JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Colonel Steele Addresses Workers at Independence Square Red Cross Auxiliary—A Class Meets in Merion Each Week, Says Nancy Wynne

THE talk which is usually held at the Independence Square Auxiliary of the Red Cross, at 608 Chestnut street, on Monday afternoons, has been transferred this week to Thursday; in other words, today, and Colonel Steele, head of the British recruiting office will speak to the women who work at this auxiliary. The Independence Square Auxiliary has started up a regular surgical dressings class, such as is taught at headquarters and quite a number are enrolled already among the students. Think of it, recently they were asked for 2000 dressings in three weeks' time and sent more than 8000, and these things included large and difficult dressings and bandages, pneumonia jackets and other such things. It is certainly a most flourishing center of activity.

A RED CROSS relief work class of which I have heard only recently meets every Wednesday morning at the home of Mrs. Percy Simpson in Merion. The class is composed of a number of the younger set, married and otherwise, and includes Gladys Earle Mather, Isabel Gest, Doris Dexter, Katherine Ogden, Theodora Lillie, Katherine Jenney, Natalie Davis and Alice McCabe Simpson. Alice Simpson, you know, is spending the winter with her mother-in-law in Lieutenant Simpson's absence.

LISTEN, my dears, to the sad experience I recently undergone by a certain young matron of the Main Line. Her youthful husband, while not forced to associate with the ordinary run of humans, is a most alert and democratic sort of person, hobnobbing on every occasion with bootblacks, newsboys and others whose purses unfortunately are not as fat as is his own.

"Count that day lost whose low-descending sun," he has been quoted as having said to his wife, "finds me not a new friend made in the course of my peregrinations hither and thither. In other words, I LIKE to talk to people; and whenever I get a chance, especially when I'm traveling, I am going to talk to 'em. I feel lost if I don't make a new friend every trolley or train trip I make."

Think of it! She smiled indulgently, and he meantime continue! Striking up new acquaintances among motormen and stevedores. If it pleased him, she would not interfere.

But a slight shock was registered one evening. It opened new and unthought-of possibilities, when he announced:

"I met a charming young girl tonight coming over on the bus."

"Who was she?" asked Mrs. ——, mildly interested. (It was most considerate of her, taking into account the fact that they've been married only some eighteen moons.)

"I don't know her name," he responded. "I didn't ask her name. I was too much interested."

"HENRY!" exclaimed Mrs. Henry.

"Yes," boasted Henry. "And she seemed pretty well interested in me, too. We talked together over from the bus. What's the matter?"

"I don't believe you," said startled Mrs. Henry. "You're joking."

"It's the truth," said he.

"I don't believe you," reiterated Mrs. H. "I don't believe you! I don't believe you!"

"It's the truth," he repeated.

Well, they dropped the matter and apparently neither thought more of it. SHE didn't, of course. Time passed.

One day he and she bundled up the baby and brought it to town to exhibit it to admiring relatives. The train was crowded. Terms — baby — heavens! Mrs. Henry looked for a safe seat for Mr. Henry, for he was carrying baby.

"Sit there," she commanded, pointing to a seat beside a woman. This passenger, who was looking out the window, radiated refinement, so to speak; at least, after a swift survey Mrs. Henry assured herself that no germs for baby threatened from that source.

Henry obeyed meekly. Mrs. H. settled down beside a rough-looking masculine commuter and potential germ distributor a few seats ahead. The train sped city-ward.

Presently Mrs. H., after composing herself, looked around to see that all was well. Imagine her shock, my dears, when she beheld Henry in an animated tete-a-tete with the sharer of his seat, who had lifted her veil and disclosed herself to be a very good-looking young personage, a youthful one, a beautiful one, with entrancing eyes and a radiant smile; at least, that is what she looked like from several seats ahead. Henry was quite engrossed. And the worst of it was that she had picked out that seat! Mrs. H. noted that her neck felt tired when after ages of travel the train pulled into Broad Street Station.

"Who was your delightful fellow passenger?" she asked when she had regained her husband's side in the bustle of getting off the train. "Why didn't you introduce him?"

"I don't know who she was," said he. "I didn't ask her name."

"HENRY!" exclaimed Mrs. H.

These irresponsible men! Poor soul, he can't help it if he attracts many friends. Can he?

NANCY WYNNE.

Social Activities

Mrs. R. Walter Starr, 117 South Seventeenth street, will entertain her bridge club today at luncheon at the Art Club. The guests will return to the home of Mrs. Starr for their usual game of bridge.

