

JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Bar Harbor Gay in August—News of Captain Walker—Nancy Wynne Chats About Several Matters—Queenie Cleans Car in Peculiar Costume

THERE is quite a lot doing at Bar Harbor now in spite of the fact that quite a few people have not opened their houses this summer.

The Madison Taylors are up there as usual and the Edward Mears. The De Witt Cuylers did not open their cottage this year, but Mr. Cuyler has made several trips up and Mrs. Cuyler will go with him later in the month.

While speaking of the Cuylers, I hear that Eleanor Walker has had more comforting news of Joe. The wound in his hip is a flesh wound and, though it will take at least two months' time to put it into any condition under which he may be able to use it, it is comforting to know that he is not in danger, and though there is a certain amount of suffering entailed, it is not as if he had to have splints and heavy weights and all those other trials which go with broken bones.

Mrs. Walker, who is spending the summer at her father's home in Haverford and has her small daughter Eleanor with her, has had cables and letters from friends "over there" who have seen Joe, besides the official notice from the Government, and the news is most encouraging.

At least she knows he is not in present danger of being killed in the fighting and things may be nearer the finish when he is able to go back again.

Joe Walker is a captain, you know. He is a New Yorker and after their marriage, shortly before our entrance into the war, they lived in New York. Later he went to Chattanooga and Eleanor and Esther Toland took a bungalow down there to be near their respective husbands.

I SEEM to come on sorrow of one kind or another everywhere I go these days. Hearing that the Woodwards had taken the Edgar Munson's cottage in Eaglesmere for a month, brings to me their great sorrow in the death of their son. They are so splendid about it. And proud that their boy died for his country, but it must have been terrible for them, the strain of not knowing anything positively for so many months. Mrs. Woodward told a friend of mine that she simply would not give up hope until she knew officially that he had been killed. And the whole family took that same stand. They went on just as if they were sure he would be found some day, until the official news came and there could no longer be any doubt that he had been killed.

I admired them and do admire them so much for it all and think they are such a fine example for other families who have the same sorrows, to go through. Stanley, by the way, was not an usher at the Dent-Bally wedding as was stated when the bridal party was first announced, for the news of Housh's death came in the meantime and so he would not act.

DID you hear that Burnside Winslow has gone into the ground aviation? He was the famous Yale athlete, you remember, and lost his eye playing, so he could not go into the flying section. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Winslow, of this city, but he has been living in New Haven for some years. He married Helen Carington, of this city, several years ago.

THROUGHOUT misinformation which at the time I had every reason to think was correct, I told you that Mr. William Hart had been made a major in the Judge advocate's department in Washington.

Mr. Hart tells me that, glad though he would be if it were true, it is not, for he is not a lawyer and one must be a lawyer to be in the Judge advocate's department.

Of course I looked into the matter and I find that my informant got Harry Hodge mixed with William Hart. How she did I can't explain, but that's the case. Harry Hodge is the son of the Rev. George Woodley Hodge and Mrs. Hodge, and a lawyer of this city, who has received the appointment. He and Stevens Heckescher, who was recently appointed to the same position, are now in Washington.

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day and she had only one suit with her, so she persisted. And all afternoon: "Queenie was there with her hair in a braid. Queenie was there in her white smock arrayed. Far away from the city, which I think was a pity. Queenie was there in her white smock arrayed." NANCY WYNNE.

Social Activities

Mrs. Frederick Brown is spending the summer with Mrs. George Farnum at West Cornwall, Conn., and will return home about October 15.

Mrs. Henry Morrill, of South Sixteenth street, is at the Hay Village Hotel in Jamestown, R. I., for a stay of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brooke are in York Harbor, Me., and will stop at the Marshall House for several weeks.

Mrs. Thomas L. Elwyn, who is captain of the Motor Messengers of this city, has gone to North Hatley, Canada, for several weeks' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Granger Kennedy, Jr., are at Northeast Harbor, Me. They will stay until the middle of September at the Rock End Hotel.

Mrs. William H. Horstmann is spending a few weeks in Northeast Harbor, Me.

Dr. L. Minis Hays, of South Twenty-first street, and his daughters are at Little Boars Head, N. H., and will remain until the middle of September.

