JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Nancy Wynne Tells of Baldwin Nursery Benefit-Isaac Marcossan to Talk This Afternoon at 608 Chestnut Street—The Tale of a Wedding

THE managers of the Baldwin Day at attention until the last chord was Nursery are planning a benefit for the played-and by that time the car had a nursery. They have taken over "Penn Cottage" at Wynnewcod for May 10 and 11 and will hold a sale there, tea to be served let in-to say nothing of the condition of in the afternoon and a chicken and hot waffle supper for the evening's attraction.

I've told you of Penn Cottage; it is a delightful old house on Montgomery avenue between Wynnewood and Ardmore, where William Penn is said to have lived. A group of women including Mrs. Rodman Griscom, Miss Sophie Trasel, Miss Gertrude Fetterman, Miss Eleanor Gamble and Mrs. John Globons took over this house last fall and furnished it throughout with the most bewitching old-fash ioned mahogany and other old furniture and draperles. Everything in the house is for sale, you know, and the empty corner is filled with some other beautiful thing the minute one is taken away. The house is run as a sort of co-operative exchange for the benefit of war relief, or for women whose husbands have gone to wat and who are strapped for money now and again, who can bake delicious cakes, make children's dresses, trim hats, paint china or do any kind of work to help support themselves or augment their incomes. The Baldwin Day Nursery will have charge of the sales for those two days, that is, next Friday and Saturday. The committee in charge includes Mrs. Frank Moss, Mrs. Thomas Baird, Jr., Mrs. Winthrop Coffin, Mrs. William A. Wiederseim, 2d. Mrs. Van Horn Ely, Mrs. Donald Leas

and Mrs. E. Waring Wilson.

THEAR that Drexcl Steel has been transferred from Kelley Field with nine other cadets of the flying corps to College Park for further instruction. He is to complete the studies already done in Texas and then on to Mineola and from thence----? In a recent letter received from him, he tells that Charles Wells, a cousin of President Wilson, is studying in Texas, and that Craig Biddle and Junior Blye are at the same camp in San Antonio. Drexel Steel is the son of William T. Steel. of the Wood Norton Apartments, Germantown. He won quite a little reputation here for histrionic ability in his connection with the Plays and Players, of which organization he was a very active member Mr. Steel, in speaking of his hope to sail soon for the other side, remarked, "I assure you it cannot be too soon."

T WAS very interesting this afternoon at the Independence Square Auxfliary of the American Red Cross, for Mr. Isaac Marcossan spoke again to the women who work in those rooms at 608 Chestnut street, and it had been pretty generally agreed by the listeners that his talk was about the best given there all winter; So you know that that back room was well filled. Mr. Marcossan has been in Washington for some little time and expects soon to go back to Europe.

THE Presbyterian Orphanage, at Fifty-eighth street and Chester avenue, is going to celebrate its fortieth anniversary on Thursday, May 9, by holding a Donation Day on the premises, when the public is invited to attend and visit the institution. This orphaniage, which is now housing one hundred and sixty-eight children, like many other home charities, is suffering from lack of funds and has been compelled to reject many applications on this account. Run almost entirely on voluntary contributions, which, owing to present conditions, have been considerably decreased, it is necessary that additional funds be raised and for this purpose the

played-and by that time the car had a few more ribbons on it and the house looked as if a young snowstorm had been the bride. NANCY WYNNE.

Social Activities

The marriage of Miss Margaret Smith, daughter of Mrs. Harry C. Adams, of 1712 Pine street, and Mr. Thomas Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Hart, of 235 South Twenty-first street, will take place on Wedmeday, May 15. Mr. Hart has been recently transferred from Camp Hancock to the aviation corps.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rodgers Maxwell, of Villanova, have issued invitations for a small dinner-dance to be given on May 25 in honor of Miss Caroline Maxwell Whitney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Whitney, of New York, and niece of Mr. Maxwell,

The Philadelphia Auxiliary of the Southern The Philadelphin Auxiliary of the Southern Industrial Educational Association will give a card party and tea today at 2 o'clock in the Junior Ballroom of the Bellevue-Strat-ford. The proceeds will be given to war relief and the philanthropic work of the association. There will be about 150 tables. The members of the committee are Mrs. Robert W. Danlet, chairman: Mrs. E. Waring Wilson, Mrs. George E. Stone, Mrs. John Tillotson, Mrs. Marion Troth, Mrs. H. G. Tudi, Mrs. Charles Weiten, Mrs. Otto Rev-Tuil, Mrs. Charles Welton, Mrs. Otto Rey-man and Mrs. Louis Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl B. Putnam, of 1926 Spruce street, will close their town house and occupy their country home at Water-ville. New York, on June 1.

