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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS

ANNUAL ELECTION OF POLYCLINIC

Officers and Standing Committees Are Appointed to Serve For One Year

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Polyclinic Hospital held the yearly election of officers, with the following people elected to serve one year: President, Mrs. A. I. Miller; vice-presidents, Mrs. G. C. Gallagher, Mrs. George Wolford and Mrs. Lynn Scott; recording secretary, Mrs. E. A. Nicodemus; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Samuel Z. Shope; assistant corresponding secretary, Mrs. Frank Motz; financial secretary, Mrs. Bellett Lawson; treasurer, Mrs. E. Kirby Lawson; president emeritus, Mrs. J. H. Gingrich. The standing committees for the year are as follows: Hospital, Mrs. H. F. Gross, chairman, Mrs. S. Z. Shope, Mrs. E. A. Nicodemus, Mrs. Kirby Lawson, Mrs. W. R. Batdorf and Dr. H. F. Gross; membership, Mrs. R. E. Holmes, chairman, Mrs. James Stewart, Mrs. Charles Turner, Mrs. W. R. Houser, Mrs. Charles Spicer, Mrs. Harry Orr, Mrs. Charles Woehle, Mrs. H. Rineard, Mrs. H. D. Delmotte, Mrs. James Gingrich and Dr. G. H. Widder; sewing, Mrs. Charles McEnroe, chairman, Mrs. Richard Richardson, Mrs. Charles Sheaffer, Mrs. Anna Bacon, Mrs. Thomas Townsen, Mrs. John Sible and Dr. W. Tyler Douglass; superintendent of junior auxiliary, Mrs. E. A. Nicodemus. The following auditing committee was appointed: Mrs. W. R. Houser, Mrs. Lynn Scott and Mrs. Holmes. The auxiliary meets at the hospital, Front and Harris streets, the first Tuesday of each month at 8 p. m.

LARGE CARD PARTY

The Ladies' Altar Guild of the Sacred Heart Church, held a card party and five hundred party in the basement of the church this evening. Beautiful prizes will be given and refreshments served. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee Benedict, of 318 South Thirteenth street, are home after a two weeks' wedding trip in the South. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thacher have gone home to Albany, N. Y., after visiting relatives in this vicinity for ten days. Mrs. Robert Hunt and Miss Lilla Hunt, of 242 Hummel street, have returned after a visit with friends at Reading. Mrs. Elizabeth Sears, of 1652 North Fourth street, is confined to the house by illness. Mrs. Henry Friel Hershey, of Steelton, is recovering from an attack of the grip. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Stewart and small daughter, Thelma Stewart, of Pittsburgh, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Brown, of Forster street. Miss Adeline Wells has returned to Wellsville after a visit with Mrs. Blaine Booser, 1911 Reginald street. Miss Phoebe Linton has returned home to Tyrone after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Anna G. Raymond, of Market street. Miss Helena Hartman and Miss Stella Hartman, of Youngstown, Ohio, are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Martin B. Counts, of North Second street. Mrs. A. Wilton Norris, of 207 South Front street, will occupy one of the Stroh apartments at Front and Herr streets in the early Spring. Howard Fountain, of Jersey City, was a recent guest of relatives in town en route to Washington and Philadelphia. Jesse Rodgers, of Baltimore, is spending a week among old friends in this vicinity. Miss Carmen Hassen, of Troy, N. Y., is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Robert Haynes, of Market street, for the remainder of the month. John Frederick Kennedy has gone home to Tyrone after a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Kennedy, of suburban Harrisburg. Mrs. Norman Brown and Mrs. Harvey Brown, of Philadelphia, are spending the week-end with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Houser, of State street. Richard Knibbes, of the Pennsylvania Steel Company, has returned to the city after an extended stay in California. Mrs. William Rufus McCord, of Bellevue Park, is in New York, where she was called by the illness of her father. Mrs. William E. Wright, 204 State street, and her guest, Miss Mary Linn, of Bellefonte, are spending a few days in New York. Mrs. Saunders, of Jonestown, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. John Easley, 422 South Fourteenth street. Mrs. Frances Williams, of Hartford, Conn., is visiting Miss Susanna Fleming at 111 State street. Miss Margaretta Reed, of 1391 Bepko street, is ill recovering after an operation for appendicitis at the Harrisburg Hospital. Miss Kathryn Beaver and Miss Sadie Beaver have returned home. Mrs. M. Chester, after a little visit with their cousin, Miss Helen Beaver, of North Third street. William Henry Shenk and his son, Luther G. Shenk, of Rochester, N. Y., are stopping for a while with their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Reeser, of North Second street. William M. Kishpaugh, of 409 South Sixteenth street, has resumed his studies at the Maryland Agricultural College after a holiday vacation spent at his home here. Mrs. Fred W. Ebel is recovering after a serious attack of the grip. Miss Lila Shaeffer, of Chicago, is a guest of her sister, Miss Costa Shaeffer, 922 North Second street. Mrs. Roy G. Cox, 2422 North Second street, spent yesterday in Philadelphia.

