# JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

## New Rummage Sale Appears on the Horizon-Ingenious Device of Would-Have-Been-Deb for Proper Footgear-Other Things

WOULD you believe it possible that in ! the homes of the rich and prosperous, yea, in the homes of the poor and proud, even in the homes of those who are not proud, but humble, there are left any things that could be used for a rummage sale? Would you? Well, there are or there must be, for hasn't another group of women planned to hold another i m mage sale, Jumble Inn or White Elephant sale, whatever you may choose to call it? And haven't they decided to have it on March 19, 29 and 21 at 1024 Chestnut Well, they have, and this time it's to be for for St. Edmond's Home for Crippled Children. Have you ever been out there, by the way? It's at Fortyfourth street and Haverford avenue, and the good sisters of the Bon Secours are in charge of the home. They have thirty-five little boys and girls there and it would make your heart ache to see those blessed bables. One little fellow can sit up in bed or lie down now and then, but night and day he has attached to his tiny leg a great weight. But he smiles at you as if nothing hurts him and he "shoots wooden soldiers" and "kisses" his hand to you with all the delight in the world.

One wee mite with a terrible hump on her little back was enthroned on the one knee of a sturdy looking boy of ten. He had been run over and the other leg was gone; but he helped "Sister" take care of the tiny ones, and so he lifted the little deformed one and shared his picture book with her.

I stopped in one day when they were all playing in the big room which is set aside for that purpose and "Sister" asked them to sing for me. There were about twenty children in the room and they were all busily playing, but at her word they stood up and sang away as if their little lives pended on it; cute little darky songs and one or two little ragtime melodies.

And it's for these dear little children that the women's auxiliary of the home will hold the rummage sale. Mrs. James Mundy, that splendid organizer, is president of the board, and the vice presidents are Mrs. J. Sheahan and Miss Katherine Raleigh. Miss Adele Tack is recording secretary, Miss Agnes Levis corresponding secretary and Mrs. L. A. Hickley treasurer. Others on the board include Miss Florence Sibley, Mrs. Ashton Devereux, Mrs. I. J. Dohan, Mrs. Thomas P. Hunter, Miss Matilda Jenkins, Mrs. Anthony Hirst, Mrs. James Bonner, Mrs. A. N. Burke, Mrs. John Coyle, Mrs. John P. Connelly, Mrs. Joseph Gallagher, Miss Phelan, Mrs. James P. Mc-Nichol, Mrs. Stanley Smith, Mrs. William B. Watson, Mrs. H. G. Vetterlein, Mrs. J J. Wills and Mrs. Murtha P. Quinn.

IN THESE days of economy, the little deb-that-would-have-been of whom I speak was trying hard to carry out the conserving plans in all things. So she wore low shoes and high pearl gray gatters for best and used last year's high walking shoes, resoled, for every day,

One evening a fortnight ago she had been to headquarters studying "first aid" and so forth and it had taken nearly two ours to reach her home afterward, due to the fact that the cars were held up by the snow." When He, who was taking her home, finally delivered her at her door she was so tired and exhausted that she did not look at the gaiters as she pulled them off before tumbling into bed.

Next morning about half after 9 o'clock the phone rang and it was her father, who called from his office, "My dear, Mr. -'s Laughter is passing through the city today and I have told him you would entertain her at luncheon at the Union League," said he, "and I've asked Mrs. - to chaperon you." "Very well, Dad," replied daughter, glad enough of a lunch "on father."

Then she arose and prepared to make herself look her best, when lo and behold! the gaiters were found to be black with mud. What to do? Even were she willing to break through her economical regime, it was "heatless" Monday and she could not buy net, ones for love or money. So, my dears, that resourceful young woman proceeded to wash those spats, lighted the oven of the gas range in the apartments and, placing the gaiters therein, she dried them to a nicety. "I had to baste them often," said she, when telling me the tale, "for fear they would burn." And, if you'll believe me, I never saw neater looking spats than that selfsame young woman had about her slim wee ankles, and they were the ones, she told me.

· NANCY WYNNE.

#### Social Activities Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tilghman are

celving congratulations on the birth of a son on Monday, February 18, in Augusta, Ga, Mrs. Tilghman will be remembered as Miss Mary Eleanor Bohlen.

Mrs. B. Dobson Altemus is spending the week-end at Atlantic City.

Mrs. William J. Clothler is visiting in Phoenixville for the week-end.

A card party for the benefit of the Misericordia Hospital will be given by the Junior Auxiliary this afternoon at the Rittenhouse Hotel. Twenty-second and Chestnut streets. The hostesses will be Miss Catherine Scannell and Miss Margaret Coyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Foley, of Langhome, have taken apartments at the Coro-nado for the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Foley are spending the holidays at Atlantic City.

Miss Margaret Bannon, of Langhorne, spending several days with Miss Genevieve Harrison, of 4626 Walnut street. The en-gagement of Miss Bannon and Mr. Charles Harrison was recently announced.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll J. Rogers, formerly of Bals, have taken apartments in the Sat terlee at 4504 Chestnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vannerman have re-turned to their home in Cynwyd after spend-ing several days at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Congdon have returned from their wedding trip and are spending a short time with Mrs. Congdon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Loughran, of North Broad street. Mr. and Mrs. Congdon will live in New York.

