JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Mrs. Wellington Shannon to Address Red Cross Workers Tomorrow Afternoon at 608 Chestnut Street—Engagements Announced and Rumored

HEATLESS Monday again interferes with the meeting of the Independence Square Red Cross at 608 Chestnut street, because you see the rooms are in a business building, and so the Red Cross has gracefully taken a back seat in the matter and the afternoon talk this week will be held tomorrow afternoon instead. I think it's going to be extremely interesting and a good change, in that some one from home is going to talk to the workers this time. You see for several weeks we have been hearing about things "over there" and there are many questions in our minds about what is going on "over here," and so Mrs. George Horace Lorimer, who is chairman of the Independence Square auxiliary, has asked Mrs. J. Wellington Shannon, who is vice-chairman of the clearing house for the Red Cross, to speak and tell us of what is being done here. In fact, she will tell us "The Story of the Red Cross Sweater" and will answer all kinds of questions in regard to Red Cross matters. You know there are lots of things that many of us want to know about. Not that one questions the Government or the Red Cross or anything of that kind. They are all doing their best, but we want often to know how the things are done and love to follow our own work. So I am looking forward to an extremely interesting afternoon, aren't you?

IT'S too bad about the little Beggs kiddies, isn't it? They have scarlet fever and are quarantined in their home at Ardmore. And this has changed the plans of the Earle family for the reception after Edith's wedding. You know it had been decided to have the wedding at the Church of the Redeemer in Bryn Mawr and hold the reception at the Beggs house in Ardmore. Every one wondered, naturally, why the Earles were not having the reception in their own home, as they had had for all four of their other daughters, but you see every one does not live out in Bryn Mawr back by the Radnor Hunt Club in winter, and especially such a winter as this has been.

If everybody did, then they would not ask why, but would wonder instead how the Earles themselves can get one car over the roads, let alone a number, for they (the roads) are well-nigh impassable and have been ever since the snow first fell and the intense cold set in during Christmas week. The reception will therefore take place at Mrs. Victor Mather's house, Avondale Cottage, at Haverford, which is easily accessible. Mrs. Mather is the eldest sister—she was Katherine Earle, you know. Edith is going to give her bridesmaids' luncheon at her own home on Wednesday of this week. But I'm afraid Mrs. Beggs will have to be counted out of the party, and I understand she was to have been one of the bridesmaids. The one good thing about it is that the cases are not terribly serious.

IT SEEMS to run to the Porter family to marry men of distinction, doesn't it? Here we of Philadelphia who used to know Margaretta and Catherine and Elizabeth all sat up and took decided notice several years ago when Margaretta's engagement was announced to the late Bishop Codman of Maine, who died so soon after their marriage, and now Elizabeth is engaged to Frederick C. Fearing of New York, who is a graduate of the Sheffield Scientific School of Yale and a member of several engineering and scientific societies. A man of distinction and decided brains. The Porters, who are daughters of Colonel John Biddle Porter and Mrs. Porter, are granddaughters of the late General Andrew Porter. Catherine is in France at present with a Red Cross canteen corps. They used to live on Clinton street here, when the girls were growing up, but now they live in Washington.

ANOTHER engagement which was announced in this city on Saturday is that of Margaret La Rue, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. La Rue, to Justus Clayton Strawbridge. Margaret came out last year and is an awfully pretty girl. Both she and her fiance live in Germantown, but even so none of their friends seemed to have suspected a romance, and so they have the real satisfaction of having actually sprung a surprise. I understand there has been no date set as yet for the wedding.

DID you see him when he was in town last week for a few days? He used to live here, you know, and then went over to the great metropolis in search of better things in a financial way, and from all I hear he has made good. But for the best thing in his life he did not hunt in New York, cause why, well he'd been camping out Main Line way some time before he went to Gotham and whenever he gets a chance he comes back and goes out there to see a certain little lady with big violet eyes and clouds of fluffy hair and bright cheeks. And my hat is off to him for good taste. Maybe they'll tell us all of their happiness some day, but until they are ready to, I, for one, will not give them away.

NANCY WYNNE.

Social Activities

The marriage of Miss Bessie Lippincott, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William A. Lippincott, of Devon, and Mr. Edward Burton Colket, of Haverford, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William W. Colket, will take place on February 12 in Calvary Presbyterian Church, Fifteenth and Locust stre ts. Only the members of the family will be present.

