

PHILADELPHIA SOLDIERS HOME

Major James G. Ridder Among the Returning Fighters

LIEUT. BALDI ARRIVES

Captain Godfrey and Lieut. Pearce Here After Valiant Service in France

Thirteen more Pennsylvanians, including eleven from Philadelphia, have arrived home from overseas service...

The returning soldiers are: Major James G. Ridder, banker, 115 South Fourth street.

Captain William S. Godfrey, 248 Bourne Building.

Lieutenant Davis P. Pearce, Ardmore.

Lieutenant C. F. Westing, 1215 Walnut street.

Lieutenant Robert McDowell Lukens.

Lieutenant Frederick C. Baldi.

Corporal James M. Boyle, 2414 Bolton street.

Corporal Paul Clapper, 1831 Chestnut street.

Private William Schumaker, 24 West Stella street.

Private Blagio Barholm, 703 Montrose street.

Private William Silverman, 1910 North Thirty-second street.

Lieutenant C. B. Dowd, Reading, Pa.

Corporal Earl H. Coranum, Carlisle, Pa.

All the men except Lieutenant Baldi and Lieutenant Lukens returned on the Adriatic.

Stirring Experiences

The returning soldiers are in good health. Many of them have had through stirring experiences during their service with the armies of the Allies.

Lieutenant Baldi, who is a son of Chevalier C. A. Baldi, returns after service with the British medical forces in Belgium.

He frequently was under fire in the regions about Ypres, but escaped wounds.

Two brothers of Lieutenant Baldi still are in France. All enlisted upon the declaration of war.

Lieutenant Lukens, who returns after eighteen months' service, was first posted in the trenches as a regimental surgeon in the British army.

Later he was assigned to service with the Forty-seventh British Field Artillery Corps at Cambrai. There he was transferred to the "Red Cross" hospital in Paris with the American forces.

Lieutenant Lukens was graduated from Jefferson Medical College, class of 1912.

He comes home bringing high praise for the manner in which Philadelphia soldiers conducted themselves through the war.

Regarding the American soldier in general, Lieutenant Lukens said: "No soldier at the front could equal them when it came to fighting."

Major Ridder, who is associated in the bond business with A. B. Leach & Co. at the South Fourth street address, has been in France for fourteen months.

Part of this time he served as an aide on the staff of general Pershing. He had unadvised praise for the work done by Major D'Oller, of this city.

Major D'Oller is associated with Franklin D'Oller & Co. on the same street, Chestnut at Third street.

He organized the salvage plan of the American army in 1917.

"Today," said Major Ridder, "it is one of the most important branches of the American service."

Served in Argonne

Captain Godfrey and Lieutenant Pearce were attached to the Chemical Warfare Service.

The former was associated with the Thirtieth and the latter with the Fiftieth Corps of this branch.

After seven weeks' instruction at Chantonnay these officers saw service in the Argonne region.

The corps was formed a year ago.

Captain Westing fought with the Fifty-fifth Royal Fielding Squad of the British army.

On March 24, 1918, he took part in the first repulse raid organized by the British.

At an altitude of 18,000 feet his squadron flew over Mannheim. "This was a distance of 12 miles," he said, "half a dozen of our men were attacked by twenty-four German Albatrosses.

Another British and myself were brought down and I was hit by an anti-aircraft gun bullet. I volunteered and on the way down put a boche out of business. I was in a prison camp where food and conditions were terrible.

When the armistice was signed I was sent home with other Britishers.

Corporals Boyle and Coranum taught rifle shooting and coached 200 men a week in the use of firearms.

Corporal Clapper was shot in the lungs at Fismes. He recovered and later was in the thick of fighting in the Argonne sector.

Private Bartholme's right arm was shattered by a machine-gun bullet in the Ypres district.

This was on October 21. He was at the time connected with Company H, 14th Infantry.

FIFTH OF REGISTRANTS ALIENS

92,646 Foreigners Among 441,013 Signers in Draft Here

More than one-fifth of the 441,013 men between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years registered in the city of Philadelphia under the draft law, were aliens.

The whole number of aliens registered in the city was 92,646, being 28 per cent of the total.

This information was made public in Harrisburg last night by Major Murdoch, head of the draft in Pennsylvania.

The totals by local draft boards are as follows:

Table with 3 columns: No., Name, and Age. Lists names like No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26.

OBSERVE GOLDEN WEDDING

Orkney Street Couple Showered With Gifts on Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McCann, 2748 North Orkney street, today were showered with gifts and congratulations by friends and relatives.

