JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Two Weddings to Take Place in Lent-Groome-Teague and Crane-Putnam Alliances-Haverford Boys to Play in Germantown—Mother and the Goldfish

HAVE you noticed that there are to be several fashionable weddings in Lent this year? Last year there were several because of war times, and some of those reasons still hold this year, and the men are connected with the service if not actually in the service and are taking the only time they can get off to be married.

Not that there are not to be Easter weddings, too; oh, yes. But I have noted two Lenten ones, and they are not usual in society as a rule, are they? There's Jack Groome and Gladys Teague, you know.

That's another wedding that came about through sending our soldiers down to Augusta to train. Down there Jack met Gladys and every one knew it was as good as an engagement before the boys sailed for France, even if they did not announce it until Jack came back and fixed it all up. He was transferred to the M. P. shortly before he returned home, you remember. The first time I saw Jack after his return was at the Charity Ball, when every one was nearly having a fit to have a real honest-to-goodness member of the old City Troop home from the war.

They tell me-that Miss Teague is very pretty and yery southern. The wedding is scheduled for April 5, the Saturday before Passion Sunday, and will take place in Augusta in the Church of the Good Shepherd. I don't know much about the attendants as yet, except that Tom Cadwalader will be best man.

THEN on the Saturday before, the eve of Mi-careme, or midlent, March 29, Katherine Putnam is to marry William Crane at the Church of the Epiphany here. That's going to be a very pretty wedding, too; quite a large number of attendants. Lois Jackson is going to be maid of honor, and Mrs. George Montgomery, a sister of Bill Crane's; Marrietta Doolittle, Lois Kellogg, of Utica; Mary Sanger, of Washington, and Lenore McCall and Mary Supplee are to be bridesmaids.

Katherine is a cousin of Helen Tower Robertson, who, you remember, was married here in December in Holy Trinity Church. The Towers have been spending a lot of time down in Atlantic City this season, coming up now and again to stop at the Bellevue.

THE Haverford Musical Clubs are going L to give their concert and dance tonight out at Manheim. It's to be quite an affair, I hear, and a lot of Germantown people are going. The concert was so good last year that a great many people will go just for that. There's to be one of those "ridiculous" dances again, like the Hawaiian one they did last year. The hostesses for the evening are Mrs. Frederick Strawbridge, Mrs. Ernest Toogood, Mrs. Samuel Tatnall, Mrs. John B. McIlhenny, Jr., Mrs. Russell Robinson, Mrs. C. Ardley Shedaker and Mrs. Lawrence Mellor. Mrs. Toogood is going to have the members of the musical clubs as her guests at dinner beforehand.

THERE'S a wedding that's going to take place just after Easter. The engagement was announced some time ago, while the war was still on, and the girl is awfully attractive. The man I do not know, but I hear lots of nice things about him. He is a New Englander and has a great many friends here. I have not heard of the exact date of the marriage yet, but I'll tell you as soon as I do hear.

DID I tell you about Mother and the goldfish? Well, you see in December, when it became a little cool, Mother contracted, a bad cold, and so Father bundled her off to Florida with Betty and Mary and they did not come back until the end of last month. Just about a month before they went away Mother, who is very fond of pets, had bought some goldfish, and it was her delight to watch them. And every morning and evening they would come swimming up to the top of the bowl searching for the food which she scattered on the water's surface for them. While Mother and the daughters were away the little fish all died, but Father was not to be conquered by that, and so the day before the family's return he hied him downtown and bought a whole new set of fish.

Well, Mother had scarcely been home more than an hour before she wanted to see her dear little fishies. Upstairs they all trooped and Mother gazed lovingly at the fish, and as the glinting little things swam up to the top she smiled tenderly, and turning to Father murmured, "See, see; they know me, dear."

NANCY WYNNE.

Social Activities

Mrs. William Disston, formerly of this city, but now living in New York, will give a dinner in the Crystal Room of the Ritz-Carlton on March 23.

Mrs. George Dillwyn Parrish, of 313 South Tenth street, will give a dinner on April 4 in honor of her nephew, Mr. George Hunt, before the meeting of Mrs. Charles Stewart Wurts's dancing class.

