

JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Nancy Wynne Talks of the At Home to Be Given This Afternoon for Miss Mary Carroll Spencer—Forty-third Annual Charity Ball at Academy Tonight

ALTHOUGH the Bazaar Boutique and the Charity Ball, which are taking up most of this week, have in a way prevented other parties, Mrs. Theodore Spencer will give the first of two at home this afternoon to introduce her daughter, Mary Carroll Spencer, who is one of the very popular buds of the season. Several parties have already been given for Mary Carroll by friends of her mother, and she and Georgiana Harris are to honor guests at a dinner-dance which will be given by Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Hayward Bowie on January 11.

Miss Spencer was formerly Miss Lena Frazier, and is, of course, related to the Frazier and Harrison families. She is very stunning-looking herself, and Mary Carroll is charming, too. The Spencers live at 2044 Locust street. This afternoon Mrs. George Frazier will preside at the tea table, but there will be no receiving party.

TONIGHT the Charity Ball, for which so many members of the younger set have been rehearsing their feet and tearing in and out of the Bellevue-Stratford morning, afternoon and early evening for weeks, will be held in the Academy of Music, as it has been held for many a year. The ball is the forty-third annual affair, and it will open with a brilliant pageant, "Au Chate de la Lune," in which four of the best-known musical comedy successes of the season will be represented. The ball will be given by the Academy of Music, and the proceeds will be used for the benefit of the Jefferson, Woman's and Habemanu.

MEMBERS of the little Print Club, which has its home on Latimer street above Sixteenth, are much excited and pleased at having obtained a new exhibition of sculpture by Charles Grafly, our fellow townsman. They will open the exhibition at a tea tomorrow afternoon. As you know, Mr. Grafly is generally considered the leading maker of portrait busts in this country. The club has seven bronze busts, several symbolical groups and two exquisite little things which were loaned by Mr. Charles Borie, Jr.

Mr. Grafly, who has his studio in Gloucester, you know, is at present working on the huge "Mona Lisa," which is to be placed in Washington in the small room at the Capitol.

And most exciting of all the afternoon's excitement will be the presence of Mr. Grafly himself at the tea. There is also an exhibition at the club this week of the series of pure line drawings that won the Charles M. Lee prize, recently and a beautiful collection of etchings by the Englishman, Mr. Bay.

Mrs. John Frederick Lewis and Mrs. Jasper Yeates Brinton will preside at the tea table tomorrow, and Mrs. Andrew Wright Crawford, who is hostess, will have receiving with her Mrs. John S. Newby, Mrs. Eli Kirk Price, Mrs. Robert von Moschelsky, Mrs. Samuel P. Warriner, Mrs. William B. Quinn, Mrs. Gideon Boerleke, Mrs. Albert McVey and Miss Helen Semple.

TIMMY came home in a very shocked condition. "The boy next door had said something," he said. "It was so awful even to tell mother. One thing was certain, however; Jimmy would be, Jimmy, had any benefit left in his body to help him say 'No.' No, he could not tell, but it was fierce. Finally, after much persuasion on mother's part, for she said the young fellow had indeed learned something

ATTRACTIVE MATRON



Mrs. Dorr E. Newton, of 2054 Locust street, who is a popular member of the younger married set. Mrs. Newton was Miss Inez L. Drayton, daughter of Mr. Heyward Drayton

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SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Griswold Flagg, Jr., of Glenbrook, Bryn Mawr, will give a dinner at the Ritz-Carlton on Friday evening, December 29, in honor of Miss Beatrice Mockridge, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. John Mockridge, of 132 South Twenty-second street. The guests will attend a meeting of the Saturday Evening Dancing Club, in honor of their daughter, Miss Agnes Yarnall.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore W. Reath, of 1827 Pine street, will entertain at dinner on Saturday evening, January 13, in honor of Miss Violet D. B. Grubb, daughter of Mrs. E. Burd Grubb, instead of on Friday evening, December 29, as they had originally planned. The guests will attend a meeting of the Saturday Evening Dancing Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Roberts, of Pen-y-Bryn, Wynnewood, will give a theatre party on Wednesday evening, January 3, in honor of their niece, Miss Myra H. Paxton, daughter of Dr. Charles J. Donaldson Paxton, of St. David's, before the dance which Dr. Charles J. Hatfield, of Chestnut Hill, will give at the Bellevue-Stratford in honor of his daughter, Miss Margaret A. Hatfield. The party will be given by Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Roberts, Jr.