Mrs. George Fales Baker entertained at luncheon at the Bellevue and in her box at the Orchestra concert on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. William W. Arnett, 2116 Pine street, is at home on Tuesdays during this month.

Mrs. James Daniel, of Virginia, who has been visiting her son, Mr. Robert Daniel, at Rosemont, is stopping at the Aldine.

The seventeenth annual meeting of the Trans-Atlantic Society will be held at the Bellevue-Stratford on Thursday, February 7, followed by a luncheon in honor of Colonel Steele and the British-Canadian Recruiting Mission. Mr. John Gribbel is president of the society and Mr. E. Warning Wilson the secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Downing, of 809 East Allegheny avenue, have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Mabel V. Downing, to Mr. Joseph J. Hickey on February 6, at 3 o'clock in the Church of the Ascension. Miss Downing will be attended by her sister, Miss Helen Downing, as maid of honor, and Miss Valerie Coyne, Miss Ethel M. O'Donnell, Miss Edna Vernon and Miss Sara Vernon will act as bridesmaids.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Grone, of Wynnefield, West Park, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Eva Tunis Grone, to Mr. Charles De Lancey Ferguson, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Bixler, of 6401 Drexel road, Overbrook, have received news of the safe arrival in France of their son, Lieutenant Donald F. Bixler, who is with the Telegraph Battalion of the Signal Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Fox, of 2411 South Fifth street, have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Sadye Melva Fox, to Mr. Albert Earl Goodman, Sunday, February 3, at 8 o'clock.

CLEVER SYSTEM USED BY WORKERS

Auxiliary No. 7, Germantown, Red Cross, Has Reputation for Perfect Work

Mrs. Ambrose Shapley has charge of a group of Red Cross workers belonging to Auxiliary No. 7, which has gained the reputation of sending in perfect work to Red Cross headquarters. This group does not make surgical dressings, but concentrates all its effort and time on the making of hospital shirts. For this reason it is possible for the members to use a wonderful system, which enables them to turn out this perfect work.

There are three women to every sewing machine, and each one has a different thing to do toward the making of one shirt. The first person pins the shoulders together, passes it to the next woman, who sews them on the machine. She, in turn, gives it to the third person, who creases it a second time for double scouring, and hands it back to the second one to sew. After this is done the first person pins on the yoke, the second one stitches it and so on, until a perfect garment is finished.

In this way no one person makes a complete shirt, and they change work every hour, so that it does not become too monotonous. There is one girl to pull out all the basting threads and to fold the shirts with the pockets out. They are then wrapped in bundles of ten, and inspected by three different women. Mrs. Shapley herself starts all the work in the morning, does any recutting that may be necessary and gives them the final inspection.

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MRS. WALTER F. HAYS
Who, before her recent marriage, was Miss Mildred Fritch, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. Scott Fritch, of 2856 Girard avenue

The group meets every Thursday from 9:30 until 4:30 in the Church of the Redeemer. Last Thursday the workers finished up ten shirts from last week, made ten outright and started ten for next week. They usually turn out on an average of fifteen shirts a week.

At the large book reception and tea which was held at 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon, at the Fairfax Apartments, by the Women's Permanent Emergency Association of Germantown, several young nurses who have recently returned from abroad told of their experiences while working among the blind soldiers of France. Every guest was asked to bring a book, either old or new, to send to the soldiers over there, and there was an exhibition of war souvenirs and war posters.

Something about the little fatherless children of France was also told, and the speakers were Miriam Clark Kane, Miss Ailsa McColl, Miss Margaret Robins and Mrs. Stanley Perkins.

The Women's Permanent Emergency Association meets every Monday and Wednesday at the Fairfax Apartments, to roll bandages, make surgical supplies, sew all kinds of hospital garments and knit. Contributions and donations can be sent to any of the allied countries through this organization, and the rooms are open every day. This organization is sending all its supplies to the Italians.

Another group of Red Cross workers belonging to Auxiliary No. 7 is that which works under the direction of Mrs. William K. Beard every Thursday morning at the Y. W. C. A. from 9:45 until 1:30. This group, which comprises about fifty members, is actively engaged in finishing up surgical dressings before February 1, when that drive ends.

The meetings average thirty workers in a morning and last week they turned out more than 300 dressings. The class was organized last March and there is no group belonging to Auxiliary No. 7 which works more faithfully than this one. They have received several letters from Miss Benson, head of the surgical dressings abroad, thanking them for the boxes they have sent over from time to time.