A regular meeting of the Woman's Club of Wyncote was held on Wednesday at 3 clock The president, Mrs. Frederick M. Campbell, presided. Mr. Charles E. Beury mrs. in massessian talk for the club. His

War, Revolution and Famine." Mr. Beury accompanied Dr. William T. Ellis in his recent trip through these countries. The lecturer acheduled for the afternoon, Captain Felix McClellen, was unable to be there. The next meeting will be on Wednesday, March 6, at 2:30 o'clock, when Mr. Warwick James Price will lecture on "Current Events."

The Needlework Guild of Wyncote met on Thursday at the residence of Mrs. H. E. De Puy in Jenkintown.

Mrs. J. S. Dewald, of 2718 North Thirteenth street, entertained her 560 Club on Tuesday at Wimley's. The members were Mrs. G. Weisbrod, Mrs. A. Seefling, Mrs. C. Seider, Mrs. L. Krutzer, Mrs. Mary Smith, Mrs. H. Godthorp, Mrs. C. E. Firth, Mrs. G. R. Combs, Mrs. W. F. Brennen, Mrs. F. Litchfield, Mrs. P. Harbach and Mrs. Dewald.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Irick, of Weatton, Bryn Mawr, hre at the Hotel St. Charles, Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert G. Metts, of Oak-mont, gave a dinner-dance on Wednesday evening. Their guests included Dr. and Mrs. A. J. McCarubridge, Mr. and Mrs. #Homer C. Beiford, Miss Irene Stanford, Mr. Thompson Tomlin, Mr. Thomas Culhane and Mr. Albert G. Metts, Jr.

#### WILL GIVE COMEDY IN AID OF WOOL FUND

Comfort Knitting Class, of Wissahickon, to Be Helped by Play Directed by U. S. Marine

Under the auspices of the Comfort Knitting Class of Wissahickon, the two-act comedy, "The Burglar's Christmas," by Marion Whalley Cole, will be presented on Tuesday evening, March 5, at Woodvale, the clubhouse of the American Bridge Company's club. The play will be directed by Mr. Harry March, of the United States Marine Corps, and the Philadelphia Navy Yard band will furnish the music. The affair is given in aid of the wool fund of the clues, which has sent to the soldiers and sallors 357 aweaters, 140 pairs of wristlets, seventy-two pairs of socks, eighty-four helmets, eight trench caps and two scarfs-673 garments in all.

These splendid knitters completely outfitted the crew of a submarine at one week's

Mrs. Frank Kenworthy, chairman of the class; Miss Ada Thomas, secretary and treasurer, and the following members will net as patronesses: Mrs. Walter Acuff, Miss Lillian Allison, Miss Jessie Allison, Miss Lulu Anderson, Miss Grace Bagley, Mrs. W. Bagley, Mrs. Martha Balley, Miss Lavinia. Hass. \*Miss Ada Beaver, Mrs. Louis Bicking, Miss Lydia Binckley, Miss John Bongaardt, Mrs. William Boon, Mrs. W. Brooks, Miss Minnie Brooks, Miss Lillian Brown, Miss Minnie Brooks, Miss Lillian Brown, Miss Burk, Mrs. George Camp, Miss Alice Carr, Miss Marian Carr, Mrs. Robert Carr, Miss Ethel Chappell, Mrs. Louis Clayton, Miss Gladys Condon, Mrs. Cex, Miss Dorothy ct as patronessea: Mrs. Walter Acuff. Miss. Miss Ethel Chappell, Mrs. Louis Clayton.
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Mrs. James Ellis, Miss Emma W. Evans,
Miss Sara Fairhurst, Mrs. John Fairhurst,
Mrs. W. Ferguson, Mrs. Sarah Fisher, Mrs.
Sarah Foyle, Miss Alice Fairhurst, Mrs.
James Fairhurst, Miss Anna Feiton, Miss
Bessie Felton, Miss Anna Fox, Mrs. Franks,
Mrs. Garrett, Mrs. Rose Genne, Miss Elizabeth Goad, Miss Eva Goodycar, Mrs. Gilliard, Mrs. Mary A. Graham, Mrs. Frank beth Goad, Miss Eva Goodycar, Mrs. Gililard, Mrs. Mary A. Graham, Mrs. Frank
Gray Miss Mildred Hackett, Miss Rachel
Hackett, Miss Harris, Mrs. John C. Healy,
Mrs. Stanley C. Hellerman, Mrs. H. Hendri,
Mrs. Hess, Mrs. Highley, Miss Ethel Hodson,
Mrs. Chester Hopkins, Miss Ethel Hodson,
Mrs. Emma Howarth,
Miss Ethel Hobson, Mrs. Emma Howarth,
Miss Ethel Hobson, Mrs. Emma Howarth,
Miss Edna Huebner, Mrs. Peter Hummel,
Miss Virginia R. James, Mrs. William
James, Mrs. Webb Jones, Miss Edith Johnson, Miss Leona Johnson, Miss Helen Jones,
Miss Irene Kavash, Miss Helen Kenwörthy,
Miss Märtha L. Kenworthy, Mrs. H. Ken-Miss Irene Kavash, Miss Helen Konworthy, Miss Martha L. Kenworthy, Mrs. H. Kenworthy, Mrs. H. Kenworthy, Mrs. George Kerber, Mrs. Anins Kirkner, Mrs. Joseph Kippax, Mrs. E. Levering, Mrs. Leldy, Miss Margaret Lewis, Mrs. Mary W. Lindsay, Miss Mary J. Lord, Miss Marian Lyle, Mrs. W. Lyle, Mrs. John McCabe, Mrs. W. McNally, Mrs. Meixell, Mrs. A. H. Mehler, Mrs. William Montgomery, Miss M. Irene Moyer, Miss Maude Mutchler, Miss Irene Nelson, Mrs. Oberboltze, Miss M. Irene Moyer, Miss Maude Mutch-ler, Miss Irene Nelson, Mrs. Oberholtzer, Mrs. Pearson, Miss Dorothy Perry, Miss Car-oline Peterman, Mrs. John Platt, Miss Fannie Price, Mrs. John Bamsey, Mrs. George Ram-sey, Mrs. John Root, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. R. Roberts, Mrs. R. Robinson, Miss Pauline Rebinson, Miss Alice Robinson, Mrs. Rod-gers, Mrs. Albert Rommel, Miss Florence Russell, Miss Elsie Russell, Mrs. M. Rudatt, Miss Ruth Sayer, Miss Hida Schrader, Miss Miss Ruth Sayer, Miss Hida Schrader, Miss

