces and handled the legal questions arising from the occupation. He was regarded as one of the foremost military law authorities in the United States.

The family has a long list of famous military men in its history. Colonel Porter's great-grandfather, General Andrew Porter, was famous in the Revolution, and his father was a noted general in the Civil War. His mother was a daughter of Major John Biddle, of the United States Army, and her grandfather was Charles Biddle, of the Revolutionary Committee of Safety.

Colonel Biddle's widow was Miss Elizabeth Rush, a member of a well-known Philadelphia family. She and her three daughters, Miss Margaretta Biddle Porter, Miss Catherine Rush Porter, and Miss Elizabeth Biddle Porter, are prominent in Philadelphia, Washington and Bar Harbor societies. They have been mourning since the death of Colonel Porter, and have taken no part in the social activities of the Maine resort, where they are spending the summer.

Bishop Codman was graduated from Harvard, in 1882, and practiced law in Boston from 1882 to 1891, when he began the study of theology. He was ordained in 1894, and became assistant rector of St. James Episcopal Church, Ashmont, Mass. He was rector of St. John's Church, Roxbury, Boston, from 1895 until 1899, when he was consecrated Bishop of Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brinton Cox and their daughters, Miss Ruth Cox and Miss Catherine Cox, and Mr. Henry B. Cox, Jr., of 100 South 22d street, Philadelphia, are expected to arrive at Cape May for a visit of several weeks to the Pacific Coast, where they will visit the San Diego and San Francisco Expositions and stop at the many points of interest en route.

Mrs. William Ingersoll has left for Bailey Island, Me., where she has taken a cottage for the summer, and has as her guest for several weeks in August Miss Emily G. Eliason, of Wynnewood, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Louis Ketterlinus, who are occupying Bide-a-White, their cottage at Bar Harbor, for the summer, are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hart, of Newark, N. J., as their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lippitt, who spend part of the summer in the White Mountain, are the guests of Mrs. Lippitt's mother, Mrs. J. P. Almy, at her cottage at Cape May. Mr. and Mrs. Lippitt will be in the city for the remainder of the season. Mrs. Lippitt was formerly Miss Marion Almy.

Mrs. Harry L. Rogers, of 225 De Lancy place, is spending the month of August at Oneta, N. Y.

Mrs. W. H. Bromley and Mrs. J. T. Graham, who are motoring in the Adirondacks, have arrived at Lake Placid.

Mrs. Frederic Neilson has gone to Lenox, Mass., for August.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Wurts have left the Red Lion Inn, Stockbridge, Mass., and are now at Bretton Woods, N. H.

South Philadelphia

Mr. Charles Campbell and family, of Broad and West streets, are at Wildwood, N. J., for the season.

Mrs. Frank Nails, of 2121 South 13th street, and Mrs. George Gibson, 4187 Walnut street, are being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. William F. Heckert, of 18th and Snyder avenues, at their apartments in Wildwood, N. J.

Mr. Lewis Polstrings and family, 11th and Wolf streets, have opened their cottage at Holly Beach, N. J. They will remain until October 1.

Mrs. E. Sprout, of 2044 South 19th street, and daughters, Miss Marion, Miss Gertrude, Miss Lillian and Miss Ray, have just returned from a week's vacation at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Samenne and their daughter Marion, of 2113 South Dorrance street, have left for two weeks' vacation at Atlantic City, N. J.

Mr. Matthew Jackson and his son, Mr. Howard Jackson, of 1003 Federal street, have just returned from an extended trip to Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Hopkins, of Snyder avenue and Dorrance street, and their daughter, Miss Irene Hopkins, toured to Atlantic City, N. J., yesterday, by automobile.

Mrs. Stadler, of 19th street and Snyder avenue, and her son, Mr. Lawrence Stadler, are spending a few days at Wildwood, N. J.