Major Joseph McFarland, of 442 West Stafford street, left on Wednesday for a southern camp where he has charge of the hospitals. He is senior medical officer there.

The Automobile Club of Germantown will give a large dinner-dance on February 12, Lincoln's Birthday. Several of the members will give private dinners before the dance.

A special meeting of the Woman's Club, of which Mrs. T. H. Carmichael is president, will be held on Monday afternoon, February 4, at 2:30 o'clock at the Germantown Friends' School, Coulter street and Germantown avenue, for the purpose of completing the work on the constitution and bylaws. Tea will be served at the conclusion of the meeting.

MISS AGNES LAND

MISS ROSALIE HOBAN
Three of the principals in the production of "Dr. Optimist," the play given at the Bellevue on Friday evening for the benefit of St. Francis's House for Convalescents in Darby.

MISS HELEN EUSTACE

HEARS NEWS OF FORMER PUPILS

Philadelphia Girls, Formerly Students at Mrs. Phillips Jenkins's Studio, Now in Light Opera

Mrs. Phillips Jenkins received a program book from Cleveland last week, which was particularly interesting, as the names of two pupils from her school of singing were scheduled to appear there, heading the list of light opera prima donnas.

These young stars are Philadelphia girls, one being Miss Hilda Scholz, playing under the name of Hilda Penfield in the "The Love O' Mike," showing in Cleveland at the Colonial Theatre, January 14. The "Love O' Mike" had a long run in New York at the Maxine Elliott Theatre, followed by an equally successful engagement in Chicago this winter. The other young Philadelphia star is Miss Vivienne Segal, who heads a long list of stars in "O Lady, Lady," from the Princess Theatre, New York, and opening in Cleveland January 21. Miss Segal's success is well known to all theatregoers and music lovers.

Miss Scholz's triumphs have been more recent. She left Mrs. Jenkins's studio with an introduction to Jerome Kern. Two weeks later he placed her in "The Love O' Mike," in which she has since been taking a leading part.

Miss Eva Cherry, Miss Dorothy Fox and Miss Ethlyn Terry, a trio of young singers from Mrs. Jenkins's studio, are becoming very popular with their war songs. They have been heard at Camp Dix, at the ambulance camp at Allentown, at the United Service Club, and during the last week on Monday and Tuesday afternoons on the same program with Private Peat in Egyptian Hall, Wanamaker's. They will sing a number of trios at the navy yard on the dirigible. The program includes, "We'll Never Let the Old Flag Fall," "Land of the Long Ago," "Keep the Home Fires Burning," "Three Little Maids from School," "Laddie in Khaki" and "Good Bless Our Splendid Men."

Benefits Given for Red Cross in Towns of Delaware County

A most successful card party for the benefit of the Red Cross was given at Mrs. J. H. Freeman's home, in Oakmont, on Tuesday afternoon. Among those present at the affair were Mrs. Walter Norton, Mrs. William Lee, Mrs. Edward Bryant, Mrs. Ferndale, Mrs. Harry Wisham, Mrs. Harry Butler, Mrs. R. M. Hirst, Mrs. Charles P. Hackett, Mrs. William Brown, Mrs. John S. Ballens, Mrs. Frank A. McMonigle, Mrs. Strong, Mrs. Norman H. Lobb, Mrs. White, Mrs. Russell Fox, Mrs. Lyons, Mrs. Albert South Faught, Mrs. Edgar L. Lockwood, Mrs. Leonard Shortland, Mrs. Arthur E. Eagles and Mrs. Cornman.

On Wednesday the Media Women's Club celebrated its twenty-third anniversary with a Hoover luncheon. In the afternoon an attractive program was given, which included addresses by Mrs. H. Prentiss Nichols, the vice president of the Eastern District of the Pennsylvania Federation of Women's Clubs and by Captain Latham, of the British army.

Mrs. John Spangler of Drexel Hill, entertained the bridge club of which she is a member at her home on Thursday afternoon. This club gives the money which would otherwise be spent for prizes to the free wool fund of the Drexel Hill Red Cross Branch.

South Philadelphia

The organizers and officers of Red Cross Auxiliary No. 17 are Mrs. Alfred M. Gray, chairlady; Miss Genevieve Dunbar, vice chairlady; Miss Ray Devine, treasurer, and Miss Ruth Van Vranken, secretary. At a recent meeting of the officers it was decided to send account of the work that is being done by the auxiliary to the Kaiser.

