## **JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE**

Nancy Wynne Attends the Charity Ball and Talks of the Rattles' Dance at the Ritz-Carlton This Evening. Other Bits of Interest

was there, for, with the exception of opera and the theatre, there were no other entertainments for the evening, so every one went to the Charity, whether at the beginning to see the pageant or later after the opera and pageant or la theatres.

I confess I found it hard to decide herself as she believes that very few

Caruse and Scotti in these recent years, and, too, I wanted muchly to see the pageant at the ball. So I compromised, saw the pageant first and then raced up to the opera and was in the for the duct, which was splendid. Anna Newbold and Ruth Packard up there as aides at the Yarmarka.

BUT to return to the Charity Ball.
Really, it was simply lovely. All
waltz music, you know, for the pageant
was called "The Waltz Dream," and
the four groups of men and girls danced
after the singing and playing of after the singing and playing of four waitzes, the 'Merry Widow,' the 'Pink Lady,' 'Gypsy Love' and 'Mademoiselle Modiste.'

Charlie Morgan was as usual most maryelously clothed and his dancing was simply beautiful. It was hard to say which group danced best, and which was most beautifully attired, though the gypsies were most picturesque, I | Charles Randolph Wood.

thought.
I noticed Virginia Carter and Neo Strawbridge and Margaretta Harrison were in that group, too.

There was general dancing after the

pageant and the floors were crowded pageant and page and per was served in the foyer. The Beard of Managers of the ball did a wise thing when they decided to get society actively interested in the ball, for the members of the younger sets now dance in the opening event and it has come to be the decidedly fashionable thing to do. Fifteen to twenty years ago a great many went, but only for a time and with a tolerent smile. Now every one wants to go and does not want to miss it at all, and it has been

made well worth going to.

The proceeds of the ball are to go a special ward in the University Hos-pital, the Jefferson Hospital and the Woman's Medical College Hospital, while the Polyclinic General Hospital will benefit by its fourth of the amount

BETTY BATTLES is to be honor guest at a dance at the Ritz-Carlton this evening which her parents, the Battles, of 267 South Nineteenth street, will give. Betty was presented last Friday at a tea which was a beautiful affair. She is having an awfully good time at all the parties. She is sweet and unaffected, and every one likes her. The William W. Hepburns, whose three attractive daughters are in Europe or the year, will give a large dinner tonight for Lydia Clothier, the Morris Clothiers' debutante daughte. About thirty-five debutantes and men will atend the dinner and later they will motored to the Ritz for the Battles'

WAS talking to Princess Cantacuzene yesterday (she came up here from Washington for the rummage sale and fair which her committee of Emergency Aid held this week) and she told me of a rather astonishing thing that had happened at that sale. They had a table for old bric-a-

THE Charity Ball was certainly a with the Russian imperial arms and I most successful affair. Every one crown. And the extraordinary part of it all was that no one knew who had what to do, for I wanted much to hear of them are left now, after the de-the opera with its duet made famous struction of so many things of value which belonged to royalty in that guests present.

I saw Dorothy Rodgers, Alberta Reath, Cintra Ellis, Ellen Lloyd, Anna Newbold and Ruth Packard all

hundred and twenty-five guests to tea and during the afternoon a quarter of men singers from one of the colored churches here in town will give some old plantation songs and various other melodies for the pleasure of the guests. Mrs. Jordan will be assisted in re-ceiving by her sister, Mrs. Halsey de Wolf, of Providence; Mrs. Stogdell Stokes, Mrs. Isnac T. Starr and Mrs. Charles Pandalph Wood

## SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Mr. Graham Dougherty, Mr. Daniel Dougherty and Mr. Andrew Webster Dougherty will entertain at a theatre party on Thursday evening, December 29, in honor of their sister, Miss Gertrude D. Dougherty, debutante daughter of Mrs. Francis S. Dougherty, of 2306 Locust street, before the dance to be Locust street, before the dance to be given that evening for Miss Alberta Reath by her mother, Mrs. Benjamin B. Reath, of 1911 Wainut street. Mrs. Dougherty entertained at a small dinner last evening before the Charity Ball in honor of Miss Dougherty. The guests included Miss Elizabeth Jeanes, Miss Elizabeth B. Battles, Mr. John Blye, Jr., Mr. Stanley Hurlbut, Mr. Daniel Dougherty and Mr. Andrew Webster Dougherty. Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac H. Ciotnier, Jr., of Sunnybrook, Radnor, have issued invitations for a dinner to be given at the Ritz-Carlton on Wednesday evening, January 4, to be followed by a theatre party, in honor of Miss Lydia M. Clothier, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris L. Clothier, of Clairemont, Villanova

Mr. and Mrs. Roland L. Taylor of Willowbrook Farm, Gwynedd Valley, and 1895 De Lancey street, will enter-

Mr. and Mrs. John Sinnott, of 2040
Locust street, will entertain at dinner at their home on Monday evening, January 2, in honor of Miss Nan Fitler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Fitler, of the Terraces, Rosemont. Covers will be laid for eighteen. The guests will later attend the New Year's meet.

