JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brooke Will Entertain This Evening at the Ritz-Carlton for Their Debutante Daughter, Miss Mary B. I. Brooke

quili third big affair for debbies this week will be given tonight by Mr. and ; Mrs. Edward Brooke for their depotante daughter, Mary Bruoke, who was introduced earlier in the season at a loa. Debutentes of this year and last will be among the guests; and, oh joy! oh blief the cavalry is home and there will be enough men to go around. And the other poor souls won't be overworked, for I fear some of the stay at homes who have had to dance with and louic after some four or five girls at one time were not like the small boy I heard of recently, who always has a perfect time at every party he most to because he does not know enough to realize he's 'stuck." and thinks instead he is pretty popular with. some girls. Illeas him!

TO RETURN to our subject at hand. A there will be much entertaining in the matter of eats before the dance tonight. The Williams Biddle Casiwaladers will give a dinner for Lucile Carter, Jean Thompson will entertain for Aimro Butchinson and Eleanor Cuylor, who are first commins, by the way, and who have both recently announced timle engagements to Joe Theyer and Joe Walker, of New York, respectively, Marion Wurts will be given a theatre party and supper by her mant, Mrs. Edmund F. McCullough, and the Madison Taylors will entertain for Katharine Lea, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Lea, before the dame-The Taylors' guests will include Anne Meirs, Elloabeth McMichael, Mary Packard Katharine Hancock, Dercy Taylor. Herbert Church, William Taylor, Johns Hopking and a Mr. Dekert.

FAIL be it from me, to condens the play which was given on Wednesday night at the Lattle Theatre by the French conpany, but I must tell you a perfectly lovely scream of a joke on a certain goal weman who comfinets a school in the subuchs where all the teachers are French. and French is spoken throughout the entire day. Well, when the players first came here they mave a number of serious. plays, and perfectly proper, in fact none b) the phays given were to be rinques at the scholars of this school were inxious to see a French play. Madame deemed it better to wait for one which she had heard was gay and light. Well, my deem at an address contract Promes will sing and an address contract Promes will sing add had heard was gay and light. Well, my dears, any of you who went on Welness day know how exceedingly gay said hit the play was, and how quite on the bor-derine and not for the young and giddy.
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M tonight at the Germantown Cricket Chib and there will be quite a few parties before the dance. The Charles Dexters, of Overbrook, will entertain in honor of Ellanor Longstreth, their other guests in-cluding Carolyn and Mibleed Shenpard. Katherine Hunter, Eleanor Verner, Dorothy Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Channing Daniel. tain for their daughter, Christine, before

Princess Der Ling, who is the daughter for the remainder of the winter. of Lord and Lady Yu, of I was first lady-in-waiting to the dowager Empress of China before her marriage to Mr. White, who is, I believe, a New Yorker, as their guest for some time. She is a most interesting person, and the Pooles gave a delightful tea, suppor and dance for her last evening. Mrs. White has written quite a number of articles and several books, if I am not mistaken She was educated in France when her father was Minister for China in that NANCY WYNNE. country.





Ombia to Distance with MISS MARY ELEANOR BOILLEN Misa Bohlen is the daughter of Mrs. Woodville Bohlen. Her en-gagement to Mr. Richard Tilghman was announced yesterday.

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Farmer Smith's Column

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mid 4001. "Jack had nothing to say. He was very, very sorry that he bud played sole". TRAIL WOMAN IN CASE

More Arrests Expected on Counterfeiting Charges.

READENG, Ph., Jan. 15 -- That a woman-

Immune to one of the definitions from the sity in the counterfections cases, uncarthed have avel in Harrisburg, will be arrest-it equation in the day are two claims Halmer, a machinet of Eddystone, who was arrested at Rolley Erris, retained tra-tic fortz, the sity, he counted and will light.

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"Sorry, Mr. Bachelor, but these three styles are all we have in matrimony."

THE IVORY CHILD By H. RIDER HAGGARD

wiman to be the greatest of liars." "dise was not allogether a liar, Hans, Henr what I have learned," and I told him-of the ungest of Harut and Marut and of the picture that I had seemed to see of the elepidant Jama and of the prayer that Harut and Murut had made to me, to all of which be listened quite stolidly. It is not easy to astonish a Hottentot's brain, which often draws no accurate dividing line between the meshila and what the modern between the possible and what the modern

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declared. Because they worship the good while the others worship the devil, and as your father, Mr. Predikant, used to say. Tood is the cock which always wind the fath at last, Baus. Yes, when he seems to be dead he gets up again and kicks the devil in the stomach and stands on him and drows. Huns. Also these northern folk are mighty maglelane. olighty magtelans.

Through their Child-feilnh they give "Diriongh their Child-fatish they give rate and fat sensons and keep away sick-ness, whereas Jana gives only evil gifts that have to do with cruelty and war and so forth. Lastly, the priests who rule through the Child have the secrets of would and ancent knowledge, whereas the suitan and his followers have only the might of the spear. This was the song which the old would say to me, Hazs."