Mrs. John Calvert is the guest of Mrs. L. J. Edwards at Millbrook, Dutchess County, N. Y., and will remain there for several weeks.

Mr. J. William White, of Old Gulph road, Narberth, has returned from Watch Hill, R. I., where she has been visiting Mrs. Ellingham R. Morris.

Miss Sarah C. Drayton, of Chestnut Hill, will spend the remainder of the summer in South Duxbury, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Chandler and their two children, of Wynnefield, have gone to Chelsea, where they are occupying their cottage for the remainder of the summer.

Dr. Charles H. Hunter is staying at Hawthorne Inn, East Gloucester, Mass., and will return to his home about the middle of September.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nalbro Frazier are spending the summer at Sunset Hotel, Kennebunkport, Me. They will return to Rydal about September 18.

Mr. Ellis A. Gimbel is at Pickford's Camps, Rangleley Lakes, for a stay of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cadwallader, of Villanova, have gone to Loon Lake, where they will stop at Loon Lake House until the middle of next month.

Mr. John Willing, of this city, is at Crestmont Inn, Eaglesmere, for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. William C. Benkert has taken rooms at the Colonial, Cape May, until the middle of August.

Mrs. Robert Sturgis and Miss Van Buren, of Laburnum, Chelton Hills, have gone to Small Point, Me.

Miss Mary Vyle, daughter of Mrs. R. C. Vile of Wynnefield, is visiting Mrs. Edmond Rogers at Ventnor.

Mrs. F. F. Boedelhelm, of Elkins Park, left on Wednesday for Cape Cod, Mass., for the summer.

A quiet home wedding took place last evening, when Mrs. Nora V. Myers became the bride of Mr. George W. Kunzig at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Earl V. Foreman. An extended trip through the North, Mr. and Mrs. Kunzig will live at 1300 North Fifty-seventh street.

Mrs. J. Graham French has returned from a fortnight's stay with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Albert E. Rousset, at their cottage in Cape May.

Dr. and Mrs. W. Reynolds Wilson, of Villanova, and Miss Henrietta Wilson returned today from a visit to their son, Lieutenant Charles E. Wilson, F. A. U. S. A., in Alabama.

Mrs. George B. Erben is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hubert B. Powell, of Wayne, in Maine. Mrs. Erben, whose husband, Captain Erben, is stationed at Newport News, Va., has rented her house in Merion and will occupy her apartment at Fifteenth and Spruce streets in the fall.

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Mrs. Richard Stahl announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Lorraine Sherwood Stahl, to Captain Lewis Edward Gleec, F. A. U. S. A., on Saturday, July 27.

Mrs. Samuel Humphrey, of Overbrook, is visiting her son, Mr. Samuel Humphrey, Jr., who is ill in the hospital at Fort Oglethorpe.

Miss R. P. Maurer, of the Wood-Norton Apartments, Germantown, will spend the month at Haddon Hall, Atlantic City, with her mother.

PHILADELPHIANS IN MAINE



MISS ELIZABETH GRIBBEL

Miss Austin left yesterday to spend some time as the guest of Miss Gribbel, who is in Maine for the summer.

MASONIC HOME PLANS MEMORIAL DINNER

Annual Celebration of Birthdays of Managers, Residents and Officers Next Week

Mr. W. Freeland Kendrick, president of the Masonic Home of Pennsylvania, will be the host at the annual birthday anniversary dinner at the home, 3333 North Broad street, on Wednesday evening, August 7. The entertainment was inaugurated a number of years ago by the late General Louis Wagner, then president, in celebration of the birthday anniversaries of the managers, officers and residents whose birthdays, including his own, came in August. Mr. Kendrick, then vice president and later president, was included because he was born July 31. This year the dinner will be a memorial in honor of General Wagner and Mr. Kendrick. After the dinner there will be a concert on the lawn by the Lulu Temple Band, to which the public is invited. Among the guests will be Mr. Louis M. Wagner, Mr. George D. Whitcomb, Mr. Robert J. Spratt, Mr. Daniel J. Bishop, Mr. W. T. Bradley, Mr. Charles Chubb, Mr. George S. Cox, Mr. W. Dreydoppel, Mr. H. Doolinger, Mr. Harvey H. Hubbard, Mr. J. E. M. Keller, Mr. Samuel Lamond, Mr. Joseph L. Mann, Mr. E. S. Mershon, Mr. William McIntyre, Mr. L. J. McCaulley, Mr. John G. Morris, Mr. Edward W. Patton, Mr. Elmer A. Rosser, Mr. B. Frank Siegert, Mr. A. W. Vandergrift, Mr. Robert H. Hinekey, Mr. Murdoch Kendrick, the Rev. William H. Sivel and Mr. R. Roberts Shrook.