Miss Ruth Sayer, Miss Hilda Schrader, Miss Freda Schrader, Mrs. Hilda Schrader, Miss Freda Schofield, Mrs. Shopp, Mrs. E. Shur, Mrs. James Slater, Miss Hilda Smith, Miss C. Blanche Snyder, Miss Bertha Snodgrass, Mrs. Snodgrass, Mrs. Kenneth Snyder, Miss Jessie Summers, Miss Irene Spepcer, Mrs. Ada Spinks, Miss Clara Springer, Miss Clara Stinaman, Mrs. James Spotford, Mrs. Fred Stott, Mrs. Stratton, Mrs. Clara Street, Mrs. John Struse, Mrs. Swartz, Miss Anna Sutcliffe, Mrs. R. W. Taylor, Mrs. John Taylor, Miss Jean Taylor Miss Anna Thomas, Miss Dorothy Thomas, Miss Helen Thomas, Miss Emily Tibbet, Mrs. W. Tibbet, Mrs. Trotter, Mrs. E. Tucker, Miss Emma Wardle Mrs. Herman Hagenbucher, Mrs. Anna Wein, Mrs. Charles Whiteman, Mrs. E. White, Mrs. Edythe Wilson, Miss Ada Winterbottom, Miss Sarah Wood, Miss Sarah Wooler, Miss Eyelyn Wragg, Mrs. Yeager and Mrs. Charles Young. Stinaman, Mrs. James Spotford, Mrs. F.

Charles Young.

The members of the Fourth Reformed Church gave their annual Colonial tes last evening in the social hall of the church. The marriage of Miss Esther M. Dorwart. The marriage of Miss Esther M. Dorwart, daughter of ex-Councilman George E. Dorwart and Mrs. Dorwart, of 6222 Ridge avenue, to Mr. John H. Robinson of 5443 Ridge avenue, will take place on Saturday afternoon, March 9, at the home of her parents and will be followed by a dinner for the two families. Mr. Robinson is in the Survey Department of Philadelphia.

Miss Mary C. Lyster, of Manayunk ave-nue, Roxborough, has gone abroad with one of the base hospitals. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lever, of Green lane and Pechin street, and her brother and sis-ter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kenworthy, have gone to Florida for several weeks' stay.

Mrs. George Sands, of Monastery avenue, entertained last evening at her home, when her guests included Mrs. Harry Dyson, Mrs. Harry McGon'gal, Mrs. James Haughton, Mrs. Frederick Carbaugh, Miss Elizabeth Schofield, Mrs. Daniel Lentz, Misa Irene wing, Miss Irene R. Schofield, Mrs. Joseph Sykes, Miss Mirjam Leech, Miss Edna Hyde, Mrs. Lee Burgass, Mrs. Lees M. Schadel, Mrs. Ralph Cope, Mrs. Charles Morrison and Mrs. Charles eighofield.

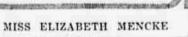
There will be a supper this evening in upper Roxborough, in the Roxborough Presbyterian Church. The hostesses will be Mrs. John R. Ransford, Miss Sara McAllister, Mrs. Z. M. Gibson, Mrs. Thomas Henninger, Mrs. William Steele, Mrs. John Lex, Miss Sarah Miller, Miss Mary Miles, Miss Ida Paulus, Mrs. John Carley, Mrs. Lydia Carley and Mrs. M. E. Schofield. The affair is in ald of the improvement fund of the church. Mrs. George Sands, of Monastery avenue.

Mrs. William Carver, of Barren Hill, gave

Miss Anna Beatty, of 4141 Manayunk ave-nue, was the February histens of the mem-hars of her graduating dam in the Ciris

# MORE MEMBERS OF MRS. DUER'S DANCING CLASS





WAYNE RED CROSS

Old Miel School for Girls Will Be Transformed Into Large Branch of Auxiliary

NEW ROOMS FOR

The regular monthly meeting of the Wayne branch of the American Red Cross was held on Monday, and it was reported that the branch has furned out about ten thousand branch hiss furned out about ten the month-garments and bandages during the month-New clauses in hygiens and firstaid have been formed. As this branch has more than three thousand members new it has outgrown the headquarters, which was the first floor of as apartment house. The workers have taken a large house on Lancaster avenue, Wayne and a member of the executive board has had the place ratined and papered and remodeled to suit the convenience of the Red Cross This house about twenty years ago was the home of the famous "Miel School for Girls" on the Main Line. The moving takes place on Monday.