Miss Leta Sullivan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Francis Sullivan, will return to her home, 2100 Walnut street, from a visit to Atlantic City, where she has been staying at the Shelburne Hotel.

Mrs. Frank A. Craig, who, with her mother, Mrs. Frishmuth, has been spending some time in Atlantic City, returned this week to her home, 244 South Twenty-first street.

Miss Annie Beaston received informally yesterday at the Wellington. / No cards were sent out.

Mrs. Francis Thorne Patterson will be at home today after 3 o'clock at her home, 260 St. James place. Mrs. Patterson will not be at home next Thursday. No cards have been sent out.

Mrs. Alan Hartwell Strong has discontinued her days at home for this month.

Lieutenant John Channing Wickham, who is attached to the famous fighting Worcestershire Regiment of the English army, is on leave of absence and is making a visit to his grandmother, Mrs. Henry Wickham, at Devon.

Mrs. William A. Nichols, of St. Davids, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Agnes Nichols, to Mr. Frank Keen Simon, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Morse Shanbacker, of Front Creek Ranch, North Fork, Cody, Wyo., are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son. Mrs. Shanbacker will be remembered as Miss Florine Pearson, of Germantown.

Miss Rosalie Hoban, of 1605 South Broad street, has returned to her home after spending a week in New York.

Mrs. James B. Bonner, of Overbrook, who has taken apartments in Washington for the winter, has been spending a few days in this city.

Miss Doris Wetherbee, daughter of Mrs. F. T. Wetherbee, of Wyncote, entertained informally on Monday afternoon of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dougherty, of Mount Airy, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Helen Alice Dougherty, to Mr. Everett Carlton Sunderland, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Sunderland, of 5406 North Fifth street, Tabor. The wedding took place yesterday. Miss Dougherty was attended by her cousin, Miss Laura E. Waenke, and the best man was Mr. Harry E. Davis.

Members of Auxiliary No. 75 American Red Cross, who meet at the Bethlehem Baptist Church, at Eighteenth and York streets, received a note from headquarters recently commending their splendid work. An election of officers was held this week with the following result: Mrs. Joseph Elmer, president; Mr. H. Whalen, vice president, and Miss Millick, secretary and treasurer.

The show given by the Liberty Minstrels was such a decided success at the United Service Club on South Twenty-second street last Sunday night that the performance will be repeated. The production was directed by Miss Gertrude B. Wilson, of 1537 South Fifteenth street, who is well known in dramatic circles throughout the city. The cast included Miss Elizabeth Morrison, Miss Elizabeth La Roche, Miss K. Wilson, Miss Josephine Wilson, Miss Anna Tilli, Mr. William Selby, Mr. Samuel Canter, Mr. F. J. Noble, Mr. Henry Valardi and Mr. Christopher Neubi.

Mr. Harry D. Holloway left today for Palm Beach, Miami and other Florida resorts to remain until spring.

Miss Gladys Kochersperger, of Merchantville, N. J., entertained a number of her friends from Philadelphia and Merchantville this week.

Friends of Miss Alice Loughlin, of Hunting Park avenue, will be glad to know that she is rapidly recovering from her recent operation for appendicitis.

DANCE TOMORROW IN HOLMESBURG

Dance at Recreation Center, Another at Home for Indigent in Aid of Red Cross

Another dance will be given tomorrow evening at Craig's Hall, by the Holmesburg Recreation Centre. The chaperons of the dance will be Mrs. Robert Matthews, Mrs. M. Titus, Mrs. William Short, Mrs. Frederick Richard, Mrs. Robert Nichols, Mrs. Ernest J. Habgood, Mrs. Rudolph Snyder, Miss Katherine Petty and Miss Mary Glenn. These affairs have been so successful in the past that a most enjoyable time is anticipated by all those who have previously attended these dances.

Mrs. H. E. Mounce will give a dance in the auditorium at the Home for Indigent, State road and Rhawn street, tomorrow night for the benefit of the Tacony branch of the Red Cross.

Mrs. Robert Salmon, of Rhawn street and Frankford road, is spending several weeks in Washington, D. C.

Miss Regina Palmer, of Rhawn street, will entertain the members of her knitting club at her home tomorrow evening.

Miss Norma Norton, of Craig street, will give a luncheon followed by bridge tomorrow afternoon in honor of her guest, Miss Corrine Allen, of Pittsburgh, Pa., who will stay with her for the next two or three weeks.