Dr. and Mrs. William Lee, of Lianerch, have announced the engagement of their daugh-ter, Miss Frances Butler Lee, to Mr. Emery Freeman, of the 143th Aero Squadron

Mrs. Henry MacNeill, of 331 South Thirteenth street, entertained at her home on Friday afternoon in honor of her sister, Miass Teresa Gruber, whose engagement to Mr. Philip Francis Nowlan was announced this winter

The date of the wedding, which will be

The date of the weiding, which will be very quiet, has been set for June 6. A patricle touch was given to the card party Friday afternoon by the prizes, which were small knitting needle cases in the form of soldiers, sailars and Red Cross nurses. The guests included Miss Agnes Haggerty, Miss Gertrude Bachler, Miss Helen McNichol, Miss Agnes Kelly, Miss Eleanor Crosby, Miss Cladys Crosby, Miss Isabel Gallagher, Miss Eleanor Tourison, Miss Maris Huber, Miss Olga Leps, Miss Maris Brogley, Miss Marie Creamer. Creame

and Mrs. Alexander S. Strouge, of and and arts accounter s stronge of 1802 Diamond street, announce the engage-ment of their daughter. Miss Ada May Stronge to Mr. Gerald D. Grosner, of Wash-ington, b. C. Mr. and Mrs. Stronge, their daughter and Mr. Grosner will receive informally on May 12 from 2 to 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Norman II. Stevens, of 1726 North Seventh street, will entertain at luncheon on Friday at her home. Her guests will in-clude Mrs. M. D. Becker, Mrs. John H. Craven, Mrs. George Estabrook, Mrs. Wil-





FROM BATTLEFRONT

University Men in Pershing's Forces Send Cheering Messages to Provost

"The Pennsylvania of Wayne and Muhlen berg is ready now to write new pages in it great record," writes John M. Clark, a private of the Fifty-first Artillery, in France, to Provost Smith, of the University of Pennsylvania.

Clark and Wilbur Newstetter are privates in the artillery service. Clark was president of last year's senior class. Francis J. Creamer, '14. Towne Scientific School, also has written the provost from France.

"Our instructions in this artillety battery have been thorough, because it is in the regu-lar army," says Clark. "The old sergennts and soldiers know the business of soldiering from long experience, and their supreme de-light is to whip 'recruits' into real fighting

"We often think of what you used to say about joining as privates and learning the soldier's life from the real side. We feel happy that we are privates. The drills, hikes, guard duties, fatigues, etc. test a man's real fiber. Of course, the real busi-ness 'up there' will be the supreme test. We

expect it any moment now. "One meets Pennsylvania men in all branches of the service, and everywhere I go I feel proud that our alma mater which

we love so dearly is living true to her tra-ditions. I remember that at the military assembly in chapel last year you said: Don't worry about Pennsylvana. When the time comes, she will be doing her full part'. And ditions. she surely is. The Pennsylvania of Wayne and Muhlenberg is ready now to write new and Munichorg is ready now to write new pages in its great record. "I am engerly doing my bit to end this strife, and hone that I will have the strength to hold out, as it seems probable that our victory will not be gained quickly." writes Licutenant Cramer. "On this delightful

Easter day my thoughts were of my friends in the good U. S. A. It was quite natural that I should think of my alma mater and you. All is well with the A. E. F. and the ions of Pennsylvania are to be found everywhere in the personnel of our forces.



CHAPTER LVI The Lesson

TOM would not come down to my studio. "I had enough of that pink ink stuff in my clerking days," he said. "You come with Sara, and we'll have a jolly little dinner



Members of the younger set who will take part in the Pony Show to be given in Wynnewood on May 15

RECORD FOR SMALL BRANCH

The following list of articles has been eported as having been turned out by the perhaps twenty-five women, who devote one entire day each week to the work. This list covers the work of one year, and is in addition to the various kits, boxes, etc. also sent out from the same little band of workers.

