

JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Many Persons Have Gone to Chattanooga to Be Near Fort Oglethorpe—Interesting Lecture Given to Coast Reserves at Cape May

REALLY, Chattanooga, Tenn., is a second Philadelphia these days. You have seen the mountains there. And every morning in the mountains in sight is rented cottages and bungalows more people are going there to be near Fort Oglethorpe. It's a funny thing how ignorant many of us are about our own country; but we are not to be after the war. Will we? For instance, when I heard that people were taking bungalows in Chattanooga, I said, "Why on earth?" For Fort Oglethorpe is on the coast, if you please, and she was the only one, let me tell you; so point out the singer of scorn and contempt at her, for there were plenty of others who chorused with surprise and amazement when they found it was near Chattanooga, virtually on the border between Tennessee and Georgia.

Loads of people landed down there last week and this. And you may imagine that was sure full. A southern inn, with old-fashioned dark servants, and all in full of northerners who live at a great pace most of the time and expect everything they want when they want it. Good night! Some confusion that! Loads of the little brides of last winter and spring and summer are down there, and many of the wives of the older men, too. And I guess Chattanooga will feel about the same as Fort Niagara did about the sudden necessity of changing \$100 bills for soda water.

Ned Toland is down there, and his pretty wife, Esther Howell Toland, is going down, too. Hear they expect to share the bungalow that Eleanor and Joe Walker have. The two young wives will spend much of their time together and the men will go to them whenever they can get leave. Eleanor Walker was Eleanor Cuyler, you know, and married Joe Walker last February. They have been living in New York, till Joe went to the officers' camp in Oglethorpe.

ONE of the most distinguished guests in Cape May lately was Lieutenant Jacques Raffray, of the French army, who was the guest of Marshall Earl Reed at the yacht club. Lieutenant Raffray spoke to the men at the barracks on Monday, telling them some of the newest things in trench warfare. He has been severely wounded, and because of this has come to America for several months. The coast reservists were much interested, for, though they are not expecting active entry into the war, you never can tell just what may happen in these days, so it's well to know all about defense, is it not? Especially first hand.

A dance was given on Wednesday night at the new barracks for the members of the Naval Coast Reserve, and it was an extremely jolly party, as every one left in Cape May attended and had a good time and tried to give one to the boys in blue.

THIS month and next are the prime weather months for the Alleghenies, I am told, and quite a few Philadelphians have gone down to White Sulphur Springs, Golluff, the sport par excellence at this famous resort, is taking a new lease on life, they tell me, and there are more enthusiasts on the course every day. It is a wonderful game for men, but, oh! so ungraceful for women. Don't you think?

A woman has got to be a wonder to look attractive in golf clothes, with flat rubber-soled shoes and feet turned in, as on one must get some of the desired strokes. It may be great exercise, but it certainly is not becoming. Give me a girl on a horse any time to look at in preference to the flat-footed, wide-waisted and generally unscrupled golferess. Perhaps it is because so few of the younger generation go into it that most of the women who play golf are of the heavy type, but they certainly are and they certainly do spoil the landscape.



MRS. JOHN DE PEYSTER CONGER Mrs. Conger was Miss Katharine Hobart Hare. Her marriage to Mr. Conger took place this afternoon at 4 o'clock in St. Mary's Church, Wayne.

WESTERNER IN TIOGA IS FOUNDER OF INSTITUTION Comes East to Study Methods—Nature Students in Pitman, N. J., Are Taken in by Scornful Small Boy

TIOGA has a visitor, Mrs. Julius Kahn, who has come all the way from Oklahoma on a tour of investigation of eastern institutions providing for the welfare of the aged and infirm, and particularly of the many well-conducted homes in Philadelphia. Mrs. Kahn, sister of Dr. Leopold Stiefel, of 2401 North Twenty-second street, who is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Stiefel, is president of the Rebecca Kahn Home, in Ardmore, Okla., of which she was the founder, and which was named in her honor. The home was started five years ago, is nonsectarian and its residents include not only the aged and infirm of the city of Ardmore, but of all Carter County. There are two acres of ground adjoining the home and it is the purpose of the managers to build a suitable detention house for boys, who can be trained in killing the soil until individual homes on farms can be provided for them. Mrs. Kahn is studying our methods with a view to introducing them into the work in Ardmore. Several entertainments will be given in honor of the visitor by the host and hostess, as well as by their friends.

