JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Invitations for Raben-Pappenheim Wedding Received Here Saturday—Major Henry Norris Home—Miss Heckscher Attends Princeton "Prom"-Mountaineers Benefit

ALTHOUGH the wedding took place last | turned to their home at Toms River. N. J., after a week's visit at the Brighton. Atlantic attend it only reached the family on Saturday, and the wedding I am talking about is Pauline Pappenheim and Count Raben's. Her mother, Countess Pappenheim, sent invitations to a number of her old friends here, too, and so on Saturday we learned that the wedding took place in St. Margaret's Church, Westminster, at 2:15 o'clock on Tuesday, March 4, and was followed by a reception at the counteas's house in London at 15 Mansfield street.

MAJOR HENRY NORRIS, by the way, who married Miss Ethel Wheeler, an aunt of the Countess Pauline, returned to this country on Friday, and Mrs. Norris came up from North Carolina to meet him. They were to return home after a short stay in Bryn Mawr at Mrs. Charles Wheeler's home, though Mrs. Wheeler her self is still down at the Norris place, and then to go down to her, but since he has arrived Mrs. Norris has sent word to her eister, Mrs. Dick Elliot, who is at Bryn Mawr, that Major Norris is invalided and will probably have to be some time in one of this city's hospitals. They are coming to Philadelphia on Monday and Mrs. Norris will stay at her mother's place with the Elliots while Major Norris is here.

Mrs. Wheeler was joined last week by Hannah Hobart, her son Charlie Wheeler's stepdaughter, and they will remain at the Norris house in North Carolina for several weeks.

TUTE Philadelphia Auxiliary of the Southern Industrial Educational Association, the Philadelphia Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy and the educational committee of the Philomusian Club-all of hat-are going to have a meeting today at S o'clock in the Junior Room of the Bellevue. General Waller will preside, and talks will be given by Mr. C. C. Calhoun, of Washington, and Miss Susanne Grigsby, of the Hindman School in Kentucky. The subjects are to be Americanization, education, conservation and recreation, and the whole thing is in the interest of the returning soldiers of the southern mountains.

There are so many fine characters among the mountaineers that these organizations are trying to bring them before the attention of people "out in the world," and at the same time to take to them the education and culture of the outsiders, or "foreigners" as they usually call people, from other states. All this, and some awfully interesting stories of those people and the hardships that they go through in order to get their education and their civilization, in spite of no roads, flooded mountain creeks cutting them off from everywhere and things that we never even think about up here, will be told at the meeting today. e committee in charge of the meeting includes Mrs. Louis Lewis, Mrs. A. M. Butler, Mrs. P. H. Lane, Mrs. William K. Beard, Mrs. Alfred P. Lee and Mrs. Victor Cochran.

VIRGINIA HECKSCHER is going up to Princeton on the 14th to attend the Prom. She is the daughter of the Ledyard Heckschers, of Bolingbroke, Radnor, and a granddaughter of the late Mr. Charles Brierly Hart. She is a sister of Barbara and Ethel and Ledyard H. Heckscher, It goes without saying that she will have a good time at the Rrom, for undoubtedly the dance will not be the only "feature" there are always shows, games, club teas

Mrs. Harold E. Roberts and her mother. Mrs. Frank La Barre, of Overbrook, are spending two weeks in Atlantic City.

Miss Edith I. Wilson and Miss Dorothy Wilson, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. Clif-ford Wilson, of 242 South Thirteenth street, are spending some time at Atlantic City.

Among the Philadelphia guests at the Chel-sea, Atlantic City, for last week were Mra. William McCandless and her daughter, Miss Elizabeth McCandless, accompanied by Miss Laura Jones and Mrs. Walker, of 4214 Spruce street. Miss Evelyn Vandergrift was the guest of Mrs. McCandless over the week-end. Miss Vandergrift's engagement to Mr. Wil-liam McCandless, of Pittsburgh, was recently announced.

