

BOYS EXCEL GIRLS ON QUESTIONNAIRE

Pupils of Germantown Friends' School Show Up Well in Annual Test

SOME ANSWERS AMUSING

Who is Achilles Ratti? Who were the four American delegates to the Washington Conference? Who is the president-elect of Bryn Mawr College? How long is a meter? Which is the Blue Hen State? These and ninety-five other questions were answered with varying success by the pupils of the Germantown Friends' School in their latest famous General Information Test, which every boy and girl must take annually.

The returns, which have just been compiled in statistical form, show that the boys still lead in this pertinent form of intellectual gymnastics, but the girls are less than a jump behind them. The actual figures for the senior class show that the boys have an average for 1922 of 55.2, while the girls are less than a point below, with 54.6.

Some Answers Asked Some of the answers to the questions are of a sort to bring a smile to the face of the most confirmed despondent. One little girl said that a herring is a beverage without alcohol, another thought it was a substitute for coffee. In answer to the question, "Who said 'We must indeed hang together, or most assuredly we shall hang separately'?" the reply was given by a literal-minded youth, "Miss Zebbles," in teacher in the school.

UNCLE BIM'S DEATH WARRANT!

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA } COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA } VOID AFTER 60 DAYS FROM DATE To say Minister of the Gospel, Justice of the Peace, or other officers or persons authorized by law to solemnize marriage. You are hereby authorized to join together in the holy state of Matrimony, according to the rites and ceremonies of your church, society or religious denomination, and the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.



LOOKS REAL, ANYWAY Well, Thursday's the big day when Benjamin Gump and the Widow Zander are to wed. And you're all invited to attend. See the bride's diamond? Ain't it a whopper?

Benjamin Gump, of lawful age, never married before and Henrietta Zander of lawful age married before, husband dead. Given under my hand and the seal of the Orphans' Court of said County of Philadelphia, at Philadelphia, this 11th day of April, Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and 22.

BIRD AND ARBOR DAYS

Governor Sproul issued Proclamation Requesting Observance The great value of trees and birds as auxiliaries to human life is emphasized in messages sent to all the school children of Pennsylvania, asking them to observe Friday, April 14, and Friday, April 21, as Arbor Day and Bird Day. In his proclamation, designating those dates, Governor Sproul said: "I respectfully suggest and earnestly request that they be appropriately observed, not only in our public schools, but in the homes of every citizen throughout the Commonwealth, and that our people make a special effort not only to study our trees and our forests, but also the beautiful and interesting life of our feathered friends, who repay by useful service and delightful neighborliness the shelter and comfort given them by the woods."

TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

- J. J. McEwen, 641 W. Cumberland st. and M. E. Lounsbury, 1226 E. Cumberland. James S. Stafford, 5270 N. American st. and Grace F. Wray, 1949 N. Marshall. James McElroy, 1922 E. Madison st. and Mrs. J. G. Hartman, 3408 E. st. Thomas A. Lomb, 1484 N. 17th st. and Mrs. A. J. Gorman, 1531 Chestnut st. George W. Hartman, 3228 Philadelphia st. and Mrs. J. H. Walker, 214 W. Center st. James H. Brown, 3139 W. Erie st. and Mrs. J. A. Moore, 471 N. 34th st. and Rose M. Thompson, 509 N. 44th st. James A. McEwen, 641 W. Cumberland st. and Mrs. J. G. Hartman, 3408 E. st. James H. Brown, 3139 W. Erie st. and Mrs. J. A. Moore, 471 N. 34th st. and Rose M. Thompson, 509 N. 44th st. James A. McEwen, 641 W. Cumberland st. and Mrs. J. G. Hartman, 3408 E. st. James H. Brown, 3139 W. Erie st. and Mrs. J. A. Moore, 471 N. 34th st. and Rose M. Thompson, 509 N. 44th st.

Uses Sidecar as Patrol

The sidecar of Gloucester's new police motorcycle was used in a patrol today. Patrolman Blackburn arrested John Clark, of Vineland, N. J., who was said to have been indulging in home brew. Blackburn pointed him up in the sidecar and drove him to City Hall, where Clark was sent to jail for ten days.