The occasion being their golden wedding anniversary.

Fifty years ago, Mr. McCann married Miss Alice Seery, in Preston, England.

They came to Philadelphia ten years later. Mr. McCann is seventy-three years old and Mrs. McCann is sixty-eight.

They have nine children and twenty-three grandchildren, all living. Mr. McCann is still active as a bridge builder.

Grand Organ, 9, 11 and 4:50 Chimes at Stroke of Noon

WANAMAKER'S

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WEATHER Fair

Good Home News From the Down Stairs Store at Wanamaker's



Beautiful Spring Hats

These are important days in the Millinery Salons. Hundreds of Spring hats are going to new owners every day...

Monday morning will find particularly lovely things at

\$5 and \$8

Here are smart little lisere turbans with decided lines and a flash of quills. Or brimmed hats with heavy, grosgrain ribbon used in an upright ruffle around the crowns.

Copies of French Hats

are also ready. The originals have been in this country only a matter of days, so the modes are the newest. The prices are quite moderate.

Spring Shows in the New Blouses

Quite a number of fresh, pretty lingerie blouses have just come in. They are all of soft voile, with Valenciennes lace used in many, many ways.

Two new tub silk blouses are \$4.75. In simple and attractive styles in flesh color and white.

Petticoats Short and Long

All are of good white muslin with neat flounces of embroidery or lace. At \$1, a long white petticoat with a double ruffle; the top one of pretty embroidery.

At \$2.50, a generously full petticoat with a deep embroidery flounce.

At 75c, four styles of short petticoats with lace or embroidery flounces.

Special Groups of Frocks at Little Prices

40 Dresses at \$9.75

These are of satin, serge and velveteen trimmed with braid or buttons. Mostly but one or two of a kind. Some were originally marked twice as much.



\$15

80 Dresses at \$12

Twill serge frocks with Russian blouses or double tier skirts. Others are quite plainly tailored. Navy and black, principally.

95 Dresses at \$15

These are all-serge dresses; some are trimmed with braid, some have embroidered panels on the skirts, some show roll collars of satin.

100 Crepe Meteor Dresses at \$23.75

Very Close to Wholesale Beautiful new frocks of soft, lovely silk made in eight different styles. They are in soft wood browns, navy and Copenhagen blues, taupe, green and black and are especially suited to women who like good materials and conservative styles.

Pretty Frocks of Taffeta start at \$16.75 for a fresh and rustling frock with a deep, pointed overskirt and go, with pleasant stops, at \$24.75, \$29.75 and \$38.50 to \$42.50.

Plenty of Women's Shoes at \$4.90 a Pair

Gray kidskin shoes have tops of cloth or of kidskin to match. The vamps are plain or have imitation straight or imitation wing tips.

Black kidskin shoes have tops of gray kidskin. They have imitation wing tips and medium heels.

Sturdy shoes of brown calfskin with high, straight heels and with low or medium heels have double tips. Others have imitation square wing tips and heels a trifle higher than medium.

Children's Shoes Are Special at \$1.15 and \$1.35 a Pair

Sizes 2 to 5 are \$1.15.

Sizes 5 to 8 are \$1.35.

You may choose shoes of tan kidskin, black kidskin and black patent leather. Some of them have white tops.

Sturdy Stockings for Boys—35c Three Pair for \$1

Heavy weight black ribbed cotton stockings in sizes 7 to 12. "Seconds," but good ones.

A Jaunty Tie

Will give a pretty touch to a white blouse.

Windsor ties in plaids, stripes and plain light and dark colors are 35c to 60c.

And Middy ties for school girls are 75c to \$1.25. In navy blue, red and black, either long or triangle shape.

Two Little Groups of Skirts Wear Lowered Prices Monday

This group includes wool velour and serge skirts in plaids of various kinds in regular sizes. And gray plaid serge skirts in extra sizes.

At \$12.50

Some new models of black and navy serge, light striped serge, pleated, plaid wool velours and plain black and taupe satins.

Men's Suits in the Right Weight for Right Now

All-around good business suits you'll pronounce this special collection of 290 suits. Some are from our own stocks, some are new and bought at lessened prices.

They are Wanamaker-standard suits in every particular — with pure wool fabrics, careful cutting and conscientious making as first essentials. The styles are rather conservative, though there are plenty of waistline coats for the younger men.

85 suits are \$22

100 suits are \$23.50

105 suits are \$26.50

Silk-Top Combination Suits for Women

They are of finely ribbed white cotton with a top of pink or white glove silk. Low neck, sleeveless style with band tops and tight knees. \$1.50 a suit.

