## EVENING PUBLIC LEDGER-PHILADELPHIA, FRIDAY, 'APRIL 22, 1921

## **JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE**

Nancy Wynne Talks of the Dinner-Dance to Be Given Tonight for Miss Mary Starr Griscom-She Hears New Bits About "Why Not?" at Academy Next Week

QUITE a number of out-of-town people will come on today to be guests at the house party which Polly Griscom is giving over the week-end. Bells' Mrs. Clement A Griscom, Polly's

besides the regulation drawing rooms,

besides the regulation drawing rooms, library and dining room. Polly is the daughter of Mr. Rod-man Griscom. Her mother, who died a couple of years ago, was Miss Annie Starr, a much-loved woman. Mr. Gris-com's house is built on the grounds of Dolobran, which is the family home built by the late Mr. Clement Griscom. Mrs. Griscom and her daughter. Miss Panss Griscom, recently returned from their plantation in Florida, where they usually stay from January until April each year

each year. Among the out-of-town guests who will stay with Mr. Rodman Griscom and Polly over the week-end are Mar-garet Moorhead, of Pittsburgh: Jerome Smith and Francis Day, of New York: Theodore Kenefick, of Buffalo, and Ralph Boart, of St. Paul.

HEAR that Cordelia Duke has re-

turned to Bryn Mawr, after a stay several weeks in New York. Corof several weeks in New Lork. Cor-delia, by the way, is going to be one of those in "Cynthia's" garden scene in "Why Not?" which is to be repeated next Wednesday for the China Famine Fund benefit, and I hear she has a Fund benefit, and I then benefit and perfectly ravishing frock to wear. Cor-delin is certainly good to look at. It is not that she is so beautiful, but she is so cute and dainty and fascinating. Some of the other smart-looking so colle and data and an and a smart-looking some of the other smart-looking ment this scene in the garden out in Haverford are Mrs. Victor Mather, Mrs. Gilbert Mather, Mrs. Hamilton Chestou, Mrs. Aleck Yarnail, Mrs. Heck Wetherill, Cora Shields and sev-

eral others. Then have you heard about the Chinese dance which has been introduced among the stunts which are to be a part smong the stunts which are to be a part of the entertainment at the garden party? Well, Alva Sergeant has got it up and will lead the girls, and Brownie Warburton has gone over to New York and has got Mr. Ziegfeld to lend the costumes which the girls are to wear. There are to be twenty-four in the dance, and they are all four in the dance, and they are all working like mad with their new dance

Peggy Thayer and Gertrude Conaway have been added to the bathing girls in the Atlantic City scene, and if you did not see that if you did not see that dance, why not go this time to see it, for it's wonder-ful? And the girls are so graceful and crazy about dancing. Don't forget, too. that there are reproductions of Broad and Chestnut street the background of the Philadelphia Orchestra in the Academy of Music, a scene in the Bellevue-Stratford corridor and a few other well-known localities of this city.

WHEN coached by Helen Bliason and Dave Vogels, the "jeunesse" of this town appeared at the Little Theatre in "Why Not?" in February, a musical show planned, hand painted, rehearsed. written, composed and impresarioed by itself, I took off the proverbial hat from my golden topknot and placed it before them, and I am as eager to see the revival with its added features as I

was to see the opening show. It has pep, it has go, it has Jack Whiting, and after that all is said and

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it again. I think I told you that the Chinese Minister has accepted an invitation from Mr. George Lorimer to come up fiom Washington and atteud the show, and Mr. and Mrs. Lorimer will enter-tion him at dinner at the Ritz-Carl-ton before the performance. You know Mr. Lorimer is head of the China Famine Fund in this city, having with him Mr. Alba Johnson, Mrs. George Wharton Pepper, Miss Thomas, dean of Bryn Mawr and Mrs. William Boyd.

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YOU know how lovely it is in this kind of weather when you are five or six years of age and you can run out of doors and dig in the beautiful, warm, dirty mud! You get so nice and sticky, and you make beautiful pies and build tonnels and carry sand and little peb-bles and make beautiful things. It is just wonderful, until it's time to come in and then-well you know how it is, while it's awfully nice after its over, and you are all powdery and have lovels fresh clothes, the scrubbing in that tub, that mother or nurse gives fou is not that mother or nurse gives you is not pleasant while it's going on. With all this in mind you cannot quite blame Tommy, when mother was complain-ing how short he was for his age, for remarking. "Well maybe if you let a little bit of dirt stay on me, I'd grow some

NANCY WYNNE.

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES Miss Catharine Coxe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brinton Coxe, of 109 South Twenty-firat street, whose mar-riage to Mr. Andrew Wagner Porter will take place on Thursday, June 16. in the Episcopal Church of the Messiah, Gwynedd, will be the guest of hollor at a

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