The senior class of the Stevens School gave The senior class of the Stevens School gave its annual dance on Saturday evening at the Philadelphia Cricket Club. The affair was in charge of the officers of the class. Miss Freda Gillespie, president; Miss Carolyn Troemner, vice president, and Miss Kathryn Eimerbrink, secretary, and the hostcesses were Miss Mary Bentley, principal of the school; Miss Mary Miles, associate principal; Mrs. A. Lincoin Gillespie, Mrs. Henry E. Troemner, Mrs. C. H. Eimerbrink and Mrs. Alfred C. Sands. Alfred C. Sands.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hey, of 6816 Linoff and are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son. Richard Hey, Jr., on Thursday, February 27. Mrs. Hey will be remembered as Miss Marie Neill, daugh-ter of Mr. and Mrs. Harman S. Neill, of 1634 South Presed stress South Broad street.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert D. Barton, formerly All and are Albert D. Barton, to the in of Germantown, who have been living in Holmesburg for some time, will return to Germantown this spring.

Mrs. Joseph J. Greer will entertain at luncheon and bridge on Thuraday at her home. 6560 Lincoln drive. Her guests will include Mrs. John Gay, Mrs. Earl Stewart, Mrs. A. Theodore Abbott, Mrs. Charles Her-bert Stoer. Mrs. Henry D. Boenning. Mrs. Roy A. Mainwaring. Miss Dorothy Groves. Mrs. William L. Gruhler. Miss Helen Koch, Mrs. Herbert F. Rappold, Mrs. Charles Fisher, Mrs. C. Edwin Dearniey and Mrs. Ethel Cook. Mrs. Herbert F. Rappold, Mrs. Charles Fisher, Mrs. C. Edwin Dearnley and Mrs. Ethel Cook.

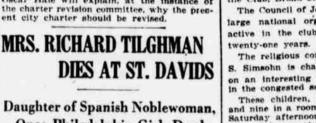
Mrs. William J. Mellon and Miss Mellon have returned to their home in Wissahickom after spending some time in Atlantic City.

Miss Christine A. Mullins was entertained at a linen shower, given in her honor by Miss Mary A. Houseman at her home. 3446 A street, last week. The guests included Miss Cecilia Geiger, Mrs. Bernard Naughton, Miss May Mullins, Mrs. Tille McNells, Miss Eliza-beth Houseman, Mrs. Joseph Nerz, Mrs. James Gavin, Mrs. Sarah Mullins and Mrs. Mary Houseman. The announcement of Miss Mullins's engagement to Mr. M. William Feuerstein was recently made. The wedding will take place in the early spring.

TALKS ON WAR AND CHARTER

Oak Lane Park Improvement Association to Give Ladies' Night

A ladies' night "extraordinary" will be given by the Oak Lane Park Improvement Associa-tion in the Reformed Church, Seventh street and Sixty-sixth avenue, toright. John L. Craig, who recently returned from France, where he served with the Y. M. C. A., will tell of his experiences, and Oscar Hale will explain, at the instance of the chatter revision committee, why the order the charter revision committee, why the pres-ent city charter should be revised.



Once Philadelphia Girl, Dead at St. Davids

Mrs. Richard Tilghman, daughter of the late Marquis and Marquise de Potestd, the latter a lady-in-waiting to Queen Isabella of Spain, died today at her home, Tulip Hill, St. Davids, Pa. She had been ill for several weeks.



Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Franklin F. Cartledge, whose engagement to Mr. John W. Alexander, of Elkton, Md., was announced on Saturday

JEWISH WOMEN PLAN AFTERNOON OF MUSIC

Gives Excellent Performance of **Ravel and Beethoven** String Quartets

FLONZALEY QUARTET

The Flonzaley Quartet gave its second concert of the season before the Chamber Music Association in the ballroom of the Bellevue-Stratford yesterday afternoon. Two quartets were played, the M major of Ravel and the C major, op. 59, No. 3, of Beethoven. The compositions formed a strong contrast to each other, but more in spirit than in sound, for the Beethoven sounded

as fresh and as modern as the Ravel compositio The Ravel quartet came first on the pro-

gram. It is one of the most significant of nodern French chamber compositions, standing on a plane with the Debussy G minor quartet and only a little below that model of all modern French quartet writers, the D minor of Cesar Franck. In spirit and originality the Ravel far outclasses other mod-

ern French quartets-those of D'Indry, Faure

HOSPITAL FUND SOUGHT WELFARE WORKERS AID HOME-BOUND SOLDIERS BY NEW CENTURY GUILD

evening

\$:30 o'clock.