A meeting of the O. C. C. A. was held today at Trinity Church.

Mr. Adolph Petzold, Jr., left last week for a naval training camp.

Mrs. J. M. Borger, of Lancaster, Pa., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hofmann, of 847 Levick street, has returned to her home.

Dance Given for Junior Section of Philomusian Club

The hospitality committee of the Philomusian Club gave a complimentary dance to the junior members of the club, in recognition of the services which have always been so willingly given.

An attractive feature was introduced when little rolls of red, white and blue paper ribbon were given out to the young people, who tossed them over two cords which stretched diagonally across the room. The gay streamers thus suspended gave an unusually graceful shower effect as they floated overhead, or twined around the dancing couples. The music for the evening was furnished by the Chestnut Hill Academy Orchestra. These young players are winning an enviable reputation throughout the city and suburbs, for their exceedingly "peppy" music compares favorably with the older and better known orchestras.

The hostesses for the evening included Mrs. Howard F. Park, Mrs. W. Ross Wilson, Miss Bertha S. Graham, Miss Marion Graham, Mrs. Edward W. Mumford, Mrs. John W. Baker and Mrs. George E. Scranton.

MISS GERTRUDE KERBAUGH
of Camden, who took the part of the cabin boy in the minstrel show given last evening.

MISS EDITH GALLAGHER
Two members of the cast of "Hearts of Erin," which will be presented this evening by the Irish Players of Philadelphia in St. Thomas Aquinas's Hall, South Philadelphia.

FIFTY-FIRST ANNUAL BALL ON MONDAY

Philopatrian Literary Institute Will Have Elaborate Decorations for Yearly Affair at Bellevue

The fifty-first annual ball of the Catholic Philopatrian Literary Institute, which will be given at the Bellevue-Stratford on Monday evening, promises to have the success that always characterizes this affair.

The proceeds of the affair will be given to the Knights of Columbus War Camp Fund. This appeal has touched the patriotism of all people, and subscriptions varying from five to five hundred dollars each have been received. An interesting item is the fact that nearly one thousand dollars has been sent in anonymously, showing the unusually broad appeal of the Knights of Columbus War Fund.

The decorations have been planned on an elaborate scale and will feature the national colors. The boxes will be decorated with candelabra, holding large bouquets of red, white and blue flowers and draped with ribbon streamers of the national colors. The lowered stage will be covered with banks of flowers and behind a screen of palms and ferns an orchestra of seventy-two pieces will play.

The musical program has been specially arranged for the occasion and contains a patriotic blending of the national airs of the Allies and the familiar Irish melodies.

The Clover Room has also been engaged, and another orchestra will play in that room in order to give every one an opportunity to dance.

In place of the grand march of former years, the ball will open with a minuet at 9:30 o'clock. The dancers, who include some of the best amateurs in the city, have been trained by Miss Marguerite Walz, who will dance a pas seul later in the evening.

Other young women will act as aides, wearing large picture hats and carrying graceful baskets of flowers. Among these will be Miss Alma Fitzpatrick, who will wear a gown of flesh-colored satin, draped with tulle and silver lace; Miss Helene Murphy, whose frock will be of pink bayonet satin; Miss Margaret Cecil Best, whose costume will be of metal cloth trimmed with pale blue and opalescent beads, and Miss Helen Best, who will wear a quaint little frock of blue satin trimmed with silver-embroidered tulle.

The ball committee is under the leadership of Mr. John Monaghan, who has worked unceasingly to insure its success. Others on the executive committee are Mr. Frank A. Mulherin, president of the club; Mr. John F. Costello, Mr. George J. Kane, Jr., and Mr. John B. Kane, as secretaries; and Mr. Gerald Dougherty, the treasurer; Mr. Nicholas Albrecht, Mr. James V. Bradley, Mr. M. A. Casey, Mr. J. Alfred Clark, Mr. Emanuel N. Clinton, Mr. James F. Herron, Mr. I. J. Horstmann, Mr. P. J. Lawler, Mr. John J. Coyle, Mr. William Meenahan, Mr. John E. Mulherin, Mr. John A. Murphy, Michael F. McCullough, Esq., Mr. John H. O'Gorman, Mr. George P. Phillips, Daniel J. Shern, Esq., Mr. John F. Skelly, Mr. Joseph C. Trainer and Mr. Daniel Wade.

