NANCY WYNNE ATTENDS SECOND ASSEMBLY—BRILLIANT AFFAIR

Last But One Large Ball of the Season Was Its Usual Success—Many Dinners and Theatre Parties Preceded the Dance

IN SPITE of the fact that many persons are in the South and at the various resorts, a large number of guests attended the Second Assembly last night, which was held in the ballroom of the Bellevue-Stratford, and was really a magnificent ball.

To say the ball was wonderful is no exaggeration. Of course, things began going very late; it was well on to 11:30 before the guests began to go down to the ballroom floor. Mrs. Cuyler was not present, as she has not returned to the city, but the other patronesses were there and looked very stunning. I do think Mrs. Vaux is beautiful, but for that matter they are all good-looking women this year. Many of the debutantes attended. Elizabeth Griffith, who has returned from the South, where she has been with the family of her fiance, was there with Neddy dancing attendance. The Myers girls were very smart in their dark blue tulle frocks, and Eleanor Cuyler wore a wonderful gown of chiffon and silver lace over apricot satin. A decided innovation was the turning of the Clover Room into a sort of arbor, with trellises and rustic benches and chairs; when the ball was over many of us repaired thither, and partook of bouillon, sandwiches, etc., until the early hour of 5. Supper was served in the Palm Room and regular Bellevue Room, which opens on Chancellor and Broad streets, and it was in the latter that the patronesses supped.

Whether it is that the second Assembly does away with the certain formality and awe which the debs feel at the first, it is hard to say, but certain it is no ball of the winter has been better than last night's. There were not so very many there, the floor was never uncomfortably crowded, and the music was wonderful.

I have seldom seen so pretty a conceit as the small fountain which was arranged under the suspended stage; a constant shower played over a small and graceful Venus, and vari-colored electric lights were turned on at intervals, giving a most novel and attractive touch to the whole room, which was one mass of pink carnations, tiny genesta and climbing tiger lilies, which gave for all the world an appearance of pink orchids. Every post in the main room was twined with a vine and different flowers; one was American Beauty roses, another Killarneys, another orchids, and still another the pale yellow genesta, all forming a quite perfect whole. I noticed Mrs. Bob Montgomery, who I always maintain is one of the very prettiest women in this city, wearing an exquisite gown of flesh tulle and silver sequins. Eleanor Pepper was most attractive in blue tulle and silver, and Mazie Graham looked perfectly sweet in white tulle.

The architects of the University of Pennsylvania, who have acquired such an enviable reputation for themselves for the ingenuity they display in getting up their affairs, are expected to quite outdo themselves this year in the Byzantine Ball they are giving on Monday evening in the drafting room of their building.

The ball, the idea for which originated in the brain of Paul Cret, who resigned two years ago from the architectural staff to join the French army, will be modeled after the affair which is given each year in Paris by Les Quatres Arts of l'Ecole des Beaux Arts, and the idea has met with such favor as a means of displaying the versatility of the students that already it is being looked upon as an annual event in place of the play which had been given for the last 14 years. The drafting room is to be turned into a perfect Byzantine garden, and has been beautifuly decorated in a blue-green and gold color scheme. More than 200 banners, which have been made and stenciled with the peacock, the emblem of immortality, and the Greek cross, will be hung from the ceiling. Each of the eight professors of the school will be head of an atelier, and he and his people, who will be members of the student body, will do stunts before Prof. Alfred H. Gummere, who, as the emperor, will be seated on a throne at one end of the room. Prof. Paul Davis, as the Patriarch of Constantinople, will bless the food, which will be brought in in baskets by six Nubian slaves. Prof. John V. Van Pelt will be Omar Khayyam, Prof. George H. Bickley will enact Saladin, Prof. Robert R. McGoodwin will represent the Doge, Prof. Howell L. Shay head of the city, Prof. W. Powell Robbins the Caliph of Tunis and Prof. Leicester Holland, as the chief pirate, will have as his loge a newly built pirate ship. The orchestra will be seated on top of one of the lockers, and the guests and patronesses will also be comfortably ensconced on lockers during the evening. The costume of each young lady present has been designed by the youth who sent her the invitation, and I am assured that they will be historically correct in every detail. With marvelous foresight a dancing class for the benefit of those students who have not yet learned to trip the light fantastic has been in progress for the last fortnight.

The town has gone symphonically or symphonetically mad, it seems, for wherever one goes one is sure to be asked for an opinion on Mahler's immortal work, and the first public performance in America, which took place Thursday night at the Academy, is a thing never to be forgotten. The magnitude of the production is only less amazing than the ability of the man who conceived the idea of giving it here. Mr. Philip Goepp gave a most interesting and impressive talk yesterday morning on Mahler's Eighth Symphony. Mr. Goepp, it appears, has formed this class, which meets each Friday morning to hear a talk on the program to be given that afternoon by the Orchestra, and among those who have been attending the lectures are Mrs. John W. Converse, Mrs. George Dallas Dixon, Miss Anna Gilchrist, Mrs. E. G. McCollin and Miss Anne Thomson.