Lieutenant Morgan Hebard and Mrs. Hebard, of Chestnut avenue, Chestnut Hill, returned yesterday from several weeks' stay in Miami, Fia. Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Hebard, of Bells Mill road, who accompanied Lieutenant and Mrs. Hebard, will remain south for another fortnight.

Miss Elizabeth P. A. Taylor, daughter of Mrs. Frederick W. Taylor, of Highland avenue, Chestnut Hill, is in St. Croix, Virgin of Mrs. Frederica avenue, Chestnut Hill, is in St. Croix, Virgin Islands, where she will spend several weeks as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas S. Royster, Mrs. Royster was Miss Helen K. Borda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Borda, of Jenkintown.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grove, of Essex, N. Y., who are the guests of Mr. Grove's par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Grove, of 258 West Tulpehocken street, and have been apending the early spring in Washington, D. C., returned to Germantown this week and will leave early next week for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Adrian H. Onderdonk, of St. James's School, Maryland. Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Grove have returned from Pine-hurst, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Warner Butterworth have issued invitations for a dinner at the Ritz-Carlton on March 28, before the Saturday Evening Dancing Class, in honor of their daughter, Miss Louise Butterworth.

Mrs. Ralph Hayes, of Lansdowne, will entertain at bridge today for the benefit of the maternity ward of the Woman's College Rospital.

Mrs. J. Fenton Cloud, of Norristown, will

entertain at cards tomorrow afternoon at

Mr. and Mrs. Peter C. Wynkoop have re-turned from their wedding trip and are at home at 5825 Pentridge street, West Philadelphia. The bride was Miss Isabelle M. Wilkins, daughter of Mr. Victor Wilkins, of

Among the early summer weddings will be that of Miss Emily Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Coffin Colket Wilson, of Swedes-ford road, Paoli, and Ensign William Latta Nassau, of Germantown. Ensign Latta has returned from Virginia to the University of Pennsylvania, where he will be graduated in June. He enlisted in 1917 and entered the naval training school at Portsmouth.

The Sixteen Club will give a dance at the City Club, 313 South Broad street/ tonight. City Club, 313 South Broad street/ tonight. The members of the club include Miss Eleanor Baker, Miss Anne Cleeland, Miss Marion Cummings, Miss Elizabeth Engle, Miss Harriet Fieles, Miss Rose Gleason, Miss Constance Hubbard, Miss Erma Levis, Miss Grace Mills, Miss Mabel Peterson, Miss Florence Ruhl, Miss Beatrice Siegel, Miss Margaret Thompson, Miss Alice Whiteraft, Miss Ruth Haight, Miss Mary Hail and Miss-Alice Childs.

Mrs. George O. Nuneville, of 642 North Fifty-fifth street, West Philadelphia, gave a Victory party in honor of her brother, Lieutenant Edward A. Davies, of Company B, 315th Infantry, and his comrade, Corporal William Devine. Among those present were Mr. Charles Fuller, Mr. Alex Valentine, Mr. George Alber, Mr. John Carlyle, Mr. Charles Donohue, Mr. Thomas McDonald, Mr. Walter Smith and Mr. Walter Eastburn.

Frederick Strawbridge and her Gaughter, Miss Anna Strawbridge, of Tor-worth, School House lane and Wissahickon avenue, Germantown, will leave next week for New York, where they will spend several

Mrs. Herbert Heston, of Stein Court, is spending a few days in Washington as the guest of Mrs. F. Galt Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Latimer Painter Smith will be at home this afternoon from 4 to 7 o'clock at their home, 6321 Lancaster avenue, Over-brook, Mrs. E. Percival Neall, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Frederick S. Giger and Miss Ruth V. Neall will assist in receiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Rhoads, Jr., of Aff. and Airs. Samuel Al. Rhoads, 51, 62, 4648 D street, are being congratulated upon the birth of a daughter, Regina Mary Rhoads, Mrs. Rhoads will be remembered as Miss Regina McCusker.