"WHAT'S DOING TONIGHT?"

South Philadelphia Sunday Schools' patriotic rally, Evangelical Presbyterian Church, Eighteenth and Tasker streets. Speakers. Free.

West Philadelphia Business Men's Association meets, 4922 Baltimore avenue, 8 o'clock. Members.

Philomusian Club, operatic recital by Henri Scott, program of the "Works of American Composers," 8 o'clock. Members.

Ceramic League monthly meeting, lecture by A. P. Cobden, "A First Painting," 8:15 o'clock. Members.

Meeting of Finance Workers, Business Women's Christian League, 7 o'clock. Free.

Meeting of the Tioga Business Men's Association, 3543 Germantown avenue, 8 o'clock. Members.

Military charity ball by employes of the Frankford Arsenal, Moose Hall. Proceeds for University of Pennsylvania Base Hospital No. 20. Admission charge.

Graduation exercises, Kensington High School for Girls, Cumberland and Amber streets, 8 o'clock. Free.

The Dickens Fellowship, meeting and buffet, Hotel Adelphia, 8:15 o'clock. Members.

Annual banquet of the East Germantown Improvement Association. Members.

Fifth annual reunion, North Kensington Business Men's Association, Textile Hall, Kensington avenue and Cumberland street, 8 o'clock. Members, families and friends.

Lecture by Dr. Edwin F. Northrup, of the Palmer Physical Laboratory, Princeton University, "Application of Oscillatory Currents to Heating and Electric Furnace Practice." Franklin Institute, 8 o'clock. Free.

University Extension Society, lecture by Dr. Theodore F. Herman, "The Making of a Nation: Russia." Association Hall, Germantown. Admission charge.

St. Nicholas Nursery has a jumble sale, 1206 Chestnut street. Free.

Military Charity Ball, Moose Hall, 1314 North Broad street. Admission charge.

Alumni of Central High School has annual reunion, City Club, 313 South Broad street. Members.

Annual Banquet Associated Artists of Philadelphia, 1930 Sansom street. Members.

DANCING CLASS IN LANSDOWNE

About Fifty Members of Younger Set Met at Twentieth Century Club Last Saturday

A dancing class has been organized out in Lansdowne, which includes about fifty members of the younger set. Mrs. Alfred C. Balch has charge of it, and the other women who are acting as patronesses are Mrs. Charles A. Wilcox, Mrs. Howard W. Read, Mrs. Robert W. Gick and Mrs. John T. Krall. The class had its first meeting at the Twentieth Century Club last Saturday evening. There are to be five meetings, and at the end there will be a large dance, to which the members may bring their friends.

A dance will be held at the Twentieth Century Club on Saturday evening by the Delta Gamma Delta Sorority of the Lansdown High School. Miss Nettie Groer is chairman of the committee which has the arrangements in charge, and the other members of this committee are Miss Mary D. Ingram, Miss Anna Crawford, Miss Emma Galbraith and Miss Kathryn Milliken.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Carey, Jr., entertained some of their friends at bridge at their home on Saturday evening. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Louis L. Gerstenberger, Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Wilkie, Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. James Temple Butler and Mr. Chester P. Galleher.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Hays gave a small dinner party at their home on Saturday evening. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Plummer and Mr. and Mrs. D. Webster Bell, of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. Burton Etherington, of Germantown.

A very successful charity tea was held at the Devonshire on Saturday afternoon. It was given by the Girls' Guild of the Episcopal Church for the benefit of St. Andrew's School, in the mountains of Tennessee. Mrs. Crosswell McBee and Mrs. Frederick A. Mason poured tea and chocolate, which were served to the guests by the girls belonging to the guild. These include Miss Dorothy McEwen, the president; Miss Roberta Crawford, Miss Dorothy Edwards, Miss Gertrude Edwards, Miss Marian Mishler, Miss Olive Mason, Miss Sue Suddards, Miss Florence Conway, Miss Alice Statzell and Mrs. George Hooper. Cakes, candies and jellies were also sold at the affair.

A most interesting lecture was given in the auditorium of the Lansdowne High School building by Dr. Warwick James Price on Friday evening. It was given under the auspices of the College Club. Doctor Price's subject was "The War in 1918."

A delightful meeting of the junior section of the Twentieth Century Club was held at the Devonshire on Thursday afternoon. Three new members were elected—Miss Emma Love, Miss Helen Adler and Miss Marceline Myers. Mrs. Edward McGinley talked to the girls on what books they should read, and interested them in five of the best of the modern novelists—William Dean Howells, Henry James, Thomas Hardy, George Meredith and Joseph Conrad.