NANCY WYNNE.

Personals

The Pickering Hunt Club will hold its annual costume dance this evening in the club house. The committee in charge includes Mr. William J. Clothier, Mr. Alexander Coxe Yarnall, Mr. Effingham B. Morris, Jr., Mr. George Brooke, 3d, Mr. Samuel J. Reeves and Mr. Warren F. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cope Morton, of Devon, will have Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Peace Brown, Mrs. Winfield Scott Arer and Dr. A. H. O'Neal as their guests. Mr. and Mrs. William A. Rolin, of Wayne, will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Durant, Miss Virginia Ranson, of Baltimore; Mrs. Frederick B. Embick, Mr. Harry C. Yarrow, Mr. Emlyn Wood, Mr. Marc Tooker and Mr. Edwin Tilden.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac H. Clothier, Jr., will have Mr. and Mrs. Henry Drinker Riley and Mr. J. Kent Willing as their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Knox, of Valley Forge, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Coale, of Berwyn, will also entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel D. Wentz, of The Orchard, Washington lane, Wyncote, will have as their guests at a dinner at the Bellevue-Stratford on Tuesday evening before the Bal Masque Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Churchman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Voorhees, Mrs. Voorhees Drayton, Mr. and Mrs. Florence Rivinus, Mr. A. B. Strange, Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Dale and Mr. and Mrs. Philemon Dickenson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Earle Johnson, who are occupying the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. Hine Johnson, at 2211 Walnut street, for the winter, will entertain at dinner on Tuesday evening before the Bal Masque. The guests will include Mr. and Mrs. Frederick L. Simonin, Miss Kathleen McDonough, Miss May Butler, Miss Louise N. Cruice, Lieutenant John Sturdevant, U. S. M. C.; Mr. Joseph H. Burroughs, Jr., and Mr. Forrester H. Scott.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson Freeman, of 1832 Spruce street, will entertain at dinner on Tuesday evening before the Bal Masque in honor of Miss Josephine C. Shippen Foster, debutante daughter of Mrs. Thomas C. Foster. The guests will include Mrs. Thomas Foster, Miss Marion Hutchinson Button, Miss A. Marjory Taylor, Miss Edith T. Gracie, of Washington; Miss Serena Taylor, of Washington; Mr. Donelson Hoopes, Mr. Roland E. Lea, Mr. Charles Price Maule, Mr. W. Montague Lycett, Jr., Ensign Robert E. Elmer, U. S. N., and Mr. Townsend Whelen Lycett.

Mr. and Mrs. Moncure Biddle, of Chestnut Hill, will entertain at dinner this evening in honor of Miss Gladys Williams and Mr. George Gordon Meade, whose engagement was recently announced.

Mr. Radcliffe Cheston, Jr., and Mr. Charles S. Cheston will give a dinner-dance this evening at the Whitemarsh Valley Hunt Club for their debutante sister, Miss Charlotte M. Cheston.

Miss Elizabeth du Puy Scott, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hutchison Scott, will be the guest of honor at a theatre party to be given this evening by Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Crozer Griffith, of 1810 Spruce street. As Mrs. Griffith is in mourning the party will be chaperoned by Mrs. Barton Cooke Hirst. The guests will include Miss Sarah C. Neilson, Miss Emilie P. Kennedy, Miss Gertrude L. Pancoast, Miss Julia Hamp, Miss Elizabeth D. Wheeler, Miss Catherine Cassard, Mr. Edward L. Duer 2d, Mr. Francesco Valdez, Mr. Philip Marvel, Mr. Edward Cassard, Mr. Walter Clark, Jr., Mr. Thomas G. Hirst, Mr. Edward Harris and Mr. William Davis.

Miss M. Claire Spenser has had Miss Agnes Brockie and Miss Corinne Borden Freeman as her guests this week at her home in St. Davids.

A reception will be given this evening by the Penn Club at the clubhouse, 720 Locust street, at 9 o'clock, to meet Captain Robert Lee Russell, U. S. N., commandant of the Navy Yard.

Mrs. Oswald Chew, of Radnor, will leave for Europe the first of April, to join her husband, who is a member of the Belgian Relief Committee. Mr. and Mrs. Chew expect to return to America in July.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Schmidt and their little daughter, Miss Henrietta Schmidt, are expected to return to Radnor from Palm Beach today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Van Sciver, of Ingleside, Chestnut Hill, are spending several weeks at the Royal Poinciana, Palm Beach.