QUIET WEDDING SOLEMNIZED

Mrs. Margaret Dodds Wright Becomes the Bride of Mr. E. George Seward

The wedding of Mrs. Margaret Dodds Wright, daughter of Mr. John Dodds, 5935 Spruce street, and Mr. E. George Seward, of West Philadelphia, was quietly solemnized on Wednesday evening at 5:30 o'clock. The Rev. Dr. Nevin, pastor of the Steele Memo-rial Church, Fifty-ninth street and Larchwood avenue, performed the ceremony,

The bride wore her traveling suit of dark brown velour and a dark brown hat to match a corsage bouquet of Bride roses. She was attended by Mrs. Helen Rodman, who wore a dark blue dress and a corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds.
Mr. Louis S. Dodds was best man. After

the quiet ceremony Mr. Seward and his bride left on their wedding trip. They will be at home in the spring at 5933 Addison street,

100 TO GET CITIZENSHIP AT PHILOMUSIAN CLUB

U. S. Judge Thompson and Clerks Will Be There Tonight to Administer Oath

The Americanization committee of the Philomusian Club has turned the club house into a court room for tonight, and Judge J. Whitaker Thompson and clerks of his court will be there to hand the final naturalization papers to one hundred would-be Americans.

The one hundred foreigners who will be-come Americans are all from the Allied na-They include Italians, Irish, Greeks, Russians and Scotch. In this number there are very few laborers and there are ninetynine men and one Russian woman teacher. The Philomusian Club will entertain their guests by showing two moving pictures that are coming from Washington—one patriotic

film and one comedy.

A chorus from the West Philadelphia High School will sing the national songs of the Allied nations and, when all the naturaliza-

tion papers have been given, the whole club will sing the "Star Spangled Banner." This is the beginning of a large Americanization movement which the Philomusian Club is starting to welcome the foreign born.

They expect to have mothers' meetings for the wives of the new citizens. Mrs. Herman B. Allen is chairman of the committee on Americanization and is assisted by Mrs. B. F. Richardson, Mrs. Geo. W Smith, Miss Marcella Harris, Mrs. Louis Silance, Mrs. Charles F. Michener, Mrs. William Dill and Dr. Maud Hansche, Mrs Alfred P. Lee is chairman of the educational committee, of which Americanization is a



MISS HELEN KIELKOPF Photo by Marceau

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George God-frey Kielkopf, of 719 South Fifty-eighth street, whose engagement to Dr. Charles Leasum, U. S. N. R., son of Dr. and Mrs. Sherman Leasum, of Milwaukee, Wis., has been announced

\$500,000 FOR REPAIRS NEEDED, SAYS GARBER

Amount Would Only Cover Pressing Demands, Asserts School Superintendent

According to Dr. John P. Garber, superntendent of schools, the Board of Education needs \$500,000 immediately for painting and ordinary repairs of the public schools. The need of putting certain schools in the city into anything like a proper state, he said yesterday, was very great, and if the Scott bill, which would increase the tax, passes he thought the board would be in a position to start some of the work before the end of

"The survey is being made and urgent cases will receive attention as soon as funds are available," he said. "The law prohibits the Board of Education to go beyond its income in expenditures and it is not allowed to contract for new school buildings without having the money in head on available but. having the money in hand or available by the time payments must be made. "In my opinion, the Board of Education has done well with the funds since it has had

control. We are educating our boys and girls at a little over an average expense of \$40 a

at a little over an average expense of \$40 a year. An equally good education in a private school would cost \$200 a year."

Prominent teachers throughout the state who have been watching school legislation at Harrisburg have decided to fush the Woodruff bill providing for increased salarles rather than the Weaver bill, to which the administration is opposed. The latter measure provides for an appropriation of \$16,000,000 to give the teachers an increase of 25 per cent. Governor Sproul has said he considered the proposition of a 25 per cent increase as impracticable. The Woodruff crease as impracticable. bill appropriates from \$4,000,000 to \$5,000,000 a year for salary increases.

Efforts will be reade to

orts will be made to have the Wood ruff bill reported to the House by the Com-mittee on Education next week. It may not pass as written, but will be the basis of legisation providing for increased salaries

PLAN FREE SUPPLIES FOR TEXTILE STRIKERS

Woman's Trade Union League Solicits Financial Aid for 6000 Workers

A free commissary store for the assistance of textile strikers in Kensington is being planned by the Philadelphia Women's Trade Union League.
Miss Frieda Miller, secretary, and Miss

Pauline Newman, organizer, of the league in this city, said today that they would seek pledges of financial support from wealthy women of Philadelphia, who have interested themselves in the cause of the strikers.