Mrs. Robert Downing Taylor entertained the knitting club of which she is a member at her home on Friday afternoon.

The social committee of St. John's Episcopal Church met at Mrs. James Temple Butler's home on Friday afternoon. Among those present were Mrs. Crosswell McBee, Mrs. Charles Shurtleff, Mrs. Owen Brooke Evans, Mrs. F. J. Bush, Mrs. Milliken, Mrs. Philip F. Jaisohn, Mrs. Clifford Parkinson, Mrs. R. Hall Andersen, Mrs. James B. Rucker, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Emily Martin, Mrs. Horace P. Dormon and Mrs. William Baxter.

The Woman's Guild of the Episcopal Church will give a musical tea at the parish house on Monday afternoon. Among those who will furnish the entertainment are Miss Frances Shreiner, Mrs. W. B. Ward and Mrs. Wharton.

A very successful card party was given on Friday evening at St. Philomena's School Hall. It was for the benefit of the free wood fund of St. Philomena's Red Cross branch, and Mrs. Thomas M. Fitzgerald had charge of the affair. There were about 300 people there.

Mr. Thomas A. Bradley, Jr., was home over the week-end. He is stationed at one of the camps.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Pennock have received word that their son, Mr. Charles Pennock, has arrived safely in France. He is with the Friends' Reconstruction Unit.

Mr. Clinton Wunderlich, who is at present in camp, has received a first lieutenant's commission.

Mrs. Oscar S. Kimberly has been visiting for a short time in New York.

Mrs. Harlan P. Statzell returned Friday from a visit to New York.

Miss Mabel Phillips has been spending some time at Atlantic City.

Miss M. Louise Van Zandt spent the week-end at Atlantic City.

Mr. Thomas M. Fitzgerald expects to leave for Pinehurst, N. C., next Tuesday. He will spend a month there.

The regular monthly meeting of the Americanization Federation of Lansdowne was held at the home of Mrs. Charles S. Musser on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee J. Eastman are being congratulated upon the birth of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard B. Bates are being congratulated upon the birth of a son.

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 only 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, 600 Chestnut street.

MISS ETHEL MARIE ZELLER

TEA GIVEN IN CAMDEN YESTERDAY

President of Graduating Class Gave Party at Home for Schoolmates on Monday

A tea was held at the home of Mrs. William Deckman, of 123 Parker avenue, Woodlynne, yesterday afternoon. The affair was well attended and a musical program was given.

Miss Dorothy Kerns, of 1309 Park Boulevard, president of the February graduates of the Jesse W. Starr Grammar School, gave a class party on Monday evening at her home, at which all eighteen members of the class were present. The evening was pleasantly spent in music and games, and refreshments were served later.

Miss Florence Shields was married to Mr. William M. Forbes, of Norfolk, Va., last Saturday evening at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Daniel N. Cooper, 1127 South Eighth street. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. George E. Morris, pastor of Kaighn Avenue Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Albright, of Gloucester, were entertained on Monday by Mr. and Mrs. Stevens, of Park avenue, Collingswood.

An excellent concert was given last night by the Merchantville Musical Club, at Collins Hall, Merchantville, for the benefit of the local three units of the Red Cross society. Many people of the town attended. Artists connected with the Victor Talking Machine Company gave several numbers at the affair.

The Worth More Club, of Merchantville, was entertained by Miss H. Rudderow, of Cove road, last evening.

Doctor Milford, of Korea, delivered an interesting address before a meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church of Camden yesterday afternoon. A "cup social" followed.

Mrs. Benjamin Adams, of Fourth and Vine streets, is entertaining Miss Iona Adams, of Ocean City.

Miss Mary Campbell Parsons, of 307 North Sixth street, is visiting relatives in New York for a few days.

Mrs. Winfield S. Schermerhorn, of 314 North Fourth street, entertained the Shakespeare Club at her home last week.

MISS EVA LEVINSON
MISS ANNA KIVITZ
MISS CLARA KIVITZ
Three members of committee in charge of charity dance to be given at Mercantile Hall next Wednesday evening by the "Friends of the Uptown Home for the Aged."

