

PERSONAL SOCIAL SCENES OF INTENSE PATRIOTIC FERVOR ENACTED AT ANNUAL DINNER OF PENNSYLVANIA STATE SOCIETY

PASS RESOLUTION LOYALTY TO GOVT.

Harrisburg Chapter Daughters of American Revolution Have Interesting Patriotic Rally

"Harrisburg Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, with over a hundred members, always in sympathy with whatever tends to promote the public welfare, realizing the war situation which now unfortunately exists, tenders to the Governor of our Commonwealth the assurance of their good will and their readiness to render him the fullest measure of patriotic service in any way he may deem proper in the performance of the arduous and important duties now imposed upon him. In order that enlistments may be encouraged, the chapter offers to the first new company organized in the city of Harrisburg, a large new flag."

This resolution was presented by Mrs. Henry McCormick before the Harrisburg Chapter, D. A. R., at their meeting yesterday afternoon and was unanimously and enthusiastically adopted. A copy will be sent to Governor Brumbaugh at once by Mrs. McCormick, the secretary.

Assembly hall, of the Y. M. C. A. was artistically decorated with flags and

Red Cross posters, potted hyacinths and tulips giving a suggestion of spring. The regent, Miss Cora Lee Snyder, presided and the large gathering sang heartily several patriotic songs, with Mrs. Mary Boyer McCrea at the piano. During routine business nominations were made for officers to be elected at the annual meeting on May 19. Mrs. Frederick H. Marsh was appointed judge of election, with Mrs. John M. J. Haunick and Mrs. Samuel F. Dunkle, tellers. Mrs. Charles A. Kunkel and Mrs. Edward Boyer were appointed auditors for the treasurer.

George Sutton, ably accompanied by Alfred C. Kuscha, sang one of the new war songs, "The Young Warrior," and later "The Star Spangled Banner." As Mr. Sutton's wonderful voice rang out in the inspiring strains, the women were filled with patriotic fervor and at the last verse joined in the song as a prayer that "The Star Spangled Banner in triumph may wave o'er the land of the free and the home of the brave."

Life on the Border

Mrs. Maurice E. Finney, president of the Authors Club, and wife of Colonel Finney of the Eighth regiment, N. G. P., who spent several months at the Mexican border while her husband was there on duty with the N. G. U. S., told the chapter something of her experience in Texas. She says that while not in battle, the soldiers found plenty to do in making their camp livable, cutting new roads and the like, and she repeated verse of the soldier's song: "Captain says my rifle's rusty and guess that he is right; but if he looked at pick and shovel he would find them shining bright."

Mrs. Finney urges universal military training, not for aggression but protection of the country, for the discipline serves to keep the young men in fit condition of health, as was shown by the companies coming back from Texas, all of them in fine shape physically. Witty and chatty, with a charm of manner all her own, Mrs. Finney described various phases of the country and its people, giving much information that the society is glad to have at first hands.

The chapter historian, Mrs. Charles J. Wood, Jr., gave interesting current events and attention was called to the entertainment for the blind soldiers and sailors to be held in the Ophesian Friday evening. All the proceeds will go direct to this great work.

Delegates to the 26th annual Continental Congress in Washington next week are the regent, Miss Cora Lee Snyder; alternate, Mrs. Samuel Z. Shope; chapter delegate, Mrs. Charles J. Wood, Jr.; alternate, Mrs. Mabel C. Cruise.

A copy of "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," Julia Ward Howe's stirring hymn, was given to everyone present, and after singing it the meeting closed with repeating of pledge allegiance to the American flag and the Republic for which it stands. One Nation, united, with Liberty and Justice for all."

In the small committee room just outside the hall, a Red Cross booth was established with several workers who gathered in about twenty new members for the society. Many of the chapter have been members of the Red Cross for several years and have given not only large sums of money but much time and labor to the work, especially during the past several months.

WILL SERVE WITH ARMY

Stephen Badlam, formerly connected with the Pennsylvania Steel Company at Steelton, several years engineer for the Pittsburgh Tube Company, at Beaver, Pa., has been appointed a major of infantry of the officers' reserve corps of the United States Regular Army. His wife was formerly Miss Helen Boyd, of this city, daughter of the late George W. Boyd, and a niece of Harry L. Hershey.