The first floor of the house will be devoted

to sewing and the garment making; the sec-ond floor, to the gauze and muslin bandages and dressings, and on the third floor is a large rest room and the caretaker's apart-

Mrs. William Henry Brooks is chairman of Mrs. William Henry Brooks is chairman of the Wayne branch, and other members of the executive board are Mrs. C. C. Harrison, Mrs. C. Howard Clark, Mrs. Robert Sayre Brodhead, Mrs. Horace Hobart Hare, Mrs. Archibald Barklie, Mrs. William England, Mrs. Fred R. Embick, Mrs. Louis Jaquette Palmer, Mrs. R. Graffon Wilson, Miss Grace Roberts, Mrs. W. R. Nichols, Mrs. Frederick J. Jiggins, Mrs. W. H. Stone, Mrs. Matthew Randall and Mrs. W. V. Alexander.

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The territory of the Wayne branch extends from Kadnor to Devon, inclusive, and some of the workers are Mrs. Frederick Fraley Hallowell, Miss Nancy Hallowell, Miss Roberta Hallowell, Mrs. John P. Wood, Mrs. E. S. Redfield, Mrs. Galloway G. Morris, Jr., Mrs. J. S. C. Harvey, Mrs. Thomas L. Fansler, Mrs. Philippus W. Miller, Mrs. Langdon Williams, Mrs. Coleman P. Brown, Mrs. William Rabn Whelan, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Coleman P. Brown, Mrs. Arter, Mrs. William Bahn Whelan, Mrs. W. Stroud, Jr., Mrs. William Townsend Wright, Mrs. George Shoemaker, Mrs. Hulme, Mrs. Edward Laurent, Mrs. William Henry Sayer, Mrs. Matthew Randall, Mrs. W. V. Alexander, Mrs. Allen Baer, Mrs. Pierson Conrad, Mrs. William H. Roberts, Jr., Mrs. Erben and numerous others.

Among the guests in Mr. and Mrs. Lewis A. Riley's box at the opera on Tuesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holsman, Mr.

A. Riley's box at the opera on Tuesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Holsman, Mr. and Mrs. Percy C. Madeira and Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel D. Riddle entertained Mrs. Alexander Dolan in their box.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Denison, of Rose ment, returned this week from Atlantic City, where they were staying at the Brighton. Mrs. Robert E. Strawbridge, of Bryn Mawr, gave a dinner at the Kitz-Carlton on Wednes-day evening before the patriotic entertain-ment at Lu Lu Temple. Mrs. Benjamin Chew ment at Lu Lu Temple. Mrs. Benjamin Caew and Miss Bessie Hays were among the guests. Mrs. Strawbridgo will close Woodlawn, her home in Bryn Mawr, early next week and move to Washington, where Mr. Strawbridge a stationed. Mr. Robert E. Strawbridge, Jr.,

Mrs. William Augusta Weldersheim and her infant daughter, of Kaycrest, St. Davids, and Mrs. Thomas Walton and her children, St. Davids, are visiting Mrs of Bonalton, St. Davids, are visiting Are Charles Walton at her cottage in Palm

Beach.

Miss Katharine Ogden, of Radnor, will leave on Monday for Mineral Wells, Tex., accompanied by her aunt and cousin, Mrs. J. D. Jennings and Miss Katherine Jennings, of Pittsburgh. They expect to be gone a

Mrs. Lewis Lillie and Miss Theodora Lillie, of Haverford, left yesterday for San Antonio, Texas.

Mrs. William A. Lieber, of the Hill, Bryn
Mawr, left for New York on Monday to

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Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McKean, of Gincos House Rosemont, have taken an apartment at Fitteenth and Locust streets for the remainder of the winter.

## Golf Season Opens Early This Year at White Sulphur

With the coming of spring weather in the West Virginia Alleghanics the opening of the golf courses has taken place three weeks earlier than in any previous season. The greens are in splendid condition and golfers have been over the course many times this week. Professional matches were featured this week, Mr. Charles Mothersele and Mr. Jack Beilwood playing exhibition matches on the eighteen-hole course. Among Philadelphians who play over the White Sulphurinks and are expected at the Greenbrier this spring for a few weeks' rest from tiring warduties are Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dercum and Miss Dercum, Mr. and Mrs. Rodman Griscom, Mr. and Mrs. Peter W. B. Roberts and Mr. R. Jay Flick.

and Miss Dercum, Mr. and Mrs. Rodman Griscom. Mr. and Mrs. Peter W. B. Roberts and Mr. R. Jay Flick.

