ALL the social doing are put aside for today and there are no parties. Most persons' thoughts are churchward. Good Friday two years ago our country entered into the great world war. Though the date was not the same, the day was, and it added not a little to the selemnity of that declaration. One felt that we had gone into a religious war, in that we were fighting for right, for justice and against a system which as enslaving men. And we did not go into it in vain, as time has proved. It only remains for the peace negotiations to be ratified and the horror of the last five years will go down into history, though, alas! its traces will be found for many a day and generation. But the whole world will be better for the suffering of these years. It's always a wonderful study to watch the good that invariably comes from pain. It makes one realize that life is worth living.

I never saw so many people in the street. all wending their way toward Holy Trinity or St. James's or St. Clement's or St. l'at rick's or St. John's or St. Mark's and most of the other Episcopal and Catholic churches, where the Three Hours' services are being held. All the Red Cross auxiliaries and various other centers are closed up for

QPEAKING of Red Cross, have you seen D the darling little black sateen frocks the women are making now in the workrooms for the wee refugees? I wondered myself why they are fashioned of black, but you see the dirt does not show as much and the black frock can therefore be worn longer and does not require such frequent washings. Frequent washing wears things out, you know. They make the cutest little blouses and knickerbockers, too, for the little boys. Can't you see the little lambs in their cun-ning clothes? The Independence Square Auxiliary took

number of wounded men to Independence Hall in autos yesterday, and then out to the Philadelphia Cricket Club for tea.

T HEAR Deborah Logan is coming out next year. It's quite some time since there was a debutante in the Wetherill family, so we may expect much cutertaining for this young bud. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Restelrigg Logan. Mrs. Logan was Sara Wetherill, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Price Wetherill and sister of Mrs. W. Yorke Stevenson, Mrs. C. Shillard-Smith and Mrs. Samuel Henderson. The Logans live in Eddington most of the time. Their place is called "Sarobia," I suppose from a combination of the first syllables of their two names, Sara and Robert.

Deborah Logan looks very much like the Wetherill side of the family, I should say. She is not very tall, neither is she small, however, and she has a wonderful thick mop of curly, rather light brown hair. The date for her ten has not been decided upon as yet, but that there will be a ball in her honor, given by her grandparents, is not to

THOSE who will receive at this week's reception for enlisted men at the Historical Society are Miss Mary Converse, Mrs. Earl B. Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Ball, Mrs. Alvin A. Parker, Miss Anna J. Kagee, Miss Anna Reed, Mrs. John Cooke Hirst, Miss Ella Parsons, Mrs. William Frazier, Jr., and Mrs. James Newman I hear that the Historical Society's sug-

gestion about automobiles was successful. and a number of wounded men went to the reception last week in cars lent by Mrs. George W. Childs Drexel and Miss Mary E. Sinnott. People are so generous with their cars, I think, don't you? As soon as they find out where the loan of their car would be gratefully received they send it right along. Mrs. Henry Pemberton, Jr., Mrs. Harrison S. Morris, Mrs. J. Bertram Lippincott, Miss Hannah Fox, Miss Anna J. Lewis, Mrs. Herbert Howe, Mrs. William E. Goodman, Miss Hannah Lewis Scott and Mrs. David E. Williams were the patronesses last week. Dr. John W. Jordan, li-brarian of the Historical Society, gave an interesting address on Benjamin Franklin including some new data. The sing was led by Mr. Lewis J. Howell.

Do YOU remember a few weeks ago, or maybe mouths ago, a few, anyhow, told you about a certain somebody who was trying to spell "similar," and insisted on it rhyming with "familiar ? Well, yestershe was at it again-writing. I hap pened to be in the same room with her, and she turned to me with a pleasant, conversa-tional smile. "You know," she remarked. 'I never spell 'similar' wrong any more since we had that discussion about it. "How nice," I replied, just as conversa-tionally; "how DO you spell it?" "Why, s-i-m-i-l-i-a-r." she answered in a go-tothe-head-of-the-class tone. That kind of thing is really incurable, you know. NANCY WYNNE.