MRS. W. KEMBLE YARROW Who will be remembered as Miss Phyllis Hare, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Emmott Hare, was patron of honor at the wedding of her sister, Miss Katharine Hobart Hare, which took place this afternoon in Wayne.

BLOCK PARTY FOR LADIES' AID SOCIETY Seventeenth Street, Between Porter and Shunk, All Decorated for Party in Girard Farms

Any one who is familiar with the quiet seclusion of the Girard Farms will find it hard to try to imagine any part of it so joyfully lighted and decorated, with music and amusements to attract young and old. But it surely is—in fact, was last evening, and will be tonight, for there is nothing less than a real live street party being held along Seventeenth street, between Porter and Shunk. It is being given by the Ladies' Aid of Mount Hermon Methodist Episcopal Church, Nineteenth and Porter streets, the only church right in the Girard Farms, and is the first affair of its kind in many years in this particular section.

In other years the Ladies' Aid has raised funds by a lyceum course of interesting entertainments, but this year it was decided to have an up-to-date block party. With all its accompanying features, and, of course, it is attracting attention. Mrs. William I. Tomlinson, wife of Doctor Tomlinson, of 1821 Porter street, is president of the Ladies' Aid, and, of course, is in charge of the affair, and her very able assistants include Mrs. Joseph E. Hill, Mrs. George Leonard, Mrs. Neff Lathrop, Mrs. F. Syse, Mrs. Albert Shinn, whose husbands are the electrical engineers for the very artistic electrical effects that are being used, and Mrs. L. Thomas, wife of Doctor Thomas, pastor of the church. As there are about one hundred women in this very progressive ladies' aid society it is almost a foregone conclusion that the affair will be a success both socially and financially, as there are no end of attractive booths with equally attractive wares.

DINNER AND DANCE FOR GERMANTOWN GIRL Society Girl Studies Nursing at Johns Hopkins Hospital

Mrs. Howard E. Smith, of 4539 Baltimore avenue, entertained informally last evening in honor of her niece, Miss Harriet Smith, of Germantown. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. John W. Wainwright, 23, Miss Elizabeth Wainwright, Mr. Samuel Wainwright, Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Godwin, Miss N. Goodman, Miss Cordelia Smith and Mr. Howard E. Smith, Jr.

Mrs. Smith and her family have just returned from Asbury Park, where they spent part of the summer. Miss Smith, who lives at 351 Pelham road, left on Tuesday to join the British ambulance corps in Europe.

Mrs. J. Orne Godwin and her son, Mr. J. Orne Godwin, Jr., who formerly lived in Germantown, have gone to Flushing, L. I., where they will make their home permanently.

Mrs. Joseph Brown and her children, who occupied a cottage at Ventnor during the summer, will return to their home, St. Martins lane, this week. Mr. Brown is at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED TODAY

- John E. Davis, Jr. 1728 S. 85th st., and Lillian M. Wagna, 2701 Alder st.
Elizabeth C. Jones, 2401 N. 3rd st., and Elizabeth H. Krauter, 1521 N. 3rd st.
August G. Wilmuth, Mr. Altz, Pa., and Elva Cross, 1821 N. 3rd st.

PICKET PROTESTS RELEASE Suffragist Lost Thirteen Pounds in Prison and Husband Pays Fine

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—Despite her protests, Mrs. Abby Scott Baker, one of the suffragist pickets sentenced to sixty days at the Occoquan workhouse, was released today when her husband, Dr. Robert W. Baker, paid her fine.

