

JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Prominent Women Seriously Ill With Typhoid—Nancy Wynne Sees Good-Looking Costume—Dance Tonight at Merion Golf Club—More About Rainbow Fete

TYPHOID seems to be prevalent these days and several people I have heard of lately have been seriously ill. Mrs. J. Bertram Lippincott has been ill for more than two weeks at her home, 1712 Spruce street.

Mrs. John Frederick Lewis is very ill, too, and Mrs. Arthur Emlen Newbold, Jr. They are all three so active in good works that they have been greatly missed.

I hear that Mrs. Lippincott is a tiny shade better, but she has been gravely ill and her family have been most anxious, to say nothing of her friends, whose name is legion.

WHAT a good-looking sports suit Frances Sullivan is wearing this spring! It is the loveliest shade of soft pastel green.

THE subscription dance out at the Merion Golf Club tonight is going to be quite an affair. It's arranged by Mrs. Kane S. Green and Mrs. Richard E. Norton.

THE Rainbow Fete (that's the annual affair for the Abington Hospital, you know) is going to have a decidedly military atmosphere.

Mrs. George Lorimer, who is in charge of the affair, entertained the committee at luncheon at the Bellevue on Tuesday to discuss the plans.

When, as I told you before, Mrs. George W. Elkins, Jr. is in charge of the supper dance and Mrs. Barclay Warburton will manage the restaurant.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Van Rensselaer, who will entertain at the Ritz-Carlton club this evening, will take their guests to the welfare dance at the Ritz-Carlton afterward.

Mrs. Samuel E. Carpenter entertained at the welfare dance at the Ritz-Carlton club yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Mary C. Page.

Mrs. Benjamin Franklin Clyde is spending some time at the Plaza, New York.

Mrs. William T. Carter, who has been spending some time at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., has returned to the St. Regis, New York.

Mrs. Norman Grey will chaperone her daughter, Miss Lucy Grey, Miss Mary C. Page, Miss Helen Wilson, Miss Frances K. Wister, Miss Hejlyte Stewart and Miss Mary Tyler to Princeton over the week-end of May 17 to attend the Prom.

Miss Anna Walter Strawbridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Strawbridge, whose engagement to Mr. John Winthrop Claphorn has recently been announced, will be the guest of honor at a dinner to be given on Wednesday, May 14, by her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Strawbridge.

Mrs. Francis L. H. Noble and her daughter, Miss Emilie Potter Noble, of 105 Rex avenue, Chestnut Hill, will be at home informally on Sunday in May at 4 o'clock.

the weather permits. No cards have been sent out.

Colonel John S. Muckle has been elected commander of the Pennsylvania Commandery of the Naval Order of the United States to succeed the late Thomas Skelton Harrison.

The ladies' committee of the Merion Cricket Club will give a musical and on tomorrow afternoon from 4 until 6 o'clock at the clubhouse, Haverford, Pa.

Mrs. George Hughes Hanson, of Merion, announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Lucy Hughes Hanson, to Mr. Harry Truitt King, on May 3.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Irene Norman, daughter of Mrs. L. M. Norman, of Newtown, Mass., to Lieutenant Julius Ziegler, of Baltimore, Md.

The war service committee of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania will give its thirty-first reception to soldiers, sailors and marines tomorrow from 7 to 10:45 o'clock.

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WOMEN TO EXPLAIN UNION WORK ABROAD

Trade Envoys Who Went to Europe Will Speak Here in June

Women of the country are looking forward with interest to the National Women's Trade Union League convention, which is to be held in Philadelphia the first week in June.

It was early this spring when President Wilson expressed his belief that it was essential that there be some representatives of the working women with which the peace committees could confer that the National Women's Trade Union League decided to send over two representatives.

Miss Schneiderman and Miss Anderson sailed for Paris in the first week in March to confer with the peace delegates.

BAND IN JAZZ CONCERT

Large Audiences Cordially Receive Two Performances of Up-to-Date Music

Lieutenant James Reese Europe and his 36th United States Infantry Band, commonly known as the "jazz" band, gave two of their characteristic concerts at the Academy of Music yesterday afternoon and evening.



MRS. J. C. SNYDER

MARION HORWITZ O'BRIEN GLAD TO QUIT MAYORING

"Blonde and Brilliant" Former Philadelphia Too Sympathetic for Florida Job

"Blonde and brilliant." So summarized appears Mrs. Marion Horwitz O'Brien, formerly Mrs. George Quintard Horwitz, who transferred her position as a leader in Philadelphia social affairs for the majority of Moore Haven, Florida.