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas McCrea, will entertain at a dinner at their home, 127 Spruce street, on Tuesday evening, January 9, in honor of Miss Elizabeth K. Howland, debutante daughter of Mrs. Frederick H. Howland, of 411 Third street. The guests will be Mrs. Beatrice Mockridge, debutante daughter of Mockridge, Dr. John Mockridge and Mrs. Myra H. Paxton, of 132 South Twenty-second street. The guests will later attend a dance which Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lee, of 1709 Locust street, will give at the Bellevue-Stratford in honor of their daughter, Miss Dorothy B. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Thayer, Jr., of Chestnut Hill, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Mrs. Thayer having been assisted by Mrs. W. H. Johnson, of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Sosthenes Behm, of the Vanderbilt, New York, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son on Tuesday. Mrs. Behm was Miss Margaret E. Dunlap, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson Lea Perot, of 127 Pine street, Germantown, have issued invitations to a buffet supper on December 10, to meet Colonel Allen, who returned from Cairo, Egypt, where, for several years, Colonel Allen has served as Military Attaché of the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Collet, of 5242 Schuyler street, Germantown, will give a party on Friday evening, December 22, in honor of Miss Margaret S. Logan, debutante daughter of Mrs. Samuel S. Logan, of Chestnut Hill. The guests will be Mrs. William L. McLean, of Bellevue-Stratford in honor of his daughter, Miss Sarah W. McLean.

The guests who will attend the dinner, Friday evening, which Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Mell, of Ardmore, daughter, Miss Dorothy H. Spotswood George Calvert Carter, of the Rectory, Bryn Mawr, will give at the Ritz-Carlton in honor of their daughter, Miss Mary Higley Carter, will include Miss Fanny Cox, Weightman, Miss Helen Knight, Miss Marion Elizabeth Wilson, Miss Betty Hetherington, Miss Joy New-Year, Miss Gertrude Horton, Miss Elizabeth Green, Mr. Burnet Leitch, Mr. Joseph Knight, Mr. Carl Knapp, Mr. Joseph Chapman, Mr. Paul Patton, Mr. Howard Kent, Mr. Livingston L. Bailey, Mr. David Hamilton, Mr. Frederick M. Dunn, Jr., and Mr. Sturgis Stout.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Huston of Germantown, will entertain at dinner at their home on Thursday evening, December 28, in honor of Miss Charlotte M. Graves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand J. Graves, of Germantown, whose engagement recently has been announced to Mr. Gooderham L. McCormick.

There will be five meetings of Mrs. Edward Troth's dancing class this season at the Germantown Cricket Club. The dates are Friday evenings, January 19, February 2, March 18, April 9 and April 29.

The Canadian Society of Philadelphia and the Women's Club of the Canadian Society will give an informal reception and dance to Canadian students and visiting Canadians in this city on Monday evening, December 11, at the Plastic Club, 247 South Camac street, at 8 o'clock.

The first meeting of the Friday Evening Junior Dances will be held at Green Hill Farms, Overbrook, tomorrow evening. The ladies who will receive will include Mrs. Gustave A. Van Lennep, Mrs. Clarence H. Geist, Mrs. J. Clayton Strawbridge, Mrs. T. Dun Belfield, Mrs. James G. Balfour, Mrs. Joseph B. Van Selver and Mrs. Frank H. Maurer.

West Philadelphia

Mrs. L. E. Taylor, of Overbrook, who has just returned from Virginia Hot Springs, has as her guest Miss Bessie Hamilton, of Virginia.

The marriage of Miss Rebecca Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Wilson, of 5716 Chestnut street, to Mr. Myer Kane of this city, will take place on December 10.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Bessie M. Cattell, of Collingswood, N. J., and Mr. Henry M. Jewett, of 5048 Hazel avenue, on Wednesday evening, November 29, at the home of the bride.

Mrs. Charles Flummer, of North Fortieth street; Mrs. Pearl Shoemaker, of Fifty-second and Walnut streets; and Mrs. Mary M. Philadelpha, entertained at a charity dance recently. They were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Grace E. Flummer, Miss Allen, also of West Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Muir, of 25 South Parrangut street, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Agnes V. Muir, to Mr. Ralph A. Zier, also of West Philadelphia.

Miss Teresa A. Casper, who has been spending the last week in this city as the guest of Mrs. Joseph Lederer, of 2226 Natrona street, has returned to her home in Union Hill, N. J.

Mrs. J. Abelson, of 2746 North Thirtieth street, entertained the members of her card club at her home this afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kennedy, of Nineteenth and Diamond streets, are at Atlantic City, where they are spending several weeks with Mrs. Kennedy's sister, Mrs. Horace Sandt.

