

MARRYING AN IRISH GIRL; MAIDS OF THE EMERALD ISLE

Optimism and Romance of the Irish Colleen—"There's Nothing Half So Sweet in Life as Love's Young Dream"

By ELLEN ADAIR

It was an Irishman who wrote the famous lines, "There's nothing half so sweet in life as love's young dream." And every Irish colleen and every true son of the "distressed country" knows the lines and believes implicitly in them.

When I was over in Ireland two years ago I was particularly struck by the optimism of the people in their matrimonial ventures. Romance means so much to the Irish. Those charming daughters of Erin, with their clear skins and blue eyes that look as though smutty fingers had been drawn round them—they are ready to sacrifice so much for love.

The Irish girl knows she will have to work, and suffer, too; but if she really loves a man she doesn't care. Her love is not of the flaming kind that takes away the sense of facing poverty before marriage, and then collapses and vanishes entirely after marriage.

You don't hear an Irish wife bemoaning her fate, nor her poverty, if she happens to be poor, as is so often the case, particularly in the Emerald Isle, and who have not gone to other countries to "make money."

RAGE FOR HISTORIC SCOTCH PLAIDS EVIDENT THIS SEASON

A TRIP around the shops in which the various fall openings were being held showed some most interesting and novel features. It is quite evident that the extraordinary fad for silks is going to last throughout the fall and late into the winter.



AFTERNOON GOWN OF FAILLE

Designer of Gowns

It is not often that husband and wife can use their talents for mutual profit as well as do Mr. and Mrs. Pieter Meyer. Mrs. Meyer designs gowns for such articles as Pavlova and her husband dyes the silks from which the gowns are made.

Mr. Meyer, who is Dutch by birth, learned his art in Java, where he spent his boyhood, and Mrs. Meyer gained her insight into things Oriental from a girlhood spent in Japan, where her parents were missionaries.

OLD SOUTHERN MENUS FOR THE FRIDAY LUNCHEON

Creole method of frying oysters will undoubtedly prove interesting to those who prefer to prepare this delicacy at home, instead of running out to the nearest oyster house to buy them.

Reception Given by Swarthmore Head The managers, faculty and student body of Swarthmore College today are the guests of Dr. Joseph Swain, president of the institution, and his wife at an informal reception at their home.

RAIN FAILS TO HALT ONE SUFFRAGE AUTO

"Burnham Winner." With Miss Anna McCue and George Small on Road

HADDONFIELD, N. J., Oct. 1.—Philadelphia suffragists aboard the "Burnham Winner," undaunted by drenching rains, started from Mt. Holly today to complete the three-day whirlwind campaign begun yesterday.

Little Miss Anna McCue, however, the orator of Kensington, and George C. Small, representative of the Men's Suffrage League, have had no difficulty in gathering audiences. All along the road the coming of the suffragists has been heralded, and it is not unusual to see a golden banner hung out from an isolated farmhouse.

Much amusement was afforded the suffragists by an interview given out by Miss Mary McKean, president of the anti-suffrage organization in Moorestown. A whirlwind campaign, she said, is like an whirlwind, destructive, and she and her associates were doing nothing to combat the suffragist activities.

AID SOUGHT FOR OLD NEWSIE

"Pop" Schaeffer's Case Interests Influential Patrons

Friends of old "Pop" Schaeffer, the veteran newsdealer, whose stand at 1118 Chestnut street has been patronized during the last 18 years by hundreds of prominent business men of the city, are making an effort to raise sufficient funds to send the old man and his wife to a home for aged. Schaeffer has been with-out means of support since last summer, when his stand was taken by the builders of the new Franklin Bank's building and he was evicted.

UNEARH OLD WATER MAIN

Brick Conduit at City Hall Probably 200 Years Old

A water main probably 200 years old, the handwork of the builders of old-time Philadelphia, was discovered today in City Hall courtyard. A pumping station was situated in what is now the courtyard until 1861, when it was torn down.