Mr. Edward A. Clincove, of 815 South 5th street, and Mr. A. Lincoln Margolis, of 599 South 9th street, motored to Atlantic City last Sunday, where they were entertained by Mr. Barney D. Barron, of the Oaklands, and by Miss Gertrude G. Greenberg, of the Conroy Cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar W. Moore and children have returned to their home, 2393 Morris street, after a stay of a fortnight at Atlantic City.

Mr. J. Harvey Savers, of 1506 Tasker street, is spending a few weeks in Asbury Park, N. J., as the guest of Mr. John T. Scott, 3d.

North Philadelphia

W. S. Anderson and family, of 603 North Broad street, entertained with a house-warming at their new bungalow, No. Toubree, at Langhorne, over the week-end.

Mrs. Martha Hanley, 1715 North 17th street, is spending the summer in her cottage at Cape May.

Northeast Philadelphia

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McMullen have taken up their residence at their summer cottage in Trevese, near Neshaminy Falls.

Miss Bella Becker, 232 North Hancock street, and Miss Irene Wulfer, 1920 East York street, are visiting friends at Burlington, N. J.

An outing was held at the Mozart Club, Cramer Hill, N. J., last week. Baseball, races and swimming contests were the principal features. Those present were Mr. Robert Heino, Mr. Matthew Buttery, Mr. Michael Murphy, Mr. James McCourt, Mr. James Kelly, Mr. Thomas McDougal, Mr. Albert Hannish, Mr. Glenn Pennington, Mr. Harry Kirby, Mr. Frank Cooper, Mr. James Waters, Mr. John Sells, Mr. John Brady, Mr. Edward McCaffrey, Mr. James Crevy and Mr. Frank Lins, who recently returned from a month's trip to the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse J. Weiner, Jr., of 1910 North Hancock street, have opened their bungalow at Clementon Heights, N. J., for the rest of the summer season.



MISS MABEL ELSIE FRANKENFIELD

Whose betrothal is announced today to Dr. Carl F. Koening, by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Frankenfield, of 1734 Harrison street.

CHELSEA BEACH PARTIES ENJOYED BY YOUNGER SET

Week-end House Parties in Cape May—Ocean City Choral Society Gives a Concert—Competition Dancing in Wildwood

ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 15. BEACH parties are now all the rage. Sometimes the hostess brings her victrola down to the strand so that the guests may tango at the water's edge. Several members of the Chelsea Younger set wandered down to the beach at Venger on Friday night to enjoy a drift-wood party. Among those present were: Miss Emily Atwood, Miss Evelyn Morris, Miss Helen Bickley, Miss Edythe Wilkinson, Miss Dorothy Dicks, Miss Gladys McCowen, Miss Elizabeth Pyle, Miss Hazel Paralek, Miss Marie Carrikan, Miss Marie Nees, Miss Roberta Klepprecht, Miss Helen Mann, Miss Marion O'Meara, Miss Anna Tozin, Miss Norma Hodgson, Miss Ida M. Vane, Miss Charlotte Vane, Miss Natalie Farren, Miss Mary Sweeney, Miss Helen Holwood, Miss Dorothy Meeke, Miss Helen Martin, Mr. Richard Harting, Mr. Henry Duncker, Mr. Henry Mitterdorf, Mr. Carlton Mitterdorf, Mr. George E. Sweeney, Mr. Thomas Sinclair, Mr. S. K. Martin, Mr. Edward Hartong, Mr. Lionel Murray, Mr. Fred English, Mr. George Ryan, Mr. J. Rees Bradley, Mr. Vernon Knox, Mr. Ray Preston, Mr. Magarog Walsh, Mr. Thomas Gopher and Mr. Alfred Odgers.

Mr. J. P. Odgers and Miss Lillian Odgers, who have been spending the past few weeks in the mountains, have returned to their apartments in the Nevada. Mrs. George A. Elmsler, Jr., is entertaining at her cottage, Pacific and Chelsea avenues, Mrs. Redding, of Wildwood. Mr. and Mrs. James McCandless, Grace are entertaining at their apartments in the Nevada. Mrs. Albert Donahue, of Cynwud, Pa. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bookmyer, who are spending the summer in Chelsea, gave a dinner dance at the Seaview Golf Club on Saturday evening. There were 50 guests.