Mrs. Joshua Ladd Howell, of Philadelphia, arrived from Palm' Beach with her little granddaughter, Miss "Honey" Willing. Mrs. George Willing, Jr., is on a yachting trip and will join her mother in a fortnight at the Greenbrier. The juvenile ading set at the Greenbrier bids fair to be very large and quite smart this spring. Little Miss Willing, who probably does not tip the scale at more than twenty-five pounds, looks to curning for anything in plains obthes for



MISS ELIZABETH VAN DUSEN

MISS CAROL SMITH

## NOTES OF DELAWARE COUNTY

## Drexel Hill's Large Choral Society at Woman's Club Plans to Give Concert for Red Cross in April

ONE of the most patriotically active of the smaller towns is Dressi Hill. Something is always being given out there for the lied Cross and with the free wool fund there marcelous results have been brought about. A rectail was given on Tuesday afterneon, at the home of Mrs. Edward Solenberger for the benefit of this fund. The program was furnished by Mrs. George W. Douglas, of Lausdowne, who many charmingly, in conturns Mrs. Douglas is most generous with her talent, and is always ready to offer her services to the Red Cross in that way. The affair was in charge of Mrs. J. Lawrence Widmyer and Mrs. Henry S. J. Lawrence Widmyer and Mrs. Henry S.

The Choral Society of the Woman's Club, of Drexel Hill, which was recently organized, has proved a great source of pleasure to all those who joined it. The society is under the direction of Miss Martha Barry, of Philadelphia, and a concert is being planned for the benefit of the free wool fund of the Red Cross branch out there. This affair will take place some time in April place some time in April.

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The members of the society are Mrs. Howard M. Aldred, Miss Mabel Becker, Mrs. John Correy, Mrs. dward C. Fay, Mrs. E. S. Foljambe, Miss Anna Freed, Mrs. J. Schuman Hower, Miss Elizabeth Harrall, Mrs. C. S. Ingersoll, Miss Margaret Kay, Mrs. Alfred H. High, Mrs. Charles S. Osenbach, Mrs. George C. Ryder, Miss Margaret Naylor, Mrs. Lindsey H. Mason, Mrs. Thomas F. Slimmons. George C. Ryder, Miss Margaret Naylor, Mrs. Lindsey H. Mason, Mrs. Thomas F. Simmens, Mrs. Frank J. Reeves, Mrs. W. B. Stamford, Mrs. Edwin D. Solenberger, Mrs. Robert G. Simpsoh, Miss Thompson, Mrs. A. S. Wick-ham, Miss Anne Vlachos, Mrs. J. Lawrence Widnyer, Mrs. W. H. White, Mrs. Charles B. Webb, Miss Corinne Hafer and Mrs. Lewis

The planist is Mrs. Foljambe, and the assistant planist is Mrs. Fign. Ars. Orlands
is also president of the society, Mrs. Wilson
is secretary and treaurer, and Miss Hafer is
librarian. The chorus meets every Friday
afterneon at the home of Mrs. Foljambe.
The Woman's Club of Drexel Hill is plan-

ning to give a subscription card party on Tuesday afternoon, March 5. It will be for the benefit of the club. The arrangements are in charge of Mrs. J. Lawrence Widmyer and Mrs. Henry S. Miller.

The Calemont Tennis Club is going to give a minstrei show in April. This is an annual affair with the club.

Last evening a card party and dance was

given in Aldan, for the benefit of the Red from branch out there. he junior section of the Century Club, of Norwood gave a Colonial dance in the Nor-wood Auditorium on Thursday evening.

An event which will surely be helpful to the spirit of the towns partaking in it is the community night to be held in the Norwood Auditorium on Thursday evening of next week. It will be in charge of Mrs. John H. Colwell, who is civic chairman. An interesting part of the program will be a summary of the work done by the Interborough Branch of the Red Cross. This will be given by Mrs. Robert M. Stulis, branch chairman: Mrs. of the Red Cross. This will be given by Mrs. Robert M. Stults, branch chairman; Mrs.



MRS. RUTHERFORD McALLISTER Mrs. McAllister will be remembered as Miss Marion Coons, daughter of Mrs. Samusl Coons, of 6921 Boyer

ONE of the most particularly active of the consider towns is Presed Hill. Something is always being given out there for the lied Cross and with the free wool fund there marvelous results have been brought about. A recital was given on Tuesday afterneon, at the home of Mrs. Edward Solenberger for the benefit of this fund. The program was forested by Mrs. George W.

The meeting of the Woman's Club in Swarthmore was held at the home of Mrs. Sylvester Garrett on Tuesday afternoon. The program was in charge of the Mothers' Club section, and Mrs. Philip Jatsohn, of Primos, talked most interestingly to the women on the subject of 'Women of Korea.'

The program at the meeting of the New Century Club in Chester on Tuesday afternoon was in charge of Mrs. William D. Randall, chairman of the current events section, A talk on the events of the day was given by Dr. Goorge H. Raiguel.

Miss Virginia Camden, of Llanerch, en-

Miss Virginia Camden, of Llanerch, en-Miss Virginia Camden, or Lianerch, en-tertained the Crochet Club to which she be-longs at her home on Thursday evening, Among those present were Miss Jane Cowan, Miss Derothy E. Welsh, Miss Bertha Short-land, Miss Florence Wilson, Miss Helen Reit-enbourg, Miss Henrietta Ingle and Mrs. Historic Owens. Of course the girls are all knitting now instead of crocheting.

all knitting now instead of crocheting. The Junior branch of the Llanerch Woman's Club met recently at the home of Miss Dor-othy F. Welsh. The girls started at this meeting the knitting to which they have pledged themselves. A dance was given by the juniors during the Christmas holidays,

and the wool was purchased from the pro-ceeds. Another dance for the benefit of the wool fund will be given on Saturday evening. March 7.