DANCE IN RIDLEY PARK

Subscription Parties Given Every Other Saturday in Auditorium Are Always Well Attended—Activities of Delaware County

A SUBSCRIPTION dance will be held in the Ridley Park Auditorium on Saturday evening, February 16. One of these affairs is given every other week, and they are always largely attended by the younger set out there. Mrs. Charles G. Hetzel has charge of them.

The last dance was given on Saturday evening, February 2. There were quite a number of men in uniform present, and also guests from Philadelphia, Norwood, Ridley Park, Sharon Hill and Chester. During the evening there was a novelty dance, when each person was presented with a useful favor.

Among those present were Miss Sarah Grant, Miss Frances Quinn, Miss Ruth Matthias, Miss Jeannette Hays, Miss Florence Bottomly, Miss Ethel Claire, Miss Anna Maude Balsley, Miss Helen E. Atherholt, Miss Helen Hays, Miss Margaret White, Miss Ethel White, Miss Reba Crawford, Miss Helen Bickley, Miss Margaret Gibb, Miss Rex Leeds, Miss Dorothy Brandt, Miss Eunice Cummins, Miss Eloise Hollis, Miss Beatrice Brower, Miss Ethel Williams, Miss Rita Wolfe, Miss Naomi McHenry, Miss Marie Huston, Miss Mildred Rhoads, Miss Corinne Andrews, Miss Marjorie Poole, Miss Margaret Black, Miss Mildred Lanney, Mr. Thomas Gibson, Jr., Mr. Howard Chandler, Mr. Courtland Hamm, Mr. Charles Matthias, Mr. Smedley Ward, Mr. R. C. Williams, Mr. W. G. Rinkenbach, Mr. John Walters, Mr. Edward Clyde, Mr. Robert Howarth, Mr. Edward Collier, Mr. Park Culbet, M. Harry Baxter, Mr. Charles Taylor, Mr. Lee Deardorth, Mr. Julius Courtney, Mr. Frederick Dixon, Jr., Mr. Earl Riddle, Mr. Wallace Catanach, Mr. Edward Thompson, Mr. Miller, Mr. Maynard Poole, Mr. Frank Michell, Mr. Solomon F. Fox, Mr. Richard B. Merchant, Mr. O. G. Smith, Mr. Cecil Copeland, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Louis McLean, Mr. James Hurtt, Mr. Frederick Chestnut, Mr. H. P. Whittington, Mr. Franklin Thompson, Lieutenant Robert Stauffer, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Collier, Mrs. Joseph McHenry, Mrs. R. J. Hays, Mrs. E. R. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hetzel.

The Barnstormers will hold their club night in the Ridley Park Auditorium tomorrow evening. A splendid entertainment is being planned.

On Monday evening, a concert was given in the new school building, for the benefit of the Ridley Park branch of the Red Cross.

A shortage of coal prevented the members of the Woman's Club out there from having their regular service day at the Service House on Tuesday, and the club meeting in the afternoon was also postponed.

Mr. Edward Collier was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Collier over the week-end.

Lieutenant Roger Haydock, son of Mr. Thomas O. Haydock, Jr., was home on furlough over the week-end.

Mr. Courtland Hamm, who is in camp, also spent the week-end at his home in Ridley Park.

Mr. Henry Michell is now in France with the Engineer Corps.

The Rev. Frederick Limerick has returned to Ridley Park, after an absence of about three months. During that time he was engaged in Y. M. C. A. work at one of our camps.

Mrs. John H. Pomeroy has been entertaining friends from Boston, Mass.

So many serious things are occupying the minds of women nowadays that perhaps they feel more than ever the need for relaxation now and then. In several towns this has very pleasantly taken the form of choral societies, which have lately been formed in connection with the women's clubs in those towns. The members are bound to get a great deal of enjoyment out of these choruses, for somehow singing can make anybody happy. The Woman's Chorus of the Twentieth Century Club, of Lansdowne, has had several meetings. It is under the direction of Mr. Henry Hotz, and is held every Monday afternoon at the clubhouse. Mrs. William A. McEwan is president of the chorus; Mrs. Theodore Evans is secretary and treasurer, and Mrs. W. B. Ward is librarian. A concert is being planned, and it will be given at the club some time in April.

The Women of Drexel Hill have also organized a chorus, with Mrs. E. S. Foljambe as president; Mrs. Louis G. Wilson as secretary and treasurer, and Miss Corinne Hafer as librarian. This chorus is under the direction of Miss Martha C. Barry and will hold its meetings every Friday afternoon at Mrs. Foljambe's home. It will meet tomorrow, for the first time. These women will also give a concert in the latter part of April, the proceeds of which are to be devoted to the free wool fund of the Drexel Hill Red Cross branch.