Hospital supplies-Four thousand six hun dred and forty-four musito bandages, 1496

Knitted articles-One thousand and forty vashrags, fifty surgical sponges, seventy two eye handages, 107 sweaters, eighty helmetil, seventy wristlets, fifty-six pairs of racks, ninety-two trench caps, three cover-lets for cuts, one Beiglin shawl. For the above list of articles the Wenomah branch bought and used 2000 yards of muslin, 1960

and and used the formed of motion, they yards of gauge and 119 pounds of wool. In order to raise the necessary funds, a number of card parties have been given, also cake and pastry sales, and a mite-box is effectively placed in a conspicuous pod-tion at the entrance of the Red Cross Build-

JEWISH CHILDREN PARADE

Sing Patriotic Songs Along Line and Hear Addresses on Zionist Topics

storday in honor of the 200

SCANDINAVIAN RED CROSS AUXILIARY

Wife of Norwegian Consul Organizes Women for Relief Work

A new war-work organization under the Naval Auxiliary of the Red Cross is the firm of its kind among the Scandinavian popula-

The organizer, Mrs. Christian Moe, wife of the Norwegian and Danish consul here, is leading the members in knitting sweaters for the sailors of the American navy and in campaigning for money and more members During the month of its existence the new auxiliary has acquired a hundred members who have made five sweaters, five scarfs and fifteen pairs of socks. The membership dues

Reception for Pastor Tonight

This evening there will be a reception given, by the members of the Lehigh Avenue Rap-tist Church to the pastor, the Rev. John V. Ellson, in celebration of his second anni-versary as pastor of the church. All the members received during the pastor's service will be the gasets of honor. Mr. Vernon Ellson, son of Dr. and Mrs. Ellson, is a mem-ber of the creat of the Laboration of Damber of the crew of the University of Penn-sylvania which defeated the navy crew at Annapolis. Young Mr. Ellson is an expert wimmer as well an an oarsman and was rewarded last summer for his bravery in each block in Manrie Che saving lives in Atlantic City.



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MISS CATHERINE MATHER

Red Cross of Wenonah, N. J., Reports on Work Accomplished During Year

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IN HONOR OF DELEGATES

Nearly 1000 Jewish school children pd-

It is urged that the boys "over there" need money more than we need flowers "over here." and that the thousands of dollars an-unally spant on flowers to celebrate Mother's Day should be lent to the Government.



Record Production by Volunteer Workers Last Week Other Cities Want System During the last nine weeks the American Bed Gross volunteer factory service at 1315 Market street, has completed \$316 garments for refugees in Belgium and France. A record production of 1497 garments was the

MISS ANNE ASHTON

record production of 1497 garments was the output for last week. Four weeks ago only 955 garments were made by the volunteer workers in the same time. Uaily the work is heing speeded up at the factory, which is the only one of its kind in the country. Arrangements are under way now in New York city, Baltimore and Cleve-land, 0. to comy the system which permits a worker to produce five times as many gar-ments as she could finish in the same time by hand or on foot-power machines.

Three additions have been made to the staff of the organizer and director of the work. Mrs. Grenville Dodge Montgomery. Mrs. William T. Flummer, of Ardmore, has been made chairman of the packing depart-

Mrs. A. Reed McIntyre, chairman of the inspection committee, and Mrs. George Kendrick superintendent of the Junior Red Cross receiving station. Of the garments produced in the past nin

weeks at the factory, 4606 were skirts, 120 dresses for children and 3710 undergar-ments for women. The children's dresses ments for women. The children's dresses were made by the Cinderella Welfare Club of Rosenau Brothers' factory at Broad and Huntingdon streets.

THRIFT STAMP AS TRIBUTE

Miss Jarvis Suggests Patriotic Substitute for Mother's Day

"Instead of spending twenty-five cents for a white carnation to celebrate Mother's Day this year, buy a thrift stamp. Fin a thrift stamp on your coat or dress today and wear it until after May 12. Moth-

ers Day, in honor of the mothers of our defenders," said Miss Anna Jarvis, of this effy, founder of Mother's Day.





tion of Philadelphia.

and all donations go to the Red Cross. Officers of the organization are Mrs. Moe, chairman: Mrs. Peter Thompson, vice chair-man; Mrs. Eric A. Brandt, Mrs. Christian Indahl. Mrs. Maithew Moe, Mrs. August Moe and Mrs. Sophie Lund. Meetings are held each Friday.

board of managers has designated Thursday as Donation Day. The institution is divided into cottages, each one accommodating twenty children and a "house mother," as she is termed, to care for them. Among these cottages are the Wanamaker, the Colton and the Thomas cottage, which have been donated by the families of these names.

