

JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Nancy Wynne Talks of the Coming Horse Show—She Speaks of the Biddle-Newton Engagement.

Other Matters

There are certainly going to be a great many dinners in connection with the horse show, which opens tomorrow at Bryn Mawr. I really think it will be even greater than the Devon one last spring, and that certainly is one peach of a show, with its French village and all the rest of it! This is for the Bryn Mawr Hospital, you know, and I hope it nets a lot for that worthy institution. It certainly is a beautiful spot, is it not?

The Jack Valentines are giving a dinner tomorrow night and Mrs. Alexander Brown will entertain on Thursday, while the Charles Munn and Alix Dolan are to entertain on Saturday night at dinners.

I told you I think that the Valentines have the Frank Bonals with them for the show. Mrs. Bonal is Mr. Plunkett Stewart's sister. Incidentally Doris Stewart is going to ride in the show. She is about nine years old, I think, and looks awfully cunning on her pony.

I suppose most of the debutantes will go to the show, and I certainly do like to see them. Eleanor Wurts looked so attractive at the Thayers ten on Saturday. She was wearing a very smart light-brown suit and hat that I liked to watch her so much. There's a certain fresh radiance and bandow in that is very attractive. Somehow, you always feel there's going to be something doing as soon as she appears on the scene.

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The Wister girls reminds me that they will make their debut on October 13, out at the old Wister house in Logan. It is called Butler Place, you know, and has been in the Wister family for generations. Both Marina and Fanny are Wisters from start to finish, as it were. Their mother, who died several years ago and who was one of the most greatly loved women in this city, was Miss Mary Wister, the daughter of Mrs. William Rotch Wister, and Mr. Owen Wister was her cousin as well as her husband.

Mrs. Wister was one of the founders of the Civic Club and was, if my memory serves me right, its first president. Indeed, the club members attribute much of their success in their undertakings to the memory of her undying spirit and strong purpose in the great work she undertook and carried on.

Miss Frances A. Wister, their mother's sister, will champion Marina and Frances at the debut. The latter is a writer is undisputed. Most of us have read and enjoyed his books beyond words.

Unlike the children of most geniuses, the Wister girls are very talented and very attractive. Marina is very musical and has a decided literary streak. The story goes that at the age of five she wrote an opera and taught her younger brothers and sisters their various parts. But these girls are not the clever kind that make people stand off. On the contrary, they are simple, natural, sweet girls, good talkers, full of life and humor, and are very good looking. Frances is named after her ancestress, the actress Fanny Kemble.

Wouldn't you love to hear that once? Perhaps it is as funny as the book Marie Louise Wannmaker Munn wrote when she was eight and sent to her father as a birthday gift. That was even illustrated by the young authoress.

Another engagement in the Newlin family! Did you ever know anything to beat it? Last year Caverly, and his marriage to the daughter of the late Beau Whitner, and now Adelaide and Livingston Biddle. Adelaide is only just coming out this year and, in fact, Major and Mrs. Newlin are giving a party for her and Louisa and the J. Caverly Newlin, Jr., this evening at the Merion Cricket Club.

Adelaide is named after her mother, who was Miss Adelaide Sims, a sister of Admiral Sims, and Adelaide's middle name is Sims, too. She is a very good-looking, attractive girl with dark hair and eyes and a very charming manner. Liv Biddle, as you know, was the younger son of the late Tony Biddle, brother of Tony, Jr., who married Mary Duke, and of Cordelia, who married Angier Duke.

They were just married last week and they started off on their honeymoon with much determination not to let any one think that they had not been married for years. They know how you all do. So when their car reached country road, before they took their train, they called a halt and both got out; and, taking a clothes brush which the bride had put into her bag, proceeded to brush all the confetti and rice off each other's clothes.

When they reached their hotel they took even further precautions and shook their coats and wraps thoroughly. Finally, when they descended to the dining room for dinner, they even had that world-weary air of being almost bored that no one was coming in, to dine with them that evening. They really did it well.

Everything went beautifully till the coffee was served; then young husband drew from his pocket his cigarette case; he could smoke at last; and he opened it wide, out flew grain upon grain of rice. Needless to say, it was all up.

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The wedding of Miss Constance Van Boskerck, daughter of Captain F. S. Van Boskerck, United States coast guard and captain of the ports, and Mrs. Van Boskerck, of New York and this city, and Mr. Henry Brewster, of New York, took place at noon today at the Bellevue-Stratford. Chaplain C. H. Diekens performed the ceremony and Miss Carla Sloan acted as maid of honor. Mr. Fish was best man.

HAMMER—GOODRICH  
A wedding of interest took place on Saturday at 5 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Henry G. Goodrich, 232 South Thirty-eighth street, when Miss Eleanor Harper Goodrich became the bride of Mr. D. Harry Hammer, 2d, of Chicago. Dr. Robert Hugh Morris, of Stamford, Conn., performed the ceremony, assisted by Dr. Aquilla Webb, of this city. The bride was given in marriage by her cousin, Mr. Henry Goodrich Harper, of this city.

The attendants were Miss Mildred Penrose Stewart, of Germantown, as maid of honor, and Mr. Edmund Humphrey, of Wilmington, as best man. Miss Marjorie Stewart, of Germantown, and Miss Alice Ellen Reeder, of Philadelphia, acted as ribbon-bearers, assisted by Mr. Virgine Debalay, of Niagara, and Mr. Erh Chang Yao, of Shanghai, China. Mr. and Mrs. Hammer will reside in Chicago.