Plans are under way for a large dance to be given Easter week by the graduates of St. Thomas Aquinas's School, the proceeds of which will be donated to the Catholic Girls' High School.

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MRS. GUSTAVE C. ABERLE
Who, before her recent marriage, was Miss Helen Simmerman, of 1006 West Lehigh avenue.

MONARCH BROWNIES' SUCCESSFUL DANCE

South Philadelphia Club Organized for Planning Summer Outings—Auxiliary No. 47's Work

An enjoyable dance was held on Friday evening by the Monarch Brownies, an interesting United South Philadelphia, organized about six years ago for the purpose of arranging outings during the summer. The club has a delightful place at Betterton, Md., where every year the members and their friends spend part of the summer camping.

The dance was held in McCrea's Dancing Academy, 1520 West Passyunk avenue, and Professor De Hart's orchestra furnished the music. The committee in charge of the affair included Mr. Thomas F. Robinson, chairman; Mr. John F. Frick, Mr. Frank M. Jewel and Mr. James P. Curley. The officers of the club are Mr. William H. Golden, president; Mr. Harry Cline, vice president, and Mr. Thomas Maloney, captain and financial secretary.

The members of the club are Mr. Gerald Brenninger, Mr. R. A. Cowan, Mr. Richard J. Cullen, Mr. Andrew A. Cullen, Mr. Harry Cline, Mr. Harry J. Curley, Mr. James P. Curley, Mr. Thomas J. Curley, Mr. Joseph Dalkens, Mr. John J. Frick, Mr. Hugh L. Fisher, Mr. William H. Golden, Mr. John A. Healey, Mr. Frank N. Jewel, Mr. Robert McDougal, Mr. Joseph McNamee, Mr. John Maloney, Mr. Thomas J. Maloney, Mr. Thomas F. Robinson and Mr. Aloysius J. Tierney. Although the club boasts of a membership of only twenty, four of the members are already in service. Mr. Richard A. Cullen is with General Pershing in France, Mr. Harry J. Curley and Mr. Thomas J. Curley are at training camps and Mr. John A. Maloney is at a radio school.

Red Cross Auxiliary No. 47, of the Church of the Holy Apostles, Twenty-first and Christian streets, is one of the most active auxiliaries in the city, to judge by a visit to the workrooms adjoining the church on any night during the week. The entire auxiliary, some fifty in number, under the supervision of Miss Mabel Hall, forms one group in surgical dressings, while another group is in charge of Miss Lillian Wallace and Miss Connelly.

This latter unit is divided into three sections as follows: Section No. 1, Mrs. George H. Toop, Miss Catherine Dunbar, Miss Anna M. Newlin, Miss Sarah B. Newlin, Miss Anna McNally, Miss Agnes Vincent and Miss Ruth Van Vranken. Section No. 2 is as follows: Miss Ruth Leahy, Miss Mary Adams, Miss Matilda Kellar, Miss Adelaide Kennedy, Miss Elizabeth Kennedy, Miss Anna Moore, Miss Mary Potts, Miss Elizabeth Searle, Miss Charlotte Tyson and Miss May Preston. Section No. 3 comprises the following: Miss Margaret McBride, Miss Anna Buchanan, Mrs. H. Charon, Mrs. S. M. Elliott, Miss Elizabeth MacPherson, Miss Genevieve Dunbar, Miss Leonore Confer and Mrs. H. A. Rispin.

There are at least 100 women making surgical dressings alone, so it is not to be wondered at that the many urgent calls on the auxiliary are so promptly and satisfactorily answered. The sewing unit is under the supervision of Mrs. George W. Jacobs, and includes the following: Miss Mary Jones, Miss Frances Churen, Mrs. Thomas Flood, Mrs. George Hill, Deaconess H. S. Brookman, Mrs. Thomas F. Janes, Mrs. William MacGowan, Mrs. A. Rapp and Miss Anna Newell. There is also a large knitting class under the care of Mrs. Volkmann and Mrs. George C. Thomas, Jr.

The splendid "get-together" spirit of the auxiliary was strikingly demonstrated in the Red Cross drive for membership. The auxiliary was apportioned 250 as its quota of new members, but at the close of the week the splendid total of 700 new members was added to the roll.