Mrs. Robert Lotka, of 2724 North Twenty-ninth street, will entertain the members of the card club to which she belongs at her home this afternoon. The

South Philadelphia

A pretty wedding took place in the Church of St. Thomas Aquinas, Seventeenth and Morris streets, on Wednesday morning, November 29, when Miss Ann Edith Marie Zeller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Zeller, of 1714 Millin street, became the bride of Mr. Edward A. Hare. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Francis J. Sheehan, assisted by Rev. Charles T. Gaten, who were also celebrants of the nuptial mass. A wedding breakfast followed at the home of the bride. After a wedding trip to Boston and the New England States Mr. and Mrs. Hare will be at home at 2334 Christian street.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hoffman, of 730 Tasker street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ruth Hoffman, to Mr. Joseph L. Lee, of 2225 Columbia avenue.

Mrs. J. Farley and family, formerly of 2430 South Twentieth street, are now living at their new home on Copley road, in Stouebush.

Miss Marie Mohan and Miss Agnes Mohan, of 2531 South Eighteenth street, Girard Farms, are entertaining the members of their card club at their home this evening.

Mrs. Samuel H. Hughes, of Richmond street, will entertain the members of her card club at her home tomorrow afternoon. Among the guests will be Mrs. N. F. Pines, Mrs. P. Pines, Mrs. G. Pines, Mrs. P. Butler, Mrs. J. Aberdeen, Mrs. C. Gaudson, Mrs. G. Gaudson and Mrs. E. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold M. Buckley, of Orthodox street, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son, Harold Merris Buckley, Jr.

Miss F. Krench, of Frankford avenue and Filmore street, has left for Savannah, Ga., where she will spend some time.

Last evening the first of a series of four dances was held at the Philadelphia Cricket Club at St. Martins. The other dates will be as follows: Friday, January 12; Friday, February 16, and Friday, March 2. The patronesses for the dances are Mrs. Andrew H. McCown, Mrs. Arthur U. Goodfellow, Mrs. Henry S. Bromley, Mrs. Robert J. Coleman, Mrs. Herbert M. Lowry, Mrs. Richard E. Bishop, Mrs. Francis H. Adler and Mrs. William H. Trump.

Mrs. Charlotte Dedeker, of 3229 Delaware street, has been having as her guest her daughter, Mrs. William Bonnell, of Harrisburg, Pa.

Miss Charles Stern, of Blakiston street, will entertain the members of her sewing circle at her home on Saturday afternoon.

The third of the series of dances to be given at the Chester Club will be held on Wednesday evening, December 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Perceval Armitage, of Swarthmore, have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Russell, of New York, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Collins announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Cathryn Collins, to Mr. A. Marlack Stackhouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Stackhouse, at a dance at the Field Club on Saturday evening.

Academy of Music—Thurs., Dec. 14, 8:15 NEW YORK SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA DAMROSCH BETHOVEN PROGRAM FINAL APPEARANCE THIS SEASON Mr. Damrosch will give an address on the "Eroica" symphony with illustrations at the piano. Tickets at Acad. and Heppes', 1119 Chestnut

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ARCADIA 10TH & CHESTNUT 10 A. M. TO 11:15 P. M. ETHEL CLAYTON "IF I WERE QUEEN" VICTORIA 9TH & MARKET 10 A. M. TO 11:15 P. M. TOM MIX, "Do and Dare" ADDED—"LEATHER PUSHERS"

CAPITOL 8TH & MARKET 10 A. M. TO 11:15 P. M. MILTON BILLS "SKIN DEEP" GLOBE JUNIOR MARKET 11 TO 11:15

BROADWAY BROAD AND SYDNEY 2:15, 6:30, 9 P. M. WALLACE REID and BEBE DANIELS in "NICE PEOPLE" ALLEGHENY FRANKFORD & ALLEGHENY WALLACE REID and BEBE DANIELS in "NICE PEOPLE" IN CONJUNCTION WITH VAUDEVILLE CROSS KEYS 60TH AND MARKET Vaudeville—2:15, 7:45

FIVE DELIGHTFUL YOUNG PEOPLE'S AFTERNOONS 7:15 TO 8:15 AT THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC ONE EACH MONTH, BEGINNING DEC. 15 1. The Abraham Lincoln Play by JOHN DRINKWATER 2. How Wild Animals Are Caught for the Circus by CHARLES MAYER 3. Houdini In His Wonderful Escapes from Prison Cells and Straitjackets 4. The Metropolitan Opera Co. With Paul Caron, Belle and Lucette in "THE SNOW MATHIS" BY HENRY ROSS AND ALAN 5. Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey's Wonderful New 1923 Circus

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