"So far," said Miss Newman, "the strikers have been able to get along unaided. In the event that they need help, however, we are preparing to open a store in Kensington where these who was a store in Kensington." there those who are short of funds can get groceries and other necessaries of life free.
"On two previous occasions, in New York
and in Chicago, the local organizations of the Women's Trade Union League rendered this assistance to strikers. It was a help appreciated, as it gave them courage to con-

tinue their fight.

tinue their fight.

"The strikers are fighting for principles which we consider just, and we want them to be able to go on."

Miss Newman has been keeping in touch with the situation in Kensington. There are, at present, she says, about 6000 men and women of various textile trades out on strike. Some of the strikers, in the stocking industry, have been out since January. They are try, have been out since January. They are seeking an increase in wages. Others went out, or were locked out, when the textile workers enforced their country-wide demand for a forty-eight-hour week,

\$1000 WILLED TO MISSION

Chopin Memorial Home Also Remembered by Boyer Street Woman

The Chapin Memorial Home for the Aged Flome were each left \$1000 under the terms of the will of Ellen Craig, of 5551 Boyer street, which was admitted to probate today. The Sunday Breakfast Association was be-queathed \$300, and \$500 was left in trust o a friend, upon whose death the money is to go to the Episcopal Hospital. mainder of the \$35,400 estate is left to a brother and relatives.

Other wills admitted to probate were:

Wetel Baras, who died in the Mt. Sinai H. pital, \$11,000, and Ellen McTamney, of 1917 e street, \$6200. Personal appraisements included: Charles L. Simons, \$121,631.59, and Frank P. Dalson,

MARINERS' CHURCH PLANS TO ENLARGE ACTIVITIES

New Hotel Proposed Will Not Affect Old Organization. Leader Declares

With its centennial celebration only a few months off the Mariners' Church and the Seamen's and Landsmen's Aid Society, 332 South Front street, will remain open in the future and expect to do more work than were before, according to Howard Preston McHenry, pastor of the church and super-intendent of the society.

Reports that the organization intended closing its doors got abroad recently when it was announced that a new mariners' hotel would be built to look after sailors in Phila-

"Such a hotel is needed," said Mr. Mc-

Henry, "and we welcome it here. But it in no way touches on the work that is being done either by the Mariners' Church or the Seamen's and Landsmen's Aid Society. Our work is peculiarly the moral uplift of the sallor. We also furnish him with help in sallor. We also furnish him with seep in time of distress. Our headquarters is equipped with writing paper, books and games and gives to the sallor who is visiting Philadelphia a place where he can spend

"The boarding houses for sailors which may be opened cannot supplant this institu-tion. That is why we are looking forward to many more years of usefulness."

GENERAL DINES AMBASSADOR Coblens, March 14.—(By A. P.)—Major General Joseph T. Dickman, commander of the American Third Army, entertained at dinner yesterday the American ambassador to Great Britain, John W. Davis, and a num-

ber of distinguished British guests, who spent the day at the Coblenz bridgehead. The party-included, in addition to the amthe party-included, in addition to the am-bassador, Viscount Peel, undersecretary of the war ministry, and the Marquis of Lon-

The Evening Public Ledour will be The Evening Public Ledger will be glad to receive announcements of engagements for the Society Page, providing the engagements may be verified. Notices should be written on one side of the paper and must be signed with full name and address and telephone number. Send notices to Society Editor, Evening Public Ledger, 5v6 Chestnut

BROTHER AND SISTER



MASTER JOHN WALTHER, JR., AND MISS LORRAINE WALTHER Children of Mr. and Mrs. John Walther, of 707 Kenilworth road, Oak Lane

THE READER'S VIEWPOINT Letters to the Editor on Topics of General Interest

For acceptance and publication in this column, letters must be written on one side of the paper, deal with topics of general current interest and be signed with the name and address of the writer. Names will be withheld on sequest and confidence respected. No manuscripts will be returned unless accompanied by sufficient postage, and a special request to this effect, rubication involves no indorsement by this newspaper of the sentiment expressed. No copyright matter will be included, nor will religious discussions be permitted.