Social Activities

An interesting wedding for which invi-tations have been issued is that of Miss Elizabeth Remsen Thompson, daughter of Mrs. Joseph T. Thompson, 10 East Seventyeighth street, New York, and the Rev. Gilbert Darlington, on April 30, in the chapel of St. Bartholomew's Church. Miss Thompson will have her sister Miss Jane Remsen Thompson, as maid of honor, and her brides maids will be Mrs. Joel Ellis Fisher and Miss Kate B. Darlington, sisters of the bride, Miss Caramei Carroll, Miss Gertrude Mall and Miss Louisa Aymar Johnson. Mr. Darlington will have his brother, the Rev. Henry V. B. Darlington, as best man, and the ushers will be Mr. Elliott C. B. Darlington, another brother of the bridegroom Mr. Joel Ellis Fisher, Mr. William Remsen, cousin of the bride, Mr. Ward Melville, Mr. Carl H. Schultz and Captain Edward T. Constein, U. S. N. The wedding will be followed by a small reception at the home of

Mrs. John Marshall, of 1718 Pine street, will entertain ten guests at luncheon on May 1, in honor of Miss Juliet Rodgers, of Co imbus. O., who has been spending the winter with her. There will be fourteen guests at the luncheon which Mrs. Marshall's daughter, Mrs. Hiram B. Eliason, will give in honor of Miss Rodgers on April 24.

Miss Cora Shields, of 135 South Seventeenth street, will leave for New York on Monday to be the guest of Mrs. S. Sloan Colt, of 854 Fifth avenue. Miss Shields will attend the wedding of Miss Vera Mc-Nair and Mr. Reginald Hutchinson, on Monday, and that of Miss Margaret Carnegle and Ensign Roswell Miller, U. S. N., on

Mrs. Howard Butcher, Jr., of Ardmore, will give a luncheon oh Monday in honor of her daughter, Miss Polly Butcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Skinner, of 124 Pelham road, Germantown, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Cor-nella Charlotte Skinner, and Mr. Ambrose Spence Murray, 3d, son of Mrs. Russell Murray, of New York.

Air, and Mrs. Frederick Shelton, of 228

South Twenty-first street, will give a dancing tea on Wednesday, November 19, to introduce their daughter, Miss Helen H.

Mrs. Harry Franklin Baker, of 640 West Phil-Ellena street, Germantown, will give luncheon on Saturday, May 3, in honor of Miss Isabel Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Davis, of Bryan street, Mount Airy. The guests will include Miss Laura Wayne, Miss Josephine Wayne, Miss Elizabeth Wistar, Miss Sally Waterman, Miss Mary Ellzey, Miss Alice Ellzey, Miss Polly Lear, Miss Martha Machold, Miss Louise Baker, Miss Hilda Baker, Miss Anna Borton, Miss Betty Hamilton, Miss Anna Wetherill, Miss Elizabeth Tull, Miss Florence Royer and Miss Douglas Gribbel. Mr. and Mrs. Davis will spend Easter at

The marriage of Mrs. E. P. Grange, of Ardmore, and Mr. Addison Harris, Jr., will probably take place the middle of next month. Mr. Harris has taken the house on Ardmore avenue next to the Stacy Lloyds.

Miss Marjorie Canby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Marriott Cauby, of Westview and Wissahickon avenues, German-town, has returned from Bryn Mawr College for the Easter holidays.

Miss Irene A. Hunter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Hunter, is spending a few days in New York with her aunt, Mrs. G. A. Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Clement, 31 East Springfield avenue, Chestnut Hill, are being congratulated upon the birth of a son, Miss Marion Haines, of Haverford Court,

is spending some time with her sister, Mrs.

Norman Cantrell, at Wynnewood. Judge and Mrs. William Gray Knowles, 2102 De Lancey place, have returned home after a week's visit at the Hotel Dennis, At-

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Delaney, of 1231 North Broad street, entertained at dinner on Wednesday night in honor of their son Lieutenant Colonel Howard S. Delaney, U. S. A., who has recently returned from overseas. Among the guests were Colonel and Mrs. Elmer Lindsley, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McAdoo, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin C Donaghy, Miss Stevenson and Miss Sophic

The Germantown Woman's Club will give musical comedy and dance at the Pelham Club, at 8 o'clock, on Saturday, May 3 The committee in charge of the affair inludes Mrs. David Halstend, Mrs. Howard Ketcham, Mrs. Amos, Lesher, Mrs. T. Lewis Thomas, Mrs. J. Mortimer Darby, Mrs. L. B. Fitzmaurice, Mrs. Herbert S Grantham and Mrs. Samuel E. Fairchild.

