

JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Nancy Wynne Speaks of Engagements Announced From Abroad—Festivities and Plans for Easter Week Are Discussed—"Why Not 1922?" Begins April 24

HAVE you noticed there's a sort of run on engagements announced from the other side lately? I mean girls or men from Philadelphia or nearby are becoming engaged on the other side of the water—or world for that matter, and calling the news here.

There was Katherine Thompson's engagement to Osborn Wood in Manila first, and she is married to him now. Then came the news of Jack McFadden's engagement to Miss Ellsworth of New York, where both of them were during the winter. And then on Saturday came a note announcing the engagement of Maria Louise Thompson, who is in Europe, with her mother and sister who is engaged to an Englishman, Captain Lionel George Gray, of the Indian army.

I CANNOT realize that we are in the second week of April; in fact, entering on Holy Week, and that Sunday will be Easter. There will be no more of this week and the opera which will be given tomorrow night is "Parsifal," which is the story of the search for the Holy Grail, you know.

But we'll be busy enough next week to make for a want of gayety, and the week after that, too. There are the birthday party and the young people's Philadelphia Dancing Class meeting on the night of the 17th at the Ritz. Then the Rogers will give a party, and next night, Bonnie Grange, on Friday, will be the Easter week, and there will be innumerable weddings and innumerable Mask and Wig parties.

Netty Welsh is to be married on Easter Monday to Arthur Hunt. On Tuesday, Marian Wallace will be married in New York to Howard Bucknell Stearns, who is a nephew, you know, of Mrs. John Price Wetmore, of this city. And on Saturday there will be three marriages, at St. Peter's Church, in town; Virginia Heckscher and Harold McFadden at noon at the church of the Resurrection; and the third, wedding of Katherine Coffin and Stanley Welsh.

There seems to be a date connection in some way with the Page and Heckscher families, although it does not seem to be the case. But do you remember Mary Page's engagement to Mr. John Platt was announced the same day as Virginia Heckscher's engagement to Mr. McFadden on the same day? Page is to be married the same day as McFadden-Heckscher wedding. Still, the hours will be different, Virginia at noon and Edith at 4, so if you hustle a bit you can take both in.

That's better than Nanette Dale's and Nancy Cole's and Elizabeth Brockle's, all on the 20th of May, for they have all chosen the same hour, so you possibly will have to make your choice as to which you will attend. However, the day is pretty far ahead yet and they might change the hours, though it is rather doubtful. Edith is to be married at that same date. So it's a toss-up.

Did you hear that Elizabeth McCleery is to be a string bean, and some one has engaged, and Betty Kayser engaged, in this year's "Why Not 1922?" I wonder what it's all about. Do you suppose the sophisticated debutante and the new wonders into the garden and hours what the vegetables think of her? I know she's a reformed character at the end of the piece, but at the beginning my idea of her parents is persons on the order of "Eldest" Phillip's parents in "Slovenly Peter."

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BESSIE stayed for lunch at Mrs. T's—the other day, and they had roast and fried onions. Bessie ate her meat diligently, carefully putting out the "serving beam," and the others, I think it will be wonderful.

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Honor Guest at Dinner

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