Y' DON'T HAFTA BELIEVE IT, BUT BIM GOT HIS LICENSE

Leastways, He Told Marriage Bureau Clerk That He Was Benjamin Gump, and Companion Said Her Name Was Zander

Well, anyway, they might have been Uncle Jim and the Widow Zander. Quite certainly, the gentleman who appeared at the Marriage License Bureau here a trifle after 9 this morning had the generous ears and the distinguished bearing of associates with Benjamin Gump. And of equal certitude is the circumstance of the nose of the charming lady who accompanied him. It had that delicate renoussé effect that one has come to recognize as a characteristic of Mrs. Zander. Still, there are skeptics— But in any event, a pair who most assuredly gave their names as Benjamin Gump and Henrietta Zander visited City Hall this morning and got a license to marry. Mrs. Zander, blushing becomingly, was at Mr. Gump's side, with her dainty hand tucked lovingly within his stalwart arm. However, there were few on hand to witness this momentous step. "That is as I would have it," said Mr. Gump simply, and wrote his name with a firm hand. Sweet Thirty-Eight, Says Widow His fiancée gave her age as thirty-eight, and he confessed to fifty summers, but he added that he felt like a young colt of twenty. In proof of this he leaped lightly into the air and offered the clerk a cigar. Mrs. Zander, said, in response to the questions of the clerk, that she was the daughter of Michael and Marie Martin, of Manassas, and that her first husband, Roscoe Zeno Zander, had died in 1914. "Little Heaven Eyes," said Mr. Gump fondly, as the precious license was placed in his hands, "years hence, when we are snugly ensconced in our home in Melbourne, we will look back upon this hour with happy recollections." As they were returning to the street Mr. Gump was besieged by reporters.

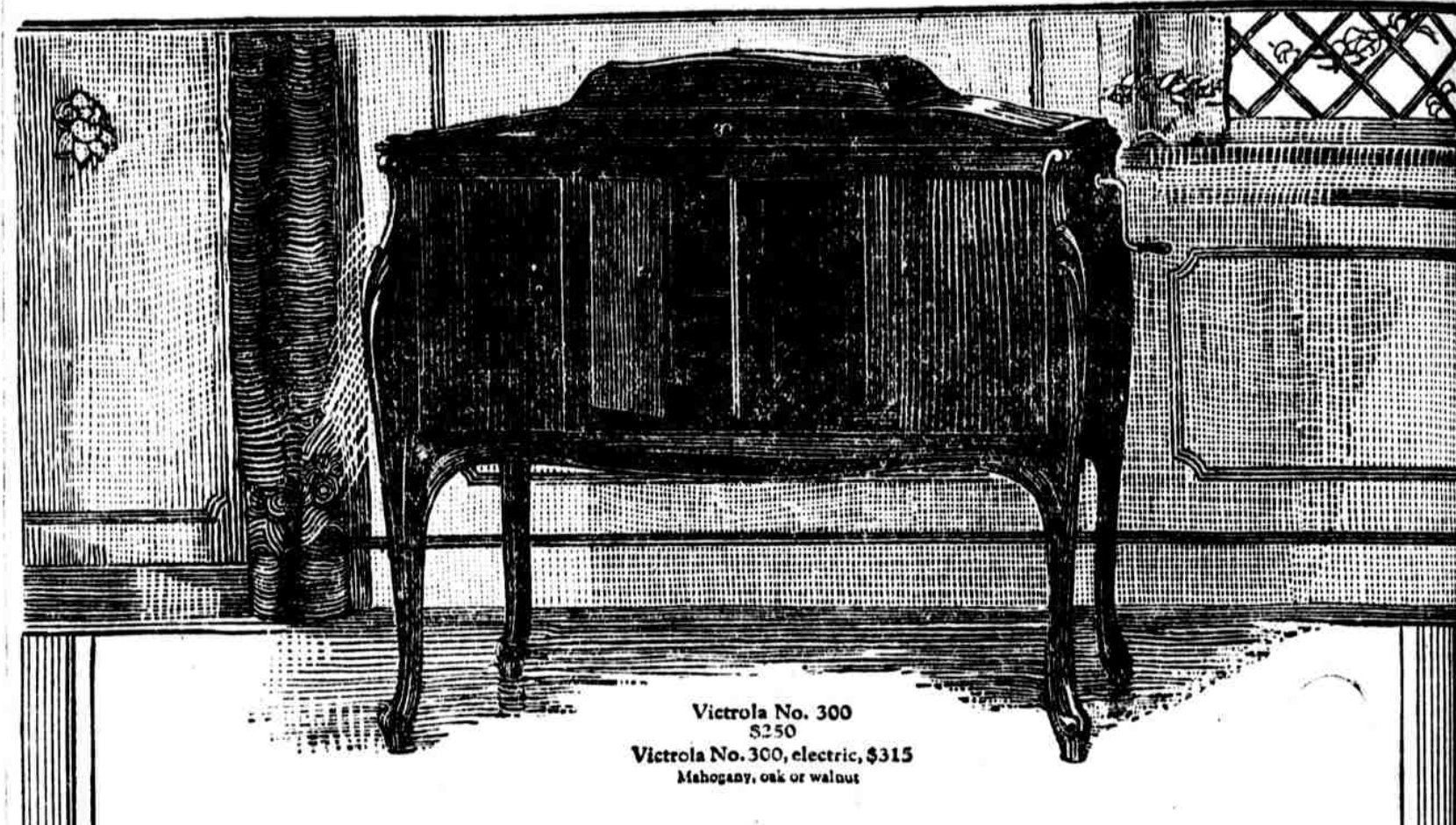
were discussed today at a conference between Senator Vane and Councilman Hall. Both of these Republican leaders have decided that they must "take care" of Andy. The situation which Mr. Gump faces is serious. With the wedding of his niece, Benjamin Gump, Andy loses his meal-ticket. The Gump case came up while the Senator and Mr. Hall were discussing the primary campaign. Mr. Hall had happened to mention casually that his grandchild was intensely interested in Andy, Min and Chester. "Why, only last night," said he, "that youngster made me sit down and read all about the Gumps' latest adventures." "Same with my brother, Congressman Bill," observed Senator Vane. "He laughs like—like the dickens at Andy. But do you know, Charlie, it's not such a laughing matter, at that, all things considered?" "You mean that marriage," inquired Mr. Hall. "Alas! Work for Andy. That's just what I mean. When Uncle Jim marries, Andy'll have to go to work." The Senator paused. "I can't quite believe he'll get married," he resumed, after a moment of thought. "I think there'll be a telegram from Australia, or something, saying that Uncle Jim's lost all his money. Then watch the Widow Zander jilt that bird." "I know," remarked Mr. Hall, "but suppose the wedding does come off and Andy's dished?" "Well—and the Senator scratched his head—"the kids are all interested in him. Just as much as we are, and the kids are the coming voters. I guess we'll have to take care of Gump, Charlie." "Let's fix him up as a pastor and fender up at Harrisburg," suggested Mr. Hall. "That's a nice job. Pays about \$10 a day." "What's the matter with a clerkship in Council, Charlie?" "Well, all right; but Devil'd probably kick about it. Still, we could have a special meeting on it. I think Wagon'd be willing to go along." Even Judges Are Interested "Or a stipend," Charlie, selected the Senator. "What about that, eh?" And Hall seemed to think that a pretty good idea. Nor are the Democrats a step back