The Woman's Club of Ridley Park has a melody chapter, with Mrs. Edwin Fenn at its head. In Swarthmore, there is also a woman's chorus, of which Mrs. Harlan Updegraff has charge. Miss Martha C. Barry teaches this class also.

The members of the New Century Club of Chester were entertained at their meeting on Tuesday afternoon by an operatic costume recital, in charge of Mrs. Albert Dutton McDade, chairman of the music committee. A performance of "Madame Butterfly," which was given several weeks ago in Norwood, by the Junior Section of the club here, was repeated by Mrs. Jennie Kneedler Johnson, lyric soprano; Miss Mildred Moore, Johnson, pianist, and Miss Elizabeth May Roberts, reader.

The Junior Section of the Norwood Woman's Club, of which Mrs. William C. Huston is chairman, has very cordially invited the Juniors of the various clubs in Delaware County to attend a reciprocity day, on Wednesday afternoon, February 20. Each club is asked to furnish one number for a program which is sure to be attractive.

A patriotic entertainment, under the direction of Mr. James McDowell and Mr. H. Wadlow, will be given in the Brookline Fire Hall on Saturday evening, February 23.

The Llanerch Woman's Club held an interesting meeting yesterday afternoon. The program was furnished by Mrs. Walter S. King, Mrs. Keating and Mrs. Caroline D. Littlefield. Mrs. Percival Johnson and Mrs. W. L. Garland were at the tea table.

A musicale and dance will be given in the Brookline Hall, Friday evening, February 15, under the direction of Miss Nellie Shortland. It will be for the benefit of the Oakmont Red Cross branch.

The second annual meeting of the Delaware County Older Boys' and Girls' Conference was held at the Methodist Church in Lansdowne on Saturday. Interesting addresses were made, and discussions of various activities were held. A banquet was given for those who attended the conference, at 5:45 o'clock in the Twentieth Century Club. Following that, an address was made at the Methodist Church by Mr P. G. Orwig, who is State secondary superintendent. He discussed the problems of the present day. Delegates of all church denominations were present. The officers of the conference are Mr. Frederick A. Bonsall, of Lansdowne, president; Mr. Lloyd McAllister, of Media, vice president; and the Rev. E. H. Bonsall, Jr., of Clifton Heights, mentor.

Mrs. A. E. Maltby, of Lansdowne, and Mrs. R. W. Atmore, of Drexel Hill, are at the Traymore, at Atlantic City. They expect to remain there until Easter.

Le Bon Temps Club to Have Pageant of Allied Nations

The annual frolic of Le Bon Temps, an organization composed of graduates of La Salle and St. Joseph's Colleges, will take place tomorrow evening at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel. The proceeds of the affair will be devoted to the Knights of Columbus War Fund.

Prominent among the novelties will be a grand pageant of the Allied Nations. Miss Marguerite McCloskey will take the role of Italy; Miss Helen Hare, one of the stars in the recent St. Francis show, will be Belgium; Rumania will have Miss Helen Dooner Moore as a representative; the Oriental allies, Japan and China, will be pictured respectively by Miss Eleanor O'Loughlin and Miss Elizabeth Smart; France will be represented by Miss Margaret Maguire; Serbia by Miss Marie Greenfield, and England by Miss Margaret Ragan. The part of America will be taken by Miss Frances Lodge, who at the finale of the pageant will sing the "Star-Spangled Banner." The dancing of the Allied group has been coached by Mr. Daniel Hogan, the old Mask and Wig favorite. The musical end of the program will be conducted by Mr. Leopold Sayre. Another feature of the ball will be the exhibitions of Russian and Spanish ballet dancing by Miss Elizabeth Walsh and Miss Marie Carrigan.

Among the patronesses are Mrs. J. Washington Logue, Mrs. Herbert Northrop, Mrs. William V. Lynch, Mrs. Frank Drueding, Mrs. John J. O'Reilly, Mrs. Michael F. Hanson and Mrs. James Mundy.