Mrs. Addinell S. Hewson, Mrs. Frank B. Gummey, Mrs. Harold G. Brown and Mrs. W. W. Owens, of New Haven, Conn., will assist in receiving at a dansant to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gwynne Henderson, of Indian Queen fane, Germantown, at the Belleving of Mrs. Charles Stewart Wurts' Dancing Class at the Bellevue-Stratford.

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Margaret Joyce, Miss Margaret Deal,
Mr. Clarence J. Lewis, Mr. John Owens,
Mr. Edward Shumway, Jr., Mr. Madison Pierce and Mr. Wendell Hulburt, Jr.
Miss Katharine Ubil, Mrs. Edward

The engagement of Miss Lucila Anna Stewart, of Line Lexington, Pa., and Mr. William T. Weir, 2d, of 1307 Rock-land street, Logan, has been announced.

up there as aides at the Yarmarka.

MR. AND MRS. FREDERICK

JORDAN will give a unique affair
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hundred and twenty-five guests to tea Freda Ackerman, Mr. Bernard Keenan Mr. Harold L. Lipkin, Mrs. Jack Wein



Mrs. Boggs was formerly Miss Marion Earl, daughter of Mrs. John M. Parker, of Township Line, Jenkintown. Her wedding took place on Saturday, October 29

Mr. Richard L. Austin, of Rex street and Seminole avenue. Chesinut Hill, will entertain at dinner on Saturday evening, December 31, in honor of his daughter, Miss Lucylle Austin, before the Christmas meeting of the meeting of the Saturday evening dancing class.

Mrs. Alfred Reginald Allen, of 2013 Spruce street, has issued invitations for a dinner on Thursday evening. December 29, before the Christmas meeting of the Saturday Evening Dancing Class, in honor of Miss Lillie Stewart, daughter of Mrs. Robert Le Conte, of 2000 Spruce street.

sale. They had a table for old bric-abrac and china and she was walking about looking at the things when she discovered among the china, a genuine Russian Coronation cup, one of those which had been used in Russia at the coronation of the late Emperor and Empress.

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will give a reception at their home, 5844 guest of honor at a theatre party and Overbrook avenue, Overbrook, from 4 supper to be given by her uncle, Mr. until 6 o'clock, to meet Miss Johnson. George G. Meade Large, later in the

A Recent Bride

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Dougherty, of Crossroads, Wyncote, will shortly issue invitations for a ball to be given at the Bellevue-Stratford in honor of Mrs. lougherty's debutante sister. Miss Isa bel Frazer on Friday evening, January 29, instead of January 27, as had been

Mrs. Edward Troth, of 3118 West Penn street, Germantown, and her sis-ter, Mrs. Bertha Snow, will leave to-morrow for New York to attend the wedding of Mrs. Celeste Heckscher Per-rin, daughter of Mrs. Austin Stevens Heckscher, and Mrs. Troth's son, Mr. Edward Troth, which will be solemnized very quietly at noon tomorrow. severy quietly at noon temorrow at the home of the bride's mother, 125 East Seventy-second street, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the bride and bridegroom. On their return from a wedding journey Mr. and Mrs. Trota will live temporar ly at 3118 West Penn street, Germantown.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wright Baird, of Navahoe avenue, Chestnut Hill, will leave on December 15 for Portland, Ore,

where they will spend the holidays with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Minott. Mr. and Mrs. Baird will spend two months traveling in Caiifornia.