The Patternmaker

The Patternmaker

To the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger:

Sir—On today's editorial page you have
a good article on "The Brain of Man Is the
Greatest Machine Yet." Good for you to
write upon such machinery as you do, and
praise the machinist also, but did you once
think of the great work of the "patternmaker" who accomplished some of the hidden work in those great castings by cores,
work which the machinist never dreams of work which the machinist never dreams seeing, and is far from view of the persons who look upon those great inventions? If it is not too much, I wish you would ac-knowledge this letter on your editorial page. you will, if you know what a patternmaker is and of the brain work he must do.

ONLY A PATTERNMAKER.

Philadelphia, March 12.

In Praise of Jim Couzens To the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger:

Sir-We were very much interested in your editorial of Friday, March 7, headed "Have We a Jim Couzens?" We most hear-tlly indorse your opinion and statements concerning Mr. Couzens, as we have the pleas-

ure of knowing him personally.

He is a man of modern times, and his thoughts and ideas are modern to the minute he has got the backbone and buildog tenac-ity to fight for that which he believes is

Here's hoping that Philadelphia will awaken some individual, of whom there are many in your city, who is so situated that he can devote his time to the welfare of your good city. Remember though, there is only one Jim Couzens.

H. H. HALL. your good city. Remember though, there is only one Jim Couzens.

H. H. HALL.
Vice president and general manager,
Lewis-Hall Iron Works.

Detroit, Mich., March 11.

Thanks !

To the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger: To the Editor of the Evening Public Leager:

Sir—All winter I have been intending to write to you the appreciation of myself and some of my friends of the very excellent musical criticisms which have been appearing in your paper. However, I have put it off until now, when my admiration of the criticism of the concert of the Philadelphia Orchestra in last Saturday's paper must find expression, I think it the best piece of musical criticism I have ever seen.

musical criticism I have ever seen.

The article in question condemned the
Ornstein compositions very severely and as Ornstein compositions very severely and as it seems to me, deservedly so, but the point I make is that there was a definite and co-herent reason given for the condemnation, something that no other music critic in this city has ever before attempted, at least to my knowledge.

ny knowledge.

I wish also to express to you my apprecia-I wish also to express to you my appreciation of the very readable and informatory musical articles which you have been publishing in your paper each Saturday afternoon. They are the first thing that I read in the Saturday paper, and I find that I am not alone in this. I have kept a copy of each of them.

R. P. WLSON. R. P. WLSON, each of them. Philadelphia, March 11.

Thinks Negro Unjustly Accused To the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger:

Sir-Your readers may call to mind the recent incident of the man with "black face, recent incident of the man with "black lace, mustache and white ears," who stole the Ginsberg car, driving off with it while Rosy and Sara Ginsberg were asleep under a robe in the back of the car. The affair is of more than passing interest to members of the Armstrong Association, which desires that the colored people of the city shall be granted to the colored people of the city shall be granted to the colored people of the city shall be granted. fair play. Evidently the car thief tried to hide his identity with burnt cork, and forgot to include his ears in the smudge; hence the discovery that he was of the white race.

the probability is that this is not ar Now the probability is that this not an unusual practice of the law-breaking fraternity, and therefore, the negroes are very often given a raw deal. If the reporters, when they record the alleged transgressions of negroes, would either be street that the or negroes, would either be sure that the suspected one actually is a negro, and not a make-believe, or not mention any race at all, the ends of justice and fair play would all, the ends of justice and fair play would be met. I am convinced that some of the prejudice that exists against colored people is created and maintained by the custom of reporters ascribing alleged crimes to persons of the colored race, sometimes when they only surmise that a negro is involved.

WILMER ATKINSON.

Philadelphia, March 12.

Teachers' Salaries Delayed To the Editor of the Evening Public Leager. Sir-In the morning papers an employe of the Board of Education asks the teachers to tell him how to perform his duties, or rather the duties he is paid to perform. Well, he thinks he knows how to run the schools so

we will help him out on this. Teachers are supposed to be able to do anything. Long ago this same complaint was made, the same reply given and the teachers got busy and requested information from the then Mayor's clerk as to how the policemen are paid on the first of the month or

The Mayor's clerk gave the teachers' com-mittee full particulars of the system used by That information was given to the clerks in the office of the Board of Education, but they will not use it. If they will use the

information given them once the teachers will not be to complain of tardy payment.