RED CROSS GROUP HAS ANNIVERSARY

Informal Reception Held After Address in Celebration of One Year of Work

The members of group No. 3, Red Cross auxiliary, No. 171, held their first anniversary celebration last evening in the chapel of the Fourth Reformed Church, Foxborough. The Rev. Frank Fry, pastor of the church, presided and made a patriotic address. Following the reports of the various committees, and an address by Mrs. William Beatty, the re-elected chairman, there was an informal reception. Mrs. Francis Eby is vice chairman of the group; Miss Edith Moyer, secretary; Miss Amelia Kelly, assistant secretary; Miss Blanche Taylor, treasurer; Miss Gretta McKain, chairman of the knitting section; Mrs. Sarah Fleming, chairman of the gauge work, and Mrs. Christopher Adelman, chairman of the sewing group. There are seventy-five active workers in the association, and notwithstanding the recent intense heat they turned out the same amount of work as in the winter. A pleasant innovation of these warm-weather meetings was the entertainment of the workers by Mrs. Robert Hey after "working hours."

CHOOSE Y. W. C. A. UNIFORM Secretaries in War Work to Wear Horizon Blue Summer and Winter

New York, Aug. 2.—Horizon blue will be the color of the service uniform which will be worn hereafter by all officially appointed secretaries who travel in the interests of the war-work council of the Young Women's Christian Association. It was announced here, each a levee will display a blue triangle, the official insignia of the Y. W. C. A. The plan has been instigated by the commission on training-camp activities. Winter and summer uniforms will be identical in style. The new uniforms will be worn by officers of the war-work council, official hostesses at houses in army cantonments, secretaries in munition cantonments, department leaders, field executives, State organizers, financial secretaries and speakers for the coming financial campaign and by all other secretaries engaged in war work.

MELLEN ASKS SEPARATION

One-Time Head of New Haven Road Sues Wife on Ground of Desertion

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 2.—Charles S. Mellen, of Stockbridge, formerly president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, has filed in the Berksshire Probate Court a petition asking for a decree of separation from his wife, Katherine Lloyd Livingston Mellen, now of New York, on the ground of desertion. Mr. Mellen is sixty-seven and Mrs. Mellen is forty-six.



SERGEANT ANDREW BEIS

Who before his marriage yesterday in St. James's Church, West Philadelphia, was Miss Olivia Hardy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Francis Hardy, of Baxley, O. formerly of this city.

KEEP HOMES INTACT WHILE SERVING U. S.

Thus May Women Express Their Patriotism, Says Mrs. Thomas Robins

Keeping the home intact and at the same time serving the country in essential war industries are the two big ways for the women of today to express their patriotism, in the opinion of Mrs. Thomas Robins, chairman of the woman's committee, Council of National Defense.

"You know, when a home is broken up and the family scattered to the four winds, somehow they never get together again," she said. "Every woman with the physical strength and any loyalty whatever wants to work today, whether she has ever done so before or not. Leaving isn't at all fashionable.

"But think what it will mean to the boy when he comes back from 'over there' if his sister has gone to work in Washington, and other in a faraway city, and the mother or parents have been forced to give up the home because it's too lonesome or too expensive."

"I think one of the biggest things the United States employment service will do is finding work for the girl at home. She may insist that she wants war work, believing that to include only Red Cross work in munitions plants and shipyards.

"The woman, as well as the man, must remember the soldier at the front must be fed, clothed, equipped and shipped before he can shoot, be bagged or be otherwise first or second aid.

"What Women Can Do "Marie L. Obenauer, perhaps the greatest authority in the country on the statistics of women in industry, says it takes four men at the front to maintain one fighting man at the front and about one man of the four at home is a woman. Spinning yarn, weaving cloth and turning it into covering and clothing for the fighters, weaving iron pipe, airplane wings, tanning leather and making it into soldiers' shoes, canning fruits, vegetables and meats for camps, making bolts, nuts and rivets for ships, and a hundred other common factory occupations are as much war work as making guns and gas masks, rolling powder pellets or Red Cross bandages.