Activities are not confined, however, to the women of Holy Apostles. The men are also doing a great deal of work. The "Big Brother Back Home League," organized and directed by the rector, the Rev. George Herbert Toop, D. D., is taking care of every man of the church now in the service of Uncle Sam. Letters, books and packages, etc., go to the boys every week, so that each one of them is constantly in touch with all church activity and anything of interest among his friends and family. The "Big Brothers" have a huge task, as there are at the present time more than sixty members of the church in the service.

More Main Line Families Finish Winter in Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Atwater Kent and their family, of Ardmore, will leave this week for Florida to spend the rest of the winter.

Mrs. Alexander Lilley, of California, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Wheeler, at Camp Run Farm, Villanova.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Fitler, of Rosemont, entertained a small party at the Supper Club on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kane S. Green, of Bryn Mawr, entertained at dinner on Thursday evening in honor of Miss Charlotte Kusey, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Richard McNeely, of Bryn Mawr.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Hunter and their family, of Devon, will leave today to spend the rest of the winter in Florida.

Mrs. Lee Harlan and Mrs. William Dyer, of Washington, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Daniel, of Rosemont.

Items of news for the society page will be accepted and printed in the Evening Public Ledger provided they are written on one side of the paper and are signed with full name and telephone number of the sender, as it must be possible to verify the notes. Address "Society Editor," Evening Public Ledger, 606 Chestnut street.

SKATING PARTY ON THURSDAY

Followed by Supper in Edgewater Park, N. J., in Honor of Haddon Heights Girl

EDGEWATER PARK — Mr. and Mrs. James J. Walton entertained at a skating party at their home on Hood lane, on Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Florence N. Brown, of Haddon Heights.

A supper followed the skating party, and a supper was served in the dining room of the Oaks, the Walton homestead.

The entire lower floor was decorated with green and cut flowers. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Anthony, Miss Florence N. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Reeves and Miss Ethel Reeves, Miss Helen Anthony, Miss Martha Samson, Miss Doris Anthony, Miss Maud Heisler, Mr. Irving Adams and Mr. Harry Anthony.

MOUNT HOLLY—Friends of Mrs. Howard Eldridge will be glad to know that she is convalescing after an operation for appendicitis, which was performed on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Jones have gone to Florida for a six-weeks' stay at Miami.

BURLINGTON — Sergeant Charles N. Price and Mrs. Price have returned to Washington, D. C., after a visit of a few days with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Conroy are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

PALMYRA—The students of the Palmyra High School will hold a dance in the auditorium on Saturday evening. The members of the Alumni Association were also included. The proceeds will be used to enroll the pupils of the grammar and high schools in the Junior Red Cross, which now has 500 members.

"WHAT'S DOING TONIGHT?"

Meeting and dinner of Presbyterian Social Union, Believue-Stratford. Members.

Meeting of South Philadelphia Business Men's Association, Broad and Federal streets. Free.

Smoker, Keystone Automobile Club, La La Temple. Admission charge.

British War Exhibit, First Regiment Armory. Admission charge.

Secretary of Commerce Redfield speaks on "How Can We Help," Manufacturers' Club. Members.

Fisk University negro educational meeting, Academy of Music. Free.

Philadelphia Music Teachers' Association, Presser Auditorium. Members.

Germantown Y. M. C. A. annual meeting. Free.

The Stanley — MARKET STREET ABOVE 16TH — 11.15 A. M. to 11.15 P. M. — Joseph M. Schenck Presents — NORMA TALMADGE — In First Showing of "GHOSTS OF YESTERDAY" — Version of Rupert Hughes' Play, Two Women.

PALACE 1214 MARKET STREET 10 A. M. to 11.15 P. M. GOLDWYN Presents MAE MARSH In First Showing "FIELDS OF HONOR" By IRVIN S. COBB and EDGAR SELWYN

ARCADIA CHESTNUT BELOW 16TH 10.15 A. M., 12, 2, 3.45, 5.45, 7.45, 9.30 P. M. JULIAN ELTINGE In First Presentation of Aircraft Picture "THE WIDOW'S MIGHT"

VICTORIA MARKET Above 9TH THIS WEEK WM. FOX Presents THEDA BARA in First Showing of "THE ROSE OF BLOOD" Coming—WM. FARNUM in "Les Miserables."

REGENT MARKET ST. Below 17TH WM. FOX Presents "TREASURE ISLAND" From Robert Louis Stevenson's Novel.

