

JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

More Arrangements for Red Cross Benefits Are Being Made—Nancy Wynne Goes to Jefferson Rummage Sale

THE combination of a good floor and good music (and by good music I mean the Meyer Davis orchestra) is hard to beat, and they will be found at a dance which is being arranged to take place on May 7 at the Philadelphia Cricket Club for the benefit of the American Red Cross. The girls in charge of the affair are members of the Wissahickon Red Cross Unit and meet at the home of Theodora Ross, Wissahickon avenue and Upsal street, Germantown, every Wednesday afternoon. They will bandage and make all sorts of garments with a good deal of earnestness and accuracy. The dance there is for this worthy cause, so keep May 7 open and make that date a special occasion. A number of the younger set in Germantown are vitally interested, and tickets may be obtained from Miss Ross, Anna Law, Frances Kilburn, Mrs. George Carson, Mrs. Ernest Pringle, Helen Campion, Gladys Edwards, Mrs. Robert Wilkinson and Marjorie Peck.

HONEST to goodness, do you have you stopped at that sale at the Hale Building? Well, my dears, you should, if only to see the crowds of people. Why, they tell me the first morning Mrs. Emot Hare, who is selling clothes on the balcony, was nearly pushed through the window, so great was the onrush of bargain hunters, and she finally had to scream for help. City Hall had to send over two policemen. All the women are wearing rubber gloves, which sounds as if they distrusted their own goods, doesn't it? But they don't, bless your heart. Why they buy the things themselves. It's just that it's a very dusty corner and it is more sanitary anyhow. It would kill you, the things people do buy. I saw one handsomely gowned woman departing to her car armed with half a dozen old high hats. I found that she had said, "I came early on the scene hoping for some very things. I skin them, you know, and make the most beautiful handbags you've ever seen." And she departed overjoyed.



MRS. FIELDING OTIS LEWIS. Photo by Marceau. Mrs. Lewis, who is the wife of Doctor Lewis, is energetically engaged in the work of the Jefferson Hospital rummage sale, now going on at the Hale Building.

There were several "gentlemen of color" who had aspirations to become butlers and were early on the premises looking for dress suits and dinner coats. I'll warrant they got good-looking ones, too. Altogether it was a refreshing sight to see the eagerness displayed by the would-be buyers of beautiful things.

As I passed in the afternoon I spied a pink satin evening dress hanging in the window and a fetching sky blue one was peeping around the corner. "And every morning there are new things, you know, so I think my prediction comes true that you can buy everything under the sun there."

THE inquiring young mind, as it advances day by day, finds something new to ask about. Little M— has been going to church for several Sundays with her pretty mother, but quite unexpected was the question put to her fond parent when she said, "Mother, when do you get back from heaven?" "You don't come back from heaven?" answered the mother. "Why do you ask that?" "Then how does our minister know so much about it?" remarked daughter, who is six years old. NANCY WYNNE.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Holt, of Cynwode, will give a dinner at the Urdine Barbeque Club, on April 12, in honor of Miss Gabriella Hopkinson and Mr. J. Howard Patterson, whose marriage will take place on April 14.

Mr. Samuel Matson, of Chestnut Hill, will entertain the members of the Philadelphia Cricket Club. The guests will include Mr. and Mrs. Channing Way, Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Burt, Mr. and Mrs. Kane Green, Miss Mary Thomas, Miss Marie Sellers, Mr. Thomas Evans, Mr. James A. Bull and Mr. James Cheston.

Invitations for a tea on April 14 to meet Miss Finch have been issued by Mrs. Joseph H. Burroughs, of 1026 Spruce street, and her daughter, Mrs. E. Earle Johnson, of Chestnut Hill. Miss Finch's engagement to Mr. Joseph Burroughs was recently announced.

Some of those that will leave for the National Service School Camp on Monday, May 7, will be: Miss Frances Sullivan, Miss Sarah Penrose, Miss Hannah Wright, Miss Dorothy Obersteiner, Mrs. Archibald Hubbard, and Miss Wynne. It will be one of the officers this year, as she took the full course last year.

Mrs. William N. Morrice, of 842 St. Martin's lane, Chestnut Hill, will entertain at bridge on Wednesday, April 18.

Mrs. William W. Adams, Jr., of Navahoe avenue and Mermaid lane, Chestnut Hill, will entertain the members of her luncheon bridge club on Tuesday of next week.