All Organizations Have Men on **Transports to Give Cheer** to Heroes

As soon as the homeward-bound soldier steps on the transport a thousand questions

How will be find things when he gets back there? Will be get his job back again? Or, failing that, what will be be able to do? If wounded, disabled—how will be live? And his mother, wife, children or other dependents —how will they make out? The fighting enthusiasm has left him: fears, doubts, depressions, too often get hold

of him. He wants to ask this and that. To whom shall be go? The faithful welfare worker is there on

board the crowded troopship as he was in the trench, at the hospital and at canton-ment. The "Y" has had its transport worker accompanying the returning "doughbors" and "gobs" since June.

More recently the government has given passports to the other welfare agencies, in-cluding the American Red Cross, the Knights of Columbus and the Jewish Welfare Board. Each has one or more men, depending upon the size of the ship, to look after the heroes. Transport workers say there is no one more easily made happy no one more easily made to feel sad than the man who has been

made to feel and than the man who has been through hell for a great cause and is now returning, he knows not to what. So the transport worker gets into the heart of the man and makes him forget about him-self and keeps him in good spirits, which often means good health, by getting up a ministrel show or other-entertainment for him.

Or the worker answers his questions and advises him. He gives him unlimited writing

advises nim. He gives him unlimited writing paper and envelopes. The "doughboy" has generally much loose change in his pocket for which, before he gues on board, the transport worker gives him good old United States money, without any charge, according to the current rate of exchange. exchange.

ART FEDERATION NAMES MEMORIAL BODY HERE

Practical Designs to Be Made Available for Honoring War Heroes

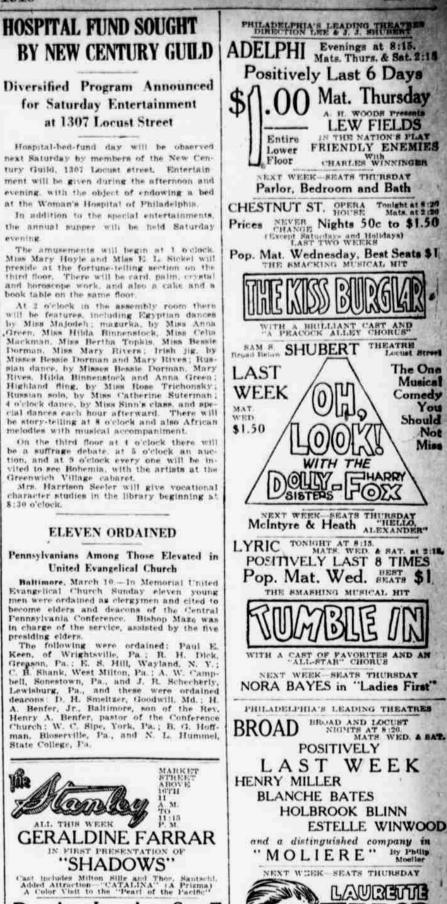
The American Federation of Arts has apsointed a general committee on war memorials, whose services and advice are at the call of those throughout the United States who are considering the erection of war memorials.