The large carnival for the benefit of the ship Red Cross branch, which was to have

been given this month, has been postponed for a short time on account of the coal short-age. The entertainment is under the direc-tion of Mrs. Caroline Littlefield. A subscription dance will be given in the A subscription dance will be given in the Riddey Park Auditorium on Saturday evening. Murch 2. At the last one of these successful affairs among those present were Miss Margaret Hall, Miss Marion Kratz, Miss Dorothy Brandt, Miss Sarah Grant, Miss Mary Horelicad, Miss Rex Leeds, Miss Mary Morelicad, Miss Winifred Sloan, Miss Mary Morehead, Miss Winifred Sloan and many others.

## ROSEN'S STIMULATING ART

Young American Violinist Stellar Feature of Brilliant Philadelphia Orchestra Concert

A resourceful talent in which intellectual A resourceful talent in which intellectual fire is a prime ingredient is that of Max Rosen, who made his debut here at the Philadelphia Orchestra's very stimulating concert in the Academy esterday afternoon. The young American violinist is a product, as Jascha Heifetz is, of the gifted Leopold Auer's expert tutelage.

Comparisons of Rosen's art with that of

the most sensational virtuoso of the season have thus inevitably arisen. Such a method of apprisement is natural enough and yet not precisely fair to either performer. Helfetz is a master of phenomenally sensu-Heifetz is a master of phenomenally sensu-ous tone, a necromancer with supernal musical beauties at his command. His direct appeal is to the senses. Rosen, with, at this writing, a less dazzling technique, evinces an intellectual grasp of his subject matter that is highly invigorating. It is possible that his development may lead him into paths which even Heifetz may not tread. Musical prophecies are dangerous, but from what has been seen and heard here of the two gifted young violinists who have so stirred the American public this year, it can be suggested that their respective arts will become rather complementary than combe suggested that their respective arts will become rather complementary than competitive. Heifetz on his two appearances here offered nothing so pregnant with introspective import as the profound and masterful Brahms concerto in D. which his alleged "rival" gave yesterday. Rosen's playing was of a fervid sincerity that bespoke a personality as earnest as it is subtly magnetic. That he completely won the interest of the large audience was manifest in the warmth of his reception. He was enthusiastically applauded after his dignified and authoritative reading of the thoughtful allegro, after his delicate and refreshingly unsentimental his delicate and refreshingly unsentimental handling of the exquisite adaglo, and after his spirited, yet discreet, interpretation of the vivacious last movement of one of the few violin concertos that are almost sym-phonic in their breadth and grandeur.

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The purely orchestral numbers of Mr. Stokowski's program were keenly enlivening. The "Meistersinger" overture, the sole Wagnerian number of a program that was criginally to have been devoted exclusively to the inspired German who fervently combated Prussian oppression, was zestfully and sparklingly given. The Tachaikowsky Fourth Sympheny, which closed the bill, proved as ever a sense-satisfying revel of sheer melody. The much-admired melancholia of the "Pathetique" colors scarcely a passing mood of this joyous work. Mr. Stokowski read its incline climaxes with inputsive and electrical artes.

THE other day there fell into my hands quite by chance a book called "My Russian and Turkish Journals," written by the Dowager Marchioness of Dufferin, and as I began reading its interesting pages I remembered the beautiful a n d accomplished lady who had presided with such grace over the vice-regal houses at Ottawa and Calcutta, and who everywhere had left such charming remembrances. And I wondered how it is that nowadays we no of that old type, pure

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BEHIND THE SCENES With Rulers and Leaders of Wartime Europe

By THE PRINCESS RADZIWILL

Harriet, Marchioness of Dufferin and Ava

must, perforce, acknowledge that the preceding one had a charm of its own, more likely to be remembered in after years than the bolstrous activity of latterday representatives of the "weaker sex."

THE LADY DUFFERIN Lady Dufferin, with her slightly proud manners and her perfect urbanity and politer, ess. was perhaps too Victorian for present taste; but how beautiful she looked, how perfectly she bore herself and how she always appeared the great lady! Her book is like herself, slightly formal, slightly stiff, but so devoid of mailelousness, and at the same time so thoroughly interesting—a magnificent example of the possibility of writing a fascinating work, in which no shade of a fascinating work, in which no shade of scurribusness appears.

and proud, who are an honor to their sex and to their country. I do not wish to de-preciate the present generation, but one

while I was reading it my thoughts went back to those days on the Bosporus about which she speaks. How well I remember her during that summer, when we used to see each other continually at Constantinople, and especially during that wish to a haren where we met for the first time, and which she describes so vividly. Lady Dufferin was then at the zenith of her beauty. I don't think that I have over seen a prettler woman, and the reputation she had was certainly well deserved in every respect.

