

NANCY WYNNE TALKS ABOUT MANY INTERESTING THINGS

The Neilson Ball Last Night Was a Beautiful Affair. Many Dinners Preceded It—Number of Entertainments for School Set

SARAH NEILSON was guest of honor at a ball given at the Bellevue-Stratford last night by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Neilson. Sarah is very attractive, rather small, with bright brown hair and dark eyes and has a lovely color. She is vivacious and always dresses with extreme good taste. In fact, I hear she is quite an unusual girl with a very decided amount of character. She is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Rosengarten and of Mrs. Thomas Neilson. Sarah is named after her paternal grandmother, who was Sarah Claypole Lewis. Her brother Harry is a great favorite in the younger set.

There were many dinners before the ball last night, among others was one given at the Bellevue-Stratford by Laurie Fuller for his small niece, Elizabeth Griffiths, and Mrs. Herbert W. Warden gave a large dinner for Lucia, who made her debut last year. Her guests were Eleanor Gamble, Virginia Roberts, Emily Kennedy, Huberta Potter, Willie Moss, of Kentucky, who has come on to attend Huberta's wedding; Marion Cleveland, of Princeton; Alice Thompson, Emily Williams, Herbert Warden, Jr., Albert Lucas, Benjamin Bullock, Jr., Crawford Madeira, Jack Mason, Jr., Ned Harris, George Wood, Robert Deans, Fred Thayer, George Earle, Jr., and William Du Barry.

Then the Norman Greys gave a dinner for Louise Grey, and their guests were Rachel Fidler, Marjory Taylor, Elizabeth Wheeler, Corinne Freeman, Edith Page, Algy Clapp, Shirley McCull, Ossy Welsh, Charles Winter, Ralph Souder and Rowland Miller. Mrs. Theodore Wormley entertained for Helen Marshall before the ball and the James D. Winsors also gave a dinner.

Molly Thayer and Jessie Downs will be given a theatre party and supper tonight by Mr. and Mrs. T. Henry Dixon. Molly is Mr. Dixon's niece. Her mother was Miss Molly Dixon, one of the many Dixon sisters, who were among the prettiest of their time. Mrs. Percy Keating is another sister and Mrs. Arthur Emlen Newbold also. Molly is the only daughter of General and Mrs. Russell Thayer and has no less than five brothers, if you please. Beatie Downs, as I told you, is a dear and quite an ideal older sister, and really both these debs are about the prettiest of the season.

It is a funny thing, this cutting in on dances which is so the rage with the members of the younger set. The girls think they are not having a good time if every dance is not cut into pieces and the men think it is fierce if the dance is cut, so what are they to do? I was amused at a dance recently to hear three young men discussing whose dance to break in on next. There was one girl they were especially fond of, but she was having that one with a very heavy suit, so she was passed by, for said sister was said to become furious if he did not have a whole dance. The girl in question is a very popular debutante and there is no danger of her not having a wonderful time everywhere she goes. Privately, I think she was glad, as her partner (who probably will be a partner for life) happens to dance particularly well, and incidentally I guess she did not mind having a perfectly good dance unbroken.

There were so many dining informally at the Ritz-Carlton last night and all demanding "Ducks" in a Rouennaise, it was quite droll, and, of course, there was lots of banter passing from table to table concerning the popularity of the "Canard" and the relegation into obscurity of the poor everyday turkey, which not so long ago was emblematic of the Christmas season.

Among the diners I noticed Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hubard, who had the loveliest party in the room. Many of their guests came on from New York and are remaining here over the holidays. Among the "out-of-towners" were Mr. Cecil Harrah, Mr. Harding, Mr. J. Dinkey, Mr. and Mrs. Phyllis St. Phalle, Colonel Montgomery and Mr. Barbour. Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Sullivan and Letta were guests at this table.

Nearby the Charles Munns were entertaining the Frazier Harrisons and Drexel Pauls and the C. Howard Clark, 34, were entertaining the Hollingsworths, Mr. Richmond and Miss Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hinson arrived late and were greeted very heartily. They, and just come back from Portland, Me., and will be at the Ritz for a few days, then go to their home in Bryn Mawr.

The Bob Stanburys were entertaining for their young son, and the Catherine Dolans and their attractive daughter were dining "en famille," as was also the Victor Mathers, Mrs. Mathers radiant in French blue charmeuse and ninon.

