

JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Nancy Wynne Tells of What the Women of the Main Line Are Doing to Help in the Epidemic—She Speaks of Various Matters

I HEAR that the women out in Bryn Mawr, members of the Red Cross Branch No. 1, are working magnificently to help the doctors and nurses fight influenza. They have made dozens of pneumonia jackets for the Emergency Hospital which is to be opened at Lancaster Inn and are at the masks and jackets again today.

Eleanor McDay, who is a trained nurse, has been doing the most wonderful volunteer work. She has gone around among the people in Bryn Mawr and vicinity and has nursed and helped in every way. In some cases conditions have been indeed appalling. The regular visiting nurse who is connected with the Social Service Bureau of Bryn Mawr Hospital worked as hard as she could to combat the disease, and Miss McDay has been doing her work too. Imagine in one case she went to a house, and the woman called her in and begged her to help her. There she was half-sick herself and five little children in one room, all burning up with fever and very ill with the influenza and in the next tiny room a sixth child that had died that morning. It is heart-rending. But I firmly believe that much can be done by keeping cool and not getting "panicky."

UPPER DARBY GETS EMERGENCY HOSPITAL

Garage Taken Over to Care for Drexel Hill, Bywood and Other Patients

Following a midnight meeting of the Board of Health of Upper Darby Township, which takes in the Drexel Hill, Bywood, Highland Park sections west of Sixty-ninth street terminating at a golden gate way from the west, an emergency hospital to combat the spread of influenza in the district.

Equipped with lanterns, the board inspected the garage of the Drexel Hill Motor Company, on Garrett road, and commandeered the building. Today the board began the task of equipping a field hospital to be used as a first-aid station until the epidemic shall have abated.

Dr. Nathaniel Gildersleeve, of the faculty of the University of Pennsylvania Dental School, volunteered to take charge of the organization of the hospital. The State and Government health authorities operating in Delaware County in the Chester section are co-operating.

Although conditions in the eastern end of Delaware County are not yet alarming, the emergency hospital was decided upon by the Board of Health because of the report that city hospitals in this district—Chester and Ridley Park—had all been filled, and that the Upper Darby physicians were unable to keep pace with the situation.

Red Cross chapters at Drexel Hill and Highland Park are assisting. Five companies tomorrow will clean up the place. Appas have been made throughout the district for beds, coats, linens, medicine, etc., and it is expected that the emergency hospital will be equipped over Sunday and possibly ready for opening Monday.

MORE WOMEN NEEDED FOR SAFE WAR PLANTS

Workers Wanted to Make Uniforms, Gas Masks and Parts of Airplanes

A steady demand for women workers comes from the war industries, where, though thousands of workers are already giving the best that is in them, thousands more are needed to turn out equipment for the American army.

The larger proportion of women apply for clerical positions, often with but a hazy idea of what they are. Excellent salaries are offered for the war work whether the workers come trained or untrained.

PENN POOLROOM CLOSED

No More Billiards at Houston Hall During Epidemic

The billiard room of Houston Hall, at the University of Pennsylvania, was closed today by an order from the Board of Health. This and all other institutions connected with Pennsylvania have been kept open because the University is now a military organization.

THE Rev. G. D. Adams called on Judge Owl. He was wearing her, it was Judge Owl.

MRS. LIVINGSTON LUDLOW BIDDLE



Mrs. Biddle is in the hospital at Bryn Mawr, suffering from influenza. Her condition is considered favorable.

THE GILDED MAN

It was too thick to reveal to an outsider the interior of the palace. That some kind of vitreous substance filled these openings was evident from the flashes of light reflected on their surfaces.

CHAPTER XVII (Continued)

THE fanciful story, the fabulous ambivalence of the palace before her, increased the sense of unreality and mystery filling Naerva's mind as she listened to Narva.

COLONEL JARVIS ADVANCED

Cousin of Philadelphia Now a Brigadier General

Colonel Melville S. Jarvis, of the army, first cousin of Mrs. Anna T. Jarvis, of this city, founder of Mother's Day, has been advanced to the rank of brigadier-general by President Wilson.