For the afternoon of Thursday, April 24 the club has arranged a lecture on social hygiene by Dr. Florence H. Richards, the subject being "Dress, Dancing and Behavior." The lecture will be held at the club-

The regular monthly meeting and card party of the Redmond War Fund Club, under the auspices of the Chelsea Auxiliary 343, Red Cross, will be held at the Rittenhouse on Thursday afternoon, April 24. Mrs Mary G. Myers will be hostess of the after Those who will assist in receiving are Mrs. Daniel H. Redmond, president Mrs. John J. Krider, Mrs. Frank Kelley. Miss E. Carrick, Mrs. William J. Coghlan. Mrs. Alfred Wolstenholme, Mrs. William B. Ferguson, Mrs. Robert Dearden and Mrs. Daniel MacClinch.

The committee in charge is Mrs. E. E. Hipple, Mrs. George C. Fleck, Mrs. Albert W. Sanson, Mrs. E. H. Keefer, Mrs. George M. Kerr, Mrs. John J. Krider, Mrs. M. Myers, Mrs. Frederick J. Poth, Mrs. Charles Shetzline, 14rs. Oscar Thomson. Mrs. Samuel Whan, Mrs. George F. Young. Mrs. George W. Young and Mrs. Herma

An interesting wedding of the month will that of Miss Margaret Sosna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph J. Sesna, of 3528 North Broad street, and Mr. Louis Wittman, of Germantown, which will take place on April 22 at the home of the bride's The bride will be attended by her sister, Mrs. H. E. Walther, and Mr. Witt man will have his brother, Mr. Joseph Wittman, for best man.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. V. Wolfe are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter April 8. Doctor Wolfe, who has seen a major in the medical corps. United States army, has been recently mustered out of the service and has resumed his practice in Norristown, Pa. Mrs. Wolfe, who will be remembered as Miss Rita G. Connor, of West Philadelphia, has been spending the winter with her brother-in-law and sigter, Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Garvey, 3305 Spring Garden street.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Brill, of 3416 North Twenty-first street, gave a dinner on Wednesday evening at their home in honor of their daughter, Miss Erma Elise Brill, and Mr. Charles Harris, whose wedding will take place on Wednesday evening, April 23. Their guests included the bridal party, Miss Cathleen Berg, Miss Elsie Dopel, Miss Marie Geislman, Miss Bentrice Adams, Miss Hazel Jeutner, Mr. Jack Ledlie, Mr. Earl Brill, Mr. Edward Herman, Mr. Lorenz Wilson and Mr. Richard Pohlig.

OPEN VICTORY CAMPAIGN

Kensington Loan Workers in Demon-

stration Tomorrow Night Residents of the Nineteenth ward, Kensington, will be called upon to "follow the crowd" to the Victory Statue, at Lehigh and Germantown avenues, tomorrow night, when elaborate exercises will be held in launching the drive for the sale of the new government securities in that section of the city. The statue will be unveiled at 8 o'clock.

At 7 o'clock the First Regiment Armory band will march to the statue from the headquarters, at 1715 Germantown avenue. A small body of workers will march with them, carrying banners asking all to "follow the crowd." An hour later, when the statue will be reached, it is expected that several hundred men and women will be in line.

The exercises at the unveiling will be presided over by James F. Masterson, chairman of the ward committee. While the specta-tors sing patriotic selections the statue will be unveiled by two school children of the district, Miriam Martin and Charles Buzby. Addresses will be made by Dr. T. Chandler Fulton, president of Cooper Institute; Harry E. Bauerie, assistant city solicitor, and Lieutenant Harold S. Saylor, of this city and Pottstown, who was wounded while with the American army in France. Community singing will be led by Joseph Johnson.

