

HAHNEMANN ALUMNI TO ATTEND EXERCISES

Elaborate Program of Clinics is Planned for 71st Annual Commencement Week

OPENS THURSDAY MORNING

Hundreds of alumni of Hahnemann College will attend the seventy-first annual commencement exercises of the college and hospital, at the University City, Philadelphia, at 11:30 o'clock Thursday morning.

The attendance of out-of-town alumni will be larger than ever before, according to Dr. Pearson. Hundreds of physicians will stop off here on their way to Asbury Park, N. J., to attend the meetings of the American Institute of Homopathy, which will open on June 15.

The Hahnemann commencement exercises and festivities will start Wednesday and will close Saturday. During that time there will be special clinics for the visiting physicians, reunions of the classes of 1894, 1904, 1890, 1900 and 1914, a business meeting of the alumni and an alumni banquet.

The alumni banquet will be held at the Adelphi Hotel at 6:30 o'clock Thursday. Physicians who have been in the program will attend in uniform.

The program for clinics is one of the most ambitious arranged for commencement week at the institution. On Wednesday there will be an eye clinic by Dr. William W. Speakman and a surgical clinic by Dr. H. L. Northrop. On Friday there will be three medical clinics by Drs. G. Harlan Wells, William R. Williams and G. Morris Golden.

Dr. D. Bushrod James will also give a gynecological clinic on that day. In the afternoon of the same day there will be an ear, nose and throat clinic. Dr. Oliver S. Haines will give a therapeutic clinic, while Drs. Clarence Bartlett and Oliver H. Paxson will give special medical clinics. A large number of clinical cases will be presented and the wards will be open to the visiting physicians.

Dr. Benjamin K. Fletcher, secretary of the alumni association, has sent out a special call for a large attendance of alumni and also an appeal to all men who have been in the service to send in a complete record of their assignments.

The officers of the alumni association are: George W. Hartman, president, Harrisburg; James M. Heimbach, first vice president, Kane, Pa.; Robert S. Marshall, second vice president, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Theodore M. Johnson, third vice president, Pittston, Pa.; Benjamin K. Fletcher, secretary, Philadelphia; William C. Hunsicker, secretary, Philadelphia; Richard W. Larer, treasurer, Philadelphia; G. Harlan Wells, ecologist, Philadelphia.

On the executive committee are: Charles M. Brooks, '78; John A. Fischer, '95; William D. Culin, '94; Herbert P. Leopold, '96; John Dean Elliott, '01; Fred W. Smith, '03; Harry S. Weaver, '02; William M. Higgins, '04, and Frank C. Benson, Jr., '04.

BIFF!—A GENTLE GAME

Try it on Your Friends—Fun for a Quiet Day and When Broke Here's a nice new game for you! Collect five of your friends, make 'em each contribute \$5, pool it, lay it on a step, and then square off at each other. And the last man on his feet gets the twenty-five!

Such was the game that Patrolman Thomas Winning interrupted on Eleventh street above Allegheny, Carter, N. J., after neighbors in the vicinity notified the station at Germantown avenue and Lycoming street, that the noise from a battle royal in the middle of the street was keeping them all awake.

Winning reached the spot in time to see two men pounded to their knees. Then he approached the five young men and advised them, if they wanted to continue their play, that they'd better retire to a vacant lot and not disturb the neighbors.

The belligerents, chatting amiably, walked to Crosson field, northeast corner of Eleventh and Allegheny, and continued their rumpus. Winning remained long enough to see the littlest man of the five walk leisurely over to where the stake was and pocket it. Then the victor went back to where his friends lay, sat down and waited for them to come to.

\$500 FIRE IN HOUSE

Police Discover Fire While Family is Absent Fire originating in the back kitchen at the home of Morris Levin, 3402 G street, early today threatened to destroy the entire house before the flames were gotten under control by firemen. Damage was estimated at \$500.

Plane Delivers Newspapers

Denver, June 9.—The Denver Post has purchased an airplane for distributing papers to suburban towns.

AUTO SCHOOL

Practical courses in overhauling and repairing motor cars and trucks. Morning, afternoon and evening classes for men and women. Complete instruction. Prompt graduation. Central Y. M. Instruction Office, 1421 Arch St.