Y. M. H. A. and Its Auxiliary Issue Ball Invitations

The Young Men's Hebrew Association and its Ladies' Auxiliary have issued invitations for their first annual ball on Wednesday evening, January 26, at Winterdale. There will be elaborate decorations, music by a local orchestra and exhibition dancing by professionals. Several hundred guests are expected, many of them from out of town. The Rev. William Yenser, of Columbus, Ohio, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Fraley, of 1645 North Sixth street. Mr. and Mrs. William B. Schlessner will be "at home" to their friends Sunday afternoon and evening on the occasion of the coronation of their son, Edward Schlessner. Mrs. Charles E. Ryder, of Riverside, was called to New York by the death of her uncle, Oliver C. Gayley. Howard Kooker, Jr., of Quakertown, Pa., has returned home after spending the week-end with Miss Margaret Fraley Sparver and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fraley, at their home, 1645 North Sixth street. Miss Lizzie Jaus, teacher of the Seventh grade in the Stevens school building, is seriously ill at her home, 1847 Market street.

RETURN FROM HANOVER

Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Smith, J. Ross Sneeringer, Miss Elizabeth Seal, and Miss Mary Runk, all of this city, returned home after a week's sojourn with relatives in Hanover, where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Smith's mother, Mrs. Kuhn. De Forest Lescure, a student at Lafayette College, Easton, Pa., is ill at his home, 803 North Second street. Mr. Lescure will be unable to resume his studies for a week at least. Miss Maria Stacker, of 246 Rely street, has returned home after a visit with relatives in Lancaster.

GIVE COMPLIMENTARY DANCE TO BALTIMORE VISITORS

One of the pleasant social events of the week was an informal dance given last evening at Ingham's Hall by Mr. and Mrs. J. George Ingram, of 2220 Penn street in compliment to their guest, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gill, of Baltimore. The Myers orchestra played and seventy-five people were in attendance.

RETURN FROM WASHINGTON AND FUNERAL OF RELATIVE

Mrs. Isahel Snyder and Miss Cora Lee Snyder are home from Washington, D. C., where they were called by the sudden death of their relative, Mrs. Ida Stilson, widow of Major Francis I. Willis, of that city. Mrs. Willis, who had frequently visited here, was a woman of great beauty and personal charm, actively interested in church and social life of Washington. Her aunt, Mrs. Snyder, as "next of kin," shares in her estate. MRS. HAMILTON ILL Mrs. Charles J. Wood, Jr., and Miss Evelyn Wood, of Cameron Extension, who spent the holidays at Baltimore and New York, were prevented from returning home early in the week as they anticipated by the illness of Mrs. Wood's mother, Mrs. William Pinkney Hamilton, of Brooklyn. STUDIES FOR CONCERT STAGE Miss Georgia Snyder, a well-known soloist and vocal teacher, has gone to New York city, where she will continue her studies for the concert stage. Miss Snyder will have a class in vocal music during her stay in New York. EMBROIDERY CLUB MEETS Members of the Friday Embroidery Club met to-day with Mrs. John Hatter, of Crescent street. In attendance were Mrs. Frank Hesser, Mrs. Otto Plack, Mrs. J. Odin Hamilton, Mrs. Jesse Howe, Mrs. Joseph Forward, Mrs. Lehman, Miss Hannah Lamm, Mrs. D. W. Ober, Mrs. A. Lincoln Holler, Mrs. William Shultz, Mrs. William Seacrest, Miss Emma Greishaber and Mrs. Mervin Cook. Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Wright were Parkesburg visitors yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Zaeffel, of Lancaster, have returned home after spending some time with Mrs. Zaeffel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Bucher, 1414 Derry street. John W. Alworth, of Scranton, who is a guest of his sister, Mrs. James A. Hartman, at Summerdale, is improving in health after a recent illness. Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Markson and Miss Thelma Markson, of Syracuse, N. Y., are guests of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Aronson, 257 Forster street. Mrs. John M. Wallis and Miss Alice Wallis will remove from 1717 North Second street in the Spring to the Stroh apartments, North Front street. Mrs. William O. Hickok of 508 North Second street, is visiting friends in Pittsburgh. Mrs. James I. Chamberlin of 325 North Front street is home after a brief stay in Washington with her daughter, Miss Jean Boster Chamberlin. Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Brown and daughter, Miss Alice Belle Brown, started for their home in Cincinnati to-day after a holiday visit among relatives in this vicinity. Miss Kathryn Steele and Miss Vesta Steele of Pittsburgh were recent guests at the home of their uncle, Thomas D. Burns of Market street. ENTERTAINS CLUB Members of the J. A. M. club were pleasantly entertained last evening by Miss Mary Black, of 329 Hummel street. In attendance were Miss Margaret Murray, Miss Evelyn Joyce, Miss Rose Machan, Miss Ruth Tack, Miss Esther Sherk, Miss Beatrice Barger, Miss Louise Aughinbaugh, Miss Margaret Shilling, Miss Esther Weisman, Miss Katherine Miller, Miss Ruth Atkinson, Miss Mabel Maurer, Miss Bess Bennett, Miss Clara Btner, Miss Margaret Johnson, Miss Margaret Cover.