ROXBOROUGH E. A. A. PARTY

Reception at Second Armory Will Be Given April 28 Mrs. Elizabeth Dobson Altemus, major, and the Emergency Aid Aides of the Falls of Schuylkill have issued invitations for a eception and dance on Monday evening.

April 28, in the Second Regiment Armory Brond street and Susquehanna avenue Captain J. Goblin Cranage., who has been the drillmaster of the aides, and Company A. First Infantry, Pennsylvania Reserve Militia, have the affair in charge. During the evening there will be an inspection and drill of the two companies of the aides and a presentation by Major Altemus of the colors, which will be received by Lieutenant Adjutant Elizabeth Kelly. There are seventy-five members in the two companies of the aides. Among the officers of the aides are Miss Alice Newis, Miss Mary Elizabeth Altemus, Miss Grace Stamm, Miss Mary Ryan, Miss Mary Denton, Miss Isabel Ferguson, Miss Edna Radeliffe, Miss Margaret Nagele, Miss Ida Gray, Miss Marian Gray, Miss Mary Cunningham, Miss Betty Ferguson, Miss Madeleine Hagy, Miss May Burns, Miss May Wood, Miss Ethel Ed-wards, Miss Marie Price, Miss Beatrice Harrison, Miss Sue Maher, Miss Geraldine Gordon, Miss Bessie McCarthy, Miss Marian Byrne, Miss Mae Boyd, Miss Agnes Hard-wick, Miss Katharine Hopkins, Amanda Frank and Miss Margaret Ruff.



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MRS. WILLIAM CRANE Who before her marriage recently was Miss Katherine Putnam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl B. Putnam, of 1926 Spruce street.

TEACHERS LOSE BONUS BUT WIN PAY INCREASE

Change Puts No Extra Dollars Into Their Pockets, However, and Some May Quit

Teachers of the Gloucester City public schools have realized that they have only been granted the same increase in salary as was first provided by the school board for the new term. It is likely that all of the grade teachers will apply for reappointment when the board meets on May 5, because the board has specified that they must do so by that time, with the exception of five o the six high school teachers.

The high school teachers say that the want \$200 increase or they will resign, and as the five are nonresident teachers it is likely that they will carry out their threat, so this means that only one of the present high school staff will remain in the school next term.

The school board yesterday notified th teachers that they must file their application for reappointment before the next regular meeting, and they must also sign contracts the same as this year.

Drop Bonus, Raise Salaries

The school board, when it prepared its budget in February, provided an increase of \$5 per month for each teacher and also a bonus of \$50 for each one that teaches ou the entire term. When a meeting was held Wednesday night the board decided to wipe out the bonus and give each teacher straight increase of \$10 per month. The bonus was placed in as salary, so this means that the teachers will receive just what the board had provided for, with the exception of three teachers of the lower grade, who will receive a salary of \$70 for the new term. an increase of \$15, as under a new net th minimum salary from now on for Jersey school teachers is \$700 per year. They are Miss Sarah Grace, Miss Dorothy Sayres and Miss Kathryn Carson.

The higher grade teachers are pleased that the maximum salary has been increased to \$1050, and they will endeaver to have it raised to \$1200. Miss Helen Cheesman and Miss E. Louisa Pewell, who took the lending part in the light for more salary, said today that the teachers will be in on time next year with their petition for more sal ary, so that the school board will not buy a chance to say that they are too late.

The janitors, who assisted the teachers and also signed their applications for more money, also asked for an increase in salary but the school board directors turned a dea ear and politely refused their request.

An effort may be made to have the school board grant a substantial increase in salary to George Cressman, teacher of mathematics and science, and make him principal of the high school building because of the work he has done this year.