of the Republicans in their duty and obligation to Mr. Gump. "Say," exclaimed Judge Honnold, "the looks pretty bad for Andy. I think perhaps we'll have to reconvene the Committee of Seventy-two and see if we can't take care of him." "Any chance of getting Mr. Gump on your State ticket?" the Judge was asked. "Well, Gump seems to be all right on the 'weal' issue," he replied. "I don't know just how he stands on other questions. But he'll be taken care of beyond doubt." "So, in any event, should Andy's fortunes collapse, both the Republican organization and the Democrats will see to it that he and his family are provided for." And some folks think Andy isn't real!

MISS BAKER EAGER TO WED Sails Today for England to Marry in May or June New York, April 11.—"No, this time I mean it. I will tomorrow and Mr. McCormick will not have a third shot. Allister is the finest man in the world, and I am going to marry him. I am figuring on a May marriage, but I am sure I may be a June bride, because I hear England is a hard place to be married in, and that before the ceremony can be completed, miles and miles of red tape are to be waded." Thus spoke Miss Mary Landon Baker, who has been reported at different times during the last few months as intending to marry Allister McCormick, of the "Harvester Trust" McCormicks, closely allied with the "Oil Trust" Rockefeller. Miss Baker reached New York yesterday en route to Europe, with the object of meeting Mr. McCormick in England and finishing up the marriage ceremony started in Chicago last January.

MERELY "OVER-EXPOSURE" A case of over-exposure was the photographic term used last night by Louis Hanlon, Public Relations artist, in describing "the flapper and the pander."

Mr. Hanlon gave a chalk talk on "The Funny Side of Photography." He spoke before the Columbia Photographic Society at 4605 Germantown avenue. There was also a review of the society's work.



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