35-YEAR-OLD GRANDFATHER ADVISES EARLY MARRIAGES

Frank Miller and Wife of 34 Proud of Their Daughter's Baby Girl—Five Generations at Christening Tonight

"Meet the right girl early, and if you're lucky enough to win her queenly favor, marry her," is the bit of advice that comes from Frank Miller, 1728 West Passyunk avenue, the man who is, at the age of thirty-five, the youngest granddaddy this side of the ocean.

"There can be put few grandfathers and grandmothers younger than my wife and I are," said Mr. Miller. "I married Mary Shields when she was only seventeen, and I dare say that there's not a happier man living today. Of course, I'm in favor of marrying young."

To his wife, therefore, belong the distinction of being one of the youngest grandmothers, if not the youngest, in the city, and maybe in the state.

Mr. Miller is the father of four children, and is probably a little happier than the average father, because this young daughter of his child, Mrs. Mary Donovan, 1509 Emily street, makes him a grand grandfather. His other children are two boys and a girl—Johnny, aged thirteen; Emily, aged eight, and eighteen-months-old Charlie, who has a bad habit of stealing and hiding the visitors' straw hats.

AMERICAN LEGION MEN TO ORGANIZE TONIGHT

County Committee Calls Meeting, Which Will Plan Establishment of Local Posts

Plans for the formation of the local posts of the American Legion will be discussed at a meeting of the Philadelphia county committee of the Legion tonight in the auditorium of the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce in the Widener Building.

George Wentworth Carr, who was a captain of ordnance, and who is chairman of the county committee, will preside. The other officers of the county committee are Howard G. Buck, vice chairman; William J. Smyth, secretary, and Otto R. Helligman, treasurer.

The Philadelphia county committee will be the first county committee in Pennsylvania to organize. A post has been founded at Williamsport, but it is believed that local posts will not be formed for some time in this city. First the wards will be organized and out of this form of temporary organization will be developed the permanent posts which will carry on the work.

ROY SCOUT DROWNS

Heroic Attempt at Rescue Fails in Wissahickon Creek

Arrangements were made today for the funeral of fifteen-year-old Edward Jenkins, of Boy Scout Troop 96, who was drowned Saturday while swimming in Wissahickon creek near Valley Green Hotel.

The boy was on a hike with other members of the troop and decided to take a swim while they halted temporarily. He was seized with cramps after he had been in the water but a few minutes. Shouts for help were heard by William Gardiner, a former ensign in the United States navy, of 36 Benezet street, Chestnut Hill, who was at the Valley Green Hotel.

Gardiner was obliged to run a considerable distance to reach the stream. The boy had already disappeared, but Gardiner heroically dove and brought his body to the surface. He tried every means to revive the lad. Later physicians from the Chestnut Hill Hospital worked for more than an hour, but to no avail.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon from the boy's home, 3909 Pine street, and will be attended by the Boy Scout Troop No. 96 and members of the Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip. Interment will be in Fernwood Cemetery.

NAVY OFFICERS ENROLL

Merchant Marine Needs More Men to Hold Commissions

Many naval officers who have been honorably discharged from the service are taking advantage of the shortage of officers in the merchant marine and are enrolling in large numbers daily, according to William G. Rice, local chief of the service bureau, in the Bourse Building. Notwithstanding the large number who already have signed up for service, many more are needed. Rice declared yesterday.

Another type of ship's officer which is taking advantage of the shortage of officers in the merchant marine are particularly anxious to reach are those who have retired from sea duty and are now holding positions ashore. An appeal has been made to their patriotism in the emergency which has arisen, and while many have responded, there are still many good, lucrative berths aboard ship, with the brightest prospects for promotion.

FERTILIZER PRICES FALL

Government Announces Rates Arranged With Manufacturers

Washington, June 9.—(By A. P.)—"Farmers of the country should obtain their mixed fertilizers for fall, 1919, at an average price of about 30 per cent lower than the prices which obtained for the spring season just past," he Department of Agriculture said last night in an announcement, giving a list of prices ranging from \$21.78 to \$56.25 per ton for ammonia, phosphoric acid and potash compounds, to which manufacturers have agreed.