""Why did you not tell me of these mate-ters when we were at Beza-"rown and I would have talked with her myseif. Hans?" "For two reasons, Baas. The first was that i feared if I told you, you would wish in a feared if I told you, you would wish in an on to find these people, whereas I was tired of traveling and wanted to come to Natal to test. The second was that on the night when the old woman finished telling no her story, she was taken sick and died, and therefore it would have been to be to bring you to see her. So I sayed the disc birds interview is would have over dup in toy head until it was wanted. More-rever, Hans, all the Maniu declared that old woman to be the greatest of liars."

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Personals

Mrs. Burton Price, who is spending the winter at the St. James, entertained at cards followed by suppor last evening.

Mrs. Louise E. French, of 1623 Pine Breet, will give a small card party this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Brewster Grace, of 313 Manheim street, Germantown, have lassed cards for a dance on February 3 in honor of their son, Mr. Carroll Brewster Grace, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Barba, of 3167 Coulter street, Germantown, will give a dance at the Casino on February 9 in honor of their son, Mr. Milton B. Barba.

Miss Evalue Taylor, of Chestani Hill, will leave the end of January for Lake Placht, where she will be one of a house paily, the members of which will attend

le winter sports. Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Potter, Jr., of Fifteenth and Locust streets, have left for Atlantic City, where they will spend some time at the Mariborough-Blenheim.

Mrs. W. W. Fitter and Miss Rachel Fitter, of 1600 Walnut street, will be at home or Thursdays, January 25, February 1 and 8 after 4 o'clock. No cards have been som

The Forum, the dramatic club of the Philadelphia Trades School, presented Us-dath annual play and dance had might in Mercantile Hall, Broad and Master

The trustees of the Bureau of Municipa The trustees of the Burean of Municipal Research were boots last night to the con-tributors, friends and public officials with whom the bureau co-operates at the annual dinner which was given in the Clover room of the Bellevue-Stratford. The speakers were Dr. Charles A. Beard, supervisor of the Training School for Pub-lic Service and professor at Colombia; Mr. George S. Webster, Director of the Depart-ment of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, and Mr. Charles L. McKeeban, a trustes of the bureau.

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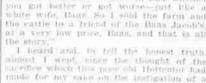
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I locard and, by tell the housest truth, alrinod. I wond, since the thought of the coeffice which this none old Hottenia had mide for my sales on the instigation of a route utterly overcame me. Hans," I solded, recovering myself, "tell me what was that now pame which the 2016 contain Mayyer gave you before be dood. I mean after you had first Heggs Town and cutght flavors and his slavars in their own trans." Hans, who had subderly found some-thing that interested him extremely out at sea, perhaps because he did not wish to witness my grief, turned round slawics and apswered. "Mayovo named me i, ght-in-Darkness,

Mayovo named me Light-In-Darkness,

"Mawered "Mayoro mained me i. ght-in-Darkmass, and by that name too Kafirs know me now, Enne, though some of them call no Lordoof the Fire". "Then Mayoro samed you well, for in-ducted of the Pire". "Then Mayoro samed you well, for in-duction of the fire". "Then Mayoro samed you well, for in-the fire of the fire of the same some information of the fire of the same some information of the fire of the same some tracked by a verminar, a common cheat, and he has tracked you and Saming as well. But as he has shown in that a man can be very you have shown me that he can be very foolie; and estima-ting the analysis of the same shown me that he can be very foolie; and estima-ting the distance of the same some barkness, although if I had ben thousand pounds I could be set pay you have some ther and the same sould be set and all the land and at the call try to pay you," and I held out my hand to him.

He took it and pressed it against his semilled old forehead, then answered:

Tails no more of that, then an average, "Tails no more of that, then, for it makes me said, who into me haping. How often have you not flogged to they say forgived me when I have sou not flogged for being drank and other things—ore even when I should have been flogged for being drank and other things—ore even when I should have been flogged for being drank and other things—ore even when I should have been flogged for being drank and other things—ore even when I should have been flogged for being drank and other things—ore even when once I stole some of your powder and some to your bound it to tay separe-face gin, though it is true I knew it was had powder, not for you to me. Did I thank you then overmisch? Why, therefore, should you thank me who have flow but because, as you thank me who have flow but because, as you incov, I have gambling, and was told that his bit of paper would some he worth mach more than I gave for i. If it had proved so, should have kept it myself and longitt a higger farm and more cattle." "Hans," I said sternly, "if you lie so

"Hans," I said sternly, "if you lie shard, you will certainly go to hell, a the Predikant, my father, often toid you." "Not if I lie for you, Baas, or if I do it dosuit matter, except that then we should be separated by the big khof written of in the Book, especially as there I should meet the Baas Jacob, as I very much want to do for a reason of my own." Not wishing to pursue this somewhat un-



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