

JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Nancy Wynne Tells of the Dance Given by Mr. Richard L. Austin for His Daughter—A Daughter Is Born to Mr. and Mrs. Wentworth Gros

ONE of the latest dances of the season was given last night by Mr. Richard L. Austin for his daughter Juvenile, who was introduced at a tea in October. The dance was given at the Ritz-Carlton and the ballroom was beautifully decorated with greens and Christmas flowers.



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Some of the frocks were exquisite, Peggy Logan, for instance, had on a French model frock of pale blue-tinted and georgette tulle, and thought you could not have told which was chiffon and which georgette it was far prettier than it would be. Many a girl of those materials been employed.

The lovely gown was worn by Mary Tarkenton. It was entirely of gold lace and gold fringe, with a high collar and the frock was edged about the bottom with brown fur. She wore green stockings and gold slippers.

Another smart frock was worn by Judy Franklin Dumas. It was of shimmering crepe de chine headed very daintily in silver. And Mary Louise Whitney, Mr. Richard L. Austin's daughter, looked stunning in a gown of shimmering blue velvet which accentuated her girlishness. She is a charming young person. Georgette frocks were a black velvet gown which brought out her gold hair and blue eyes. There were 400 guests.

Did you hear that the Wentworth Gros has a small daughter? She is named Mary Washington Gros and was born to her mother on the 14th of December. You know Wentworth Gros is a brother of Agnes Gros, who is a debutante this year. He married Miss Helen Howard Gros.

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I had rather a strong letter this week from the mother of one of the boys I am seeing a certain state of affairs, and I must say I agree with her about it. It's the lack of introductory letter to the girls at dance parties, let alone on affairs. It's an actual fact that you go to a dancing party and see groups of girls talking and laughing together. It's the dancing girls who are invited to the parties, not the other girls.

I don't know which one likes it more, the girl or boy, but I often wish that I could see the girls in their own right. Then the girls would have programs, they would be back to their chaperones between dances and there would be a few of a going stock. You know I am a fearful book man. There are no chaperones to lead them to, and they don't get out of their own programs, but they'd all have a mighty good time. You have to state, and no one would think of it.

WEDDING—100 ANNO UNDECIM ENGRAVED \$11.50. Other prices from \$2.50 to \$10.00. Write for price list and 25-cent color catalog. Royal Engraving Shop, 814 Walnut St.

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Sarah Ellen Richardson, Miss Anne Schwartz, Miss Katharine Schwartz, Miss Caroline Graham and Miss Mary Whelan.

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BIRMINGHAM—MURPHY Norristown, Pa., Dec. 21.—Miss Ben- nard M. Murphy and Lionel C. Simpson, both of Camden, were married yesterday at Washington Memorial Chapel, at Valley Forge, by the Rev. W. Herbert Den.

A quiet church wedding will take place on Tuesday afternoon, December 26, in St. Andrew's Protestant Episcopal Church, thirty-seventh and Flowering streets, when Miss Frances Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Hall, 2211 Locust street, will become the bride of Mr. Frederick Windorf, of this city. The Rev. William J. Cox will officiate. Invitations after the ceremony the young couple will leave for an extended wedding trip, and upon their return will make their home in West Philadelphia.

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Suggestions for Last-Minute Shoppers

Table listing various goods with prices. GLOVES: 1-clasp Capeskin Gloves in black, white and colors, regularly \$2.75 \$2.00. Wool Skating Gloves, in colors with contrasting bands, 1.65. White Wool Skating Gloves, 1.75. Wool Skating Gloves of Camel's Hair, 2.00. 1-clasp Arabian Mochas in tan, buck, gray and beaver, 3.25. Strap-wrist Arabian Mochas in tan, gray and reindeer, 5.75. 12-button Mochas in butternut, 6.75. HOSE: Pure Silk Stockings with Lisle Tops, \$1.35, 3 for \$3.75. Full-fashioned English Wool Hose with Silk Clocks or Novelty Effects, regularly \$3.50, 1.95. Full-fashioned Silk Hose with Lisle Tops, 1.95. Full-fashioned All-silk Hose, regularly \$3.50, 3.00. Mercerized Lisle Hose with Lavender Tops, 1.25. Black Cotton Stockings with Unbleached Feet, 1.00.