PERSONALS

The Christmas Cotillon of the Saturday Evening Dancing Class will be held this evening at Horticultural Hall. A number of dinners will precede the dance, among them that of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wright Baird, of Chestnut Hill, who will entertain for their daughter, Miss Gaius Baird. Their guests will include Miss Anne Lewis, Miss Elizabeth Brockie, Miss Margaret W. Harris, Miss Mary Glendinning, Miss Mary B. Clark, Miss Caroline S. Barclay, Miss E. Pauline Denckla, Miss Alexandra Dolan, Miss Peggy Thayer, Miss Margaretta Jeanes, Miss Mary H. Levering, Miss Mary Jane, Miss Meta Janney, Miss E. Pauline Borie, Mr. W. Beaumont Whitney, Mr. Rodney Cookman, Mr. Morris Freeman, Mr. Henry H. Houston, Mr. Thomas Roberts, Mr. Heath, Mr. Percy E. Glendinning, Mr. John White Geary, Jr., Mr. P. Geary, Mr. Henry Brinton Cox, Jr., Mr. George Harrison Frazier, Jr., Mr. R. H. Hayward Bowie, Jr., Mr. Robert Crosswell, Jr., Mr. Edward B. Smith, Jr., Mr. William J. Baird, Jr., and Mr. Robert E. Straw-Bridge, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodman E. Gleason, of Bryn Mawr, will also give a dinner before the meeting of the class for their son,



MISS OLIVIA DE BEELEN GAZZAM, Debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Gazzam, who will attend a large house party to be given over the week-end by Mr. and Mrs. William Ayrault Hazard, at Meadow Hill, their place at Cedarhurst, L. I.

Weddings

RICH-SHARFIS. A very interesting wedding, the culmination of a college romance, will take place at 6:30 o'clock tonight at the Roosevelt Hotel. The bride is Miss Rose V. Sharfis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Sharfis, of 2130 Euclid avenue. She will be given in marriage by her father to Mr. Harry Elmer Rich, of Blackville, S. C. The ceremony will be performed by Rabbi Jacob S. Reisin, of Charleston, S. C., and will be followed by a reception. The bride will wear a gown of white chiffon velvet made with a court train and trimmed with net embroidered with pearls. Her veil of tulle will be arranged with pearls and orange blossoms, and she will carry an ivory-handled bouquet and an arm bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Allene Sharfis, who will attend her sister as a maid of honor, will wear a pink tulle and blue tulle dress with a hat of silver tulle with pink velvet streamers. La France roses will be carried.

MR. MAURICE RICH, of the University of Pennsylvania, will be his brother's best man. The bridegroom, who is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, class of 1909, met the bride at the graduation recital at Columbia College. Miss Sharfis, who is a native of Allendale, S. C., spent four years in Boston at the Conservatory of Music preparing for the operatic stage. Mr. and Mrs. Rich will make their home in Blackville, where Mr. Rich's mother, Mrs. Rilka Rich, will give a large reception for them on January 6.

KEEKHUT-TURNER. The wedding of Miss Joetta Phoebus Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo L. Turner, to Mr. Richard Paul KEEKHUT took place last evening at 8 o'clock at Christ Protestant Episcopal Church. The bride, Miss Joetta Phoebus Turner, who is a native of Philadelphia, was given in marriage by her father, who wore a gown of cream-colored satin veiled in duchesse lace and a tulle cape. Her bridesmaids were Miss Edna C. Johnson, Miss Mary M. John, 623 North 27th street, became the bride of Mr. Claude J. Ostrander. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. MacNamee. The bride and groom were given in marriage by her father, Mr. Raymond V. John, who attended by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Raymond V. John. Mr. Edward J. Dowling attended the groom as best man.

CORSON-SHAPIRO. The marriage of Miss Rose Shapiro, daughter of Mr. Nathan Shapiro, to Mr. John CORSON took place on Sunday evening, at 6 o'clock, at the home of the bride's father, 146 North Franklin street. Only the families of the bride and bridegroom were present. After supper were served the guests were entertained by the Misses Bloom, Miss Fannie Meyerson, Mr. John Lakin, Mr. Max Hubsher and Mr. Jack Meyerson.