"A woman mayor." Mrs. Marion Horwitz O'Brien, of Moore Haven, was among the guests at the Hotel Mason. Immediately I drew a mental portrait of her. She would be buxom, her voice would be loud, her hands large, and her costume severe and mannish.

"But the elevator door slid open just then and out she stepped. Thoughts of spectacles, stiff collars and commonsense shoes picked up their abandoned heels and slunk away.

"Doesn't Like to 'Mayor'." "Then she began to talk. One must listen closely to gather in the meaning of Marion O'Brien's words, for with her deep melodious voice one would rather close the eyes and drink in the music of her tones.

"My term is almost done," she declared, "and I'm very, very glad. Not that I do not love my work, she explained when I looked askance, but it's that nerve-racking business of judging people that I hate.

"She has just returned from a trip to Tallahassee, where she and a sister have been pleading with the Legislature to establish a new county in Florida. She told me she adored dabbling in civic affairs, loved improvement measures for her town and state, and in fact all things for the betterment of a community.

"Who Was the Man?" "Now," she continued, "I'm going to tell you what a very nice complement one of your Jacksonville men paid me just a few minutes ago."

"I had an idea, but I wanted to be perfectly sure." "I don't know," she said and laughed again. "But the last I saw of him he was doing a Barney Oldfield up Forsyth street. He wasn't even polite enough to say goodbye."

"She put out her hand with a firm, sure grasp, suggesting the really big things accomplished by the pretty girl. 'I haven't said anything you could write about,' she flung over her shoulder, 'but say anything you like, and it will be all right.' 'And I have,'"

Each concert consisted of about twenty numbers, not counting the encores, of which there were two to four to each number.

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LOAN RALLY AT KEITH'S

George O'Connor Principal Speaker at Theatre "O'Connor Night"

A special feature to add to the Victory Loan will be held at B. F. Keith's Theatre tonight. It will be known as "George O'Connor Night," and the principal speaker will be George O'Connor, of Washington, D. C., one of the best-known entertainers in the country.

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Museums Send Envoys Here The American Association of Museums will hold its annual meeting in this city beginning May 19.

A DEBUTANTE OF NEXT SEASON



Daughter of Mrs. Barkie Henry, who will make her debut next year. Mrs. Archibald Barkie will give a dinner dance in October in honor of Miss Conway

POET PAYS TRIBUTE TO CAPTAIN McCALL

Oswald Norman, English Writer, Dedicates Verse to Man Who Died in War

"He was a veray prefit gentil knight," Chaucer.

Whence came thy shining spirit, noble soul, That gathered love and joy around thy name, And bade thy being with a Rapsod's flame, To light the war-strewn path to Freedom's goal?

To the memory of Howard C. McCall, who gave a young life for an old ideal, Oswald Norman, an English poet, has written these lines.

Captain McCall, son of Joseph B. McCall, was killed in action on July 19, 1918, in the second battle of the Marne, and the government has awarded him, posthumously, the Distinguished Service Cross.

The citation reads: "This officer has been addressed by the commanding general, American expeditionary forces, that he has awarded the Distinguished Service Cross, posthumously, to your son, Captain Howard C. McCall, Fifty-ninth Infantry, for extraordinary heroism in action near Chiez, France, July 19, 1918.

DAY NURSERIES ARE URGED

Lack of Them Given as One Cause for Delinquency

The lack of day nurseries for colored children was shown yesterday to be a cause for some of the juvenile delinquency and the reason why a number of children drop out of school long before they have sufficient education.

CLUB WELCOMES SOLDIERS

Germantown Cricket Gives Smoker for Members Who Served Flag

A welcome-home smoker in honor of members who have been in the country's service overseas was given last night by the Germantown Cricket Club in its clubhouse, Manheim and Morris streets.

TONIGHT! Big Victory Loan Drive

At B. F. Keith's Theatre "George O'Connor Night" Hon. J. Hampton Moore, Chairman

DANCING Cortisoz

ORPHEUM WAT. TOMORROW, 12c, 25c, 50c. MAE DESMOND "WAY DOWN EAST" 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 65c, 70c, 75c, 80c, 85c, 90c, 95c, 1.00.

FETE CHAMPETRE TO BE HELD THIS MONTH

Proceeds of Annual Affair Will Be Used to Equip Misericordia Hospital

The Sisters of Mercy and Ladies' Auxiliary of the Misericordia Hospital have issued invitations for their annual outdoor spring fete. The affair this year, which is scheduled to take place on May 30 and 31 on the grounds of the Convent of Mercy at Merion, is known as the Fete Champetre and May-Pole dance.