SPENDING VACATION HERE

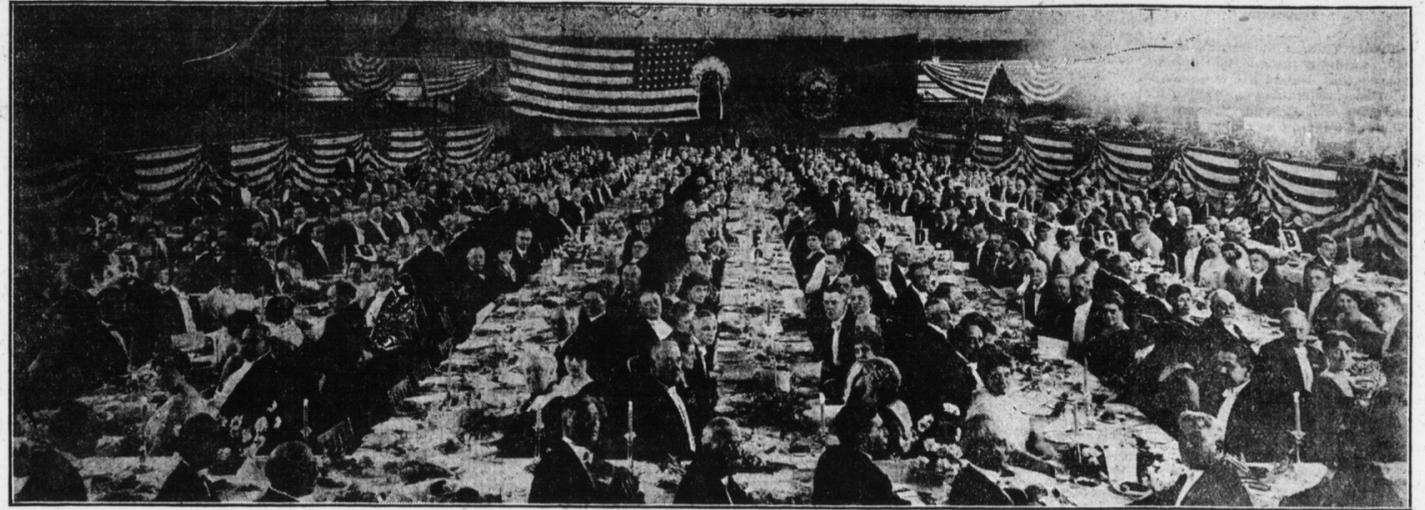
Miss Edith Hoover, a graduate of Wilson College, who is now a student of the University of Syracuse, is home to spend the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hoover, of Evergreen and Chestnut streets.

Miss Hoover has as her house guest over the vacation, Miss Alice Kelly, of Philadelphia, who was a former school friend of hers.

NATURALISTS ON A HIKE

Members of the Natural History Society will take their first country jaunt on Saturday afternoon. Leaving Market Square on the 1 o'clock Rockville car they will get off at Lincolnton Road and hike themselves to Hepatica Glen. An expert on birds and wild flowers will accompany the party on what promises to be a most enjoyable trip.

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ANNUAL DINNER OF STATE SOCIETY IS GREAT OCCASION

Patriotism ran riot at the annual dinner of the Pennsylvania State Society last evening. The event took place in Chestnut Street Auditorium and more than 500 men connected with the State service and a number of well-known citizens from this and other cities participated. Among those present were Mrs. Brumbaugh and many wives of State officials.

The great hall was decorated from floor to rafters in red, white and blue. Countless flags and pennants of the national colors, combined with the beautiful flag of Pennsylvania adorned the walls and hung in festoons from the ceiling. A beautiful patriotic setting filled the stage at the front. The auditorium never looked better nor has it housed very many more impressive gatherings.

The feature of the evening was the presentation to Governor Brumbaugh of a large portrait of himself. The painting, done in oil, was the gift of the Governor's military staff.

As the guests were seated the orchestra struck up the national air and the curtain of the stage ran up to show the figure of a beautiful girl personated as the Goddess of Liberty, her brow wreathed with a starry crown and bearing a large silk American flag. The striking picture was greeted with thunders of applause.

Public Service Commissioner John S. Rilling introduced State Librarian Thomas Lynch Montgomery as toastmaster. Mr. Montgomery, in a word explained the objects of the Pennsylvania State Society saying:

"The society is for the promotion of good fellowship among its members and the cherishing of a State spirit; the promotion of efficiency and economy in the administration of the affairs of our Commonwealth. The dissemination of information relating to the history of the State, together with a knowledge of the history and of the varied interests and affairs of our State and the upholding of the dignity of our Commonwealth and the encouraging of a patriotic devotion to our State."

Patriotic Addresses

The addresses of the evening teemed with patriotism. The guest of honor was former Governor Frank B. Willis, of Ohio, a warm friend of Governor Brumbaugh. Mr. Willis, Adjutant General Thomas J. Stewart, Emerson Collins, Deputy Attorney General, and the Governor, himself, delivered the principal addresses of the evening.

The portrait of the Governor was unveiled by General Stewart at the conclusion of one of the most eloquent addresses that well known after-dinner speaker ever made. He paid a high tribute to the Governor on behalf of the staff of which he was the chosen representative.

Speaking also for the other members of the staff he made an eloquent plea for the volunteer soldier, who he said, had in by-gone wars wrested victory from every foe that has ever faced the Stars and Stripes. Too much, he added, had been said in disparagement of the volunteer and that this kind of discussion should cease at a time when the fate of the nation may depend largely upon the men who will lay down their daily tasks and leave their homes voluntarily to take up arms in defense of their nation. He predicted that the outcome of the present war would see the volunteer

with the banners of victory in his grasp and the laurels of a grateful country on his brow.