OSTRANDER-JOHN. A quiet but interesting wedding was celebrated at 7:30 o'clock yesterday morning at the Church of Our Lady of Victory, 5th and Vine streets, when Miss Mary M. John, the daughter of Mrs. Mary M. John, 623 North 27th street, became the bride of Mr. Claude J. Ostrander. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. MacNamee. The bride and groom were given in marriage by her father, Mr. Raymond V. John, who attended by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Raymond V. John. Mr. Edward J. Dowling attended the groom as best man.

FARRELL-BUTLER. A courtship which dates back to school days culminated this morning in the marriage of Miss Anna Butler, of Moorestown, Pa., and Mr. William FARRELL, of this city. The marriage took place in St. Thomas Roman Catholic Church, Wilkes-Barre, and the ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father Grace. Miss Butler was attended by her sister, Miss Teresa Butler, and Mr. William Mundy, of this city, was Mr. Farrell's best man. After a wedding trip to Miami and Palm Beach, Fla., Mr. and Mrs. Farrell will be at home at 235 North 21st street.

TIOGA. Mr. and Mrs. William L. Bradway, of 213 West Ontario street, gave a dance Monday night at Wilbur's for their daughter, Miss Dorothy Bradway. The drawing room was decorated with evergreen and flowers appropriate to the holiday season. The guests were from the school set.

MRS. HARRY L. RAINS whose marriage took place in this city yesterday. Mrs. Rains was Miss Beatrice Mae Starr.

ROUSSEAU CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL RECEPTION AT MEMBER'S HOME

Arrangements Made for Dance to be Given by Organization in March—Linen Shower Given for Prospective Bride. Country Club Dances and Other Affairs

THE Rousseau Club gave its annual reception at the home of Mr. K. Charles Siegel. The drawing room was beautifully decorated with palms and ferns and the draperies were of blue and yellow, the colors of the club. Mr. George J. Burrison, president of the club, who acted as toastmaster, announced that Mr. Leo I. Bonstetter had arranged for the annual dance, which will take place on March 9 at Martine's. Among those present were Miss Rhea Kohn, Miss Sara Giltman, Miss Ethel Ricklin, Miss Rose Coperman, Miss Adeline Cohen, Miss Rose Seidel, Miss Bertha Lipschutz, Miss Emma Seidel, Miss Anna Lubin, Miss Beatrice Sirois, Miss Clara Berkowitz, Miss Pearl Glass, of New York; Mr. Leon J. Sionimsky, Mr. Charles I. Woodman, Mr. K. Charles Siegel, Mr. Paul I. Santurum, Mr. Charles Lampert, Mr. Samuel Goldman, Mr. Samuel Josephson, Mr. Howard H. Kates, Mr. David L. Coppersmith and Mr. George J. Burrison.

A surprise linen shower was given in honor of Miss Sarah Shovel at the home of her fiancé, Mr. Charles Shovel, 1022 North Franklin street, on Saturday evening. Dancing, singing and music comprised the entertainment for the evening. Among those present were Miss Jennie Karr, Miss Pauline Shevlin, Miss Mollie Tobias, Miss Minnie Rubin, Miss Doris Tobias, Miss Lena Bernthal, Miss Jennie Seetta, Miss Cecile Middleman, Miss Rose Kroll, Miss Florence Barons, Miss Mabel Levinson, Mr. Samuel Shevlin, Mr. Max Inselman, Mr. Joseph Crosson, Mr. Joseph Rosenbaum, Mr. Harvey Shevlin, Mr. Conrad Lubner, Mr. Samuel Leber, Mr. Max Inselman, Mr. Frank Hyman, Dr. Reuben Reveny and Mr. and Mrs. Shevlin.