Last christmas Eve the teachers' salary checks were in the desk in the office, but the

teachers were made to wait until January for their December pay. Those getting the highest salaries were paid on Christmas Eve, but those with small salary and needing it the most had to wait. Teachers who belong to building societies

that meet early in the month are penalized for the delay of these clerks who want us to show them what we have shown them once. Further, an actuary declares the Teachers' Pension Fund to be in a condition bordering on bankruptcy, and 80 per cent of the teachers have voted to merge with the state as they were asked to do, but the clerks of the board still continue to deduct from our meager salaries before they are paid to us 1 or 2 per cent to be paid to this bankrupt pension fund that an actuary tells us cannot pay us anything back.
We do not need professional agitators, we

are already agitated enough.

Do you know that last month in this city there were several classes of children who received \$19 worth of teaching? That is all the teacher was paid for teaching forty, fifty or more children a whole month.

Teachers are trying to qualify for other positions where they may ask fair treat-SQUARE DEAL. Philadelphia, March 11.

Punish the Warmakers

To the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger: Sir-If world-detested German war lords and would-be world rulers can commit thirtyone crimes against humanity in one how many new horrors, with this wonderful experience, are they now planning and can they plan for future use in their life work of warring? How much reparation and in-demnity will they pay? Have these leopards changed their spots and do they control the situation? Of dupes, pawns, German cannon fodder, many are dead and others still de-ceived. How many of German hordes would ever have pillaged, raped, burned, desecrated Belgium had it not been for these war in-

flamers and world-ruling planners?

The better German element have homes and wives and children whom they left as reluctantly as our men who were forced to protect their own firesides. They were fooled; deceived more thoroughly than England and France were deceived, which says much. And all the same parties will be again deceived in other new ways by the same

parties.

Do the latter deserve punishment and is the world safe from world war or safe for democracy while the ringleaders run at large? Is there more desirable and necessary work for any tribunal of justice, any league of nations, than to bring to bay said military war-leading parties? Is it imprac-ticable and impossible for such a tribunal of justice or league of nations to name the crimes and the chiefest criminals and keet going after them till they get them, at least some of them, for both German and world

Man-power, resources and markets of Rus sia and central Europe in the hands of these plotters make an enormously expensive police force ludicrously ineffective in comparison to immediate punishment of the ringleaders Taking away the arms of German soldiers

s futile.
In the matter of highwaymen and thuggery long-term sentences deter others from thinking the game profitable.

Ringleader punishment by a league of nations is the only sensible, secure measure for future safety. Seven and one-half mil-lion deaths and \$200,000,000,000 war debts are part of their crimes against civilization. Let these leaders and chiefest culprits live and travel amuck with new and original methods of deceit and propaganda, and soon. very soon, the world will have to deal with an army of their dupes and hirelings in fighting and killing instead of domestic peace and the pursuit of happiness for all peoples which it is axiomatic all people

German agents talk peace and spread Bolshevist propaganda that the war was a capitalist war; hand belongs to the peasant; to take it and kill rightful owners means bread for everybody.

To save civilization let a league of nations. with Foch as generalissimo, name and get the ringleaders of the war with tabulated crimes, seek them and ultimately punish

To preserve the world from universal Bolshevism let Foch, at the head of a league of nations, get the ringleaders and feed and teach the dupes. For what other better pur-pose can there be a tribunal of justice or league of nations than to catch and punish the most guilty parties, the ringleaders Past justice deserves and owes it; pres-ent safety commends it, and future security

Order at home, and food and German in demnity money, a stable Germany and stable Russia will soon and inevitably follow in the wake of such a sane and just and effective wake of such a same and just and effective and imperative measure by a league of na-France and the world demand Foch as leader. Other than the Lusitania, facts which set America aflame were known to Washing-

ton two years before. Were they withhel ton two years before. Were they withheld to get votes? Is anything now withheld for the same purpose? The world demands a leader in whom they have the fullest confidence—Foch. E. C. T. Philadelphia, March 13.