SOUTH PHILADELPHIA STREETS VERY FILTHY

McKean, Between Fifth and Sixth, in Bad Condition—Alleys Laden With Refuse

(Pictures illustrating this article are printed on the back page.)

Fifth and rubbish still abound in numerous downtown streets, despite the influenza epidemic which is the strongest possible incentive for clean highways.

A tour of certain sections of South Philadelphia reveals streets and alleys encumbered with garbage, filth, waste paper, decayed vegetables and all the rags and bits of grem-dind refuse.

McKean street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, is another very much neglected thoroughfare. Paper, fruit parings, decayed vegetables and other refuse litter the street.

M'KENTY WOULD ENLIST CONVICTS FOR WAR WORK

Suggests They Be Put Into Army or Given Jobs in Munition Plants

Warden (Bob) McKenty, of the Eastern Penitentiary, is strongly in favor of enlisting inmates of penal institutions during the war and giving them a chance to either enlist or work in munition plants.

THE REV. G. D. ADAMS CALLED

Chestnut Street Baptist Pastor Wanted by Mount Vernon, N. Y.

The Rev. George D. Adams, pastor of the Chestnut Street Baptist Church, Forth Street and Chestnut streets, has received a call from the First Baptist Church, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., to succeed the late Rev. C. H. Adams.

GIRL WAR GARDENER

Wins Prize for Putting Up Fruits and Vegetables

Margaret Odenberg, a student in the Benjamin Franklin Grammar School at Lancaster, Pa., has been awarded a prize certificate for proficiency in "sold-packing" vegetables and preserves.

OPEN MAIN LINE HOSPITAL

Society Women Helped Fix Up Inn for Epidemic Emergency

HOUSEWORK DECLARED PATRIOTIC PROFESSION

Y. W. C. A. Worker Devises Document That Helps Solve Problem of Servants

(Cooking, sweeping, dusting and general housework will come into their own, not as lowly tasks to be performed by jumble drudges or militant biddies, but as fine art, dignified art and art which can be appreciated by all mankind from the cradle to the grave.)

It is the way the document reads: "Resolved, That it is just as patriotic for a girl to work at domestic service in a home as it is to make ammunition or to enter a war industry."

At the same meeting it was pointed out that for patriotic reasons girls should work where they were needed most.

Many women have already quietly, without any vulgar display of patriotism or, for that matter, without realizing that they were patriotic, have gone down to their kitchens and mastered the intricate art of cooking.

DREAMLAND ADVENTURES

By DADDY

THE GIPSY'S CHARM

CHAPTER V Peggy Uses Her Dagger

PEGGY had urged the Gipsy children on their dance. The musicians were three old gipsies, one with a violin, one with an accordion, and one with a zither.

MCCROSSIN GOING OVER

Athletic Leader Will Serve With Knights of Columbus

MISSING DOCTOR RETURNS

Found in Frankford Hospital in Collapse After Epidemic Strain

HAMETT, WILL PROBABLY

Crew-Levick Company Manager Left Estate of \$130,000 to Family

Loan Reveille Sounded

by Franklin K. Lane

Franklin K. Lane, Secretary of the League, sends from Washington this little call to citizens of the Third Federal Reserve District.



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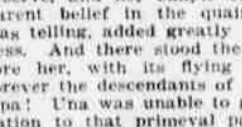
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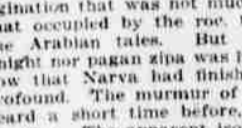
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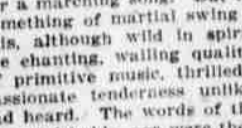
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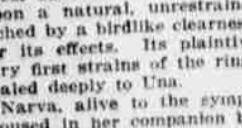
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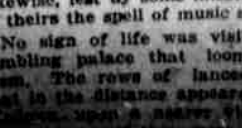
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MRS. HUGH M. NORTH, JR. Of Columbia, Pa., who has been appointed by Secretary McAdoo as chairman of the women's committee of the Fourth Liberty Loan committee of Delaware County. Mrs. North is also...

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