FEBRUARY TO BE A JUBILEE MONTH

Local Y. W. C. A. Arranging a Fifty Years Celebration of World-wide Movement

February will be "Jubilee Month" for the Young Women's Christian Associations throughout the country, as it is just fifty years since the first organization of the kind was effected in Boston. The local association is planning for several unusual observances and Tuesday evening, February 1, will be the first date celebrated. On that evening there will be a membership rally and annual meeting. A board of directors will be elected and Mrs. George Vaux, Jr., of Philadelphia, a field committee chairman, will make an address. A social hour with music and refreshments will be an added attraction. The present term of classes of the Y. W. C. A. closes February 5 and on Monday, February 7, the second term opens, continuing to May 13. It is believed that all classes will be continued. New ones will be formed if there is sufficient demand. If you want to come into one of these classes it is not too early to register for domestic science, 8:30, basketry, dressmaking and three language classes, English, German and Spanish.

Mrs. Stewart's Visitors Enjoy Evening of Music

Guests of Mrs. Roberta Gray Stewart of State street who attended a musicale at her home last evening had the pleasure of hearing brilliant piano numbers played by Mrs. Arthur Keim of Baltimore and Miss Jane Richardson of Washington; vocal solos by Miss Mabel Kent and Miss Arline Gregory and a violin and piano duet by Miss Estelle Kent and Miss Richardson. Following the music a buffet supper with appointments of pink and white was served by twenty people, from this city, Steelton and Middletown.

Harden Galbraith Host to Fifteen School Boys

Harden Galbraith, son of Mrs. William Watts Galbraith, 111 North street, is entertaining some of his schoolmates this afternoon at his home. Games and contests such as chess and checkers will be followed by refreshments. The guests include: Blake Bent, "Jack" Raunick, Philip Brown, Henry Kelker Hamilton, Wayne Long, Robert Earle, Robert Smith, John Maguire, Frank Ludington, Hastings Hickok, Charles Fox, Bailey Brandt, Jr., James Bowman and Conway Olmsted.

Luncheon Is Attended by Out of Town Guests

One of the prettiest of luncheons was given to-day by Miss Edith Graham of North Second street in honor of a number of friends from Germantown who are visiting in the city. The appointments were a violet and yellow with corsage bouquets of California violets and marguerites tied with gold ribbons as favors. There were sixteen guests who enjoyed bridge and music during the afternoon. Miss Graham was assisted in entertaining by her cousin, Miss Madge Whitehall of Pittsburgh.

MARRY AT PARSONAGE

Miss Grace E. Hicks and Samuel E. Bomberger, both of Lebanon, were united in marriage last evening at the parsonage of St. John's Reformed Church, Fourth and Maclay streets, by the pastor, the Rev. George W. Hartman. After an extended wedding journey including Los Angeles and other points in the West, Mr. and Mrs. Bomberger will reside in Lebanon.