GLOBE MARKET ST. AT JUNIPER VAUDEVILLE CONTINUOUS 11 A. M. to 11 P. M. "THE MID-WINTER REVUE" MAY WEST AND OTHERS

CROSS KEYS MARKET BELOW 60TH Daily 2:15, Eve. 7 & 9. "FASHIONS A LA CARTE"

BROADWAY BROAD & SNYDER AVE. DAILY—NIGHTLY HARRY COOPER & CO. Metro Presents "BLUE JEANS" Featuring VIOLA DANA

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE TODAY—3 SHOWS—TODAY 1:30 SHARP, 4:30 and 8 P. M. GUS EDWARDS' SONG REVIEW LEROY, TALMA AND BOSCO BIG SURROUNDING FEATURE BILL

LITTLE THEATRE 17th & De Lancey Phone Loc. 6641 — Tonight, 8:30. Mat. Sat., 2:30. BEULAH JAY in "The Doctor's Dilemma" By G. Bernard Shaw.

Witherspoon Hall, Tues., Jan. 29, 8.15 P. M. On account of the Fuel Administration's order SANDBY RECITAL IS POSTPONED. Until TUESDAY, Jan. 29 Tickets bought for Jan. 28 good for Jan. 29.

RIVOLI THEATRE FIFTY-SECOND and SANSOM ALL THIS WEEK "THE BIRTH OF A NATION"

GAYETY FAT WHITE and HIS GAIETY GIRLS

TROCADERO THE AUTO GIRLS and CAROLA

LANSDOWNE GYM CLASS

Busy Women Meet Every Thursday at High School to Get Necessary Exercise—Red Cross Workroom Engaged Every Minute

A NUMBER of the women in Lansdowne have got up a gymnasium class, which meets every Thursday evening in the high school gymnasium. They really get a great deal of fun out of the class, and the "peppy" calisthenics and the games they play provide the necessary exercise which most of them would otherwise be too busy to take the time for.

The class was organized by Mrs. Edward V. H. Wilkie. Those who belong to it are Mrs. Wilkie, Mrs. Carl Lewis Altmaier, Mrs. H. F. Bush, Jr., Mrs. Owen Brooke Evans, Miss Nellie Garrett, Mrs. S. Pangnast Lewis, Miss Florence Lowden, Mrs. Clarence Sill, Mrs. John Solenberger, Mrs. Charles Shurtleff, Mrs. Andrew S. M. Young, Miss A. Vaughn, Mrs. Clarence H. Fox, Mrs. Charles Roach, Mrs. Harold Hallinad, Miss Katherine Lloyd, Mrs. Andrew Davis, Mrs. Frederick Milliken, Miss Marion Peterson, Miss Margaret Walton, Mrs. Harold R. Burt, Miss Anita Sheppard, Mrs. James B. Rucker, Mrs. Albert B. MacGregor, Mrs. W. Vernon Phillips, Mrs. Ralph L. Hays, Miss M. Louise Van Zandt, Miss Frances Hagy, Miss Lida Kochersperger and Miss May Pierson. Mr. John G. Wolf instructs the class, and Miss Ruth Decker is the pianist.

The Twentieth Century Club held one of its interesting current events afternoons last Tuesday. Mrs. Edward McGinley talked absorbingly on the many, many events of the day. Each month Mrs. McGinley gives one of these talks and presents a clear summary of the war situation in each one. This is most appealing to the average woman, for she is bound to be a bit neglectful now and then in following the day's events.

Quite a few women came to the club on Tuesday morning to knit gloves and cut gauze, for Tuesday was also the club's service day. Hereafter this service day will be held every Monday, as it has been thought that perhaps more women will be able to come on this day, owing to its being a holiday. The Women's Chorus, which is under the direction of Mr. Henry Hutz, will also meet at 4:30 on Monday afternoons at the clubhouse. The chorus will have its first meeting next Monday. The club movies, which, by the way, were held this week on Thursday evening, will be given on Monday evenings as usual.

The regular club meeting will still be held on Tuesday afternoons, though there will be no coal burned then. The clubroom is to be heated instead by a log fire in the big fireplace.

Tomorrow will be community afternoon at the club and the program is in charge of Mrs. Francis D. Maxwell. Mr. Robert P. Dripps, who is chairman of the Philadelphia district committee of the department of civic relief, will give an address on cooperation as a war measure, and the chairman of the Philadelphia division of the Red Cross, Mr. J. Byron Deacon, will speak on social service in war and peace.