There will apply as a maximum on thirty-ton shipments from Baltimore, Philadelphia and Carter, N. J., if this was explained, on sales either to dealers or farmers, but will not govern shipments to southern states, for which agreements have not yet been reached.

The announcement, it was said, could not be construed as a fixing of prices, but "reflected the action of the department in dealing with the fertilizer trade under terms of the food control act."

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The American Legion leaders say they are organizing on nonpartisan and nonpolitical lines and the Legion will be in the future what the Grand Army of the Republic has been since the Civil War. An invitation is extended to all soldiers and sailors and marines to attend the meeting tonight, so that there shall be a widespread understanding of the movement.

As it is presently constituted the Philadelphia county committee which will perfect the organization of the posts for this city consists of Mr. Carr, Major Otto R. Helligman, Captain Leo Richards, Edward G. Simonson, Howard G. Buck, J. H. Geise, A. N. Sherman, Lieutenant Samuel H. Jones, Lieutenant Joseph I. McNichol, Charles Weinberg, Charles B. White, Major L. G. Goblon Forster, George Kofler, Henry M. Taggart, James O'Donnell, Adelbert Hoeger, Leo Weinrott, Captain Guillaume Aertson, Jr., Lieutenant Joseph B. McCall, Jr., Major George P. Tyler, Captain Andrew Knox, H. Penny, J. J. Lamond, Colonel Millard Brown, William J. Smyth, Clyde Meszkie, Lieutenant William O. Muench, Jr., Charles H. Dearlove, Major Charles J. Biddle, Colonel C. P. Franklin, Lieutenant Michael Saxe, Major John W. Geary, Colonel Franklin D'Olier, Captain A. Nevin Detrich, M. R. Stimle, Lieutenant A. J. Drexel, Paul, Lieutenant Colonel Robert Glendinning and Lieutenant John W. Brock.

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Very Unusual Anniversary Sale Values That Will Bring Thousands to Strawbridge & Clothier's

Golden Special To-morrow



1200 Yards of Linen Table DAMASK 70 Inches Wide Extraordinary Value at \$1.95

Fine full-bleached ALL-LINEN Irish Damask, in several handsome designs. An exceptionally good value and only possible through our contracting for this Damask in March, 1917. The manufacturer quoted the wholesale price on this same quality, April 1st, for autumn delivery, at considerably more than this special price—\$1.95.

Children's Rompers Special at 45c

Two good styles, of chambray, in tan, pink and blue. One closes in front and has round collar piped with white, belt of white, and pocket. The other is a two-piece style, buttoned on the waist, beach knees, short sleeves, and trimming of pretty contrasting checks. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Specially good for this small price—45c.

The Anniversary Sale of Silks Is Attracting Thousands

There are Silks of all kinds, and plenty of them. You can choose with the same ease and freedom as if choosing from regular stock—the standard of excellence is the same and the assortments and quantities are wonderful. All these at a saving:

- 35-inch Black Satin de Luxe—now \$1.85 a yard
- 40-inch Heavy Black Crepe Meteor—now \$2.65 a yard
- Fine Gilt-edge, Black Dress Taffeta—now \$2.00 a yard
- 35-inch Black Dress Taffeta—now \$1.65 a yard
- 40-inch Heavy Black Crepe de Chine—now \$3.00
- 40-inch High-grade Black Satin Charmeuse—now \$2.65
- Double-width Black Crepe Georgette—now \$2.00
- 36-inch Black, Peau de Cygne—now \$1.65 a yard
- 35-inch Black Satin Messaline—now \$1.65 a yard
- Yard-wide Black Japanese Silk—\$1.85 a yard
- Black and Colored Satin Messaline—now \$1.65 a yard
- 35-inch Colored Dress Taffeta, plenty of navy blue—\$1.55
- 36-inch High-grade Colored Dress Satins—\$3.00 a yard
- Yard-wide Colored Chiffon Taffeta—now \$2.10
- 36-inch Fancy Taffeta Plaids—now \$1.55 a yard
- 35-inch Novelty Satin Taffeta Plaids—now \$2.00
- Yard-wide Printed Foulard Silks—now \$1.85 a yard
- 40-inch Printed Twill Foulard Silks—now \$2.00 a yard
- Yard-wide Novelty Printed Levantine Silks—now \$2.25
- Yard-wide Novelty Striped Dress Silks—now \$1.50 a yard
- 36-inch Washable White Velvet Corduroy—now 85c a yd.
- 27-inch High-grade English Costume Velvet—\$2.25
- 36-inch Washable White Satin—now \$1.65 a yard
- 40-inch Extra-heavy White Crepe de Chine—now \$3.00
- 40-inch Colored Crepe de Chine—now \$2.85 a yard
- 33-inch Japanese Ecu Pongee Silk—now \$1.00
- 33-inch Japanese Heavy Ecu Pongee Silk—now \$1.25
- All-silk Double-width Crepe Georgette—now \$2.00