Mr. and Mrs. John White Geary and their daughter, Miss Mary de F. Geary of Sunset and Germantown avenues. Chestnut Hill who have been traveling abroad since the summer, are at present

SOUTH PHILADELPHIA

Mrs. Walter Samans, of 2522 South Twentileth atreet, entertained at a juncheon bridge party on Tuesday afternoon. Her guests included Mrs. Neff Laing, Mrs. Frederick Robbins, Neff Laing, Mrs. Frederick Robbins, Mrs. William Tomlinson, Mrs. Cleighton Turner, Mrs. George Carr, Mrs. Thomas Broughton and Mrs. Joseph Harriman, Miss Rôse A. Dowling, daughter of Mr. James Dowling, of 2322 South Bancroft street, entertained at a party on Tuesday evening. The following guests were present: Miss Carlsse Elert, Miss Mary Thompson, Miss Jeane Keefe, Miss Agnes Barr, Mr. and Mrs. George Bayard, Jr., Mr. William McCarney, Mr. George Fitzgerald and Mr. Andrew Dowling.

WEST PHILADELPHIA

Mrs. C. Carroll Sloan, of 6240 Chest-ut street, and Mrs. William J. Duffy, nut street, and Mrs. William J. Duny, of Drexei Hill, entertained at a buffet luncheon and bridge yesterday. The guests included Mrs. Davis, Mrs. M. Lukens, Mrs. Horne, Mrs. J. Foley, Mrs. O'Brien, of Langdowne; Mrs. W. Cousins, Mrs. Etrip, Mrs. Miner, Mrs. D. J. Colvey and Mrs. F. Fields. Mr. and Mrs. Edward I. Goldman, of 1500 North Sixty-second street, are traveling through the South and will

Mr. and Mrs. Edward I. Goldman, of 1500 North Sixty-second street, are traveling through the South and will return some time this month. Mrs. Goldman, whose marriage took place in the fall, will be remembered as Miss Frances H. Levy.

Mr. R. S. Hormann, of Pottsville, Pa., anthenums, Miss Anna Hickey, piece of a superficiency of the chrystantial street. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Robert J. Thompson. The bride wore a gown of white the superficiency of the chrystantial street. Mr. R. S. Hormann, of Pottsville, Pa., is spending a few days at his mother's home, 4417 Spruce street.

Haziett-Kelly Wedding

A very pretty wedding took place yesterday at 4 o'clock in Our Lady of Victory Church, Fifty-fourth and Vine streets, when Miss Hearietta Kelly, of 5434 Girard avenue, became the bride of Mr. John J. Haziett, of 3223 Sanson street. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Joseph Springer, after which a reception followed at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride's monther day how acted as bridesmaid, wore a salmon satin dress with a salmon satin hat. She carried a bouquet of pink chrysanthemums. Mr. Wallace Sadler, of Easton, brother of the bride groom, acted as best man. A reception followed the ceremony, after which Mr. Sadler left for a trip to the South.

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reception followed at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, Mr. J. P. Kelly, wore a gown of white satin and chantilly lace. Her tulle vell, surmounted by pearls and orange blossoms, extended the length of her court train. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lilles of the valley. She was attended by her sister, Miss Kathryn Kelly, as maid of honor, who wore a gown of silver blue crepe meteor and carried an arm bouquet of Killarney roses. An uncle of the bridegroom, Mr. William Hazlett, acted as best man. best man.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Sternberger, f the Dauphin Arartments, Broad and Dauphin streets, are receiving congratu-ions upon the birth of a son, William R.

DELAWARE COUNTY

Mrs. Rose Myerson, of 1947 North Thirty-second street, was hostess for the Ten Needle Sewing Circle on Tuesday ovening. Among those present were Mrs. Adelaide Layin, Mrs. Emma Farber, Mrs. Tillie Cylinder, Mrs. Frances Poster, Mrs. Mollie Bothstein, Mrs. Fanny Walker, Mrs. Clara G. Brown and Mrs. Dorothy Werner.

Sadler-Small Nuptials A pretty wedding took place on Wed-esday in the Transfiguration Church, lity-fifth street and Cedar avenue. when Miss Margaret Sara Small, of 5524

She carried a bouquet of white chr anthemums. Miss Anna Hickey, niece the bride, who acted as bridesmaid, w

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dance on Wednesday evening in the
Fannonia Building in celebration of
its ninth anniversary. There were 200
guests present. The hostesses were
Mrs. Jack Friedman, Miss Sadie Gelb,
Miss Florence Gleisner, Miss Esther
Solobodkin, Miss Suc Segal, Miss Anna
Schwartz and Mrs. Edward Unterberger.

MRS. THOMAS R. BOGGS

and 1895 be Lancey street, will entertain at dinner this evening in honor of
Miss Nancy Dunning, daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. George A. Dunning, before the
dance Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Blynn, Mr.
ard Mrs. Joseph R. Rollins and Miss
Mildred W. Longstreth will give at the
Merion Golf Club.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. McIlhenny, of
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