Dr. and Mrs. Morgan Hebard, of Chestnut Hill, have left for a trip through the South. They will spend some time at Palm Beach and then continue to the southern part of Florida, where they will go on a fishing trip of several weeks.

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West Philadelphia

Mrs. James E. Breneman, of 4303 Spruce street, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mary Breneman and Miss Gladys McCowan, will spend the Easter holidays at the Traymore, Atlantic City.

South Philadelphia

Mrs. George W. Young, with her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. F. F. Park, has been for some time at her cottage in Chelsea, has returned to her home, 2318 South Broad street.

North Philadelphia

The marriage of Miss Laura M. Parkinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Parkinson, of 1905 West Allegheny avenue, to Mr. Charles Heise will take place on Saturday afternoon, April 14.

Roxborough

Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Enderlein, of 325 Franklin street, gave a dinner on Monday night to celebrate the birthday of their daughter, Miss Cecile Ayes, to Mr. Zoltan de Horvath, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jules de Horvath, of New York.

Weddings

DAVIDSON—WEAVER. The marriage of Miss Gertrude Weaver, daughter of Colonel Edwin Forrest Weaver, of Old Guard Second Regiment, Officers, and Mrs. Weaver, to Mr. Joseph Lincoln Davidson took place last evening at the home of the bride's parents, 1429 Wyoming avenue.

HENDERSON—WILSON

The marriage of Miss Rae Elizabeth Wilson, daughter of Mrs. G. Frank Wilson, of 363 Chelten avenue, Germantown, and Mr. William J. Henderson took place Tuesday at 11 o'clock in the Market Square Presbyterian Church. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George N. Hertzog, of Phoenixville. Miss Wilson was attended by her sister, Miss Mary R. Wilson, as maid of honor, and the best man was Mr. Robert Henderson. After April 16 Mr. and Mrs. Henderson will be at home at 363 Chelten avenue, Germantown.

MEYERS—KLOFER

An interesting wedding will take place tonight at the Rittenhouse when Miss Henrietta Klofer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester C. Klofer, becomes the bride of Mr. Maxwell Meyers, of 1905 Diamond street. Rev. Dr. Joseph Krausopf, of the Keneseth Israel Temple, will perform the ceremony, which will be followed by a dinner. The bride will be given in marriage by her father and attended by her sister, Mrs. Morton Jandorf, as matron of honor. Mr. Meyers will have his brother, Mr. Frank Meyers, for best man. The bridegroom and bride will leave on an extended trip and will be at home after May 15 at 1311 Ruscumb street.

Along the Reading

The Men's Club, of Wyncoote, met last Monday evening in the parish house of All Hallows Church, Greenwood avenue, Wyncoote. Mr. Joseph A. Steinmetz, of this city, gave an illustrated lecture, entitled "Aerial Warfare and Some Devices Terrestrial and Submarine." Mr. Steinmetz is president of the Aero Club of Pennsylvania, a member of the Aero Club of America and a member of the committee on coast patrol, and associated with the various technical committees on national defense. His lecture embraced a discussion on the tools of warfare and defense and embodied some views as to their use as applied to our problems of national preparedness for defense.

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Some of those present were Mr. A. J. Chauveau, Mr. William H. Chubb, Mr. H. S. Peterson, Mr. A. B. Parvlin, the Rev. Benjamin Sanderson, Mr. Henry F. Schertz, Mr. William H. Shlemmer, Mr. Edward G. Steinmetz, Mr. Sherman Kent, Mr. G. Elwood Framm, Mr. Henry Spalding, Dr. John Bower, Mr. Townsend Sharpless, Mr. Townsend Sharpless, Jr., Mr. John S. Bush, Mr. M. F. Baringer, Mr. Edgar S. Nash, Dr. M. E. Neiffer, Mr. Homer L. Pound, Mr. Charles A. Robbins, Mr. Seton A. Rich, Mr. L. D. Selner, Mr. Robert L. Russell, Dr. M. H. Hooser, Mrs. E. S. Stull, Mr. H. E. Smith, Mr. Franklin H. Van Court, Mr. G. W. Whidden and Mr. W. H. Wheelock.