Her husband, the carl, afterward Marquis of Dufferin and Aya, was considered one of

of Dufferin and Ava, was considered one of the most brilliant diplomats of his time. In all the positions which he filled, either as vicercy in Canada and in India, or as ambassador in St. Petersburg, Constantinople, Rome and Paris, he had been a success. He had nest accommodating manners, which is more than could be said of some of his successors in Russia, Sir Robert Morier, for instance; and his ready wit, conciliating temper, combined with firmness and dignity, and said his out among his collection. had singled him out armong his colleagues almost from the first days that he had entered upon the diplomatical career. His beautiful wife had certainly contributed to his success, and to this day she is remembered with affectionate gratitude in Petrograd, the life of which toward the end of the last century she narrates so vividly in her book.

THE BOOK .

This book in itself is a valuable contribu-tion to the intimate history of the upper classes at the time it describes. Society has considerably changed since then, and some passages out of it read like the memoirs of St.

# Simon or of the Marquise de Crequi, where we were told of the customs of the French court under the Bourbons. Lady Dufferic, when she writes about the ceremonial in use for the reception of ambassadors and of their wives at the Winter Palace, does not realize that she also writes history; that she consigns to the memory of her readers customs and facts that exist no longer, that are as dead and gone as the Romanoffs. For use who have seen all that, who have taken a part is, that court life which interested her so much when she became acquainted with it, there is a melancholy interest in seeing what others thought about us and how foreigners looked at us during a period of our national existence.

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Her account of the murder of the grandfather of Nicholas II is written with a pen which, in some respects, reminds one of the steel percil of the engraver, so lucidly and clearly does it deal with the personal feelings of the witnesses of the catastrophe. She does not attempt to make what the French call "du style." She simply relates what she has seen and heard, and her story is, on that account, one of the best ever written. One feels that it is true in all its details, that every word of it is sincere, down to the remark, "I cannot tell you what a fearful impression it makes upon one, such cruel, perpression it makes upon one, such cruel, per-

NO POLITICAL DESIRES.

The Turkish journal, also, is interesting, especially by what it does not tell us. It is no secret now that during the time Lord Dufferin was in charge of the English embassy on the banks of the Bosporus many delicate and difficult questions concerning international politics had to be settled. His wife was necessarily, informed as to much that was going or, in the chancery of the balace at Pera, of which she gives us such an amusing description, down to the innumerable flights of stairs its unfortunate.

palace at Pera, of which she gives us such an amusing description, down to the innumerable flights of stairs its unfortunate inhabitants had to climb every day. But not one word capable of being interpreted in the light of an indiscretion escapes her. There is no eagerness to be considered a femme nollidque," no question of any wish on her part to make herself important. She is restful in an age of restlessness.

One will carry away, after having perused the book, an impression of calm and of sincere pleasure, such as very few volumes at the present day leave behind. Since the death of her husband Lady Dufferin has lived more or less in retirement in London or in Ireland, where her oldest daughter, Lady Helen Munro Fergusen, is also settled. Those who have seen her lately, say that she has kept all her good looks, notwith-stading the fact that her hair is quite white, and that she has seriously taken up her duties as a grandmother. The death of her eldest son, the Earl of Ava, who was killed during the Boer War, was for her a blow from which she never recovered. Other family unpleasantnesses connected with money matters also came to darken the closing property of the loss of the property of the money matters also came to darken the clos-ing years of an existence which was so bril-liant at a certain moment, and the loss of her husband was a trial difficult for her to

But all these catastrophes have not embit-But all these catastrophes have not embit-tered her: she has remained the kind, indul-gent and graceful lady she always was, and the serenity of her soul has never been shaken. One of her greatest pleasures is to be with her caughter-in-law, the present Marchioness of Dufferia, an American, who has brought with her to the old home of the Duefferius at Clandeboye all the cheerfulness of her country, together with its practical sense of the realities of life, and who is considered one of the most charming women in English society.

#### SENIOR DANCE IN ASSEMBLY HALL

Graduating Class of Germantown Academy Gives Up Affair at Manheim on Account of War

The senior class of the Germantown Academy held its annual dance last evening in the Assembly Hall of the Germantown Academy. On account of high prices and war conditions, the class decided to have an invitation-subscription affair. Mr. Allan West, president of the class, appointed the following committees: Mr. Rodney M. Beck, general manager; Mr. G. Walker Ketcham, chairman of the decorations, assisted by Mr. Daniel O'Connell, Mr. Rodney Beck, Mr. Robert Williamson, Mr. Miner B. Stearns, Mr. Allan West and Mr. Thomas Vischer; Mr. Robert Williamson, chairman of the refreshments committee, assisted by Mr. Daniel O'Connell, Mr. Allan West and Mr. A. Walker Ketcham. The program committee had Mr. Thomas Vischer The senior class of the Germantown Acad-West and Mr. A. Walker Ketcham. The program committee had Mr. Thomas Vischer for chairman, with Mr. Daniel O'Connell and Mr. Miner Stearns; the music committee, Mr. Daniel O'Connell, chairman; Mr. Rodney Beck and Mr. Robert Williamson, Mr. Miner B. Stearns was chairman of the furnishings committee, assisted by Mr. G. Walker Ketcham, Mr. Daniel O'Connell, Mr. Rodney Beck, Mr. Robert Williamson, Mr. Allan West and Mr. Thomas Vischer. The chairman of the dancing committee was Mr. Rodney Bock, Mr. Robert Williamson, Mr. Allan West and Mr. Thomas Vischer. The chairman of the dancing committee was Mr. Allan West, who was assisted by Mr. Rob-ert Williamson and Mr. Thomas Vischer.