The next Century Club dance will be given on Wednesday evening.

Still another entertainment is being planned for the Red Cross. There seems to be no end to them, and this is certainly splendid. The latest one is a bridge party which the women at the Evergreen Lodge are getting up. It is to be given on Monday afternoon, February 4, and already a great many people have promised to come.

The Lansdowne Red Cross women have promised to have twenty-five "housewives" ready in a week's time, in response to the urgent request which was recently made for them in the Public Ledger. Mrs. Arthur Moorshead has charge of the work out there.

An industrious and successful class of colored women meets every Wednesday evening at the Red Cross house. This is under the direction of Mrs. Benjamin Carskaddon and Miss Emilie Groce.

There are always a lot of children there on Friday afternoons. Mrs. Robert W. Gick and Miss Ruth Decker have charge of this class of youngsters. They are really very eager workers, and are just as happy as can be to be able to do their bit by knitting squares for afghans or cutting slips for fracture pillows.

The Friends in Lansdowne have been conducting a campaign this week to gain money for the support of the war relief and reconstruction work which the Quakers in England and America are carrying on in the devastated parts of Europe. Under the auspices of the Friends' Service Committee of Lansdowne Monthly Meeting, an "every member" canvass has been made. This committee includes Mr. C. Carroll Lippincott, Mrs. John Jackson and Mr. Barclay White.

Mrs. Charles J. Pilling and Miss Josephine Pilling have returned from a short visit to New York.

Mrs. Alston Stone and her little daughter are spending the winter at Pleasantville, N. J.

The Belgian Relief Club met at the home of Miss Dorothy Crawford on Wednesday afternoon.

The Queen Esther Circle, of the Methodist Church, met at Miss Grace Filler's home last Monday evening.

Mr. Lincoln Gilbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Gilbert, has been home on a few days' furlough. Mr. Gilbert is in the U. S. Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Simpler have received word that their son, Mr. Albert Simpler, who is with the engineering corps, has arrived safely in France.

The Chi Omega Delta Society will give a subscription dance on Friday evening, February 15, at the Century Club.

Mrs. John J. H. Phillips held the regular monthly meeting of the Mothers-in-Council at her home on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Hildebrand, of Wayne, spoke on the economic value of prohibition. There was also some delightful music.

An attractive card party was given on Thursday afternoon by Mrs. William G. Nelson, Jr., of Lansdowne, in honor of Miss Emilie Eleanor Owens. The announcement of Miss Owens's engagement to Mr. Chandler Barnard was made a few days ago by her parents, Captain Arthur Burneston Owens, U. S. M. C., and Mrs. Owens. Mrs. Nelson is a sister of Miss Owens's fiance. The guests at the card party were Mrs. Owens, Miss Emilie Eleanor Owens, Mrs. Wilson Barnard, Miss Anna E. Barnard, Mrs. Ralph L. Hays, Mrs. Herbert C. Hays, Mrs. Austin Boyd, Miss Frances Haly, Mrs. Robert Downing Taylor, Mrs. Harold Ogden, Mrs. Frank E. Sagendorph, 2d, Mrs. F. H. Bush, Jr., Mrs. Charles J. Pilling, Miss Josephine Pilling, Mrs. Harry L. Henry and Mrs. Culver Boyd.

FORREST LAST WEEK. Evgs., 8:15. Mats. Today, Wed. & Sat. $1 POP. MAT. TODAY AND WED. $1 Entire Lower Floor, $1.00 Entire Balcony and Gallery, 50c HENRY W. SAVAGE Offers The Brightest, Snappiest Musical Comedy HAVE A HEART Refreshing humor, charming melody.—Press. EVENINGS & SAT. MAT., 50c to $2.00. NEXT MONDAY MAT.—SEATS THURSDAY HENRY W. SAVAGE Offers The New Musical Comedy TOOT-TOOT! A Train of Mirth and Melody $1 Mats. MON. WED. Entire Orchestra $1. Entire Bal. & Bal. 50c Evenings and Saturday Matinee, 50c to $2.00.