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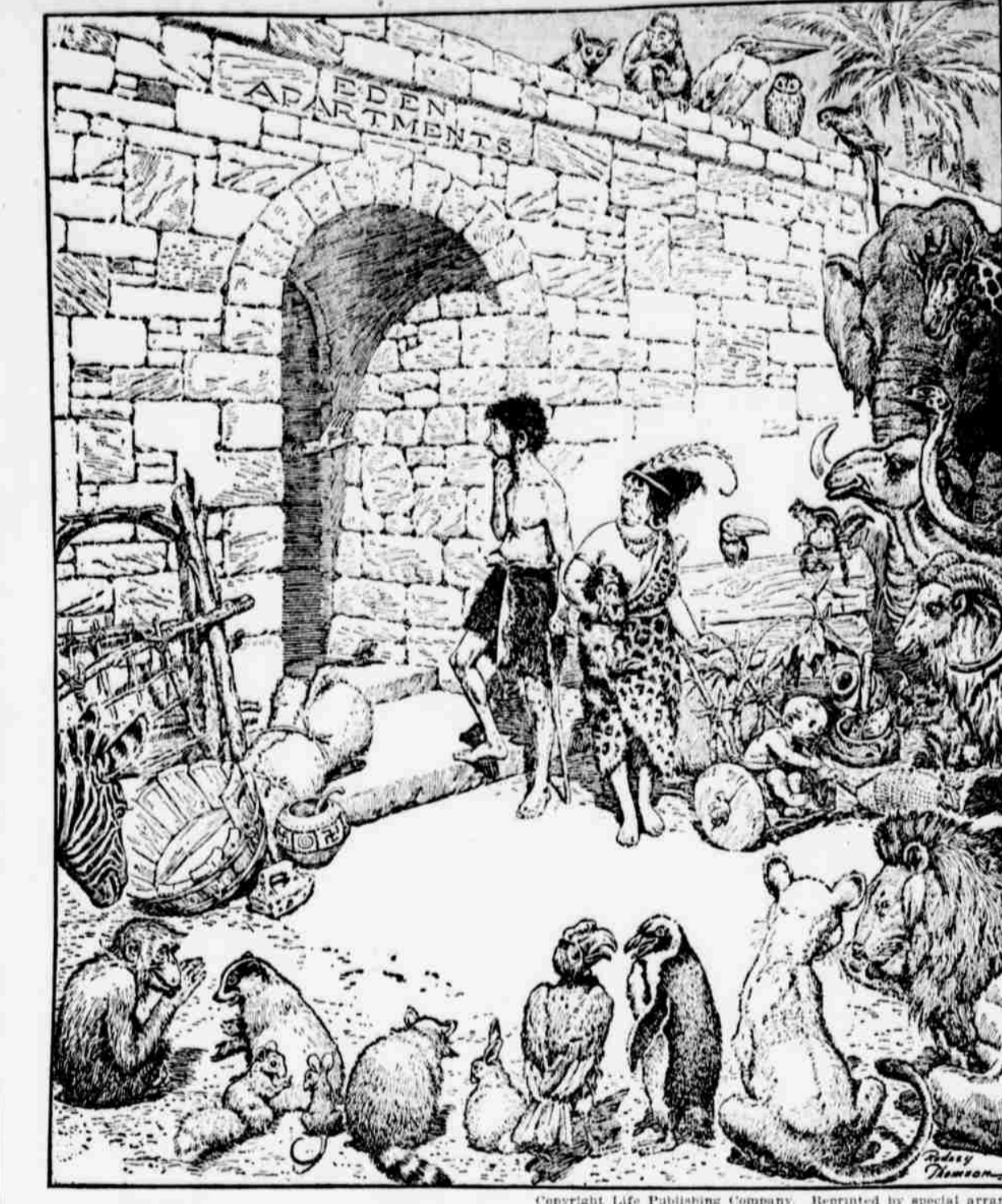
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PELLUCIDAR

Sequel to "At the Earth's Core." BY EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS. Author of the "Tarzan" Stories

I HAD paddled to the southwestward point, which looked said he believed to be the least frequented portion of the island, as he had never seen boats put off from there. I found a shallow reef running far out into the sea and rather precipitous cliffs running almost to the surf. It was a nasty place to land, and I realized now why it was not used by the natives; but at last I managed, after a good wetting, to beach my canoe and scale the cliffs.

The country beyond them appeared more open and parklike than I had anticipated, since from the mainland the entire coast that is visible seems densely clothed with tropical jungle. This jungle, as I could see from the vantage point, was a narrow strip between the sea and the more open forest and meadow of the interior.

Farther back there was a range of low but apparently very rocky hills, and there all about were visible flat-topped and rounded hills—small mountains, in fact—which reminded me of pictures I had seen of landscapes in New Mexico. Altogether, the country was very much broken and very uneven. From where I stood I counted no fewer than a dozen streams winding down from among the table-topped and rounded hills into a pretty river which emptied into a northern strait toward the opposite end of the island.