Woman's Club at Cynwyd The program given at the Woman's Club of Cynwyd on Wednesday was in charge of Mrs. W. A. Melcher, chairman of the book committee. Mrs. A. B. Wallem sang a group of spring songs by American composers, Mrs. J. G. Klees, chairman of the reading department, presented an interesting study of the life and aspirations of "The Little Grandmother of the Russian Revolution. Mrs. W. S. March in reviewing the poetry of 1918 as found in Braithwaite's Anthology commented on the evident change of heart on the part of the compiler in that the poems comprising his volume for 1918 have chosen largely for their lyric qualities and for the personal impulse and confidential touch rather than for more striking features. "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse"

Guest at Luncheon Miss Florence Eppler, daughter of Mr and Mrs. John Eppler, of 2220 North Six-

was reviewed by Mrs. J. F. Cooke.

teenth atreet, whose engagement to Mr. Harry Lis, of Germantown, has recently been announced, was the guest of honor at luncheon and miscellaneous shower which Mrs. R. Nell gave at her home, 2200 Fair mount avenue. Among the guests were Miss Anna Carter, Miss Sara Penniwell, Miss A. Wirth, Miss Harriet Bengel, Miss Anna Lindhurst, Miss Katherine Lindhurst, Miss Katherine Miles, Mrs. A. Spiess, Miss A. R. Miles and Mrs. H. Winters.

SURGEON GENERAL **IRELAND TO SPEAK**

Will Tell Medical Club Tonight History of Sanitary Work in Army During War

Major General Merritte W. Ireland, surgeon general of the army, will be the guest of honor and chief speaker at the meeting of the Philadelphia Medical Club at the Bellevue-Stratford this evening. General Ireland will tell the members of the Philadelphia Club the history of medical work in the army and will talk particularly about the work of the 170,000 men and women who served in France during the recent war under the medical department of the army. An interesting feature of the evening will

be the conferring of honorary membership in the club on Major W. W. Keen, M. D., LL, D., the only medical commissioned officer of the Civil War who has held a commission in the present war. Honorary memvership is an unusual distinction. been conferred only seven times in the his-tory of the club. Former President William Howard Taft, Dr. J. Gurney Taylor, Dr. S. Wier Mitchell, Major General Leonard Wood, Dr. James Tyson, Provost Edgar F. Smith and Dr. Alexander R. Craig were given honorary membership.

Dr. G. Oram Ring, president of the club. ill introduce the speakers and will give a dinner to the guests and officers of the club at the Union League preceding the meeting Four meetings are held each year by the Philadelphia Medical Club, which has a membership of 1100 in this city.

LURE OF WESTERN SPORT CLAIMS EASTERN RACES

"Y" Workers Have Taught Yank Games to Soldiers Who Knew No Play

One of the most potent "long distance" influences exerted by the war on the various peoples of the earth is that of American athletics, transmitted through the medium of the Y. M. C. A. and the Foyers du Solda to the hundreds of thousands of colonial troops and laborers who served with the Allies, according to army and navy officers returning from overseas.

About the time that the United States enered the war, the Y. M. C. A. athletic work vas extended to the camps of most of these 'nutive" troops, and they were taught the art of creating their own diversion and recreation through American games.

The influence of this new recreational stimulation upon these serious minded ontives, officials declared, is going to effect a far more tremendous result upon the lives of their fellow countrymen when they return from home than it has effected France. The individuality and self confidence that these games have taught the average player will be transmitted to others at home and so probably in time become a factor in the national life.

During the great struggle, the French lrew upon about twenty of her colonial races, and Great Britain on as many more It was a motley million, from lands that ringe the seven seas.

Few of these people had ever known what play was before it came to them out of the war. But they took to sport readily, though

at first awkwardly.
For instance, at first, 10,000 French-African colonials were perfectly happy to get out on a huge field and kick one single football, and each other's shins, all the morning. Gradually, however, they became more discriminating and began to learn the various games. Now American sports bid fair to emanci-

pate millions of Orientals from the lethargy that they have been sunk into for hundreds and thousands of years.

Archduke Departs

Geneva, April 18.—(By A. P.)—Archiuke Frederick of Austria left Vienna Wedmesday by the Simplon Orient express, necompanied by several English officers and
members of the former Austrian aristocracy.

GAYETY THE INNOCENT MAIDS
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CAN'T GET SERVANTS FOR WAYNE HOMES

Big Problem Is to Adjust the Family to the Maid, Women Say

In Wayne, Pa., it is no longer a question of trying to find a maid to suit the family-the problem is to adjust the family to suit the maid.