WITHERSPOON HALL
Juniper and Walnut Streets
THURSDAY EVENING, MARCH 20TH
GRACE WADE, Soprano LOUISE JENKINS, Pianist ELEANOR QUINN, Accompanist Tickets at Heppe's, 1117 Chestnut St. ORPHEUM Matinee Temorrow, 15c, 25c Evenings, 15c, 25c, 25c & 50c

Frank Fielder "Quincy Adams Sawyer (Himself) in March 17—"Nothing But the Truth" Intversity Museum, Sat., 3:30. Last free illustrated lecture of the season. Dr. C. W. Carruth on "Botticelli."

GIRLS DID MOST WORK **PICKING PRODUCE IN 1918**

Report of Surplus Committee Shows Achievements in Conserving Food

The second annual report of the surplus produce committee is just out and shows the enormous amount of work done in 1918 toward conserving surplus garden products.

A large part of the picking was done by Girl Scouts, Junior League girls and boys from the Home of the Good Shepherd at Rosemont. The girls and boys worked dur-ing the hottest weather, and, among other products, collected 2039 cars of corn. 179 bushels of apples, 410 bunches of carrots 761 bunches of beets and 445 cabbages—al of which would have been wasted otherwise After the vegetables were collected they were delivered to volunteer canneries, to camps or to social settlements, where they

were received eagerly.

A new plan is on foot to apply the same method to flower conservation. Over 10,000 roses died in the national test garden of the American Rose Society in Washington last October during the time when hospitals were crowded with influenza patients. When the surplus flowers are picked they can be sent to hospitals and other local institutions.

The executive committee on surplus produce is headed by Mrs. Andrew Wright Crawford, president; Mrs. Joseph Parker Norris, Jr., secretary; Mrs. Francis M. Brooke, treasurer; Miss Elizabeth Chew, Mrs. Morris L. Cichier, Miss Gertrude Elyman. Mrs. Morris L. Ciothier, Miss Gertrude Ely. Mrs. Ledyard Heckscher, Miss Josephine Mather, Mrs. Phineas Prouty, Mrs. C. A. Service, Mrs. George C. Thayer, Mrs. Isaac Biddle Thomas and Mrs. T. Meller Tyson,

Open Late for War-Chest Pledges For the convenience of subscribers who are mable to leave their work before 1 o'clock Saturdays the headquarters of the War Chest

at 408 Chestnut street will, commencing at 408 Chestnut street will, commencing this Saturday, March 15, be open until 4 o'clock to receive payments of piedges. There has been considerable confusion in the past because of the closing of banks at noontime. Thus numbers of subscribers who have been in the practice of paying their pledges to the banks with their coupon books were unable to make the proper connections

Teachers Favor Salary Bill No. 117 The educational committee of the Civil

Club met yesterday afternoon at the club's rooms, 1300 Spruce street, to discuss further means whereby they could be instrumental in having legislation enacted to in crease teachers' wages in the state of Penn-sylvania. Miss Laura H. Cornell, chairman of the committee, said the fact that three bills were now before the Legislature handicapped the work of educational clubs to a certain extent, but, according to her, bill No. 117 is the one looked upon with most favor.



A L A C WM. S. HART "BREED OF MEN"
Next Week—CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG IN "CHEATING CHEATERS"

A R C A D I A CHESTNUT RELOW 10TH DE P. M. PAULINE FREDERICK "PAID IN FULL" Added ROSCOE ARBUCKLE in "LOVE" NEXT WEEK-WALLACE REID In "ALIAS MIKE MORAN"

VICTORIA MARKET Above 9TH THEDA BARA in "SALOME" Next Week-LOUIS BENNISON in First Showing of "SPEEDY MEADE"

REGENT MARKET ST. Below 17TH
LILA LEE IN
"PUPPY LOVE" MARKET STREET

11 A. M. to 11 P. M.

CONTINUOUS

VAUDEVILLE VAUDEVILLE

"THE HONEYMOON INN" CROSS KEYS MARKET ST. Below 60th
"THE CORNER STORE" OTHERS
HOUDINI IN "MASTER MYSTERY"

BROADWAY BROAD & SNYDER AVE. IOHN F. CONROY AND SISTER WM. FARNUM "POR FREEDOM" METROPOLITAN OPERA HOUSE

Positively Last Two Days Shown for the first time in Philadelphia. De not confound this with "Heart of the World." "THE HEART OF HUMANITY"

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