CAPE MAY, Aug. 15.—Miss Virginia Harris entertained a house party over the week-end, including Miss Meta Janney and Miss Alice Janney, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Janney, Jr., of Chestnut Hill; Mr. Herbert Casey and Samuel Bigham. Mr. Charles Hawkins, of Germantown, entertained a house party over the week-end, including Mr. Frank Green, Mr. George White, Mr. Henry Riley, Mr. Paul Pearson, all of whom are warm friends and members of the Germantown Cricket Club. Mr. Aplin Sparks entertained informally at supper one night last week after the Red Mill. The guests included Miss Alice Steele, Miss Catherine Casard, Miss Alva Sargent, Miss Dorothy Frick, Miss Sarah McGill, Mr. Edward Casard, Mr. Parker McComas and Mr. Samuel Bigham.

Miss Annie Steele, of Baltimore, who has been so active in the younger set here, has left for New York to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Osborne. Miss Steele's engagement to their son was recently announced. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Emien Carpenter have as their guest Mr. William Newlin. An important addition to the younger set is that of Miss Mildred L. C. White, who has arrived at her home in Atlantic City. Miss White, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Robinson White, was here also last summer, when she was a popular young lady from the sunny South. Miss Balloch Richards, of Media, Pa., who has been the guest of Miss Edith Iredell Wilson, at her cottage on Jefferson street, returned to her home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Wilkinson, of New York, arrived on Saturday to be the guests of Mrs. Arthur Burgess at her cottage. Mrs. Burgess has been spending the past few days as the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Laning Harvey, at the Chelsea Hotel. The Messes Walsh, of New York, have as their guest Miss Christina Waggaman, of Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Crane, of Germantown, are guests at the Chalfont Hotel for the month of August.

Mrs. William L. Caselman, who is occupying her cottage at Washington avenue and Jefferson streets, has as her guest, Mrs. Mary McKee, of Morristown, who is the state president of the Maternity Relief Association of New Jersey. Mr. Howard Dantz, of Germantown, and brother of Mrs. Walter Hants, Jr., is spending several weeks at the Chalfont Hotel.

Mrs. Greenville F. Montgomery, of Wyncoster, Pa., with her daughter, will visit Mr. H. H. Brazier at her cottage some time this month. Arrivals from Philadelphia include Mrs.

Herbert Tilden and her two beautiful children. Mrs. John Blakeley has as her guest her mother, Mrs. Marshall, of Philadelphia. Mr. James A. Walker was among the Philadelphians who spent the week-end here. A party of 22 young persons motored from Chelsea to Cape May, where they dined at Arnold's, Cape May's most popular restaurant.

An enthusiastic and clever horsewoman who may be seen almost any afternoon riding on the beach front is Miss Kate Zogbaum, daughter of the eminent painter. The Zogbaums, who live in New York, are spending the entire summer here. Dr. and Mrs. Hollingsworth Andrews are spending the summer here. Mr. Edward Hubert Oakford, of the Oake, Haverford, will remain here until September 1.

Mrs. Julian Morris, of Keswick, W. Va., who is a noted horsewoman, is spending some time at the Chalfont. OCEAN CITY, N. J., Aug. 15.—The big musical event at the auditorium last week drew a crowded house. "The Rose Maiden" was sung by the Ocean City Choral Society, under direction of Henry Gurney, tenor, of Philadelphia, who sang. Other soloists were May Ebbey Holt, soprano; Marie Stone Langston, alto, and Mrs. Lewis Howell, baritone. Mr. Stanley Freiberg, of Philadelphia, is among the visitors.

