

JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Emergency Aid Branch Shop at Cape May Proves to Be Very Successful—Nancy Wynne Brings to Mind Tragedy of Whelen Family—Other Matters

HAVE you seen the little shop at Cape May which has been opened by the Emergency Aid as a branch of the one here at Fifteenth and Walnut streets?

Clinton street, are at the Clifton House, Northeast Harbor, Me., to remain until the first week in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Strawbridge, of Germantown, are spending the week at West Chester, and will return September 20.

Mrs. C. Cheyney Bartol, who is spending the summer in Prouts Neck, Me., will remain until the middle of October.

Mr. Edward J. Bell, of 1428 Spruce street, is staying at the Brackwater, Woods Hole, Mass., until the end of the month.

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BRIDE OF SATURDAY



Mrs. Pratt was Miss Amice M. Grignard, of this city. Her marriage to Ensign Pratt, U. S. N., of Chatham, Mass., took place on Saturday afternoon in the Oak Lane Presbyterian Church

Colonel Roosevelt has made public the amounts of money he is giving to war charities, this money being from the Nobel peace prize, which was awarded him for his part in bringing the Russo-Japanese war to an end.

The American Red Cross, through the treasurer, John Skelton Williams, the Colonel gave \$5000.

The Young Men's Christian Association National War Council, the Knights of Columbus war-activities committee, the Jewish welfare board for war activities, the Salvation Army war fund and the Young Women's Christian Association war work council, colored, receive \$1000 each.

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HONOR ROLL BOARD WILL BE UNVEILED

A special committee headed by Mrs. Walter Butterworth and known by the silk badges they will wear will visit every house in Wissahickon this week to secure a correct record of the Wissahickon boys in the service and to solicit subscriptions to cover the expense of the erection of an "honor roll board" on which will be printed the name of each soldier who has been in the service.

Assisting Mr. Castleman are Mr. John C. Young, secretary of the general committee; Mr. Amos Barnes, chairman of the committee on the honor roll board; Mr. Albert Tolson, Mr. J. D. Hope, Mr. James McGarrige, Mr. Ernest Wilby, Dr. J. F. Strawnicki, Mr. John Oberholzer, Mr. Walter Schopp, Mr. J. Sheldon Custer, Mr. William Oltinger, Mr. E. A. Jeffries, Mr. Alexander Russell, Mr. M. J. Nolan and Mr. Thomas Graves.

BOY SCOUTS TO AID LOAN

Washington, Aug. 25.—The Boy Scouts of America, with a membership of approximately 450,000, are called upon by President Wilson in a letter to put forth their utmost efforts to make the fourth Liberty Loan a success.

After commenting upon the record of the Boy Scouts in the three previous Liberty Loan campaigns, in which they sold \$20,169,000 worth of bonds in subscriptions numbering 1,322,619, or one out of every twenty-three subscriptions obtained, the President in his letter said:

OH, MONEY! MONEY! MONEY!

By Eleanor H. Porter Author of "Pollyanna"

CHAPTER XXI (Continued)

"BUT I was flabbergasted when a woman tackled the job and began to make love to me—actually make love to me—one day when James' back was turned. 'Gorri! I look such a fool as that, Mr. Smith? Well, anyhow there won't be any more of that kind nor anybody after my money now, I guess,' he finished with a sneer wag of his head as he turned away."

"Where was Donald Gray?" "Oh, he wasn't there. He wasn't in the room. But he came in a few minutes ago. He says he's ashamed of himself, but that he believes Henry's enough left in him to make a man of him yet. He says he's going to call on James'—"

"DREAMLAND ADVENTURES"

By DADDY SECRET OF THE HOLLOW TREE

CHAPTER I The Thistle-down Balloon

"Peggy in previous adventures has been made Princess of Birdland. Blue Jay and his gang have been banished from Birdland for wantonly destroying Farmer Dalton's fruit and vegetables."

"Don't call us rascals, Princess Peggy. You might hurt our feelings. Call us rather angel birds, for we're reformers."

"Reformed! You'll have to show me!" "Peggy was so surprised that the plank dipped right out before she knew it."

"Show you? I beg your pardon! I do—show you? I beg your pardon! I do—show you? I beg your pardon! I do—"

"Behind him, Miss Maggie still stood motionless, looking after him with troubled eyes. As the spring days grew warmer, Miss Maggie had recalled many a thing which she could not understand him at all.

"Sometimes she wondered fearfully if Mellicent could have anything to do with it. Was it possible that he had cared for Mellicent, and that she had been so happy with Donald Gray was more than he could bear."

"Miss Maggie wondered sometimes if it might not be worry over money matters that was making him so nervous and irritable on occasions now. Plainly he was very near the end of his rope."

"For a month, now, he had done nothing but a useless repetition of old work; and of late he had been down at the bank making that pretense of being busy. For days at a time he would not touch his records. That could mean but one thing, of course; he was making no move toward getting a new job."

"'Money is naper and silver and gold.' 'Like that?' Blue Jay opened his large and there rolled out on the porch a claw gold piece."

"'Why, yes. Where did you get that?'" "Peggy was much astonished."

"'In our hollow tree at Bandit's Roost, and I stole it,' answered Blue Jay. 'Come! Your airship awaits you.'"

"Wondering what this could mean, Peggy ran to the swaying balloon and seated herself on the little trappeze that dangled beneath it. A breeze caught the balloon and up it floated into the air."

ILLNESS SURVEY SHOWS CONDITIONS BAD HERE

General Health of City Reported Low Compared With Other Cities

The first illness survey ever made in this city has just been completed, showing health conditions here to be among the worst in the country.

Registered nurses canvassed 12,199 persons. Five hundred and fourteen cases of illness were discovered, or at a rate of 4.28 per 1000. These figures compare unfavorably with surveys made elsewhere.

The recent influx of negroes from the South has been a great factor in increasing the city's mortality as well as morbidity, Dr. Charles Scott Miller, chief of the Bureau of Vital Statistics, declares.

The proportion of negroes to whites who were affected with pulmonary conditions in this city is strikingly high.

Under the auspices of the Philadelphia Health Commission, a movement recently was launched among negroes for the purpose of checking the spread of tuberculosis and thereby improving the general health of the city.

Sweden's Population 5,800,847 Stockholm, July 25.—Sweden's population at the end of 1917 was 5,800,847, according to figures just made public.

Stanley MADGE KENNEDY FRIEND HUSBAND PALACE

A R C A D I A W. M. S. HART "RIDDLE GWANE"

VICTORIA THEDA BARA PALACE

REGENT MARKET ST. BELOW 17TH THE HOUSE OF MIRTH

GLOBE CONTINUOUS VAUDEVILLE RIALTO REVUE

CROSS KEYS MARKET ST. BELOW 60TH "Klara Keating's Kut-ups"

PHILADELPHIA'S LEADING THEATRES SAM S. SHUBERT THEATRE

CHU CHIN CHOW First Popular Mat. Wed. Best \$1.50

LYRIC—Seats Sale Thursday Opening Mat. Labor Day Best \$1.50

business before pleasure

WILLOW GROVE PARK JOHN SOUSA AND HIS BAND

CASINO MATINEE TODAY

Social Activities Mrs. John W. Geary, Jr., has gone to Larchmont, N.Y., to stay until the middle of next month.

Mrs. Emanuel G. Hastings Who will be remembered as Miss Anna Schuster. The marriage was performed on Saturday afternoon, at 5 o'clock, by the Rev. E. G. Kelly.