Along the Main Line

OVERBROOK.—Mr. Harry F. Curtis and his daughter, Miss Alma M. Curtis, of 5870 Drexel road, have left for a trip of three weeks to Florida.

MERION.—Mr. and Mrs. William J. Wilson and their daughters, Miss Helen Wilson and Miss Mary Gibson Wilson, who have been spending two months in Southern California, will return to their home in Merion about the middle of March.

HAVERFORD.—Mr. and Mrs. John Sparhawk, of Haverford Court, have moved to their new home on Montgomery avenue. Mr. Sparhawk's friends will be glad to learn that he has fully recovered from his recent illness.

ROSEMONT.—Mrs. Charles Sinnickson, of Rosemont, will leave on Monday to spend several weeks at Hot Springs, Va.

ST. DAVID'S.—Mrs. J. Bertram Mitchell is visiting in Fall River, Mass.

DEVON.—Mr. and Mrs. William Baker Whelen, who left last week for southern California, have been spending some time at Pasadena, and later will go to Coronado Beach. Mr. and Mrs. Whelen expect to return to their home at Devon about April 1.

Germantown

Mrs. Percival Tattersfield, of Lincoln drive and Carpenter street, will entertain at tea on Saturday, March 11, for her daughter, Miss Olga Tattersfield. The young ladies who will assist in receiving are Miss Polly Burlinghame, Miss Crouter, Miss Jane Kinsey, Miss Dorothy Kinsey, Miss Emily Tattersfield, Miss Dorothea Hendly, Miss Frances Kilburn, Miss Julia Hamilton, Miss Frances Bary, Miss Virginia Bary and Miss Anne Wilson. Mrs. H. M. B. Bary and Mrs. J. W. Tattersfield will pour tea. Miss Burlinghame, of Virginia, is the guest of Mrs. Tattersfield for a month.

A dance is being arranged by Miss Minerva Headley and Miss Electra Griffith for the benefit of the Providence General Hospital, to be given on Saturday evening, March 11, at the Germantown Automobile Club. Among the patronesses are Mrs. Calvin Pardee, Mrs. Edwin Lavino, Mrs. Thomas Potter, Jr., Mrs. William T. Headley, Mrs. G. S. Griffith, Mrs. Luther Chase, Miss Catherine Nelson, Mrs. Robert Alexander, Dr. Mary Ridgway, Mrs. George Woodward and Mrs. Samuel Russell, Jr.

Along the Reading

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Potter, Jr., of Washington lane, Chelten Hills, will have Miss Banny McLean, of Baltimore, Md., as their guest for over the week-end. Miss McLean arrived in Philadelphia yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Horace Lorimer, of Church road, Wyncote, have bought a large farm at Bethayres, adjoining the King's Oak farm that Mr. Lorimer purchased several years ago, and near the summer homes of Mr. Joseph Wharton Lippincott, Mr. Samuel Reeves, Mr. J. Bertram Lippincott, Mr. N. Allen Stockton and the Craige Lippincott home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. McInnes, of Mountain road, Oak Lane, have Mrs. McInnes' sister, Miss Lucille Fenton, of Baltimore, Md., as their guest for an indefinite time. Many informal entertainments are being given in honor of Miss Fenton during her visit.

Dr. and Mrs. Joseph K. Dixon, of Wyncote, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Alice Lorraine Dixon, to Mr. Harold C. Bond, of Boston, Mass. No date has been set for the wedding. Miss Dixon is a senior in the Mt. Holyoke College and has distinguished herself both in scholarship and athletics, having attained a marked degree of popularity in the life of the college. Mr. Bond is a Phi Beta Kappa of Dartmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mulford, of Wyncote, have issued invitations for a dinner on Tuesday next at 7 o'clock. The guests afterward will attend the Bal Masque.

Miss Mary Ross, of Roscommon, Linden avenue, Doylestown, has returned to her home after a visit of several weeks at Old Point Comfort, Va.

PARTICIPANTS IN WEDDING TODAY

MRS. WM BELL WATKINS

MISS VIRGINIA G. MACKAY-SMITH

FASHIONABLE WEDDINGS END WINTER OF UNUSUAL GAIETY

Aertsen-Howell, Dixon-Thayer and Liggett-Runk Nuptials of Social Importance—Miss Mackay-Smith Wedded in Washington

AERTSEN—HOWELL.