Pink Bloomers 35c, Three for \$1

Pink knitted cotton bloomers with elastic at the waist and knees. They are "seconds," but the imperfections are slight.

Spring Is Triumphant in the Little Gray Salon of Women's Coats

There is a vivacity about the new Spring wraps that we like to contemplate. They are so refreshingly new.

Cape Coats Blouse Coats Dolmans and Capes are of suede velour, duvetyne, silvertip, cashmere velour, bolivia, tricotine, serge and combinations of satin with heavier materials.

Winter Coats Are Marked Low

and many wise women and young girls are getting values that they will always be glad of, for they are saving a large amount of money. Many of the better coats are handsomely trimmed with fur.

Who Could Resist Spring Suits Such Days as These?

Wool Jersey for Sports

There are toppy models in these sports suits in Pekin blue, plum, sand, navy and Copenhagen blue at \$28.75 to \$33.50.

Poplin and Serge for Service

The poplin and serge suits show much flat braid and rows of buttons and belts are often fastened with buckles. A poplin suit at \$27.50 is sketched.

Novel Sample Suits

of mannish serge or tricotine are mostly one of a kind. Special at \$32.50.

Other attractive models are of gabardine, tricotine or serge. Prices go from \$25 to \$55.

Children's Blankets

are soft and warm. They are made of thick cotton blanketing in blue or pink with figures of bow knots, teddy bears or bunnies, and the blankets are reversible.

Size 30 x 40 inches is \$1.

Size 36 x 50 inches is \$1.75.

Warm Sleeping Garments

Gray or white fleecelined cotton sleeping garments with feet are re-enforced where they would be likely to stretch.

For girls or boys of 1 year to 3 years, they are \$1.25; up to 8 years, \$1.50.

A New School Term Is Beginning and Supplies Are Needed

The Commercial Stationery section in the Down Stairs Store makes a specialty of school supplies, with the result that grammar school pupils, girls or boys in high school and even students in college may secure their supplies here.

Anything from paper clips to mechanical drawing outfits may be secured all in the one section.

White Crepe Bloomers at 75c, Special

Of sturdy white crepe with elastic at the waist and knees.

Sturdy White Goods

27-inch mercerized white poplin, 40c and 50c a yard.

34-inch uniform linene, 35c a yard.

A finer uniform cloth, 36 inches wide, is 60c and 60c a yard.

Fine twill gabardine, 36 inches wide, 65c, 75c and \$1 a yard.

Fine cord pique, 36 inches wide, 58c, 68c and \$1 a yard.

Fancy white lawns, 27 inches wide, 18c and 22c a yard.

Two Dainty Nightgowns Special at \$1.50

They are simply made, but their daintiness lies in their soft materials. Both are slip-over "nights" of white muslin; one style with a plain casing and shirring; the other hemstitched and shirred in color.

Silver-plated Tableware at Savings of 1/4 to 1/3

This silverware is all in the same pattern, so that a complete matched set can be made up from it. It is in excellent taste and simple enough to keep clean easily.

At \$1 for Six

Teaspoons

Orange spoons

Berry forks

Nut picks

At \$2 for Six

Table spoons

Soup spoons

Iced tea spoons

Oyster forks

Salad forks

Butter spreaders

At 35c Each

Pickle forks

Sugar spoons

Butter knives

A Set of Six Dinner Knives and Six Forks Is \$4.50

A knife, fork and spoon set for a child is \$1.

At 75c Each

Berry spoons

Cold meat forks

Pie knives

Tomato servers

Cream ladles

36-Inch Bleached Muslin, 20c a Yard 36-Inch Unbleached Muslin, 19c a Yard

All-Wool Blankets Special \$10 a Pair

Warm, soft blankets of pure wool, warp and filling, are in silver gray, Scotch plaid and in pink and blue block plaids.

Indian Blankets These cotton blankets are in gay Indian designs and are \$5 each. Couch throws in similar designs are \$5.

Sheets and Pillow Cases Reduced Seamless sheets of clean white muslin of a durable quality are marked at lowered prices.

Embroidered Pillow Cases, \$1 a Pair These are of evenly woven muslin and each pair is in a separate box. Some have embroidered initials, others have a wreath or spray and space for a monogram.

36 Inch White Cheesecloth, 10c a Yard

These are all scalloped around the edges and some have a little embroidery. In various sizes.