Almost every inducement has been offered to attract domestic servants to the beautiful residential suburb. But there is still a dearth of maids, and housewives are up in

As a last resort two women, each with a family of five children, living a block apart, decided to club together and see if they couldn't persuade two sisters or chums to come work for them. So they advertised for two white women for cooking and downstairs work, wages to be \$10 a week, carfare on day off and children to be kept out of the kitchen. Two sisters have promised to come omorrow to investigate the would-be mis

Where there are children in the family it is almost impossible to get maids," said Mrs. J. P. Cronau, of 308 Lancaster ave-"I thought I had an Irish girl last week. She called me over the phone and asked about the place. I explained it in detail and she decided to try it. Then she hap pened to think to ask about children. I told her I had five.

" 'Good-night!' she said, 'I wouldn't take the place as a gift!' And she rang off. And yet the maids have nothing to do with the children. Neither do they have any laundry work or heavy cleaning. Most of the women in Wayne have their clothes done by outside laundresses and have cleaners to come in once a week to clean th house. Laundresses, too, are getting independent. They now charge from \$2 to \$2.50 a day, and they call from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. a day. They cut two meals with you be-Mrs. W. T. Brukaker, of 132 West Wayne

avenue, is another Wayne resident who decries the servant problem.

"I believe there would be a good chance here for a community kitchen," she said. "Goodness knows there are a lot of us who would be thankful for one if some efficient person would start it. It takes most of our time to hunt servants.

SAYS GERMANS PLAN WAR OF RETALIATION

Chaplain Declares They Have Not Lost Love for Kaiser and Feel No Shame for Crimes

There is no repentance in Germany, necording to Chaplain Edward M. Jefferys, who is home to preach the Easter sermon in old St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal Church, of which he is rector, after twenty-three months of service with the British army in France and the American Army of Occupation in Germany.
"I have talked with many Germans," he

said, "and I must say they are in no way repentant for the part they have taken in the war. They were very frank in telling me they will 'come back' again in ten years if the terms of the Peace Conference do not suit them. "They have the same reverence for the

Kaiser they always had, and he seems to be as popular in Germany as ever. There is no sorrow for Belgium and no excuse for defeat, except a shortage of ammunition and the troops, contending that theirs was a war of the defensive.

'The Germans haven't the slightest hesitation in asking that American troops be sent to the interior to quell disturbances. They are the worst lot of whiners I ever talked with. They whine for everything. For this reason the soldiers of the army of occupation will never be influenced by them The soldiers are thoroughly disgusted with their yellowness.

Chaplain Jefferys, who is still in the service of the United States, left this city on May 19, 1917, and sailed with the medical unit of the Pennsylvania Hospital. During the last three months of his service Chap lain Jefferys was with the army of occupa tion and was quartered while at Coblenz in the palace of the former kniser.

He praised highly the work of the Pennsylvania Hospital unit and declared that the 'magnificent, universal and splendid courage of the French and American soldiers," was what impressed him the most.

WORK FOR BETTER CITY

Women's League to Co-operate With City Club's Efforts In line with the movement for a "better

Philadelphia," Joseph H. Hagedorn, director of civic affairs of the City Club, announced today that within the next week a representative of the Women's League for Good Government will speak at one of the luncheous for the purpose of "co-operating between their organization and ours to bring about a better Philadelphia."

In addition, a meeting is being arranged at which the present school system will be the chief topic of discussion. Lieutenant Colonel John G. McLean, as-

sistant commissioner of health of Pennsylvania, will be the speaker at the Public Health Day luncheon of the club on April 30.

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In "EYES OF YOUTH" DUMONT'S Minatrels. Arch & 9th Sts. Burlesque "Hair-breadth Harry & Relentions Rudolph"

Reader's Viewpoint

Letters to the Editor on Topics of General Interest

Who Will Help the Renter? To the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger:

Sir-Your article in the edition of the EVENING PUBLIC LEDGER today, on the cousing conditions in this city is a fair statement of conditions. If the city is to progress it must have houses for the workngman who comes here to work, to live n, otherwise they will go to other cities where conditions are made comfortable for

To say the situation is serious is putting mildly. A condition of unrest prevails mong the renters of this city bordering of ysteria. Something should be done and one quickly. It is not possible for the city government to take this matter up some way and build the homes necessary?