MAIN LINE MARRIAGES

Two Weddings of Prominence Take Place Same Day—St. Mary's Church, Wayne, and Church of Redeemer, Bryn Mawr, Chosen for Ceremonies

THERE are two interesting weddings scheduled for today, and Main Line people are kept busy going from St. Mary's Church in Wayne to the Church of the Redeemer in Bryn Mawr. It is difficult to say which is the more interesting, the wedding at St. Mary's, the seat of old Philadelphia families and are of wide social importance.

CONGRER-HARE This afternoon at 4 o'clock Miss Katharine Hobart Hare, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Conger, father of the bride, and of Mrs. John de Peyster Conger, son of the Rev. Arthur Conger, of Villanova.

THE bride, who will be given in marriage by her father, will wear a gown of white tulle with a sash of pink tulle and a black velvet picture hat. She will carry a bouquet of white roses.

Following the reception Mr. and Mrs. Conger will leave for a short wedding trip, and on their return will live at Twin Oaks, the Conger home in Villanova.

WISTAR-LYCETT At noon today, in the Church of the Redeemer in Bryn Mawr, Miss Rebecca Alice Lycett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wistar, was married to Mr. Robert Wistar, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wistar, by the Rev. Charles Bronson, rector of the church.

MARCI-SNEAR September is a lovely month for weddings in the suburbs, where the trees are dressing in the new fall colorings of orange, red and gold, and it is not too late for the friends of the bride to be invited to the wedding party outdoors.

WANT 'PERSONAL TOUCH' IN GIFTS TO SOLDIERS EXPLAIN HOW FRENCH MEET BREAD CRISIS

Red Cross Sends Out Government's Wishes as Christmas Presents Price of Loaf to Consumers Has Not Been Allowed to Increase

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The Government would like to have the "personal touch" clearly stamped on all Christmas packets for America's million and a half fighting men at home and abroad "to make it seem more like something from home," it was learned today.

It is suggested by Red Cross national headquarters that local Christmas funds for the soldiers and local gift packages prepared by women and girls in various cities be turned over to the local Red Cross chapter.

The Washington, D. C., Red Cross chapter is sending Christmas packages for 15,000 men. It will bear all the expense and the members are doing all the work. Each of these 15,000 men will get a card or a note in his package from the Washington woman who packed it.

It is hoped that all similar plans will be localized and made personal affairs between the givers and the soldiers and sailors. Local Red Cross chapters and local organizations of women are urged to help.

Paris, Sept. 15.—The housewife of war-torn France today is paying virtually the same price for bread as she paid before the war. The only difference is that today's bread is of whole wheat flour, as against the white wheat loaf of the pre-war days.

The French Government today explained for the benefit of Americans now facing increased prices for flour and bread how France "dealt with the problem." The ministry's statement was as follows: "During the first two years of the war there was no bread problem in France. It imported all necessary wheat. But even then, in view of transport difficulties, the Government was obliged to regulate baking."

Atlantic City Preparing for the Elks ATLANTIC CITY, Sept. 15.—Governor Walter E. Edge, Mayor Harry Bayne, D., Congressman Isaac Bacharach, Senator Emerson F. Richards and Edward L. Bader, Republican city leader, all brother Elks, are members of an executive committee appointed today to arrange for the reunion of the autlered fraternity in Atlantic City next June. Fifty thousand brothers are expected to attend.

WHAT'S DOING TO NIGHT The Philadelphia Police Band plays at City Hall plaza. Japanese mission banquet, Bellevue-Stratford. National conference on the "World Food," Chamber of Commerce assembly room, Widener Building, Free.



MRS. SAMUEL C. RAMSDELL Mrs. Ramsdell was Miss Margaret Elizabeth Miller. She is the daughter of Mrs. J. Francis Miller.