Watermelon parties on the beach at night are indulged in by the young folks. At one given last evening the following were present: Miss Elsie Thatcher, Miss Dorothy Mulford, Miss Virginia Downes, Miss Helen Fowler, Miss Beulah Sawyer, Miss Gertrude Rowan and Miss Helen Smedley, Mr. Lewis Henderson, Mr. Harry Jennings, Mr. L. Freeman, Mr. Aron Durolco, Mr. Forbes Anderson and Mr. David Gester. Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Christ, of Philadelphia, are visitors. Mr. and Mrs. David Baird, of Tioga, are here for a prolonged stay.

Miss Anna Champion, daughter of Mayor Joseph G. Champion, of this city, is entertaining Miss Marie Edmunds, of Tioga. WILDWOOD, Aug. 15.—A colonial dance was given Saturday evening under the auspices of Mrs. Margaret Odenberg, a most charming hostess, at the Great Pier ballroom, when the special feature of the evening was the old fashion minuet danced by 12 couples. The minuet ball given last week by Mrs. Odenberg proved a great success. The first prize was awarded to Mr. Leo Davison; second prize to Mr. Marion Spruance, and third to Mr. Frank Bacon. Among the dancers were Miss Edna Jones, George Hines, Miss Katherine Morris, Norman Ludwig, Miss Helen S. Jones, Mr. Manfred R. Krasskopf, Mr. C. Morris, Mr. William Ryan, Mr. John Morris, Mr. John English, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McDowell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bacon, Dr. and Mrs. Spruance, Miss Margaret Bacon, Miss Marion Spruance, Mrs. Lilly and Miss Olga Kingster. A motorcycle race will be given Thursday on the beach at Wildwood Crest under the auspices of Mr. Harry Haven, of Millville, N. J.

The Holly Beach Yacht Club will hold a swimming and diving carnival with champion girl swimmers and holders of various national records Saturday. The events will probably be the finest of the kind ever given this country. The team of performers having been selected from among the best women swimmers by Mr. John W. Stevens, instructor at the 1st Regt. U. S. Swimming Pool, and Mr. James H. Sterrett, organizer of the Philadelphia Swimming Club. The women's team is headed by Miss Olga Duffer, of the Philadelphia Turquoise, and Miss Florence Sterrett, among the dancers. Miss Alice Rosadale Wilmer, will demonstrate the various strokes. Miss Elva Harloth, Miss Elizabeth Ruth and Herbert Ruth, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mrs. Charles Harat at her cottage, at 212 East Magnolia avenue. Mrs. J. Gilbert, of 301 East Magnolia avenue, is entertaining her niece, Miss Heloise Gilbert, of Norwood, Pa., and Miss Jennette Gilbert, of Glenside, Pa., for two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schmidt and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elizabeth Schmidt, of Olney, Pa., are at the Hotel Arlington for the season.

MILADY'S GOWNS AS SEEN AT SEASHORE AND COUNTRY

Brilliance of Coloring and Simplicity of Line Predominate for Informal Wear—Stripes de Rigueur for Every Occasion

THE passing season has been an exceptionally colorful one, and brilliant-hued hats, blouses and skirts have been worn, on golf links and tennis courts, as never before. Mrs. George Jasper Harding, Jr., while driving her car recently, looked cool in an old-rose linen Norfolk suit, with which she wore white buckskin tennis shoes and a large hat of black and amber fish-net straw, turned up at the back.

Mrs. Felix du Pont, while on the strand at Cape May, looked well in a linen skirt and sheer handkerchief linen blouse, over which she wore a tan-and-white-striped silk sweater. Tan hose and a hat trimmed with white silk hand completed the costume.

Another well-dressed woman is Mrs. Rena H. Harlow, who affects the sports costume. Mrs. Harlow was seen lately on the beach wearing an unusually stunning Norfolk coat of dark blue flannel, and a short white skirt. The matron's hat was a stiff black sailor, trimmed with a blue band.

Miss Dorothy Frick, of Baltimore, wears a becoming morning frock of white lawn, with large black dots scattered over it. The skirt is full and short over the blouse has a wide collar and cuffs of orange. Her hat is a Panama, with a black band. Green is particularly becoming to Miss Edwin Elkins Bruner, who has been wearing at the shore a shamrock green-and-white-striped silk sweater over a short white linen skirt. A green-and-white hat and white buckskin boots complete a most attractive sports costume.