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Donations of all kinds, such as children's clothing, bed linen, toys, provisions and household supplies, are earnestly requested by the board of managers. At a recent meeting of the board. Mrs. Richard Norris was elected president on the retirement of Mrs. David Craven, who filled this post for many years. The vice presidents are Mrs. W. J. Elliott, Miss Mary Wharton, Mrs. R. G. Wood, Mrs. Benjamin Wells and Mrs. Charles Hodge. The recording secretary is Mrs. David Crozer and the corresponding secretary Mrs. Frederick V. Graves. The treasurer is Mrs. Abner Mershon, assisted by Miss Alvira Plurner.

Other members of the board include Mrs. Norman N. McLeod, Mrs. Tillinghast Collins and Miss Elva Porter.

OF COURSE you can't play the "Star Spangled Banner" too often these days, but there is a time and place for everything. For instance, I heard the other day of a time and place when and where it was played, and it almost spoiled the whole party. It was at the reception after the wedding of a terribly pretty girl and a great, big, tall lieutenant. They had gone up to get ready to go away; the lieutenant just had to get his hat, but still he disappeared, and everybody was waiting for them to come down to the car. Incldentally the car was also waiting, done up in much decoration. There was no confetti, because that's wasteful in wartime, and of course rice wasn't even thought of, but one sly wedding guest who knew the house sneaked into the kitchen and came triumphantly back with a box of rice that I know they were counting on for the next day's war luncheon. So everybody felt that they had something on the bride and groom. The usual scurry sounded at last in the hall above, and they all took a firm grip on the slippery rice and got ready. The bride was ready, too, and being naturally fleet-footed, thought that she could get away with it all right. Butjust as they turned the corner from the second story hall, the patriotic orthoner." and story hall, the patriotic orchestra

MISS LILIAN LIPKIN Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pinchus Lip-kin, of 3924 Wyalusing avenue, whose engagement to Mr. Joseph H. Weiss is announced today

ham Morton, Mrs. Milton H. Nichols, Mrs. H. P. Cornell, Miss Harriet Craven, Miss Susan G. Hurlick, Mrs. Kenton Warne, Miss Virginia Craven and Mrs. Elmer D. Smythe.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Bassett, of 4312 Osage avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marjorie Bassett, to Ser-geant George Canfield, Jr., U. S. M. C., of Cynwyd.

Mrs. Horace Phillips Austin, of 4516 Chester avenue. West Philadelphia, will be at home on Tuesday afternoons in May. No cards have been sent out.

Mrs. Edwin Schenck, Jr., has returned to her home in Baltimore, from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin M. Smucker, 5937 Overbrook Avenue, Overbrook, Mrs. Schenck will be remembered as Miss Grace Smucker.

Mrs. A. Lincoln Jacoby entertained the Narberth Fortnightly Club at her home in Narberth on Friday afternoon. Among those present were Miss Bird Roberts, Mrs. A. P. Redifer, Mrs. Augustus Loos, Miss Ida Buckman, Mrs. John Gilroy, Mrs. Edward Schranth, Mrs. Lester Hickman, Mrs. John Van Nees, Miss Anna McKeag, Miss Barbara Shand, Miss Camelia Woodle and Mrs. Fred-orick A Hayes erick A. Hayes. -----

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Loucheim, of 1809 Spring Garden street, will spend the sum-mer at Cheisea.

Mr. John MacDonald was the guest of honor at a dinner given on Wednesday eve-ning at the Bellevue-Stratford by the mem-bers of the Produce Exchange of this city. The occasion of this dinner was the recent retirement of Mr. MacDonald from business to become vice president of the Beneficial Saving Fund. Saving Fund.

Mrs. Eugene Casselman will give a card party tomorrow afternoon at her home in the Lionshead Apartments, Thirteenth and Locust streets, for the benefit of the Misericorda Hospital.