memorials. The purpose of this committee is to deal with the entire subject of war memorials in such a way as to afford assistance to offi-cials, commissions and committees who are earnestly endeavoring to make the memorials of the great war express in a permanently satisfactory manner feelings of honor, sacri-fice and patriotism. IN FINE CONCERT

of the great war express in a permanently satisfactory manner feelings of honor, sacri-fice and patriotism. The general committee had directed the formation of special regional committees, which are generally to be appointed by the chairman; but it was left to Arnold W. Brunner to appoint the New York regional committee, to Morris Gray to appoint the Boston committee and to Andrew Wright Crawford to appoint the Philadelphia regional committee. The names of the Philadelphia committee were announced as follows: An-drew Wright Crawford, Thomas Bayard, Mrs. Edward W. Biddle, Edward W. Bok, Charles J. Cohen, George W. Dawson, Otto F. Ege, Wilson Eyre, Jr., George Gibbs, Spencer Gil-bert, Charles Grafty, William F. Gray, J. McLure Hamilton, John Story Jenks, Jr., Archibaid Johnson, J. Horace McFarland, Mrs. J. Willis Martin, Lesile W. Miller, Thomas I., Montgomery, Clement B. Newbold, Ell Kirk Price, J. I., Shay, Thomas Kibby Smith, Horace Weils Selters, John P. E. Sinkler, Mrs. Cornelius Stevenson, Joseph E. Widener, Warren Wilbur.

Structural Memorials

Each of the members of the Philadelphis regional committee and the general commit-ter is available for conference, without cost "Too often it has happened that war monuments in the past have taken the form of stone or metal soldlers with likle or no varia-tion in design and utterly devold of artistic feeling and expression—the product of the shop," says a statement by the committee, "not the studio. The American artist should be called upon to design and execute any structural memorial of this war, and in every says a statement by the committee





and things up at Princeton. HEAR that the Community Center Llbrary of Bryn Mawr is to be extended for the benefit of the people of the Main Line in general. This new branch will include all the newest novels of the day and will undoubtedly be an awful help out there, where there are no large public libraries and such things. Mrs. George C. Thayer, Mrs. Nathan Hayward, Mrs. J. Stanley Reeves, Mrs. Horatio Gates Lloyd, Mrs. Charles Sinnickson, 3d, Mrs. Theodore Spencer and Mrs. Emiyn L. Stewardson are to have charge of the arrangements and organization.

Council's Religious Committee Will Hear Paper by Mrs. Stern, **Illustrated With Songs** The religious committee of the Council of Jewish Women will give an afternoon to Jewish composers tomorrow at the Mercantile Club, Broad street above Master.

The Council of Jewish Women is part of a large national organization and has been active in the club life of Philadelphia for The religious committee, of which Mrs. J. S. Simsohn is chairman, has been carrying

on an interesting work among the children in the congested sections of the city.

in the congested sections of the city. These children, some of whom live eight and nine in a room, are brought together on Saturday afternoons in nine sections of the city, and are given talks on ethical and other subjects. They are taught the Ten Commandments and the value of cleanliness and given a chance to show the patriotic spirit, which runs high among them. They are also taught the traditional Jewish melo-dies.

The Council of Jewish Women reaches 1000

HE'S a big boy; big enough, indeed, to know his alphabet-and wear everybody's life out spelling it wherever he sees any of it. His mother found him the other day studiously picking out the letters on the large calendar out in the kitchen. Aside from the fact that he called the "c' an "o," he really got it very well. He's been so good about learning that on Saturday afternoon Mother took him into town with her and told him he would give him a treat-treat suggesting to her mind candy, ice cream or a toy.

So, after they had had a hair-cut, during which he spelled "cat" and "rat" and se on for the barber, and Mother had bought some gloves and a few uninteresting things like spools and lace, she asked him which he would like to have. And to her amazement Son replied that he would like to have some soap. Quick to take advantage of the first appearance of any desire for cleanliness, however unheard of, Mother hustled him to the soap counfer and picked out the prettiest purple cake she could find. But that didn't suit. He wanted just a plain yellow cake, and as soon as he showed it to her the reason became apparent-it was marked "Soap," in large, easy-to-read letters.

And Son fell on it with ecstatic chuckles and remarking in dreamy tones, "8-no-S-O-Mother, what's this letter?" was led out of the store unprotesting.

NANCY WYNNE.

