

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS

REFORMED FOLKS' ANNUAL REUNION

Dr. Irvine and Dr. Omwake to Be Principal Speakers at Pen Mar Event

The twenty-eighth annual reunion of the Reformed churches of Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia will be held Thursday, July 19, at Pen Mar. A special car for those attending will leave this city at 7.15 a. m., going by way of Hagerstown.

These features, in addition to other special interesting items of the program, will make this reunion probably one of the best attended in the Reformed Circuit of this district. The committee in charge includes: President, Emory L. Coblenz, of Middletown, Md.; vice-president, Ephraim Corman, Washington, D. C.; secretary, M. B. Gibson, York; treasurer, Samuel S. Brenner, Mechanicsburg; Howard E. Blair, Hanover; the Rev. John L. Barnhart, B. D., Baltimore, Md.; W. C. Bierly, Frederick, Md.; H. T. Weaver, Gettysburg, Pa.; George A. Hollinger, of this city; Harry Brindle, Hagerstown, Md.; David M. Hurley, Hagerstown, Md.; and the Rev. Thomas K. Cromer, Winchester, Va.

POSTPONE OPEN-AIR SERVICE The Meade W. C. T. U. which planned an open-air service for this afternoon in Reservoir Park postponed it because of the rain until tomorrow. Should it be too damp outdoors at that time, the service will be held next week instead, and due notice will be given through the papers.

RETURNS TO NORTH DAKOTA Miss Ferrel Place left yesterday for her home in Mandan, North Dakota, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Lewis Dougherty, of North Sixth street. Miss Place has been making her home with her sister since last January and attended the Central High School, the past term.

CATHOLICS PLAN TO HOLD OUTING

Knights of Columbus in Charge of Annual Outing to Be Given at Hershey

The second annual Catholic outing, under the direction of the Knights of Columbus, will be held at Hershey Park, Thursday, July 26. The outing has been arranged for all the Catholic people of the Central Pennsylvania district, and a large crowd is anticipated, not only from this vicinity but from Carlisle, York, Lancaster and numerous outlying towns. The committee has arranged for special trains to be run to the park by way of the Reading railroad, but the time that the trains will leave the Reading terminal here has not been definitely decided as yet.

F. P. Harris is chairman of the committee, in charge of arrangements. Various sports are being provided by the committee such as a baseball game between the Harrisburg and Steelton men, games and contests for the children as well as the grown folks. Swimming, boating, dancing, in the afternoon and evening, and a band concert will be given for the benefit of the day enjoyable for those who attend.

TAKES SUMMER COURSE Mr. and Mrs. John Bickley, of Bethlehem, former Harrisburgers, visited friends here for several days on the way to New York City, where Mr. Bickley is a member of the faculty of Lehigh University, will take a special summer course of study.

Mr. and Mrs. Melville Bowman, of 117 Pine street, have returned home after a trip to Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

The Misses Anna and Catharine Litzinger, of Bedford, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John O'Connell, 1467 Market street. George T. Young and Miss Sybil Young, of Frankfort, Ky., are guests of their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lowery, of State street, for the week.

Miss Mary Harner, of Wissahickon, Philadelphia, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Howard Poffenberger, 39 North Nineteenth street.

CLASS FORMING IN HOME DIETETICS

One of the Four Courses of Study Necessary to Become a Nurse's Assistant

There is now forming, under the direction of the Red Cross, a class in home dietetics one of the four courses that must be taken in order to become a nurse's aid. The others are, First Aid, Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick, Surgical Dressing.

While many have taken the other courses, this one is of more practical benefit as it deals with the food supply in the home and is of especial interest to housekeepers at this food conservation time. The subjects studied include: hygiene and food, nutrients, substitutes for meat, bills of fare, making serving family meals, food for infants and young children, food for the sick and convalescing, various kinds of food, such as milk, fish, eggs, cereals, etc.

This class is fortunate in securing the services of Miss Lila G. Deeter, of the Domestic Science Kitchen, as teacher, and the sessions will be held at the Y. W. C. A. four times a week, beginning Monday, July 23; Monday and Tuesday mornings from 9 to 11 o'clock; Wednesday and Thursday evenings, from 7.30 to 9.30 o'clock. It is expected to complete the course in fifteen lessons by August 15.