The marriage of Miss Beatrice Howell, daughter of Mrs. Charles H. Howell, to Mr. Guilliaem Aertsen, Jr., was solemnized today at noon in the Church of the Holy Trinity, Rittenhouse square. The rector, the Rev. Floyd W. Tomkins, D. D., officiated. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Josephine Fitler Howell, as maid of honor, and by Miss Cecile Fitler Howell, another sister, and Mrs. George F. Tyler, as bridesmaids. Little Miss Edith Watts, a niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Cooper Howell, wore an exquisite gown of ivory white satin, embroidered in pearls and trimmed with duchess lace. From the shoulders fell a long court train. Her veil, which was of tulle, was held to the head with a band of pearls and orange blossoms. A graceful bouquet of white bridal roses was carried. Miss Howell, the maid of honor, was gowned in pale blue satin, with a hat of taupe, trimmed with yellow roses, and she carried pale yellow roses. The bridesmaids wore picturesque frocks of yellow satin and hats of thin black straw, trimmed with yellow roses, and carried yellow roses. The little flower girl wore a dainty frock of white lingerie and carried sweetheart roses.

Mr. Aertsen had Mr. John W. Brock, Jr., as best man, and his ushers included Mr. W. Prentice Sanger, Mr. Robert H. Cox and Mr. R. Stuyvesant Pierrepont, of New York; Mr. Chester C. Bolton, of Cleveland, and Mr. Sidney F. Tyler Brock, Mr. George F. Tyler, Mr. William L. Elkins and Mr. Marmaduke Tilden, Jr., all of this city.

A reception at the town house of the bride's mother, 1523 Walnut street, followed the ceremony.

DIXON—THAYER.

A fashionable wedding of late winter took place this afternoon at 4 o'clock, when Miss Emily Markoe Thayer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Thayer, became the bride of Mr. William Bolton Dixon. The ceremony, in the Church of the Redeemer, Bryn Wawr, was performed by the Rev. George Calvert Carter.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was attended by Miss Harriet Morgan Frazier as maid of honor, and her bridesmaids were Miss Alice Chapman Thayer, Miss Elizabeth W. Henry, Miss Margaret Thayer, Miss Jean Nelson Long, Miss Marion Twiggs Myers, Miss Anne Lewis, Miss Mary D. Thayer and Miss Louise Dixon. Miss Elizabeth Thayer, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Thayer, was flower girl and her brother, Master George C. Thayer, Jr., acted as page.

The chancel was banked with palms and beautifully decorated with spring flowers. The bride was dressed in a white satin gown, fashioned on simple lines, with a long court train falling from the shoulders, and bodice veiled in tulle and trimmed with old point lace. She wore her great-grandmother's wedding veil of old Blonde lace, edged with tulle, and prettily caught with orange blossoms, and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and sprays of white orchids.

Miss Frazier, the maid of honor, wore a dainty frock of pompadour pink silk, made with pannier effect, over a white lace foundation. Her flat white leghorn hat, turned up at the back, was trimmed with spring flowers, and she carried a bouquet of pink snapdragons and blue larkspurs. The bridesmaids were gowned alike in frocks of pink tulle, made with skirt effect, and wore picture hats of white leghorn, wreathed with spring flowers. Their bouquets, like the maid of honor's, were of pink snapdragons and blue larkspurs. Little Miss Thayer, the flower girl, was dressed in an exquisite white lingerie frock and wore a white leghorn hat, trimmed with spring flowers and pink velvet streamers, and her brother wore a pink velvet suit, with deep white frilled collar, and between them they carried a basket prettily filled with spring flowers and ferns.

The best man was Mr. Fitz Eugene Dixon and the ushers included Mr. Edmund Thayer, Mr. Joseph T. Thayer, Mr. Fitz Eugene Newbold, Mr. Julius Doolittle, Utica, N. Y.; Mr. Joseph M. Fox, 2d, Mr. Alan Crawford, Mr. Samuel Welsh, Mr. Sydney Thayer, Jr., Mr. A. Douglas Russell, of Princeton, N. J., and Dr. Edward Bell Krumbhaar.

Following the church ceremony a reception was held at the Thornbury, Mr. and Mrs. Thayer's home at Haverford. After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Dixon will make their home temporarily with Mrs. Dixon's parents until their new house at St. Martin's is completed.

LIGGETT—RUNK.

One of the most interesting of the pre-Lenten weddings took place at noon today, when Miss Edith Halsey Runk, daughter of Mrs. William M. Runk, of Haverford, became the bride of Mr. J. Thomas Liggett, in the Church of the Redeemer, Bryn Mawr. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George Calvert Carter, rector of the church. The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Louis B. Runk, wore a handsome gown of white tulle, with a long court train of cloth of silver, and carried a shower bouquet of white orchids and lilies of the valley.

The maid of honor, Miss Evelyn S. Runk, sister of the bride, wore a frock of pink taffeta, trimmed with silver lace, and a brown tulle hat, and carried pink snapdragons and lupins, tied with blue tulle. The bridesmaids, Mrs. H. Ten Broeck Runk, Mrs. Robert W. Liggett, Miss Helen Boyd, Miss Ruth B. Wilson, of New York; Miss Mary Louise Russell and Miss Doris Russell, of Chicago, wore frocks of blue taffeta, trimmed with silver lace, and brown tulle hats. They carried arm bouquets of pink snapdragons and lupins, tied with pink tulle. The two little flower girls, Miss Elizabeth Runk and Miss Emilie Runk, nieces of the bride, wore white smocked frocks, with white straw hats, trimmed with pink taffeta, and carried baskets of pink snapdragons and pink sweet peas. The two ribbon bearers, little Miss Alice Marsh and Miss Anita Liggett, niece of the bridegroom, wore white smocked frocks and white straw hats, trimmed with blue taffeta.

Mr. Robert W. Liggett was his brother's best man, and the ushers included Mr. Howard B. Liggett, another brother of the bridegroom; Mr. H. Ten Broeck Runk, brother of the bride; Mr. Spencer Sergeant Large, Mr. Hansell French, Mr. Cowan Bain and Mr. Franklin H. Stafford.

A small reception at the home of the bride's mother, in Haverford Court followed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Liggett will be at home after May 1 on Berkley road, Haverford.

WATKINS—MACKAY-SMITH.

The marriage of Miss Gladys A. Mackay-Smith, daughter of Mrs. Alexander Mackay-Smith, to Mr. William Bell Watkins, of Westtown, Pa., will take place this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in picturesque St. John's Church, Washington, D. C., of which the bride's father, the Right Rev. Alexander Mackay-Smith, late Bishop of Pennsylvania, was rector for many years. The Rev. Ernest Paddock, of Cambridge, Mass., who was assistant at St. John's during Bishop Mackay-Smith's incumbency, will officiate. The Right Rev. Alfred Harding, Bishop of Washington, will pronounce the blessing.

The bride, who will be given in marriage by her mother, will be led to the altar by Mr. William R. Mowe, of New York. She will wear a lovely gown of white satin, with a court train six yards in length. Flounces of beautiful point lace, which adorned her mother's wedding dress, are used on the skirt, and the bodice is composed of lace and tulle. Her tulle veil, worn over the face, will be caught across the brow with a chaplet of orange blossoms, and a rarely beautiful veil of point lace, which came to the bride from her grandmother, Mrs. Elijah Ward, will be arranged over this at the back. Miss Virginia Mackay-Smith will be maid of honor for her sister. She will wear a frock of golden yellow satin, made on modish lines, with the trained skirt cut short across the front. The bridesmaids will be Mrs. Frederick Ashton de Peyster, of New York; Mrs. William Strong Cushing, of Simsbury, Conn.; Miss Alice S. Hopkins, of Williamstown, Mass., and Miss Mary C. Curtin, of Philadelphia. They will wear gowns of French blue satin, made after the manner of the maid of honor's costume, with hats of blue tulle and straw, trimmed with silver lace. All the attendants will carry sheaves of yellow roses, the lovely Mrs. Aaron Ward variety, which was named for Mrs. Mackay-Smith's first cousin.

The bride's small nieces, Miss Florence Mariatt and Miss Virginia Mariatt, will be flower girls, wearing dainty frocks of white tulle, with overskirts of blue satin caught with tiny wreaths of yellow roses. They will carry baskets of roses. Mr. J. Keating Willcox will be best man, and the ushers will be Mr. Richard Montgomery Philler, Mr. Edward Lowber Stokes, Mr. Edward S. Neilson, Mr. Barclay McFadden, Mr. Sumner Rulon-Miller and Mr. Edwin Bonsack, all of Philadelphia; Mr. John Doran, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Mr. Hawley Chester and Mr. Stewart Camden Pratt, of New York, and Mr. Charles Lester Marlatt, of Washington.

A reception at the home of Mrs. Mackay-Smith, in 16th street, Washington, will follow the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Watkins will live at Maxmeadows, Mr. Watkins' estate near Westtown.

ADAMS—HENDREN.

Among tonight's weddings will be that of Miss Dorothy Hendren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Hendren, of 5427 Ridge avenue, Roxborough, and Mr. James Richardson Adams, which will take place at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Dr. James B. Halsey, rector of St. Timothy's Protestant Episcopal Church, and will be followed by a reception for the families of the bridegroom and bride and their close friends. Upon their return from an extended journey Mr. and Mrs. Adams will be at home on Wednesdays in May at their home on Seville street, Roxborough.

MISS MARIE O. KELLER

HEYL—KELLER.

A beautiful wedding will take place tonight in St. Peter's German Lutheran Church, 42d and Parrish streets, when Miss Marie O. Keller, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Harry F. Keller, of 2313 Green street, will be given in marriage by her father to Mr. Herman Frederick Heyl. The ceremony will be performed at 6 o'clock by the Rev. Philip Hoh, and will be followed by a reception at the home of the bride's parents. Miss Augusta H. Keller and Miss Henrietta Keller, the bride's sisters, will be her only attendants. Mr. Harry Hexamer Keller, the bride's brother, will be best man. After an extended journey Mr. Heyl and his bride will be at home after May 1 at 6 Chestnut terrace, Easton, Pa. Miss Keller, who is the daughter of the principal of the Germantown High School, was graduated from Bryn Mawr College last June, and the wedding will be attended by many of her classmates from distant cities.

Chester Valley

Mr. Edward F. Bracken, of Paoli, will spend the week-end with relatives at Coleraine, O.

The choir boys of the Church of the Good Samaritan, Paoli, will give a minstrel show this evening at the parish house, and the proceeds will be for the benefit of their camping fund.

Dr. Joseph Kalbfus, secretary of the Game Commission at Harrisburg, will speak before the Monday Afternoon Club of Malvern on Monday on "Wild Life of the State."

SUCCESSFUL PERFORMANCE GIVEN IN LANSDOWNE CLUB

Capacity Audience Attends First Night of Amateur Musical Show, Which Will Be Repeated Tonight. Holman School Also Gives Play

"THE FOLLIES OF 1916," a musical melange, was given last evening before a large audience in the Twentieth Century Club, Lansdowne, and will be repeated again this evening. The sketch called "The Spy," which was written by Julian J. Keenan, was remarkably well done. Miss Isabel Galbraith, as the innkeeper's daughter, was very attractive. The sketch was followed by the regular minstrel circle, a skit, "Waiting for the 912," and an exhibition of eccentric dancing by Mr. Frank Oesterlie and Mr. George Robinson. Others taking part in the performance were Mr. Philip Quinlan, Mr. Robert Ferguson, Mr. Joseph Whelan, Mr. Arthur Davenport, Mr. James Ridings, Mr. Arthur Bryan, Mr. Malcolm Carscadden, Mr. Raymond Ogden, Miss Elizabeth Loughney, Miss Alma Wallace, Miss Eleanor Conway, Miss Mary Galbraith, Mr. Alphonsus Sproul and Mr. N. Nichols. The committee in charge includes Mr. John Galbraith, Mr. Albert Ridings and Mr. George Statzell, Jr., of Ye Owls' Club; Mr. William Sullivan, Mr. Philip Quinlan and Mr. Joseph Whelan, of the Beta Theta Club.

The Literary Society of the Holman School will present a play, "The Twig of Thorn," which will be followed by a dance, at the Philomusian Club, 3944 Walnut stret, for the benefit of the College Settlement. The play is staged by Miss Emilie Krider Norris, and the cast includes Miss Helen Shoemaker, Miss Sarah Adamson, Miss Charlotte Cavanna, Miss Elizabeth Green, Miss Catherine Adamson, Miss Marcia Solis, Miss Elizabeth Ertel, Miss Margaret Shoemaker, Miss Dorothy Prior, Miss Mabel Megraw, Miss Marie Gessler, Miss Anne Nelson, Miss Mary Barnes and Miss Helen McCalla.

The Gamma Eta Kappa fraternity of the Philadelphia high schools held its midwinter promenade in the ballroom of the Walton last evening. Because of several unique innovations provided by the committee, the dance was one of the most successful ever given by the high school set.

The committee in charge consisted of members of the Kappa Upsilon Chi chapter, and included Mr. Robert Crowley, chairman; Mr. Herbert Irwin, Mr. Richard Scholes and Mr. Gilbert Wilcox.

The patronesses were Mrs. Arthur Zirkman, Mrs. Marion Wilcox, Mrs. L. Irwin, Mrs. E. R. Scholes and Mrs. Robert Crowley.

On Tuesday evening St. Gabriel's Dramatic Club will give "When We Were 21" in the Auditorium at Norwood, Pa., for the benefit of St. Gabriel's Church. The cast will include Mr. John Cleary, Mr. Charles Cleary, Mr. Leo Trainor, Mr. John Linnington, Mr. John Kelly, Mr. Russell Carver, Mr. Norman Ford, Mrs. Robert Finegan, Miss Amelia Weber, Miss M. Linnington, Miss Margaret Flynn and Miss Sebina Uleau.

Miss Mildred Miller, of 14 South 42d street, was given a surprise party by her brother, Mr. Joseph Miller, on the occasion of her return from New York. Among those present were Miss Mary Miller, Miss Lillian Levin, Miss Sarah Levick, Miss Sarah Greenblatt, Miss Esther Rotter, Miss Pauline Snyder, Miss Mary Rosenberg, Miss Jennie Miller, Miss Etta Miller, Miss Florence Rosenberg, Miss Florence Baylinson, Miss Esther Goldberg, Miss Jennie Cohen, Miss Ida Goldberg, Miss Fannie Detich, Miss Mollie Nadish, Miss Mollie Korson, Miss Edith Bagdon, Miss Sarah Weinstock, Mr. Joseph Miller, Mr. Lewis Tollin, Mr. Benjamin Cohen, Mr. Benjamin Tollin, Mr. Lewis Miller, Mr. Thomas Miller, Mr. Lewis Hirsch, Mr. Herman Koppelman, Mr. Edward Sheffler, Mr. Samuel Epstein, Mr. Isaac Levy, Mr. Leon Veil, Mr. Jack Brammick, Mr. Max Bagdon, Mr. Joseph Learner, Mr. Peter Cohen, Mr. Maurice Weinstock, Mr. Arthur Goldberg, Mr. Robert Caesar, Mr. Samuel Hausman, Mr. Abraham Goldberg and Mr. Herman Taylor.

Piano selections were given by Miss Levick, Mr. Taylor and Miss Levin, and several vocal selections were given by Mr. Thomas Miller and Miss Esther Goldberg. Mr. Joseph Learner entertained the company by several recitations.

Miss Mary L. Morrissey and Miss Margaret B. Morrissey, of 2141 North Gratz street, entertained at cards Thursday afternoon. Their guests were Miss Elizabeth McMahon, Miss Gertrude Gregg, Miss Grace Mooney, Miss Margaret Connelly, Miss Katherine McKinney, Miss Regina Barry and Miss Alice Cook.

A meeting of the Sixteen Club was held at the home of Miss Grace Mills, 5029 Chestnut street, this week. Those present were Miss Alice Childs, Miss Ann Cleland, Miss Ruth Haight, Miss Mary Hall, Miss Constance Hubbard, Miss Edith Lambert, Miss Mabel Peterson, Miss Florence Starr, Miss Margaret Thompson and Miss Madeline Towne.

Mr. and Mrs. William McGonigle, of 1716 Moore street, entertained at a surprise party in honor of their niece, Miss Anna Marie Clad, on Wednesday evening. The guests were Miss Edith McGonigle, Miss Ida Smith, Miss Evelyn McGovern, Miss Stella Wright, Miss Anna Sullivan, Miss Ethel Wilson, Miss Helen McKinney, Miss Ella Birch, Miss Katherine Glynn, Miss Ellen Stevens, Miss Anna Finnegan, Mr. Albert Irwin, Mr. Herbert Clarke, Mr. Robert Sullivan, Mr. John Sullivan, Mr. D. Charles Zeigler, Mr. Ralph Topham, Mr. John Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Maslin, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Friensinger, Mr. and Mrs. John Ackley, and Mr. and Mrs. John C. Sullivan. The evening entertainment consisted of dancing, music and games, followed by a buffet supper.

Mrs. William F. Tate entertained the members of her embroidery circle on Wednesday afternoon at her home, 3256 North 5th street. Those present were Mrs. James Williams, Mrs. Robert Wallace, Mrs. Michael Crowley, Mrs. Angel Labarrere, Mrs. Frederick Miller, Miss Kathryn Lynch and Miss Nulty. Miss Lynch gave an interesting talk on "Early Norman and Flemish Tapestries."

Miss Bertha M. Prendergast and Miss Regina F. Bunlchter gave a card party, followed by a dance, in aid of the new Church of St. Carthage, 62d street and Cedar avenue, on Tuesday evening. There were about 200 guests present.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Greenfield, of 1641 Federal street, entertained on Tuesday afternoon in honor of the fourth birthday of their little daughter, Miss Sara Greenfield. Children played games and joined in a chorus of favorite songs. Refreshments were served. Miss Bertha Schatel gave several vocal solos. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. M. Greenfield, Mrs. Kanefsky, Mrs. Marks, Mrs. S. Bienenstock, Mr. Henry Goodfriend, Miss Rosalyn Goodfriend, Miss Sara Greenfield, Miss Mildred Greenfield, Miss Edythe Bienenstock, Master Arnold Bienenstock, Miss Marie Kanefsky, Miss Clara Apt, Miss Anna Bienenstock, Miss Clara Cohen, Master Howard Cohen, Master Bernard Blackman, Miss Lillian Blackman, Miss Beatrice Bienenstock, Master Nathaniel Howard Bienenstock, Miss Bertha Apt, Miss Sylvia Bienenstock, Miss Emma Miller, Master Jules Zusserman, Master Abraham Bruner and Master Victor Bruner.

A surprise leap year party was given to Miss Sarah Stern, in honor of her birthday, on Tuesday evening, at her home, 2334 Pennsgrove street. Those present were Miss Bessie Aleinikoff, Miss Lillian Aleinikoff, Miss Rebecca Sadler, Miss Jennie Stambler, Miss Mamie Grass, Miss Esther Weiss, Miss Reba Kohn, Miss Catherine Moses, Miss Edythe Teitleman, Miss Tillie Sklar, Miss Sarah Saxe, Miss Bertha Stein, Mr. Herman Abrams, Mr. David Abrams, Mr. Jacob Pomerantz, Mr. Jack Simpkins, Mr. Albert Leskin, Mr. Mitchell Blank, Mr. Jack Meisel and Mr. Herman Stein.

Mrs. Sellers T. McCleary, of 14 North Hirst street, entertained her "500" club on Wednesday afternoon. The members are Mrs. John P. Young, Mrs. F. Gaines, Mrs. F. A. Duckworth, Mrs. W. Pierson, Mrs. Charles Savery, Mrs. William Savery, Mrs. H. Stannert, Mrs. W. Brower, Mrs. L. Topham, Mrs. Carl Rottman and Mrs. R. C. Hutchinson.

A very attractive birthday dinner was given to Mrs. George W. Hills, of the Hotel Marlyn, 40th and Walnut streets, last Thursday evening, by a number of her friends. Dinner was served in the private dining room, the table being decorated with daffodils and maidenhair fern. Among those present at the dinner, which was followed by a dance, were Mr. and Mrs. Frederick S. Morris, Mrs. Anne H. Garrett, Miss Morris, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Brice, Miss Brice, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Hare, Mr. John Hanson, Mr. W. H. Grant and Mr. George W. Hills.

Miss Gladys Elise Nachman entertained a number of friends at a Washington Birthday party recently. The guests included Miss Eleanor Asher, Miss Emma Ransohoff, Miss Margaret Huston, Miss Iras Goldstein, Miss Ruth Wotiz, Miss Mildred Wotiz, Miss Helene Becker, Miss Hortense Marks, Miss Dorothy Stecher, Miss Jeanette Einfeld, Miss Gladys Fleigleman, Miss Helene Fleigleman, Miss Louise Cronheim and Miss Elsie Nachman.

A surprise dinner was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wilent on their tenth wedding anniversary this week. Mr. Louis Coren, Mr. Raymond Dhue and Mr. Harry Talbot entertained the guests. Miss Florence Kane sang solos, with Miss Sallie Singley at the piano, and Mr. Stanley Albertson gave some very popular songs. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wilent, Mr. and Mrs. Kane, Mr. and Mrs. Moody, Mrs. Edwin Albertson, Mr. Adam Albertson, Mrs. Katie Singley, Mr. George Hoffner, Jr., Mr. Edwin Singley, Miss Harriet Albertson, Mr. Louis Coren, Miss Margaret Hoffner, Mr. Stanley Albertson, Miss McCaffrey, Mr. George Wilent, Jr., Miss Florence Kane, Miss Callahan, Mr. Raymond Dhue, Mr. Harry Talbot, Mr. Harry Dhue, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Baker, of Tacony, Mr. and Mrs. Hoffner, Mr. Frank Albertson, Mr. Albert Rader, Miss Catherine Albertson and Mr. George Rhile.

A surprise party was given by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Diamond, at their home, 714 South street, on Sunday evening, in honor of the graduation of their daughter, Miss Clara B. Diamond, from the William Penn High School. The tables were beautifully decorated with colored electric lights. Mr. Frank Buchanan gave an exhibition of the modern dances. Among those present were Miss Frances Becker, Miss Clara B. Diamond, Miss Rose Jacobson, Miss Mollie Gross, Miss Rectavia Hubsher, Miss Anna Keith, Miss Rose Keith, Miss Anna Lubin, Miss Helena Rosenbleeth, Miss Reba Ruberg, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Ruberg, Mr. Frank Buchanan, Mr. Benjamin Diamond, Mr. William Diamond, Mr. Edward Forman, Mr. Israel Kohn, Mr. Herman Mann, Mr. I. T. Merrow, Mr. Ludwig Molnar, Mr. David W. Roth, Mr. Morris I. Ruberg and Mr. James Summers.

An informal leap year dance was given by the members of the Sigma Beta Eta last Friday evening at the home of Miss Ella Wile, one of its members, 3739 North 18th street. Those present were Miss Mildred Manks, Miss Helen Ostrow, Miss Regena Pleifer, Miss Helene Pains, Miss Lillian Rosenzweig, Miss Ella Wile, Mr