Social Activities

Word has been received by Mrs. Thomas E. Baird, of Villanova, of the engagement of her son, Major Hobart B. Baird, of the 307th Regiment of Engineers, and Mile. Pauletto de Zezlere, of 5 Rue de Sergent Hoss, XVII Deris, France. The wedding will take place shortly. Major Baird is a brother of Mrs. J. Kenton Elsenbrey, Mrs. Wälter B. Mcli-vain. Mr. Thomas E. Baird, Jr., and Mr. John Baird.

Mrs. George H. Earle, Jr., and her daugh-ter, Mrs. Joseph M. Patterson. 2d, have re-turned from Atlantic City after a short stay.

Mrs. Emlyn L. Stewardson, of Bryn Mawr, is spending two weeks in Connecticut.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Doan, formerly of Nineteenth and Chestnut streets, have re-

Mrs. Tilghman was the widow of Richard Tilghman, who died in this city about eight years ago, after he had taken poison in mistake for a headache tablet.

take for a headache tablet. Mrs. Tighman's early girlhood was passed in Europe, principally in Madrid, Spain. She was an accomplished musician and linguist. Her mother, a noted beauty, who was Miss Ella Chapman, of this city, married Marquis de Potestod, a Spanish nobleman, who was a familiar floure in the social life of this a familiar figure in the social life of this city in the early sixties.

a familiar figure in the social life of this city in the early sixtles. The Marquis de Potestod came to this country as an attache to the Spanish lega-tion at Washington. Subsequently, he re-turned to Spain with his Philadelphia wife. The Marquise de Potestod quickly gained a leading place in the court circles of Madrid and was appointed a lady-in-waiting to the late Queen Isabella, a post of honor she held until her death. It was in the atmosphere of the Spanish court, noted as one of the most magnificent in Europe, that Mrs. Tilghman spent the early years of her life. The Marquise de Potestod, Mrs. Tilgh-man's mother, was a cousin of the late Mrs. John B. Thayer, of this city, Mrs. Tilghman was related by marriage to Mrs. Henry Cadwalader Chapman, 2047 Walnut street, this city. this city.

Mrs. Tilghman is survived by a son, Cap-tain Richard Tilghman, and a daughter, Gabriela Tilghman.

INDORSE MOTHERS' FUND

Sixty-six Women's Civic Bodies Join Peti-

tion to Legislature

Sixty-six of the leading women's civic and social organizations throughout Pennayl-vania, representing a membership of over 40,000, have indorsed the bill submitted by the Mothers' Assistance Fund to the Legis-lature, which asks for an appropriation of \$1,000,000. This amount when doubled by the complex which asks for an appropriation of \$1,000,000. This amount when doubled by the counties will give a possible expenditur of \$1,000,000 for each of the next two years



MRS. EDWARD P. SOMERS Who before her marriage on March 1 was Miss Marion G. Keeler, of Merion

hildren each week, all of them

The Council of Jewish Works the between the children each week, all of them between the ages of six and fifteen years. At the council meeting tomorrow, a paper on "Jewish Corposers" will be read by Mrs. Horace Stern and illustrated by vocal and violin soles. The program follows: "Eill Eilli," traditional melody, sung by Miss Bertha Levine; "On Wings of Song." sung by Miss Rose Rosenberg; "Kol Midre," by Bruch, a violin solo by Herman Wein-berg; "My Noble Knight," by Meyerbeer, sung by Mrs. John Thompson; "Ah! Mon Fils." aris by Meyerbeer, sung by Miss Bertha Levine; "Hebrew Melody," by Zim-balist, violin solo by Herman Wein-bergs aris by Meyerbeer, sung by Miss Bertha Levine; "Hebrew Melody," by Zim-balist, violin solo by Herman Wein-berg, "Queen of Sheeba," aria by Goldmarck, sung by Morton Hecht; "Thou Art Like a Flower," by Rubinstein, sung by Miss Marle Leo-pold. The accompanist for all numbers will be

The accompanist for all numbers will be Mrs. Malvern Benjamin.