Anyone interested must register as soon as possible with Miss Mildred Astrich, 2028 North Third street, telephone B-2779, as lists must be sent to headquarters in Washington before classes begin.

When all these courses are taken one may volunteer for a nurse's aid in base hospitals, the first service to be asked for.

MILLER-BRETZ BRIDAL The marriage of Miss Margaret Irene Bretz, who has charge of the Elias candy store, in Walnut street, to Harry Miller, a passenger brakeman of the Middle division, Pennsylvania railroad, and member of Company D, Eighth Regiment N. G. P., took place this morning at the Church of the Second Reformed Church by the pastor, the Rev. Harry Nelson Bassler, chaplain of the Eighth Regiment.

EAST HARRISBURG W. C. T. U. There will be a meeting of the East Harrisburg W. C. T. U. tomorrow evening at 7.30 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Pettitt, 1616 Derry street. An open discussion will be held on the subject "Does Military Training in the Public Schools Retard Peace?"

HOME FROM SEASHORE Mr. and Mrs. William Pearson and their three sons, John Ewan, William, Jr., and Edward Pearson, are at their country home, in Cumberland county, after a delightful stay of two weeks in Atlantic City.

SUMMERING IN MOUNTAINS Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Thompson and their sister, Miss Louise Thompson, of Market street, have gone to visit friends in New York State and will spend the month of August in the White Mountains after touring about for a fortnight.

George James, of Paris Island, South Carolina, and his wife, Mrs. W. C. T. U. Mrs. Stanton Wilson, at 205 Calder street.

Miss Marie Hutton, of 611 Cedar street, is home after a little visit with Gettysburg relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fox, of Chicago, are visiting at the home of their uncle, Levi Sheeler, 1422 Regina street.

J. B. Martin, a former Harrisburger, has been appointed supervisor of improvements for a Cincinnati drug store. Mrs. John C. Kunkel, Jr., and son, John C. Kunkel, III, of South Front street, are guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Sara and Mary Sergeant, in Carlisle.

Miss Phyllis Weaver has gone home to Pittsburgh after a short stay with her aunt, Mrs. Belle Thurston, of Green street.

William Henry Gregory, of Philadelphia, is visiting his grandfather, Thaddeus Wilson, of Verbeke street, for the month of July.

Miss Helen Rambler and Miss Gertrude Rambler, of Cleveland, Ohio, were recent guests of the Rev. and Mrs. George W. Turner, of Penn street.

Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Heise and small son, Rupert Heise, of Washington, D. C., visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel F. Daniels for a fortnight, leaving for home to-day.

STORK NEWS Mr. and Mrs. Edgar A. Wills, of Scranton, announce the birth of a daughter, Sunday, July 8, 1917. Mrs. Wills was formerly Miss Rebecca Weakley, of this city, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Weakley.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Carter, of Washington, D. C., former Harrisburgers, announce the birth of a daughter, Sara Mary Carter, Saturday, July 7, 1917.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Peffer, of West Fairview, announce the birth of a daughter, Frances Ruth Peffer, Tuesday, July 3, 1917. Mr. Peffer was formerly with the Peffer firm, and Mrs. Peffer, of this city before her marriage.

Tamsui Special For Friday & Saturday 1 lb. 60c Quality Tea 2 lbs. 30c Quality Coffee 1 15c box Seeded Raisins 1 25c bot. Pure Extract Any Flavor All For \$1.00 A Saving of 60c This offer good only Friday and Saturday, and not more than one order to a customer. We want to convince you it pays to buy from importers.

Busy Bees' Lawn Party in Camp Hill Tomorrow

The Busy Bees' Society, with Mrs. R. E. Cahill, president, have completed all arrangements for their lawn fete to be held on the lovely terrace of Mrs. Howard W. Goodman's residence, Locust and Lincoln street, to-morrow evening.

At their attractive booths are all things soldier ice cream, sandwiches and coffee, as well as the indispensable garden tools so popular among the enthusiastic women who are making every effort to do "their bit" in this humble, but practical agricultural way.

Should the weather man find it probable to send rain to-morrow evening, as he seems to have deemed best during this week, the Busy Bees will buzz on the porch, where the large crowd will make their purchases and enjoy a delightful social evening.

Entertains at Party For Little Five-Year-Old

Mrs. John C. Orr, 1933 North Third street, entertained at a clever little party yesterday afternoon at her home for the birthday of her daughter, