

JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Nancy Wynne Tells of Work Done by Navy Auxiliary of the Red Cross—Miss Gilpin Bride of Mr. Winpenny—Other Matters

JUST because it's summer is no reason why any one should think she has a chance to rest and stop work for the sailors and soldiers.

Twenty-five thousand comfort kits will be needed in the fall for the men of the Fourth Naval District who are to man the new ships so soon to be completed.

Every man who goes to the front has his comfort kit given to him, and besides that little kit, you may be sure the feeling of good will that goes with it finds its way into that man's heart and warms it with the thought that the women of this country are back of him.

MAJOR GENERAL PERSHING, you know, in speaking of the kits sent to his men by the Red Cross, said: "These things make a soldier remember that the people at home are behind him. You do not know how much that will mean to us who are going abroad.

The Navy Auxiliary furnishes free to its sections all materials and contents for making these kits according to Red Cross specifications. The bag itself is made of blue denim or "dungaree" for the navy man, and measures 12 by 8 inches when finished.

During the last week 760 kits have been cut out and sent to the various sections from the navy house headquarters, 221 South Eighteenth street, and the work is continuing at the same rate.

I SUPPOSE you have heard that Anna Gilpin and Marshall Winpenny are married. They had a very, very quiet wedding at the Church of the Holy Trinity, Walnut and Nineteenth streets, on Saturday.

It's funny how casual some persons become after marriage! For instance, suppose you were walking out with your best young man and you fell suddenly in the middle of a small street just as he had shot ahead for a milk bottle on some one's step.

Not a bit of it. He was standing beyond Rittenhouse street making indifferent gestures for her to come on. She did not move, but sat there trying to come to the situation, as it were.

Social Activities Mrs. Albert H. Rosenkranz, who is staying with her cousin, Mrs. W. D. Kilduff, in Ardmore, will leave the middle of August to spend two weeks with Mrs. Theodore Jackel at her cottage at Grindstone Neck, Winter Harbor, Me.

WED IN MUTCHEMORE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Miss Bertha Larison Married to Mr. George E. Eisler at Pretty Wedding

A very pretty wedding took place in the Mutchemore Presbyterian Church, Eighteenth street and Montgomery avenue, on Saturday afternoon, when Miss Bertha Larison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William O. Larison, of 1919 North Twenty-third street, was married to Mr. George E. Eisler, by the pastor, the Rev. Dr. Herbert Burgess.

Mr. Edward Bateman was the best man. A reception at the home of the bride's parents followed the ceremony.

VAN RODEN—MURRAY The marriage of Miss Flora Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel A. Murray, of 7429 Boyer street, Mr. Alry, and Lieutenant E. Leroy Van Roden was solemnized at 12 o'clock on Saturday in Grace Church, Gowen avenue, Mt. Airy, by the Rev. Dr. Rogers.

Friends of Dr. H. K. White, of Roxborough, will be glad to learn of his safe arrival overseas. Doctor White is a major in the medical reserve corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor N. Gurney announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ruth Gurney, to Roland T. Jellett, ensign, U. S. N., July 27, at the Bellevue-Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome B. Taft, of 5338 Angora terrace, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son yesterday, to a named Robert Baldwin Taft. Mrs. Taft will be remembered as Miss Edith Baldwin, of 5646 Larchwood avenue.

INFORMATION BOOTH OPENED IN BROAD STREET

Fourth of Its Kind Giving Assistance to Lonesome Service Men Here

The fourth information booth for men in the service has been opened in Broad Street Station under the direction of the war camp community service.

According to plans outlined by Courtney Baylor, director of the organization, men coming into the city on furlough or for a few hours off can find out speedily at these booths what is going on in the way of amusements or where they can find rooms for themselves or relatives who are coming to see them and to what clubs they can go to find a quiet corner or entertainments.

Three other booths—at the navy yard, at Market street ferry and at City Hall—have so far proved to be of the greatest advantage, according to Mr. Baylor, and efforts will be made to set up these information bureaus in every part of the city where there is a need of them.

Every day a short Liberty Sing will be held at the information booth in Broad Street Station, lasting about five or ten minutes. Inasmuch as it is the purpose of these booths to be able to furnish as much information as possible on the subject of worthwhile amusements, any suggestions will be greatly appreciated by those in charge.