The Club-Fire Club, of Germantown, gave its first dance of the season last night at the Belvidere Country Club. The music was furnished by Mr. Horace Koons. An old-fashioned dance and reception was given at the home of Miss Ann L. Zitzner, 413 Wharton street, on Saturday evening. The drawing-room was decorated with bunting of red, white and blue. Prizes were awarded to the best dancers. Those who attended were Miss Beth Shua Levin, Miss Minnie Thompson, Miss Elizabeth Katzenellenbogen, Miss Anna Levin, Miss Sadie Lecker, Miss Ade Simonis, Miss Beattie Becker, Miss Edith Berman, Miss Pearl Hamilton, Miss Mary Keely, Miss Nellie Walton, Miss Jennie Harte, Mr. Lawrence Cleony, of Brooklyn; Mr. Jack Doolin, Mr. Henry Loosler, Mr. Jacob Furman, Mr. J. G. D. White, Mr. J. D. Walton and Mr. Jack Meade, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Spitz, of 1921 North 8th street, gave a surprise party in honor of the 17th birthday of their son, Mr. Herman Spitz. The guests were Miss Sadie Sandler, Miss Sophie Pliner, Miss Miriam Grad, Miss Fay Gatter, Miss Fannie Ingber, Miss Cecil Spitz, Miss Clara Wiener, Miss Rose Gatter, Miss Sara Szego, Miss Sophie Hider, Miss Ida Myerson, Miss Nancy Grubsky, Miss Mary Grubsky, Miss Mary Moskowitz, Miss Dorothy Teconsky, Miss Frances Gittelmann, Miss Bassie Goldman, Miss Anna Goldstein, Mr. Lou Fargen, Mr. Joe Goldberg, Mr. Herman Rappaport, Mr. Fred Pliner, Mr. Joe Mediene, Mr. Jack Goldman, Mr. Richard Golberg, Mr. Leo Grubsky, Mr. Lou Myerson, Mr. Ben Casper, Mr. Herman Seidman, Mr. Sam Armanian, Mr. Ben Javellin, Mr. M. Goodman, Mr. Kate Lennoch, Mr. Frank Horwitz, Mr. Lou Rabinowitz, Mr. Edward Kaufman, Mr. Myer Rabinowitz, Mr. Sam Cohen, Mr. Sam Jim, Mr. and Mrs. J. Spitz, Miss Clara Goldfarb and Cecil Spitz received the guests.

A regular council meeting of the Hebrew Educational Society was held Sunday evening at Miss Lastman's home, Mr. Herman D. Mazer presiding. The final adoption of the constitution took place. A report was given by Mr. Diamond, chairman of the propaganda committee, to the effect that all graduating classes of the school have been organized and representatives appointed. Several new committees were appointed by the chairman. Mr. Benjamin Lastman, C. E., an alumnus of the University of Pennsylvania, delivered an oration on "Participation in School Affairs," contrasting the past with the present. Mr. Pece, of Atlantic City, a graduate of the class of 1912, delivered an address on "The Need of Preparing for the Future." After the business meeting an entertainment took place, in which the following assisted:

MR. HERMAN WELTE, wife of Lieutenant Welte, U. S. N., has as her guest her mother, Mrs. Percy Rice, of Smyrna, Turkey, who will remain with her until after the war is settled. Mrs. Welte entertained last week at a delightful little party in honor of her small son, at her home, 2312 South 21st street.

MR. PAUL LACHENMEYER, of Stratford avenue, is entertaining her brother, Mr. J. Haslins Vaughan, of Chicago.

MR. ALBERT WUNDERLICH, of Maple avenue, will give a card party on January 3 in honor of her son, Mr. Clinton Wunderlich, who is home for the holidays from Williams College.

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MR. C. G. GILL, of Baltimore, Md., who has been the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. McCuen, of 21 North 60th street, left for home today.

MRS. EDWARD NEWTON HANE, of 4837 Cedar avenue, will entertain the executive board of managers of the Bordertown Female College Association at luncheon on January 6.

MR. NORMAN GODLIN, of North 8th street, Oak Lane, entertained a stag party at his home Monday evening. There were 25 guests present.

MRS. MABEL RIER and Miss Lillian Rier, of 1511 Girard avenue, entertained the members of their club card at a '09' party Tuesday afternoon.

MRS. ANNA BOGANNI, of 432 Walnut street, entertained at a Sunday evening party at her home, Mrs. Octavia Smith, whose engagement to Mr. James P. McNulty was recently announced. The engagement was the culmination of a romance begun last summer, when Mr. McNulty rescued Miss Boganni from drowning at Sea Isle City. The house was artistically decorated with poinsettias and holly. Mr. J. Jerome Foley rendered several vocal selections, accompanied by Miss Beale Smith, of Peoria, Ill. Mr. Paul V. Allen read from Shakespeare and holly. Mr. J. Jerome Foley, Mr. James P. McNulty, Mr. Joseph J. Foley, Mr. Paul V. Allen, Mr. Harry J. Drumm and Mr. Obadiah A. Fink.

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