GARRICK LAST WEEK. Evgs. 8:15. Mats. Today, Wed. & Sat. $1 POP. MAT. TODAY $1 ALSO WEDNESDAY MAT. The Comedy That Will Live Forever Turn TO THE Right NEXT WEEK SEATS THURSDAY OLIVER MOROSCO'S Great Laugh Success UPSTAIRS AND DOWN With a Typical Morosco Cast and, Oh! That Baby Vampire! Best Seats $1.50 at Box Office. Mats. Wed. & Fri.

BROAD LAST 2 WEEKS. Evgs. 8:20. Mats. Today, Wed. & Sat. BEST SEATS $1.50 Pop. Mat. TODAY AND WED. GEORGE ARLISS As Alexander Hamilton, First Secretary of the Treasury, in the New Play "HAMILTON"

STRAND 69th Ave. at Venango, E. of Broad First Philadelphia Showing "THE WORLD FOR SALE" From Novel By Sir Gilbert Parker.

LOCUST 52D AND LOCUST STREETS Att. 1.30, 3.30. Eve. 6.30 to 11. PAULINE FREDERICK in "MRS. DANE'S DEFENSE"

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CHESTNUT STREET OPERA HOUSE Direction Messrs. Shubert Nights $1.50-$1-75c-50c Mats. $1.00-75c-50c EXCEPT SAT. $1.00 MAT. TODAY NO PERFORMANCE TUESDAY PASSING SHOW OF 1917

LYRIC—Mat. Today TONIGHT NOW AT 8:15 WILLIAM HODGE IN HIS GREATEST SUCCESS A Cure for Curables Special Pop. Price Mat. Today BEST SEATS $1 WEDNESDAY MATINEE $1.00 Regular Mat. Saturday.

ADELPHI LAST 7 TIMES & SAT. MAT. TODAY BEST SEATS $1.50. William GILLETTE in "A SUCCESSFUL CALAMITY" By CLARE KUMMER Next Week—Seats Thursday—Mail Orders Now. JOHN MARGARET DREW—ILLINGTON in "THE GAY LORD QUEX"

ACADEMY OF MUSIC PHILADELPHIA ORCHESTRA LEOPOLD STOKOWSKI, Conductor. FRIDAY AFTERNOON, FEB. 1, AT 3:00 SATURDAY EVENING, FEB. 2, AT 8:15 Soloist: Mme. JULIA CLAUSSEN, Mezzo-Soprano GLUCK ..... Overture, "Alceste" GLUCK ..... Aria, "Orphée au Styx" MOZART ..... Symphony, "Jupiter" TSCHAIKOWSKY ..... Aria, "Adieu forêts" LISZT ..... Symphonic Poem, "Tasso" Seats Now on Sale at Heppe's, 1119 Chestnut.

GRAND CONCERT & LECTURE under auspices ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS IN THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC Thursday Evening, January 31st PROCEEDS FOR A. O. H. WAR FUND Madame Marie Narelle, the renowned Irish-American Soprano, the John McCormack of her sex as a singer of Irish songs, and her daughter, Rita Narelle, will render popular American and Irish ballads. Matilda Neville will preside at the piano. Congressman Walter M. Chandler, New York, will deliver a patriotic address. Reserved seats at A. O. H. Club House, 1609 North Broad; Heppe's Piano Store, 1117 Chestnut, and Academy of Music on evening of entertainment.

ACADEMY. Thursday Aft., Jan. 31, at 3:00. VIOLIN RECITAL by Jascha HEIFETZ CHECKS TO GEORGE S. HALY Tickets at Heppe's, 1119 Chestnut St.

METROPOLITAN OPERA HOUSE METROPOLITAN OPERA COMPANY, N. Y. TUESDAY EVENING FEBRUARY 5 at 8 LA TRAVIATA MMES. MEMPHIS, SHATTFIELD, MM. CARPI, DE LUCA, ROSSI, BADA. Cond., MORANZONI. Seats 1108 Chestnut. Walnut 4424; Race 61.

STRAND GERMANTOWN AVE. AT VENANGO, EAST OF BROAD Herbert Amusement Co., Herbert Effinger, Pres. FIRST PRESENTATION OF "THE WORLD FOR SALE" From Sir Gilbert Parker's Novel.

ROLLER SKATING & DANCING PALACE—30th & Market Sts. OPEN TODAY — CLOSED TUESDAY. This Afternoon—RACES & GAMES. TONIGHT—DANCING after Skating. Ladies Admitted FREE.

CASINO Walnut Ab. 8th St. MATINEE TODAY BEN WELCH & HIS BIG SHOW

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