Great Savings in Millinery



Many special purchases at great price concessions, from manufacturers whose summer season is about closing together with special lots of Hats from our regular stock reduced for quick clearance, combine to put Millinery among the foremost of the extra values in the Anniversary Sale:

- Trimmed Milan-Hemp Hats, Special at \$4.85
- In the new summer shapes, trimmed with flowers, ribbons and fancies.
- 300 Trimmed White Milan Hats—\$4.50
- Lovely summery Hats. Some faced with figured crepe Georgette, some with crowns or flanges of navy blue taffeta. A great variety, all in Fashion's most approved styles. Many WORTH NEARLY DOUBLE.
- Lovely Trimmed Transparent Hats—\$4.95
- Net and hair lace and crepe Georgette in many combinations, also crepe and straw combinations. Also in this group taffeta and taffeta-and-straw Hats, showing many dark crowns with white brims.
- More White Milan-hemp Sports Hats—\$2.95
- Another large collection—the first five hundred were sold in a few days, so you had better get here early. They are of fine white natural Milan, in several shapes, some with straight brims, some with droop brim with pencil-curl edge.

Royal Waists in the Sale

Good news for hundreds of women to whom "Royal" means perfection in Waists. This collection includes—

- Silk Waists—\$4.95 and \$5.50
- Cotton Waists—\$1.85 to \$4.95

EVERY WAIST UNDER PRICE. The materials include crepe Georgette, crepe de chine, China silk, satin-striped tub silk, sheer voile, batiste, madras, lawn and linene. Tailored, semi-tailored, elaborately tucked and an smart combination of facts. The Waist at the left is of crepe Georgette, beautifully tucked—price \$5.50. The Waist at the right, is of white batiste with colored collar and black tie—price \$1.85.

Squeaky Baby-Carriages

Most baby-carriages are not oiled and they squeak or shriek their protest to the unheeding ears of their feminine proponents. Women do not understand mechanics or explanations mechanical, nor do they pay attention to so masculine a line of reasoning. How then can you induce women to oil the axles of a baby-carriage? Follow the line of least resistance. Don't argue; be convincing. Tell women that "they" have silent-running baby-carriages this season; that a protesting squeak indicates a lack of good form; that to be in style vehicular silence is golden. Discover the "Open-Sesame" into the mind of woman and your appropriation for advertising is multiplied.

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Hirsch's 923 MARKET STREET Tomorrow a Sale of Smart SUMMER DRESSES That Cannot Be Duplicated Under \$25 \$19.75

Envelope Chemise 98c Lovely Georgette & Crepe de Chine Wash Skirts \$1.98 American Lady Corsets, \$1.95—Of pink, light-weight summer material; low bust, long hips.

BARGAIN BASEMENT An Extraordinary Sale! New Voile and Rich Silk Dresses \$5 & \$9.98

Clearance of Women's Coats & Capes \$5.00 Girls' Smart Summer Voile Dresses \$1.98

Men's and Young Men's Suits \$17, \$22.50, \$25, \$27.50, \$36.50

Five Remarkable Groups in the Sale at Savings of 25 to 40 per Cent. Distinctly smart in style, well made, and from every quality standpoint as fine a collection as we have had this season. They are just the styles that will please up-to-the-minute young men and there is an ample assortment of good conservative effects for men of reserved taste.

Plenty of Serge Suits in the Sale One Lot for Men and Young Men in the Anniversary Sale at \$25.00

Young Men's Suits With Two Pairs of Trousers—now \$26.50 Single- and double-breasted styles for young men. A limited number in sizes 35 to 40 only—\$26.50.

Corset Values, Exceptional

Every one of these Corsets specially priced for the Anniversary Sale is a well-known make. It means the opportunity for many a woman to get her favorite Corset at a good saving, both a sure and pleasant way to economize.

To-morrow We Begin a Sale of Men's Four-in-hands at 85c

The collection consists of thousands of fine Four-in-hands—made by one of the most prominent Neckwear houses in America, from the SURPLUS SILKS on hand at the close of their regular season, and sold to us at a substantial price concession for the Anniversary Sale. These Neckties have been as carefully made as the manufacturer's regular lines. Every one has the slide-easy band for easy sliding through the collar.

Thousands of Women's New Summer Frocks Under Price

Dresses, Dresses Everywhere! Hundreds of women stepping in and out of lovely new Frocks! Three, four, a half-dozen at a time, from the neatest gingham to the dressiest crepe Georgette, going out to one address! Dollars, many dollars saved on these purchases!

Hundreds of Summer Dresses—\$5.00 to \$8.50 White voiles, lace-edged and lace-trimmed, figured voiles with crisp white collars, smartly tailored gingham, in plaids and checks—a wonderful variety, and every Dress under price.

Lovely Sheer Summer Frocks—now \$11.75 Lace-trimmed white voiles, checked, striped and dotted voiles, in lovely fresh colorings, charming checked tissue and crisp new organdies in dainty shades.

Hosts of Cool Summer Frocks—\$12.75 to \$19.75 Striped, checked, dotted and novelty voiles, including foulard patterns, in dark colorings, particularly striking designs in black-and-white. Also plain-colored voiles, white voiles trimmed with lace—all-white novelty voiles, white and colored organdies. Beautifully tailored gingham, with smart collar and cuffs, also lovely Frocks of the fashionable New England prints.

Japanese Silk Dresses—now \$9.75 to \$19.75 Three models in the simple, practical styles that so many women like for traveling and much general wear—some relieved by a little touch of white at the neck.

New Models in Taffeta Dresses—now \$25.00 Three new models, featuring straight, tunic and flounced skirts. Black, navy blue, French blue and taupe in the collection.

Taffeta and Crepe de Chine Dresses—now \$22.50 Ten different models, some in simple tailored styles, others with sheer sleeves and various little trimming touches that make them suitable for afternoon wear.

Handkerchiefs Extraordinary Fortunate purchases made on a much lower market makes possible these TWO MATCHLESS VALUES in Handkerchiefs, for the Anniversary Sale:

Women's Handkerchiefs—now 6 for \$1.45 Linen Handkerchiefs with dainty one-sixteenth-inch hemstitched hem and embroidered corners.

Men's Handkerchiefs—now 6 for \$1.20 Linen Handkerchiefs with hemstitched hem and embroidered initial.

Toilet Soaps Specially Priced Thousands of cakes of Soap at special prices, which are so much less than regular that it will pay to lay in a year's supply, especially as Soaps do not deteriorate through time, but dry out and harden, and therefore wear away less readily.

Full-size bars of Floating White Castile Soap—now 48c. Pure Green Olive Oil Soap, in large bars—now \$1.29 Kirk's Ombius Soap, a famous Soap that is always in demand—now 12 1/2c, or \$1.50 a dozen

S. & C. Glycerine Soap, violet or rose odor, and S. & C. Peroxide Soap—now 8c a cake, or 90c a dozen SPECIAL—Twelve Cakes of Palmolive Soap with one bottle of Palmolive Shampoo—now \$1.48.

Two Cakes Palmolive Soap } 25c Two Cakes Rose Bath Soap } 25c Four Cakes of Soap for 25c—two cakes of the well-known Palmolive Soap and two of Rose Bath Soap, a new Palmolive product and therefore needs no further recommendation.

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