One of Philadelphia's handiworkst younger matrons, Mrs. Francis W. Sinker, has adopted, for morning wear, a pale-blue linen frock, made quite simply and relieved only by sheer cuffs and collar of cream linen and a chambray-colored belt. Her hat is a large flat panama, with a white band.

Mrs. Charles Platt, 26, is looking very smart in a pink-and-white-striped dress. The waist has a collar, vestee and cuffs of pink hermetic. Her hat and skirt is made full over the hip. Mrs. Platt also wears a broad sailor hat of king's blue straw, trimmed simply, with two large plume-branches placed at the front and back of the brim.

Miss Edith Iredell Wilson, who drives an attractive green runabout on the beach front at Cape May every morning, looks well in a linen skirt and blue blouse, over which is worn a bright green sweater. Her hat is of felt, trimmed with a green band. Mrs. Robert C. Lee wears a frock unusually smart and at the same time cool and summery. It is of half-inch deep pink-and-white-striped lawn, made with a full-pleated skirt and long sleeves, which terminate in a quaint ruffe at the wrist. A touch of white is used about the neck, and her hat is a huge black-velvet straw in a luscious old-rose shade, without trimming, but faced with rose-colored white cretonne.

Frankford

Mrs. Daniel Evans and daughter, Miss Jane Evans, of 2113 Rhawn street, are spending the summer at Asbury Park. They will remain until the middle of September. Mrs. John Sloan and daughter, Miss Anna Sloan, of 1322 Arrott street, have returned from Atlantic City, where they have been for some time past.

Chester and Vicinity

Mr. Fraley M. Weidner, a former resident of Chester, arrived in that city from Panama recently, and is the guest of relative Mrs. Weidner and their children have been the guests of Mrs. Henry B. Taylor, of 19th and Chestnut streets, for several weeks. Mr. and Mrs. George M. Booth, of 301 East Broad street, will sail on the steamship Kronold the latter part of this month for California, going by way of the Panama Canal and will visit the Pacific Exposition and the Northwest before returning.

Delaware County

Mr. and Mrs. John Ehinger, of Walnut and Arch streets, Clifton Heights, have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Sara B. Ehinger, to Mr. Clarence E. Burkhardt, of Norristown, on August 25. A delightful party was given at the home of Mrs. Claude Gross, at 2321 North Arcadia street, on Saturday evening. Various games and dancing formed an interesting entertainment. Among the guests were Miss Margaret Koenig and Miss Elizabeth Koenig, of 423 North Front street.

Camden and Vicinity

Mrs. Sarah B. Flitcraft, of 814 East Broad street, is spending a month at Atlantic City, N. J. Mrs. George B. Harvey, of 19th and Chestnut streets, has been entertaining her mother and sister, Mrs. and Miss Lukin, who recently returned to their home in New York State. Mrs. Ellwood Harvey, of East Broad street, is spending a month at Eagle's Mere, Pa.

Summer Church Attendance Large

NEW YORK, Aug. 15.—Counts made during July and three Sundays in August, including yesterday, show that attendance at the New York churches has been larger this summer than in several years. This is regarded as all the more remarkable since, in each of the years, unusual offerings for foreign preachers has not been possible this summer. Street and tent meetings held by the Evangelical Committee of New York, the National Bible Institute and by Independent Christian workers and speakers are reported to be 25 per cent. larger in attendance than on any previous summer. Phone Operator Saves Church. HAYNE DE GRACE, Md., Aug. 15.—Lightning struck Grace Reformed Episcopal Church yesterday, tearing large strips from the roof and igniting the rafters. The storm had put the fire alarm service out of order, and Miss Bertie Gleason, a telephone operator, notified volunteer firemen by telephone. This action saved the church, which was damaged to the extent of \$100.

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