As I let my eyes roam over the scene I suddenly became aware of figures moving upon the flat top of a far-distant butte. Whether they were beast or human, though I could not tell at once, but at least they were alive, and I determined to prosecute my search for the strange creatures in the general direction of this butte.

To descend to the valley required no great effort. As I swung along through the lush grass and the fragrant flowers, my cudgel swung in my hand and my javelin looped across my shoulders with its aurochs-hide strap. I felt equal to any emergency, ready quite a little distance and I was passing through a strip of wood which lay at the foot of one of the flat-topped hills, when I became conscious of the sensation of being watched. My life within Pellucidar has rather quickened my senses of sight, hearing and smell, and, too, certain primitive intuitive or instinctive qualities that seem blunted in civilized man. But, though I was positive that eyes were peering at me, I could see no sign of any living thing within the wood other than the many gay-plumaged birds and little monkeys which filled the trees with life, color and action.

To you it may seem that my conviction was the result of an overwrought imagination, or to the actual reality of the prying eyes of the little monkeys or the curious glances of the birds; but there is a difference which I cannot explain between the sensation of casual observation and studied espionage. A sheep might gaze at you without transmitting a warning, and you would be subjected to no danger from a sheep. But let a tiger gaze fixedly at you from ambush, and unless your primitive instincts are completely loused you will presently commence to glimmer nervously about and be filled with vague, unreasoning terror.

This was it with me; then I grasped my cudgel more firmly and unslung my javelin, carrying it in my left hand. I peered to left and right, but I saw nothing. Then, all quite suddenly, there fell about by neck and shoulders, around my arms and body, a number of pliant fiber ropes, as you might wish. One of the nooses dropped to my ankles and was jerked up with a suddenness that brought me to my face with my feet bound. Then something heavy and hairy sprang upon my back. I fought to draw my knife, but hairy hands grasped my wrists and, dragging them behind my back, bound them securely. Next my feet were bound. Then I was turned over upon my back to look up into the faces of my captors.

And what faces! Imagine if you can a cross between a sheep and a gorilla, and you will have some conception of the physiognomy of the creature that bent close above me, and of those of half-dozen others that gazed at me from my face to length and great eyes of the sheep, and the bull-neck and hideous fangs of the gorilla. Their bodies and limbs were both man and gorilla like. They were dressed in a monosyllabic tongue that was perfectly intelligible to me. It was something of a simplified language that had no need for nouns and verbs, but such words as it included were the same as those of the human beings of Pellucidar. It was amplified by many gestures which filled in the spaces between the words intended doing

What's Doing

- Lecture by John H. McFadden, Jr., of "The American Ambulance Field Service in France," Manufacturers' Club, Members. Franklin Institute, lecture on "Analysis of Commercial Products by Microscopic Means," by Dr. M. M. Chamot. Free. Lecture, "Current Fiction," Alfred B. Brown, auspices University Extension Society, Central Union Men's Christian Association, 1421 Arch street, 8 o'clock. Admission charge. Philadelphia Branch of National League of Commerce and Industry, luncheon, banquet, Kugler's, Chestnut street above Broad, Members. Concert, Knisel Quartet, Mme Olga Samaroff, pianist, assisting, auspices University Extension Society, Witherspoon Hall, 8 o'clock. Admission charge. Illustrated lecture, "The Puruit of the Cause of Cancer," Joseph McFarland, auspices of University Extension Society Association Hall, 2449 Germantown avenue, 8 o'clock. Admission charge. Red Cross, meeting, Hotel Adelphi, 8 o'clock. Members. Dedication, Living Water Mission, Second street and Girard avenue, 8 o'clock. Free. Stainer's "Crucifixion," Emmanuel Presbyterian Church, Free. Mr. Haddad, of the University of Pennsylvania, will speak on "Palestine," Young Men's Christian Association, Fifty-second and Sanson streets. Free. Patriotic rally of citizens under auspices of Olney Improvement Association, Water street and Tabor road, Free. Annual Convention of Eastern Arts Association, University of Pennsylvania, Young Men's Christian Association, Fifty-second and Sanson streets. 7:30 o'clock. Boy Scouts Veteran Association, 925 Walnut street. Lectures on War by P. A. Surgeon Bauchman, U. S. N., and Dr. E. K. Tullidge, Hotel Adelphi, Free.

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