JNO, F. BROGAN. Philadelphia, April 17.

Plea for Boys Over Here

To the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger Sir-I have been reading the letter of Mr. George P. White, Camp Alexander, Newort News, Va., published April 10, in your nost valued paper, about giving the boys of the Iron Division. Twenty-eighth Division grand never-to-be-forgotten reception and welcome home some time in the near future also giving of a medal. There is nothing under the sun too much to give to these boys. But don't forget the boys who were ready and willing to go "over there," but were stopped by the signing of the armistice.

These boys should be considered just as auch as the boys who were in luck. They should be taken along with the oversea boys. be given a medal and participate to the fulldegree in every part of the receiving of the welcome home to the grand Twenty eighth Iron Division.

Please do something for these boys. Your paper is known all over the U. S. A. for starting things going and winding up with the goods, now here is a splendid opportunity to do a good big lot of good for a bunch of real good boys.

I am the commander of Admiral James M. Forsyth Garrison, No. 145, Army and Navy 'nion, U. S. A., and every comrade in my garrison is a veteran in some of the wars. Mexico to the present war, inclusive. They have all done valiant service for our Unch Sam, and I know that I would feel very much pleased to see the boys of my garrison who were kept in some camp honored with being juvited to participate with the boys of the Twenty-eighth Iron Division.

Understand me, I do not want to detract one lota from the Iron Division. Give them all the honors high up to the sky. I am like a father looking after his kids, and my comrades who were in this war at camps should be given some consideration.

JOS. DeG. ANDREWS. Philadelphia, April 11.

As to Open Conferences To the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger

Sir-Should the Peace Conference at Paris have been open to the public? There has been much criticism by thoughtless writers to the effect that the proceedings have been held behind closed doors; that this is wrong and that the public is entitled to know all that takes place there. What practical good to our country would that subserve? In the United States the political opponents of President Wilson pretend to believe that the President needs watching and therefore they have made arrangements to have certain congressmen, political spies and informers go to Paris and try to find out all that is possible that can be used against the President. I wish them joy in their delightful honorable and patriotic employment, I what they hear should be favorable to the President will they report that also, or are they only to report what can be made use of serves?

what practical benefit the public can derive from the discussions that may take place before the Peace Conference? Why should the conference be open to the public? If it were, then it would be open also to the enemy, and would give them a fine oppor tunity to sow discord and suspicion in ranks of the representatives of the Allies, The whole world is hoping and praying

for the speedy settlement of the terms of peace so that normal conditions may be resumed as early as possible. The America: public should serve notice upon George Wharton Pepper and his pet league, and upon that cabal of political senators that have leagued to oppose the President, that they have no patience with their obstructive political tactics and that the public temper is such that it will not stand for any politics in the consideration of the terms of peace, when they are submitted for acceptance to HARRY C. COPE. the public. Bethlehem, April 16.



THE PROBATION WIFE. EASTER WEEK-ANITA STEWART IN ALAC 1214 MARKET STREET 11 A. M. to 11:30 P. M. TOM MOORE "MAN AND HIS MONE ADDED CHAPLIN in "Police"

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SPEECH READING CLUB GROWS

Organization May Affiliate With Hardof-Hearing Association

Mrs. Horace F. Weeks and Mrs. Percy Simpson have been made life members and nearly forty new members have been added to the Speech Reading Club of Philadelphia in the last month. The annual meeting of the organization will be held early next month. Officers will be elected then and the question of affiliating with the National Association for the Hard of Hearing will be voted upon.

In the report for the last month, just insued, it was announced that the club would soon have to find additional or new headquarters to accommodate all its activities. The Tulip Ten Room has had to be enlarged. The dormitories are crowded. The library

and reading rooms are proving popular. Mrs. II. L. Daddow gave \$100 as a gift to the club last month.

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