"Because factory and mill-trained women have become so scarce in the training of the United States employment service, eleven of whose branch employment bureaus opened in Philadelphia yesterday.

"Of course, there are clerical and executive positions open, but they are few compared to the demand for labor in the many factories. I hope more college women and girls of thorough training will come into this work when the country is in need of them. The employment officers will strive to take care of every woman who applies. We will try to place her in the work she likes best and is best trained for in the town nearest her home."

DANIELS COMMENDS DONORS OF TOBACCO

Navy Yard Civilian Corps Sends Monthly Supply to Sailors Overseas

Efforts of civilian employees of the Philadelphia Navy Yard to keep American sailors in the European service supplied with cigarettes and tobacco are heartily commended by Secretary Daniels in a letter received from him by Rear Admiral Benjamin Tappan, commandant of the navy yard. "Thousands of neat packages of smoking materials have been shipped abroad through the agency of Paymaster J. J. Kehoe, Red Cross supply officer, and the good offices of the Navy Auxiliary of the Red Cross, 221 South Eighteenth street. These supplies were purchased with funds voluntarily donated by the navy yard's 7000 civilian workers. Secretary Daniels wrote as follows:

"I have learned with much interest of the generous contributions which the men employed at the Philadelphia Navy Yard have been making to the comfort and pleasure of the sailors on our destroyers and other war vessels in sending them tobacco, and I trust you would express to them my appreciation of their thoughtful and generous gifts. The men at the Philadelphia Navy Yard can always be depended upon to do such a job as is required of them in patriotic service. Sincerely yours,

OBSEVE PORTUNCLUA FEAST

Catholics Visit Privileged Churches to Obtain Plenary Indulgence

Thousands of Catholics throughout the city visited certain specified churches today in celebration of the Feast of the Portunclua, which is a feast of the indulgence has been granted to all who fulfill the conditions of the day.

The conditions provide that a person in the state of grace who visits one of the designated churches and pray for the intentions of the Sovereign Pontiff. The indulgence may be gained as often as the privileged churches are visited.

Privileged churches in this city are: The Cathedral, Thirteenth street above Chestnut; St. Francis of Assisi, Germantown; St. Peter, Fifth street and Girard avenue; Our Mother of Sorrows, Forty-eighth street and Lancaster avenue; Our Lady of Good Council, Christian next above Eighth; and Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament, Broad street above Fairmount avenue.

SONG CHIEF GOING TO FRANCE

Watkin Davis and His One-String Fiddle to Serve Y. M. C. A. Abroad

Watkin Davis, song leader of George Long's evangelistic campaign at the Inasmuch Tent, Sixth and Locust streets, will embark in Paul, M. C. A. work in France. Mr. Long has released Davis, and he will be given a farewell service in the tent tomorrow night.

Mr. Davis will carry his one-string fiddle to France to entertain Uncle Sam's soldiers. Davis and his fiddle are known throughout the country. The fiddle was made of a cigar box and a three-cent string. He can play and sing. Mr. Davis used his fiddle in Louisville for many years.

Several years ago he left the stage to engage in evangelistic work. He has been very successful at the Inasmuch Mission and the Inasmuch Tent.

Mr. Davis also has a strange collection of musical instruments, including fiddle, piano, guitar and harp, which he will play at entertainments in the "Y" buildings in France.

SEES HIS SON ENLIST

E. T. Clymer Proud of Fine Youth, Who Descends From a "Signer"

Allentown, Pa., Aug. 2.—E. T. Clymer, of Philadelphia, formerly superintendent of the Allentown Iron Company and city councilman, yesterday had the pleasure of seeing his son, the fourth of twenty-one years, enlist as a volunteer in the United States cavalry. Young M. Clymer was educated in the schools of Philadelphia and at Cedarcroft. Young Clymer is a lineal descendant in the fifth generation of George Clymer, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, and is entitled to membership in the Cincinnati Society. He is a grand-nephew of Hester Clymer, once candidate for Governor of the State for many terms, Representative in Congress from Berks County.

FAREWELL TO FATHER McSHEA

Priest Leaving West Philadelphia Parish to Become Chaplain

Fashioners of the Church of Our Mother of Sorrows, in West Philadelphia, bade good speed today to the Rev. John B. McShea, one of the priests of the parish, who has received a commission as a chaplain in the U. S. Army and will take his departure for Camp Johnston, at Jacksonville, Fla.

Mr. McShea has been connected with the parish of Our Mother of Sorrows for eight years and was endeared to the hearts of its hundreds of worshippers.

LITTLE RECREATION FOR NAVAL NURSES

Lack of Amusement in Hours Off Duty After Heroic Self-Sacrifice

While scores of clubs, including the Union League and the big country clubs, women's organizations, the Y. M. C., the Knights of Columbus and others have been bending every effort toward making things pleasant for the soldiers and sailors stationed in Philadelphia and its vicinity, virtually nothing has been done for the women war workers. It is said.

For instance, the naval nurses, both those attached to the Naval Hospital on Gray's Ferry road and those at the Philadelphia Navy Yard and those just waiting here to be shipped abroad, have been passed over completely.

There are between sixty and 120 of these nurses here from time to time. The Government has them quartered in old houses at Twenty-fourth and Pine streets, right opposite the naval hospital and on Spruce street near Twenty-fourth.

Their rooms are very small and they have, according to their own statements, hardly space enough to turn around. There is only one small sitting room to each three houses, so they have no place in which to receive callers. They are not allowed to go out with the sailors they may meet during their course of duty and have no means of making other acquaintances.

Most of them are from other cities; in fact, virtually all are on duty here from other parts of town. The majority are receiving only half pay, which means they are virtually giving their services.

They have no recreation during their day off or in the evening, when they have several hours off. Those not on active duty but just waiting orders for shipment will be made. It is also planned to interest members of the Acorn Club in the plan to provide a place where these young women can enjoy a little change from their crowded quarters.

Miss Martha Pringle, head nurse, who can be found at the Naval Hospital, Gray's Ferry road near Twenty-fourth street, while deprecating any suggestion that the nurses are at all uncomfortable, will be glad to confer with any committee anxious to do anything for her charges.

CITY CAN PULL THROUGH WITHOUT FLOATING LOAN

Heavy Miscellaneous Payments Make Unnecessary the \$1,200,000 Issue

Owing to the heavy payments made to the city from miscellaneous sources, particularly from realty taxes recently, it has been decided not to float the temporary loan of \$1,200,000 which Councils authorized in June. This loan was authorized and made available in the event of an emergency occurring during the summer recess of City Council.

"There is no necessity for negotiating the temporary loan," said City Controller John M. Walton, "and the money will not be borrowed. The receipt of general funds from liquor license, personal property and realty taxes, water rents and from other sources have been such up to July 31 that they assured there will be sufficient money in the city treasury to meet all outside obligations other than from other sources during August. The average receipts of realty and school taxes and from other sources during August is about \$12,000,000. The receipts of the city treasury during the week ending Wednesday amounted to \$3,060,425.55.

TRADE FLEET GROWING

1410 Seamen From Training Ships Placed in Service in Two Weeks

The force of men graduating from training ships into the merchant marine is steadily augmenting each day, and if the present rate is kept up there will be no lack of man-power for the ships being built for overseas service.

In the last two weeks the free sea service bureau has placed in active service 1410 merchant marine 1410 seamen, of whom 1300 are graduate apprentices from the training ships. Made, Calvin Austin, Governor Cobb and Governor Dingler, based at East Boston.

There are now eleven ships in the Atlantic squadron. The steamship Minnesota is the latest addition to the fleet. The shipping board has authorized the establishment of a training ship in New Orleans.

Advertisement for Stanley Theatre, featuring Clara Kimball Young in 'The Claw', and other theatrical listings including 'Palace', 'Victoria', 'Regent', 'Globe', 'Cross Keys', 'Willow Grove Park', and 'B. F. Keith's Theatre'.

What's Doing Tonight

Wissahickon holds first Liberty Sing on grounds of American Bridge Company Club, 7:30 o'clock.

Municipal Band concert, Twenty-second street, below Jackson.