INDIAN RELICS FOR MUSEUM

Mrs. Archibald Barklie Donates Collection of Her Father

A valuable collection of Indian relics has been donated to the University Museum by Mrs. Archibald Barklie, of Wayne, who formerly was Mrs. J. Dundas Lippincott, of the Yellow Mansion, at Broad and Walnut streets, this city. The collection was left to her by her father, the late General Frank C. Armstrong, who saw more than 40 years' service in the Far West.

BOON TO DISHWASHER

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A brand-new device in the way of something to lighten the dishwasher's load is a small mop stick, to which is fastened a bunch of cotton cord woven with copper wire.

HAPPY HOME ON A BARGE



THIS FAMILY'S LIFE ON RIVER FILLED WITH HAPPINESS

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Read and Their Two Children Dwell in Perfect Content Aboard Barge in the Delaware

MAETERLINCK, the great mystic, symbolized "happiness" in a great drama called the "Blue Bird." Mrs. Albert Read never heard of Maeterlinck nor his great drama, but she, nevertheless, knows all about the thing which the renowned writer chose as his theme.

There is a shadow about to fall across their sunny path, however, for they must give up their river life next week so that "Sonny" may become a scholar. "Sonny," whose real name is "Albert, Jr.," has attained the significant age of 4 years, and even though he knows that "schooling" has just got to be so that the country may continue to have Presidents and great men, he deems the idea of being shut up like a prisoner in a classroom.

LIFE ON THE WATER

"When we first came aboard there were two bunks, one upper, one lower. We didn't like that on account of the children, so we had them taken out and had this family of four in the home of a family of four. Yet Mrs. Read says it is all that is necessary for their complete happiness."

"Oh, well, just so's they don't shoot this 'Red bird,' the wife retorted happily, in a spirit of perfect comradeship and with that confident air of having made just the right remark to please the ear of her spouse.

Young Woman a Fire Chief

Miss Emily H. Porter, of 4809 Regent street, has become chief of a fire brigade. Miss Porter is attending Wellesley College, and when the fire brigade was organized for the year yesterday by the girls attending that school she was elected chief. She appointed Miss Anna C. Longaker, of 1402 North 16th street, one of the 10 captains in the fire brigade, who are in charge of the various college dormitories in case of fire.

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CHAMPAGNE BECOMING SCARCE ON ACCOUNT OF WAR

And "the Worst Is Yet to Come," According to Experts

Champagne is becoming scarce. But the "worst is yet to come," according to experts on champagne. Although the price of the sparkling juice has already doubled, the end is not in sight. Champagne will begin to think about coming down when the war ends.

Little Benny's Note Book

Me and pop was setting awn the front steps after supper yesterday, pop smooking and me jest setting there, and a man with a littel organ did t'round his should'rs stopped rite in frunt of us and startid to play his organ, sendin' pritty feare.

Wats that, how do you, awn, sed pop. "Well, wat do I care, sed pop, I cood lissen to that organ awn nite, if I sed, 'Wats that, how do you, awn, sed pop. 'Cause he comes around ev'ry day and that's the only toon he evvir play because that's the only toon he got, I sed.

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"DOLLAR DAY" GIVES A MIGHTY IMPETUS TO SUFFRAGE CAUSE

Equal Franchise Society Making Vigorous Effort to Swell the Campaign Fund

\$50 GIFT UNEXPECTED

This is Suffrage Dollar Day. It started with a burrah in the headquarters of the Equal Franchise Society at 35 South 4th street. There came in the mail a letter enclosing a check for \$50. It came from a man who was not even known to a member of the society and had not been counted on for support.

Other "Days" on the Suffrage Program

are October 8, which will be "Pennant Day," when all supporters of the cause are expected to fly "Votes for Women" pennants on their autos and to continue doing so until election; "Poster Day," October 10, when suffrage posters are to appear in front windows of houses and stores and other conspicuous places, and "Parade Day," October 22, when in the evening the suffragists will march through the city to the blare of trumpets and with the flash of red fire and torches. A personal reminder of Dollar Day, in the shape of a circular letter, has been sent out by the Philadelphia Suffrage League of Catholic Women.

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