SMOKER FOR DRAFTED MEN

The Jewish Welfare Board, Philadelphia branch, played host to 250 National Army men at a smoker last evening at its headquarters, the Y. M. H. A. Building, 1618 Master street. These men are now stationed at the First Regiment Army, taking special training at the Spring Garden Institute, under command of Captain Arthur Frazer and Lieutenant Arthur Wolfe.

PERMIT TO SWIM GIVEN

The committee on superintendence and police of the Fairmount Park Commission has granted permission to the Philadelphia canoe club to use the stream in front of the clubhouse, at the mouth of the Wissahickon Creek, for swimming purposes.

The Toga Men's Association and the Junior Order of United American Mechanics got leave to hold field days in Hunting Park next month, and the Philadelphia Golf Club to organize a golf tournament on the golf course in Cobble Creek Park in September. The tournament will be for the benefit of the Red Cross.



MISS CHARLOTTE MORRIS Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morris, of Wayne avenue, Germantown, who was maid of honor at the recent wedding of Miss Maud Scott and Mr. George B. Newton, Jr., U. S. N. R. F. The photograph was taken by Bachrach

HEROISM OF NEGROES INSPIRES BLIND POET

Tribute Paid in Verse to First Two Black Soldiers Killed

Members of more than one group of listeners have been deeply moved by the sentiment and feeling in "Two Heroes," blind negro poet, puts into his own poem. "Two Heroes," in reciting the lines written in honor of Henry Johnson and Needham Roberts, the first American negroes to fall in battle in France.

WILL KNIT 7000 GARMENTS

Navy Auxiliary Sets August Quota of Socks and Sweaters

The Navy Auxiliary has set 5000 pairs of socks and 2000 sweaters as its quota for August and will continue knitting through the hottest days to turn out this number.

MISS MARWARD

Daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Marshall R. Ward, of Wayne, Miss Ward, who is a niece of Mr. Charles M. Schwab, recently christened the battleship Agawam. The photograph is by Bachrach

DYING BRITISH AVIATOR SEES ADVERSARY DOWNED

Salvation Army Lad Holds Him Up After Crash to View Battle

Dying in the arms of a Salvation Army supply truck driver, at the front in France, a British aviator, who had just been crashed to earth in a desperate triangular battle in the sky, has had the satisfaction of witnessing the defeat of his German antagonist by a French plane, just before he drew his last breath.

The struggle, according to a report reaching the Salvation Army here today, occurred recently just behind the Allied lines in France, and was witnessed by Ransom Gifford, eighteen-year-old son of Colonel Adam Gifford, head of the Salvation Army for New England, and residing in Boston. Young Gifford was hauling supplies to units along the line, when suddenly three big airplanes circled immediately over his head and opened up a terrific fight.

EMERGENCY HIGH SCHOOL TO GRADUATE 600 CLERKS

Two Months' Course at William Penn Will Be Completed Tomorrow

The War Emergency High School, conducted during the last six weeks in the William Penn High School for Girls, will graduate 600 students tomorrow.

CHEER UP MEETING TO BE HELD FRIDAY EVENING

Families of Soldiers Come Together at Same Time Men Meet in Camp

The third of the series of "cheer up" meetings given by the Mothers of Democracy will take place on Friday evening at the Congressional recreation center, Forty-ninth street and Chestnut avenue, at 8 o'clock, the same hour the men in the camps meet and so establish a bond between the boys and their mothers, wives, sisters or sweethearts, who form the association.

MARKET STREET ABOVE 16TH

Clara Kimball Young in "THE CLAW" A SELECT PICTURE

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THE CITY OF DIM FACES A PARAMOUNT PICTURE

PALACE

Pershing's Crusaders Marine Corps Signal Battalion Camp

VICTORIA

MME. PETROVA Film Presentation

REGENT

"NO MAN'S LAND" "EAGLE'S EYE"—Final Episode

GLOBE

ON THE BEACH AT WAIKIKI A HAWAIIAN MUSICAL COMEDY

CROSS KEYS

NAT NAZARA & CO.

WILLOW GROVE PARK

WASSILI LEPS and His SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

TODAY

Afternoon and Evening—VERA CULTRIS, Soprano, Evening—JL TROVATORE, with Prominent Soloists

WED. JULY 31

"LIBERTY SING" NIGHT—FLORENCE EASTON, Soprano, VERA CULTRIS, Soprano, FRANK M. LARSEN, Tenor

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

FRITZI SCHEFF Reception of the Cheering Soldiers

GAYETY

EARLY BIRD BULLERS DUQUENNE COMEDY