PRIESTS WRITE DRAMA "Ireland's Easter" to Be Presented for Bene-

fit of Irish Relief Fund

The Rev. T. J. Hurton and the Rev. E. O'Shea. of the Annunciation Church. Tenth and Dickinson streets, are authors of the three-act drama which will be presented in the Academy of Music Thursday evening for the benefit of the Irish relief fund. " "Ireland's Easter." the drama, is full of color and realistic character pictures. It was produced in Philadelphia just before the war.

but has been revised since then. This is the first presentation of the revised play, depicting scenes common in Ireland at Eas-Patrick McCartan, envoy of the pro-

visional government of Ireland to the United States, will preside at the gathering Thurs-day evening. Michael J. Ryan will deliver an address

WOMAN ATTORNEY TO SPEAK

New Yorker to Plead Cause of Nurses

Here Miss Helen Hoy Greeley, of the New York bar, will speak before the nurses of Phila-delphia tonight at the Medico-Chirurgical Hospital on the necessity for obtaining mili-tary rank for nurses who served in the war. The meeting was arranged by the Phila-delphia League of Nursing Education, whose president is Miss S. Lillian Clayton, of the Philadelphia General Hospital. Miss Sarah A. Krewson, of the Jewish Hospital at Logan Station, is the chairman of arrange-ments.

ments. This meeting marks the opening of a cam-paign for the passage of the Lewis-Baker, bill for relative rank.

Dance Given on Saturday

Dance Given on Saturday A reception and dance was given on Sat-urday evening at the home of Miss Miriam Bernstein, 1124 Snyder avenue, in honor of Miss Minnie Stanger, of New York, who spent hast week as the guest of Miss Bernstein. Among the guests were Miss Mary Bern-stein. Miss Dorothy Steerman. Miss Mae Haum, Miss Sobhia Rosenfeld, Miss Dorothy Hallman, Miss Rebecca Lozawick, Miss Eva Lozawick, Miss Irene Pleasman, Miss Rowena Watkins, Miss Eva Bernstein, Mr. Morris Golwater, of St. Louis; Mr. Morris Wat-kina, Mr. Harry Rosenfeld, Dottor Brailove, Doctor Stefanis, Mr. William A. Seltser, Mr. Edward Rocapp, Dr. A. Bernstein and Mr. Benjamin Weiss.

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The composition is more strictly written than the Debussy quartet, and there is in it a decided tendency to use the various in-struments as strictly solo voices, with ac-companiments in the other three parts, rather than the more strict four-part writrather than the more strict four-part writ-ing, which is the basis of classical quartet composition. This shows the color of the various instruments to the best advantage, but there is an undeniable loss of the real string quartet feeling in places. The Ravel quartet, however, is always clear as to its thematic material and equally distinct as to tomality being thus in welcome context to tonality, being thus in welcome contrast

many of the modern French quartets. There is no necessity for comment on the Beethoven number, which is the last of the Beethoven number, which is the last of the three Rasonmoffsky quartets, and therefore well known to quartet players and concert-goers. It is one of the great quartets of all time, both in thematic material, in the wonderful development of the themes and in its close adherence throughout to the ideal quartet feeling. The work of the Flonzaleys is likewise to

well known to need more than a word. They showed that remarkable finish and ensemble which they possess, and which comes only from years of practice together. The Rave with its impetiosity and intense emotional-ism, is pernaps better suited to the temperament and style of the Flonzaley Quartet that the serene classicism of Beethoven. At all events, they played Ravel better, there be ing an occasional tendency to exaggerate in Beethoven, especially in the introduction.

WOMEN'S CLUBS ARE ACTIVE

No Lenten Abatement in Work of Various Organizations

Lent has meant no abatement in serious work of women's clubs, which are unusually active this week with current events, problems of the returning soldier and the effect

lems of the returning soldier and the effects of war on the arts. The New Century Club held its usual Mon-day morning class with Miss Taylor's talk on current events, followed by Miss A. F. Burk, who spoke on scientific news. Miss Janet Moore told of home service work of the Red Cross and Mirs. Walter Willard discussed Philadelphia architecture. Doctor Raiguel talked on current events

Doctor Raiguel takked on current events at the Acorn Club. The Woman's Club, of Ridley Park, is holding service day. The Ladies' Aid of the Baptist church will serve lunch, and the entertainment will be a musicale by the pupils of Miss Martha Hill. Mrs. A. Duncan Yocum is president and Mrs. H. H. Houston is secretary.

is secretary.