General Stewart pointed also to the National Guard which is to-day an efficient body because it prepares when it was the fashion to sneer at preparedness.

When he reached that part of his address which had to do with the Governor himself, the Executive sat with bowed head as applause ran sharply through the hall. "It is the desire of your military family," said General Stewart, addressing the Governor, "to present to you this tribute of our regard, love and esteem—their admiration for your loyalty, for all that you have done and all that you have promised you will go to uphold the traditions of Pennsylvania in this crisis. May misfortune always be a stranger to you and may your path be always one of prosperity."

The Governor spoke feelingly of the part Pennsylvania must play in the great national problems now at issue and of the responsibilities of himself and all others of the State Government who have a part therein. "We must continue to keep Pennsylvania where the State always has stood and where, please God, she always will stand." He made an earnest plea for popular support in the conduct of Pennsylvania's part of the war, drawing attention to the fact that by reason of her location, her resources, her wealth and her great population Pennsylvania must take a leading place among the States and be prepared to contribute far more than smaller and less fortunate Commonwealths.

Former Governor Willis in his address made a strong plea for national support. "This is the time for citizens of all walks of life to rally to the colors," he said, and added that he had no doubt where Pennsylvania stood in the question. "The history of the United States is filled with the mighty deeds and the wonderfully patriotic services of Pennsylvania and Pennsylvanians," he said. He pronounced Governor Brumbaugh the "greatest Governor of the greatest State in the union and said the people of Ohio and other Commonwealths and watch how loyally the people of this State line up behind him."

Mr. Collins' Masterful Address

Mr. Collins' speech was a masterful presentation of the state of the American people and the great part they have played through the war of the Revolution, the Civil War and now in the world conflict on the side of humanity and in half of freedom and the rights of the individual. He pointed a beautiful word picture of the visit of LaFayette to our shores in the days when French assistance spelled victory for the American cause and spoke feelingly of the return we are about to make to France in her hour of trial.

Mr. Collins also spoke confidently of the part Pennsylvania will play in the national crisis. "It is my hope, during this war," he said, "to see the Stars and Stripes floating in France and at the head of the division that shall place them there the figure of that rugged, red-blooded American, Theodore Roosevelt." Mr. Collins was greeted with enthusiastic applause and there were evidently many who agreed with him in his hope to see the Colonel given an opportunity for service.

A social hour with dancing followed the speaking.

Tech Alumni Is Raising Permanent Fund For Prize

Members of the Tech Alumni Association feel pleased over the fact that at their first annual dance Monday evening in the school gymnasium more than enough funds were raised for their gift of \$25 to the valedictorian of this year's class, and plans were made to establish a permanent fund, the interest of which will make the prize possible in the future without special assessments.

A hundred members attended the dance and the school orchestra of twenty pieces played. President Charles Cooper was toastmaster and among the speakers were Dr. C. B. Pitzer, Jr., principal of the Technical High School; William Wilson, Ross McCleaster, Harry Phillipelli, Robert Cook and Ray Pluevine Snow.

University Club's Dance Found Most Enjoyable

The first Easter dance of the University Club, held last evening in Masonic Temple, was an unequalled success from every point of view.

Flags and festoons of the national colors formed the decorations, and the Sara Lemer orchestra played. About 150 guests attended.

The patronesses were: Mrs. Marlin E. Olmsted, Mrs. George B. Kunkel, Mrs. William E. Bailey, Mrs. Charles L. Bailey, Jr., Mrs. E. J. Stackpole, Mrs. Arthur Brown, Mrs. Mary Fox Wells, Mrs. Howard M. Bingham, Mrs. Henderson Gilbert.

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MISS SMILEY HOSTESS FOR SUSQUEHANNA CAMP FIRE GIRLS

Miss Mildred Smiley was hostess last evening for the Susquehanna Camp Fire Girls at her home, 1512 Berryhill street. The evening was spent in making the ceremonial gowns and a social time followed with music, games and refreshments.

The members present included: The Misses Effie Blough, Helen Gable, Edith Holbert, Georgianna Parthmore, Martha Shartzer, Julia Shartzer, Virginia Storey, Mary Unger, Frances Todd, Marian Shilby, Sara Colsher and Bertha Gertrude Adams.

Motion Picture Talk For the Shimmell Center

The Shimmell Community Center will have a treat Friday evening, when the Department of Safety gives a motion picture talk on "The House That Jack Built." Slides will show how accidents occur and how to avoid them. This will be of special interest to railroaders. The public is invited to be present.

The finance committee of the organization met a few days ago and made plans for continuing this work next season. Eli Hershey, president of the center, has some well-developed plans for making the association a factor for lasting good.

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