Round Doilies 4-inch size at 5c each. 8-inch size, 8c to 18c each. 10-inch size at 18c each. 12-inch size at 15c and 25c each.

Centerpieces 18-inch size at 25c and 45c each. Oval Doilies 6x8 inches at 7c and 10c each. 7x10 inches at 12 1/2c each. 9x13 inches at 15c and 25c each.

A Little Lot of Madeira Centerpieces at \$1 in two good sizes; 17 and 22-inch. They have been considerably more regularly, some even twice as much.

Linen Doilies and Centerpieces Half Price

These are all scalloped around the edges and some have a little embroidery. In various sizes.

Round Doilies 4-inch size at 5c each. 8-inch size, 8c to 18c each. 10-inch size at 18c each. 12-inch size at 15c and 25c each.

Centerpieces 18-inch size at 25c and 45c each. Oval Doilies 6x8 inches at 7c and 10c each. 7x10 inches at 12 1/2c each. 9x13 inches at 15c and 25c each.

A Little Lot of Madeira Centerpieces at \$1 in two good sizes; 17 and 22-inch. They have been considerably more regularly, some even twice as much.

366 Good Carpet Size Rugs at Prices Surprisingly Low

4.6 x 6.6 Feet 4 Axminster rugs at \$10.

4.6 x 7.6 Feet 11 Plain color velvet rugs at \$15. 12 Wilton rugs, fringed, at \$21.

6 x 9 Feet 6 Seamless Axminster rugs of the heaviest grade at \$24.50. 6 Seamed Axminster rugs of a standard grade at \$22.50. 12 Seamless plain-color velvet rugs at \$22.50. 26 Wilton rugs, fringed, at \$35.

7.6 x 9 Feet 11 Seamless Axminster rugs of the heaviest grade at \$29.50. 5 Wool-and-fiber rugs of heavy quality at \$9.50.

8.3 x 10.6 Feet 35 Wool-and-fiber rugs of heavy quality at \$12.50. 21 Seamless tapestry rugs of standard quality at \$28.50. 2 Seamless Axminster rugs of standard quality at \$33.50. 7 Seamed Axminster rugs of standard quality at \$37.50. 9 Seamless plain-color velvet rugs at \$37.50. 11 Seamless Axminster rugs of the heaviest grade at \$39.50. 12 Wilton rugs of standard grade at \$52. 9 Wilton rugs, with fringed ends, at \$57.50.

9 x 12 Feet 59 Seamless Tapestry rugs of standard quality at \$29.50. 2 Seamless Wilton velvet rugs, in plain colors, at \$36.50. 9 Seamless velvet rugs, in plain colors, at \$40. 7 Seamless Axminster rugs of the heaviest grade at \$45. 15 Seamed Wilton rugs of standard grade at \$56.75. 8 Seamed Wilton rugs, with fringed ends, at \$75.

9 x 15 Feet 4 Wool-and-fiber rugs of heavy grade at \$18. 2 Seamless Axminster rugs of standard quality at \$56. 8 Wilton rugs of standard grade at \$86.50.

12 x 12 Feet 7 Wool-and-fiber rugs of heavy grade at \$19.50.

12 x 15 Feet 6 Wool-and-fiber rugs of heavy grade at \$23.50.

Axminster Hall Runners of Standard Quality 15 runners, 3x12 feet, at \$9.50. 3 runners, 3x15 feet, at \$11.50. 3 runners, 3x16.6 feet, at \$13.50. 6 runners, 3x19 feet, at \$15. 1 runner, 3x19.6 feet, at \$16. 1 runner, 3x23.6 feet, at \$17.50.

High-Grade Body Brussels Rugs are in patterns suitable for bedrooms. 6 rugs, 6x6 feet, at \$16. 2 rugs, 6x10.6 feet, \$25. 3 rugs, 6.9x12 feet, \$31.

And Plenty of Rag Rugs in the Big Sale Their prices are 10% to 50% less than regular, which brings them down to 65c for a Colonial rag rug, 24x36 inches, up to \$12.50 for a gingham rag rug, 9x12 feet. And all kinds of Colonial hit-or-miss rugs, gingham rag rugs and plain-color rag rugs are included.

A Fine, Fresh Lot of Aprons

At 35c, dainty white lawn tea aprons with hemstitched ruffles and pocket.

At 50c, percale aprons in light grounds with colored stripes or figures, edged with ric-rac braid.

At \$1, big bungalow aprons of striped percale, made with short sleeves and with belts. They have pockets and elastic at the waist and are trimmed with braid.