The Stanley — MARKET STREET ABOVE 16TH — 11:15 A. M. TO 11:15 P. M.
THIS WEEK A GOLDWYN PICTURE FIRST PRESENTATION OF MABEL NORMAND in "DODGING A MILLION" NEXT WEEK—MAIDE KENNEDY in "OUR LITTLE WIFE"

PALACE 1214 MARKET STREET 10 A. M. TO 11:15 P. M. ARTCRAFT Presents WM. S. HART "THE RAIL" Added—First Showing of Mack Sennett's—"HIS HIDDEN PURPOSE"

ARCADIA CHESTNUT BEL. 16TH 10:15 A. M., 12, 2, 3:45, 5:45, 7:45, 9:30 P. M. PAULINE FREDERICK In Paramount Picture "Madame Jealousy" Next Week—Elsie Ferguson in "Songs of Songs" Added Attraction—BENJAMIN CHAPIN in "THE SON OF DEMOCRACY" First of a series of ten episodes, each complete in itself, and each telling a dramatic chapter in the life of Abraham Lincoln.

VICTORIA MARKET Above 9TH LAST 3 DAYS WM. FOX Presents GEORGE WALSH In First Showing of "Jack Spurlock—Prodigal" Next Week Wm. Farnum in Les Miserables

REGENT MARKET BEL. 17TH EDITH STOREY METRO PRESENTS in "EYES OF MYSTERY"

GLOBE THEATRE MARKET STREET AT JUNIPER VAUDEVILLE CONTINUOUS 11 A. M. to 11 P. M. MUSICAL COMEDY "HILDA'S ANKLE" "INSPIRATION" TED REILLY JIM MANNING

CROSS KEYS MARKET BEL. 60TH Daily, 2:15; Eve., 7 & 9 THE RISING GENERATION

BROADWAY Broad and Snyder Ave. DAILY—NIGHTLY Most Spectacular Melodrama Ever Staged "ON THE HIGH SEAS" THEDA BARA in "ROSE OF BLOOD" NEXT WEEK—ANNIVERSARY WEEK "THE BIRTH OF A NATION"

CHESTNUT STREET OPERA HOUSE NEAR 11TH DIRECTION MESSRS. SHUBERT LAST 14 TIMES $1 MAT. TOMOR. PASSING SHOW OF 1917

ADELPHI EVENINGS AT 8:20 Mats. Today & Sat. at 2:20 JOHN MARGARET DREW—ILLINGTON IN SIR ARTHUR WING PINERO'S GREATEST COMEDY "THE GAY LORD QUEX"

LYRIC EVENINGS AT 8:15 Matinee Saturday at 2:15 WILLIAM HODGE In His Greatest Success A Cure for Curables

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE JULIAN ELTINGE Greatest Impersonator of Feminine Types. WM. GAXTON in "KISSES" DEIRO; VADIE & GYGI; EDDIE DOWLING; Others Next Week—Valeska Suratt & Co.

BOSTON SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA DR. KARL MUCK, Conductor — ACADEMY OF MUSIC MONDAY EVG., FEB. 11, at 8:15 SOLOIST Winifred CHRISTIE Tickets at Heppe's, Amphitheatre 25c

JOINT RECITAL FEBRUARY 8, 8 P. M. Musical Fund Hall, 808 Locust St. DOMENICO BOVE Violinist — CLIFFORD VAUGHAN Pianist Tickets 50c and 75c—1326 Arch St.

STRAND Germantown Ave. at Venango. Herbert Amusement Company Herbert Effinger, President. MARY PICKFORD In First North Phila. Showing "STELLA MARIS"

Trocadero GROWN-UP BABIES and ORA ENTAL

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BROAD Last 3 Evgs. LAST MAT. SATURDAY GEORGE ARLISS As Alexander Hamilton, First Secretary of the Treasury, in the New Play "HAMILTON" NEXT MON. MAT.—SEATS TODAY ROBERT EDESON In the Most Remarkable Play of the Century LOVE FORBIDDEN Seven Months' Run in Paris Best Seats $1 at Pop. Mats. Mon. and Wed.

GARRICK NIGHTS AT 8:15 MATS. TOMORROW & SAT. BEST SEATS $1.50 Matinee Tomorrow OLIVER MOROSCO'S LAUGH SUCCESS UPSTAIRS AND DOWN With a Typical Morosco Cast and, Oh! That Baby Vampire! "It's a tough Winter with its wheatless, meatless and heatless days, and such a diversion as 'Upstairs and Down' is doubly welcome."—PRESS.

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NIXON 52D & MARKET 2:15, 7 and 9 — MAURICE FREEMAN CO. "No Children Allowed" WM. S. HART "A COLD DECK"

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