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MARKET ST. BELOW 60th 2:30, 7:30, 9:30 P. M. RIGOLETTO BROS. and SWANSON

ARCHBISHOP LEADS IRISH FUND DRIVE

Ireland's Sons in This City to Raise \$150,000 to Support Plea for Freedom

Archbishop Dougherty, Bishop McCort, Bishop Yanbek and a number of other prominent clergymen and laymen have been named to direct the campaign for \$150,000, which will be conducted here during the ten-day period, beginning next Monday, by the Friends of Irish Freedom.

The object of the fund, which represents Philadelphia's quota of a nation-wide drive, is to defray expenses of bringing before the Peace Conference Ireland's plea for recognition of its independence and to conduct an educational campaign throughout the country on behalf of an Irish republic.

On the executive committee named today are the following: Sir James J. Ryan, Dr. Peter E. Moylan, Mrs. William J. Begley, the Rev. D. J. Broughal, Judge Eugene C. Bonville, W. J. Boyd, James J. Boylan, Miss Jane Campbell, Dr. William Carroll, Mrs. Elizabeth Day Cavanaugh, Miss Mary C. Clark, Francis S. Clark, Mgr. Gerald P. Coghlan, Mgr. M. J. Crane, the Rev. Ignatius Doherty, Dr. William T. Dempsey, Thomas Devlin, Lake Dillon, Michael Donohoe, the Rev. Michael C. Donovan, Miss E. Dougherty, Michael Francis Doyle, the Rev. D. W. Driscoll, E. J. Du Mes, Patrick Donohue, the Rev. J. G. P. Ewens, Monsignor Nevin E. Fisher, E. Fitzgerald.

Patrick Fitzgerald, James A. Flaherty, John T. Flood, Mrs. Mary A. Gallagher, Joseph P. Gaffney, Dr. M. F. Gallagher, the Rev. Matthew J. Gough, the Rev. Matthew A. Hand, John Hanes, the Rev. Joseph Hannigan, M. F. Hanson, Mrs. Pembroke D. Harton, Monsignor Hugh T. Henry, the Rev. D. Herron, James F. Herron, the Rev. M. J. Higgins, John Hogan, John F. Horgan, the Rev. T. J. Hurton, James Irwin, Miss Margaret Kain.

Miss Sarah Kelly, Mrs. Sarah Kelly, the Rev. John W. Keogh, Monsignor William Kieran, Mrs. J. P. Leigo, Patrick Logue, John A. Lonergan, John V. Loughney, the Rev. Dr. D. Maguire, Hugh McCaffrey, Henry McCarney, the Rev. T. S. McCarthy, Joseph T. McDevitt, M. J. McDevitt, Joseph McDevitt, P. J. McGarvey, the Rev. James M. McGuire, Owen McLaughlin, Judge John Monahan, Mrs. James Mundy, the Rev. James Nash, the Rev. J. D. Nevin, Mrs. M. Nolan, James T. Nulty.

Dr. W. J. O'Brien, John J. O'Connor, John O'Dea, Miss Constance O'Hara, Francis O'Keefe, the Rev. D. J. O'Mahoney, Dr. Austin O'Malley, Joseph O'Neill, Michael O'Neill, Owen O'Neill, Patrick O'Neill, Thomas E. O'Neill, John J. O'Shea, Mrs. Augustine Poole, Miss Agnes Chene Quinn, A. Raymond Raff, Thomas Reilly, Michael J. Ryan, the Rev. Gregory R. School, James B. Sheridan, Monsignor James P. Sinnott, the Rev. Thomas W. Skelly, John M. Skelly, Mrs. Thomas F. Somers, Bryan Vansy, the Rev. Robert Ellis Thompson.

William Tobin, Joseph Trainer, Daniel Wade, Miss Katherine Walsh, Mrs. Honor Walsh, Dr. J. Fr. Walsh, the Rev. Edmund J. Walsh, Monsignor W. J. Walsh, the Rev. F. A. Wash.

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Four hundred Jewish men and women were elected from the different provinces in the Holy Land and will proceed to organize a government, largely modeled after that of the United States, consisting of legislative and executive bodies.

Antagonism was manifested at first on the part of the representatives chosen from the extreme orthodox wing who did not want to sit in the assembly with women. The majority of delegates, however, were pro-suffrage and the feminists had their way.

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