MEETING TO BOOST PORT

Speakers at Traffic Club Banquet Will Urge Improvement

"boost-the-port-of-Philadelphia" ing and banquet will be held by the Traffic Club at the Bellevue-Stratford Hotel tonight. Prominent speakers will tell of the advan-tages of the port and urge its improvement. tages of the port and erge its improvement. Among the speakers will be Director Web-ster, Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries; J. S. W. Holton, president of the Maritime Exchange; William J. Conlen and Richard Spillane. The committee in charge of the meeting is composed of James Potter. C. W. Woodward and John H. Faunce. About 250 members and guests from nearby cities are expected to attend.

community the memorial should be an in-

dividual, artistic creation. "Two brief circulars have been issued by the American Federation of Arts. One has the American Federation of Arts. One has been issued by the National Commission of Fine Arts and one will shortly be issued by the American Civic Association. They are available on application to any member of the committees. They all adopt the principles enunciated by the National Commission of Fine Arts, which have also been approved by the Sational Academy of Arts and Letters. "Memorials may take many forms, such as face after which memorial base. a fournain

a flag-staff with memorial base, a fountain, a bridge a building devoted to high purposes, tablets, gateways, metals, mural gecoration, stained glass windows, the village green of other parks—and also symbolic groups or portrait statues, in which success is not im-possible, but only talent of a high order can achieve it. The circular recommends secur-ing an adviser to confer with him in regard to the location, the type of memorial the selection of the artist."

General Committee

The members of the general committee are: William H. Taft, bonorary chairman: Charles Moore, Robert W. de Forest, Miss Lella Mech-lin, Herbert Adams, Thomas Allen, Pierce Anderson, Henry Bacon, James Barnes, Ed-win H. Blashfield, George G. Booth, Arnold W. Brunner, Charles A. Coolldge, Andrew Wright Crawford, Walter Dengre, Charles W. Eilot, John H. Finley, Daniel Chester French, Cass Gilbert, Charles Grafy, Morris Gray, Arthur A. Hammerschlag, Myron T. Herrick, Charles L. Hutchinson, Francis C. Jones, Otto H. Kahn, George E. Kessler, William M. Ladd, Samuel Mather, Charles C. Moore, The members of the general committee are M. Ladd, Samuel Mather, Charles C. Moore M. Ladd, Samuel Mather, Charles C. Moore, Charles D. Norton, Frederick Law Olmsted, Senator James D. Phelan, ex-Senator Eilhu Root, James L. Slayden, Lorado Taft, John R. Van Derlip, Joseph E. Widener, Ansley Wilcox.

HOSPITALS ARE LACKING

Report Declares 5 Per Cent Are in Unfit Condition

Condition Pennsylvania has only three-fifths as many hospital beds as are estimated to be neces-sary to serve the community adequately. The uneven distribution of the hospitals, according to the first report of the health insurance commission, also adds to the in-adequacy of hospital service. Philadelphia is well above the authorized average of five hospital beds for 1600 popula-tion, and reports 6.2 beds average. A great part of the southeastern district of Pennsyl-vania, however, depends largely upon the metropolitan hospitals and brings down the average to less than one bed per 1000 per-sons.

average to less than one bed per 1000 per-sons. Sixteen counties in the state have no hos-pitals and nine other counties have an aver-age of but one bed for every 1000 persons. The cost of ward beds is greater than one-half the employed persons of the state are able to pay and, as a consequence, such per-sons are compelled to accept charity or go without treatment. The state has provided ten hospitals for miners, at which \$7 per cent of the treatments are given free. Une hundred and seventy-tie other hospitals reported that \$7 per cent of their in-patients were treated free. The health insurance commission report and points out the same uneven distribution of physicians. Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Scranton have more than the average needed, while mining towns, where there is much sickness, have less than the adequate number.

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