LAUNDRIES NOW CHARGE 3 CENTS FOR COLLARS

Local laundries are now charging three cents for each collar, a 10-cent increase of one-half a cent, as planned during the holidays by the Harrisburg Laundry Exchange. The proposed extra tax of one cent per bundle has been withdrawn. It is said that no further changes are contemplated at this time. The increase is to meet additional expenses which may come through the compensation act.

Heroine of Loos Who Killed Five Germans



Mlle. Emilienne Moreau has been decorated with the Croix de Guerre as the heroine of Loos. During the German attack on that city she killed three Germans with hand grenades and two more with a pistol she wrenched from a British officer.

LADIES' BAZAAR

DON'T FORGET THE NUMBER 10-12 S. 4th St. DON'T FORGET THE NUMBER "We Advertise the Truth—The Truth Advertises Us"

Final Reductions In Our Clearance of Ladies' Wear Little Short of Daring

Everything has suffered an additional price cut in our clearance sale of Ladies' Apparel. Here's a hint or two.

- Plush Coats Smart model, formerly \$25; now \$13.75
Zibeline Coats Stylish models, formerly priced at \$10.00; now \$3.98
Broadcloth Suits Beautiful garments with fur collar and cuffs, formerly \$27.98 \$13.98
Dress Skirts New model all wool poplin skirts, formerly \$5.00; now \$2.85

Skirts, Street Dresses, Evening Dresses, Coats, Suits, etc., all at corresponding reductions.

SOLICITING ALMS FOR SUB-NURSERY

Poor Board Will Act Definitely Wednesday on Colored Home Appropriation

What action shall be taken by the colored poor board relative to maintaining the colored branch of the Day Nursery in North Seventh street, will be determined at the meeting on Wednesday, when Solicitor O. G. Wick-

Embarrassing Hairs Can Be Quickly Removed

(Beauty Culture) Hairs can be easily banished from the skin by this quick, painless method; mix into a stiff paste some powdered delatone and water, spread on hairy surface and in 2 or 3 minutes rub off, wash the skin and it will be free from hair or bluish. Excepting in very stubborn growths, one application is sufficient. To avoid disappointment, buy the delatone in an original package.

A POST GRADUATE SCHOOL FOR YOUNG BANKERS

"A successful banker is composed of about one-fifth accountant, two-fifths lawyer, three-fifths political economist, and four-fifths gentleman and scholar—double size. Any smaller person may be a pawn-broker or a promoter, but not a banker." This is George E. Allen's definition. Down in Wall Street, one of the largest banks in the world is conducting a post-graduate school in banking, in which the class has to learn this definition at the outset. The students are employees of the bank, doing practical work in the various departments of the bank from nine to five, and attending classes before and after working hours. Representatives of twenty odd colleges and universities are there, including Bodwin, Chicago, Columbia, Harvard, Princeton, South Carolina, Virginia, Yale and others. These men are receiving their preparation to go out to Brazil, the Argentine, Uruguay, Cuba and elsewhere as representatives of the National City

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Will Begin Refunding Savings to Students

Pittsburgh, Jan. 14.—The first payment of the savings of the 41,000 school children who were depositors in the closed Pittsburgh Bank for Savings and whose accounts were taken over by Henry C. Frick will be made Monday, according to an announcement made yesterday. Distribution will begin at three of the public schools and will extend to the others later. The savings total \$167,000 and all payments will be in cash.

Our Big Optical Offer

Starts Saturday, Jan. 15th for One Week Only

Double glasses for seeing far and near fitted in a gold filled frame, guaranteed 10 years, either spectacles or nose glasses saves you the trouble of two pair of glasses; regular values \$5.00

\$2.50

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STORK NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. W. Royal Atticks, 1107 North Front street, announce the birth of a daughter, Charlotte Marie Atticks, Monday, January 3, 1916. Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin J. C. Briggs, of East Lansdowne, Philadelphia, announce the birth of a son, Benjamin John Cook Briggs, Jr., Thursday, January 13, 1916. Mrs. Briggs was formerly Miss Leah D. Fletcher, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. William S. Campbell, 2164 Brookwood street, announce the birth of a son, William Stewart Campbell, Jr., on Wednesday morning, January 12, 1916. WINTERDALE Band and Orchestra Saturday evenings. The old dances and one-step.—Advertisement.