The Automobile Club of Germantown held The Automobile Club of Germantown held a dinner-dance on Wednerday evening in the new ballroom of the club. A number of private dinners were given before the dance, and the floor was crowded. The decorations were in keeping with George Washington's Birthday.

The Westside Presbyterian Church has The Westside Presbyterian Church has a group of Red Cross workers belonging to Auxiliary No. 200, of which Mrs. Charlotte W. Brook is director. This group has been do ng splendid work. It is composed of two units, one which meets on Tuesday evenings from a until 10 o'clock, under the direction of Mrs. John Lesserts, in the Y. W. C. A. building, 5820 Germantown avenue,

There are about seventy-five women work-ing for this unit, which was organized ten months ago to make surgical dressings and hospital supplies. They concentrate most of the r time and attention on the making of

Mrs. Andrew R. Wight has charge of the Mrs. Andrew R. Wight has charge of the other unit, which meets in the Y. W. C. A. building all day every Friday. There are thirty women belonging to this unit and they have two workrooms on the third floor, where they make surgical dressings, hospital shirts, surgeons' operative shirts and other hospital supplies. Last week they turned out 300 surgical dressings, and have made as many as 600 in one day. Of course, the number of dressings turned out in a day decembe largely on the style of dressings. depends largely on the style of dressings depends largely on the style of dressings, as some are very much harder and more tedious, and, therefore, require a longer time to make than others. This unit is particularly expert in the making of five-yard rolls, which are very difficult to do. They have finished as many as eighteen and twenty rolls in a day.

Mrs. C. M. Walker, of 2620 West Somerset street, entertained at dinner on Wednesday in honor of her guest, Mrs. Owen Detwiler, of Altoons.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Gallagher, who were married in Brooklyn on February 9, have taken apartments at the Delmar in Ger-

Mrs. Edmund J. Gadsby, of 615 East Chel-Mrs. Education to the ten avenue, Germantown, entertained the members of her musical club on Monday afternoon at her home. Mrs. Gadsby read a paper on the life of Tschalkowski, after which several of his compositions "A Song Without Words," several sonatas, etc., were played or

## ANNUAL CONVENTION FOR SUFFRAGE PARTY

Fourth Group of Afternoon and Evening Meetings Will Be Held Today at Bellevue-Stratford

The Weman Suffrage party of this city will hold its fourth annual convention at

the Believue-Stratford today.

The afternoon session will take place in the Junior Room and will begin at 2 c'clock. Mrs. Maude Wood Park, congressional chairman of the National American Woman Suffers.

man of the National American Woman Suf-frage Association, will speak upon "Federal Amendment" Mrs. William West, of the Philadelphia war-savings committee, will speak of "War Savings and Thrift." The credentials committee will be in sea-sion from 1 to 2:30 o'clock and the polls will be open from 5 to 6 o'clock. The public is invited to attend these meetings. There will be a wartime dinner and patri-otic rally in the Rose Garden of the Bellevus at 7 o'clock. Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National American Woman Suffrage Association and vice chairman of the woman's committee. Council of National the woman's committee. Council of Nation

Defense, will be the principal speaker at the dinner. Tickets for this may be purchased at the suffrage headquarters, 1721 Chestnut The public will be admitted free at 8:20

o'clock.

The officers of the Philadelphia County committee of the Woman Suffrage party of Pennsylvania are: Chairman, Mrs. George A. Dunning; vice chairmen, Mrs. William B. Derr, Dr. E. M. Helstand-Moore, Mrs. Joseph M. Gezzan, Mrs. William D. Grange, Mrs. Wolstan: Dixey and Mrs. Joseph Wasserman: secretary, Mrs. E. Q. A. Ellis; treasserman: secretary, Mrs. Frederick E. Drinker.

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The committee in charge of the convention rrangements includes Mrs. Jasper Y. Bringon, Mrs. Francis I. du Pont, Mrs. Jean. Sane Foulke, Miss. Helen Fleisher, Mrs. The committee in charge of the convention arrangements includes Mrs. Jasper Y. Briston, Mrs. Francis I. du Pont, Mrs. Jean Kane Foulke, Miss Heien Fleisher, Mrs. Joseph M. Gazzam, Miss Mary K. Gibson, Mrs. Edward Y. Hartshorne, Mrs. Horatio Gates Lloyd, Mrs. George A. Piersol, Mrs. Thomas Robins, Mrs. Cornellus Stevenson.

Engagements Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foster Whitmer, of 4703 Kingsessing avenue, announce the en-gagement of their daughter, Miss Martha Cameron Whitmer, and Mr. George Talt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Talt, of Norfolk, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis P. Walsh, of 4025 Walnut street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth Lasette Walsh, and Mr. Howard Davis Prizer, U. S. N. R., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Prizer, of this

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stiles, of 532 Wind-sor square, West Philadelphia, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Elizabeth E. Stiles, and Mr. Earle Hepburn, of 1728 Pine street, who is now in the officers' train-



Industrial Educational Conference, e-Stratford. Free. Lieutenapt Bert Hall talks to Geogra Society on "Flying on Four Fronts," spoon Hall. Members. Suffrage convention at the Bellevu

"Big Slaters'" ball, 709 North Fra street. Admission charge.

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