The Alumnae Association of the William Penn High School for Girls gave a card party Saturday at Grand Fraternity Building, 1626 Arch street, at 2 o'clock for the benefit of the overseas committee of the Emergency Aid. Miss Emma Miconi was chairman of the card party committee. There is a mem-bership of about 1600 girls. The alumnae has subscribed for a \$1600 bond for the third Lib-erty Loan. Miss Ellen Groenberger is presi-dent of the association. The association has abandoned its dreams of a clubhouse, and in-tered of working for that cause is now turn-tee its down to yaar mark, as it is alive to

me, Sara, and we'll have a joly little dinner together." It will be nice to see Tom. I had searched around to show my studio to some one. I thought Tom would be the most impressed. If I cannot show him my studio, at least 1 shall give him some of my new irlens? I went uptown to meet him. We were to meet in the lounge. There was Tom, waiting for me. He is rather nice and big. Too, he has a hearty way of taking your hand. No nonzense about Tom. Soon we were sitting together at a little table by the windows. It was nice to look out on the lighted avenues, to see the motors flashing by.

out on the lighted avenues, to see the motors flashing by. I was afraid that our first moments would be awkward. For I had not seen him since his broken engagement. I recalled vividly the scene in which Tom took the amethyst ring from Jeanne. But he d'd not speak of himself. Nor his affairs. He wanted to know about me. "How was it that I was in Washington Square?" I told him of John Carewe and Norma, his sister. That Norma had found the room for me-my studio. Of the new people I had met. "What are you doing there, anyway, Sara?" said Tom leaning back in his chair and looking at me across the roses. What was I doing there? I knew very well. But I could not tell Tom that I was searching for a husband. I blushed. "Getting atmosphere—I see." said Tom

searching for a husband. I blushed. "Getting atmosphere—I see." said Tom filling in the awkward pause. We spoke of Mother and Aunt Emily. Yes, I missed Mother dreadfully. "Why don't you run out and see your Aunt Em?" Tom asked. But I am on more important business bent than running out to see my relatives. As we sait drinking our demi-tasse, Tom said. "Do you mind, Sara?" And he opened his cigarette case. It lay on the table. Under cover of the roses I reached over, I extracted one. With awkward fingers I was attempting to light it. "Sara," he said. "put that down!" I held it still. He leaned over, took the cigarette in his hand. Extinguished it. Then he look-ed at me. "I never thought, Sara,"— "Oh foor," I said, "hose old fogy ideas "Old fogy nothing." Tom's voice had a

"Oh, Tom," I said, "those old rogy ideas "Old fogy nothing." Tom's voice had a quality in it I had never heard before. "I know women smoke nowadays. I know all those arguments. But, Sara Lane, smoking does not go with your type. You are not that kind of a girl. What would your moth-er say if she could see you?" In spite of my emancipated ideas, I flushed. We rose from the table. As we made our way out to the lighted avenue, Tom said. "You must promise me, Sara, that this is the last time!" I heard a faint voice, which I hardly recog-nized as my own, saying. 'I will."

Tomorrow-Contrasting Ideas

TROOPS IN FRANCE LACK SOAP

Scarcity of soap on the battlefront in Prance has inspired Polish residents of Phil-adelphia to designate this week as "Soap Week," during which voluntary contributions will be collected by children of parochial schools for the benefit of Polish troops.

schools for the benefit of Polish troops. Next week they will devote to raising a tobacco fund for their soldiers. John B. Kliniowski is chairman of the local commit-tee, which has sent 2500 recruits to France and which is planning a flag day to raise an insurance fund of \$10,000,000 to provide a \$2000 policy for each enlisted man.

lisms of news for the society page will be accepted and printed in the Evening Public Follow provided they are written on one side of the paper only and are drand with full mane and bejophene number of the sender, so is must be southed to rectly the

raded yesterday in honor of the 200 dele-gates who are in Philadelichia attending the four-day convention of the Mix-rachi. Lest by a band and carrying American and Jewish dags they marched from Sixth and Dickinson streets to Broad street and thence IONGHI - A - O

City charter revision discussion, City Club, t South Broad street. Members

Dickinson streets to broad procer and thence to the Walton, where they were addressed by Eable Meyer Berlin, president of the council, which is a part of the Zionist or-ganization; Babbi B. 1. Levinthal and 10. Jacob Levinson. Patriotic songs were sung by the children along the line of march. They were led by Miss Elizabeth Nemirov-sky. Reception to delegates to annual convenion of clergy of Episcopal Diocese of Penn-sylvania, home of Bishop Rhinelander, 251 South Twenty-first street

Dr. Stephen S. Wise, New York, addresses Dr. Stephen S. Wise, New York, addresses combined meeting of Juvenile Aid Society, Orphans' Guardians, Young Women's Union and the Hebrew Sheltering Home and Day Nursery for Children, Mercantile Hall, Broad street above Master. sky. Delegates from all over the country, ep