SILK AND MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Table listing silk and muslin underwear. Petticoats in Jersey, Taffeta, Messaline or Jersey with a Taffeta or Messaline Flounce, good colors, \$3.85. Petticoats of Taffeta, Jersey and Radium Silk in good colors, 5.00. Envelope Chemises of Crepe de Chine and Radium Silk, \$3.50 to 10.00. Nightgowns of Crepe de Chine and Radium Silk, 5.50 to 16.50. Kaiser Silk Union Suits, Regular or Bodice Tops, 6.00. Silk-top Union Suits, regular \$3.50 value, 2.75. Envelope Chemises with Philippine Hand Embroidery, 2.50. Nightgowns with Philippine Hand Embroidery, 2.75 to 3.85. Exclusive Patterns in French Hand-Embroidered Gowns, 10.00 & 12.00. French Embroidered Two and Three Piece Sets, 15.00 to 25.00.

HANDKERCHIEFS

Table listing handkerchiefs. Women's Embroidered White Handkerchiefs, 18c, 3 for 50c. Women's Embroidered White Linen Handkerchiefs, 25c to 75c each. Women's Embroidered White Linen Handkerchiefs in boxes of 3, \$1.25 a box. Women's Embroidered White Linen Handkerchiefs in boxes of 6, 2.50 a box. Women's Fine French Handkerchiefs with Embroidery \$1.75 to \$18.50 ea. Men's White Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 25c to 50c ea. Men's Colored French Handkerchiefs, \$1.00 to \$1.75 ea. Men's Silk Batik Handkerchiefs, \$4.00 ea. Children's Handkerchiefs in boxes of 3, 50c to \$1.00 a box.

NOVELTIES

Table listing novelties. A wonderful assortment of Christmas Cards, regularly \$1.00 and \$1.50, at half price, now 50c and 75c. Needle Books, many with leather covers, regularly 50c to \$2.50. Manicure Sets in Roll-up and Flat Leather Cases, regularly \$3.75 to \$9.00. Scissors Sets in Leather Cases, regularly \$3.75 to \$6.00. Lamp and Shade Complete, in many different styles, 3.00 & 5.00. Horsman's Crying and "Ma-ma" Dolls, attractively dressed, 1.50 & 3.00. Enameled Ash Tray and Cigarette Holder in Leather Case, regular values up to \$4.00, 2.50. Beautiful Beaded Bags in tapestry designs, regularly \$5, 3.00. Sewing Baskets with Leather Tops, Completely Fitted, 5.00 to 10.00.

A Marvelous Sale of Extracts, Toilet Waters, Powders and Sachets

Table listing various toiletries. Guerlain's Guerlinade, L'Heure Bleue, Rue de La Paix, Champs Elysee and Fol Arôme Extracts, 2 1/2-oz. size \$10.00 \$8.50. Coty's Jasmin, Styx and L'Effleur Extracts, 6.00 4.50. Coty's Paris and Rose Extracts, 1.90 1.50. Piver's Floramye Extract, 2.20 1.50. Kerkoff's Djer Kiss Extract, 1.80 1.50. Roger & Gallet's Violet Marveille Extract, 7.50 5.00. Roger & Gallet's Fleur d'Amour Extract, 5.00 2.50. Rigaud's Un Air Embaume Extract, 3.00 2.50. Rigaud's Un Air Embaume Toilet Water, 3.00 2.75. Coty's Toilet Water in 6 odors, 3.50 2.25. Coty's Large Size Toilet Water, 6.75 4.50. Roger & Gallet's Violet Toilet Water, 1.50 1.25. Kerkoff's Djer Kiss Toilet Water, 1.80 1.45. Piver's Azura and Floramye Face Powder, 1.50 1.00. Rigaud's Un Air Embaume Compact Face Powder, .90 .75. Rigaud's Un Air Embaume Talcum Powder, .75 .65. Coty's Talcum Powder, 1.00 .90. Roger & Gallet's Vera Violet Face Powder, 2.00 1.00. Roger & Gallet's Fleur d'Amour Sachet, .90 .75. Rigaud's Un Air Embaume Sachet, 2.50 2.00. Coty's Sachet Powder in 6 odors, 1.75 1.50.

SHUBERT VAUDEVILLE. DAILY MATS. 2:15. EVES. SAT. 8:15. BARTON AND PRICE. DE HAVEN & NICE JOE TOWLE PAUL BAKER. SAM SHUBERT. Beg. Xmas Mat. PAULINE FREDERICK. ADELPHI Beginning Xmas Mat. PAULINE FREDERICK. GIVE HAPPINESS FOR YOUR XMAS GIFT. BLOSSOM TIME. N. BROAD. MANTELL and GENEVIEVE HAMPER. GARRICK. HOLLY DARING. GEORGE WHITE'S SCANDALS. FORREST. WEDDING 100 ANNO UNDECIM ENGRAVED \$11.50.

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