HOPKINS—MCKENZIE

A very quiet wedding took place at the home of the Rev. Dr. Forrest Dager, Broad and Venango streets, on Saturday morning, October 4, at 10 o'clock, when Miss Jessie D. McKenzie, of 827 South Saint Bernard place, became the bride of Mr. Arthur Hopkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis D. Hopkins, of 903 Wyoming avenue, Olney. There were no attendants. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins left for New York, where they will stay about ten days. They will then be at home at 903 Wyoming avenue.

CROMWELL WILLS IDENTICAL

Lives of Twin Sisters Who Killed Themselves Parallel to End  
New York, Oct. 7.—That peculiar similitude which linked the twins, Gladys Husted and Dorothea Katherine Cromwell, from the time of their birth until they jumped from the French line steamship La Lorraine into the Galveston river on the night of January 19, 1918, while returning to New York where they served as Red Cross workers, was again shown when their estates were appraised yesterday.

Not only did they die together, but their wills were made on the same day, they named the same beneficiaries to whom they left identical amounts, and their number of stock holdings were similar.

The report of John J. Lyons, appraiser, filed in the Surrogate's Court, showed that Dorothea left a gross estate of \$801,748, the net value being \$619,083, while Gladys had an estate of \$675,960 and a net value of \$615,296.

Sharing in each estate as legatees were twenty-one persons, the principal beneficiaries being Seymour Legrand Cromwell, a brother, and Mary R. Cromwell, a sister. The former, who lives at Mount Pleasant, N. J., receives \$244,544 from both estates, while his wife, Mrs. Agnes Cromwell, gets \$6788 from each of her sisters-in-law.

The twins bequeathed to each other in the wills \$200,000. It is believed that their act of self-destruction was induced by a nervous breakdown, the result of their arduous war work. They were thirty-two years old and had an apartment at 535 Park avenue.

NEW JERSEY NOTES

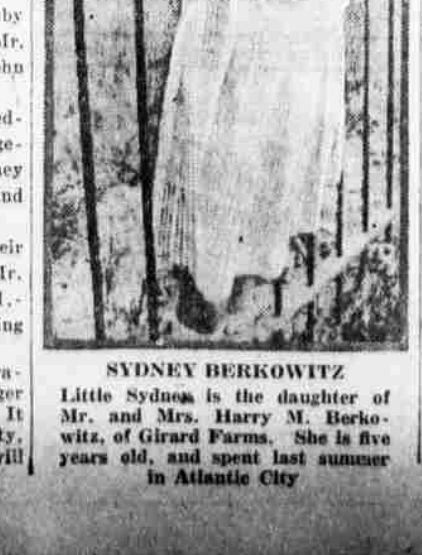
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Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bishop, of Florence, are being congratulated on the birth of a son.

Mrs. Isaac Schlichter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Elret, of Edgewater Park, is at Hot Springs, Va., a guest at the Homestead for a fortnight.

Mrs. Robert G. Dunn entertained fifty of the members of the Girls' Community Club of the Young Women's Christian Association of Burlington at a dinner on Friday evening at her country estate on the Burlington pike.



READERS' VIEWPOINT

Letters to the Editor on Current Topics

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 request and confidence respected. No manuscripts will be returned unless accompanied by sufficient postage and a special request to this effect. Publication involves no indorsement by this newspaper of the sentiments expressed. Copyright matter will be included nor will religious discussions be permitted.

Answers Query  
To the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger:  
Sir—You print the following:  
Gary's refusal to arbitrate, said Michael P. Tighe, spokesman for the steel workers at the Senate hearing yesterday, "saved the seeds of anarchy." Well, who prepared the ground and carefully tended and watered the interesting growth?  
Thinking perhaps that you were at a loss to find an answer, I am hereby attempting a probable answer:  
The tendency to justice in the minds of the striking men, and the A. F. of L. organizers.  
But could not Gary just as well have sowed co-operation and happiness on the said ground?  
WILLIAM V. McLELLIN,  
Philadelphia, October 4.

Ex-Patrolman Files Protest  
To the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger:  
Sir—I have this day entered protest against those ex-convict policemen who were just reinstated. My reasons for so doing: Charges of absent without leave were preferred against me when I resigned to go to work in shipyard, they were allowed to go to jail and no charges preferred. Also the Fifth ward cops were allowed to resign to go to jail. I am a taxpayer and former patrolman, discharged September 6, 1918, Case No. 15,015. I want to know why charges of absent without leave were not preferred in both cases the same as in my own case. I had a clean record to the day I resigned. I was charged absent without leave from the day I resigned, July 7, 1918. Discharged September 6, 1918. My protest will reach the Civil Service Commission Monday morning, October 6, 1919, in the first mail and hope you may get a copy.

JACOB STRICKLER,  
October 4. Cramps' Shipyard.

An Appreciation

To the Editor of the Evening Public Ledger:  
Sir—Thank you for the excellent review of our book, "Thrift and Conservation," appearing in your valuable paper of September 7.

ARTHUR H. CHAMBERLAIN,  
Executive secretary, California Council of Education,  
San Francisco, September 20, 1919.

EX-ATHLETE WEDS SECRETLY

Marriage May 7 is Climax of Six-Year School Romance  
All the elements of romance are found in the marriage of John E. Glocker, a former West Philadelphia High School athlete, and Miss Hazel Bromley, which became known today.

The couple married on last May 3 at Elkton, Md. The wedding followed a six-year courtship. Mr. Glocker is employed as paying teller at the Union National Bank. While at the West Philadelphia High School he was chosen first baseman in 1914 and 1915.

Mr. and Mrs. Glocker are living at 2031 West Dauphin street.

PHILADELPHIA'S FOREMOST THEATRES

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Popular Mat. 2:30  
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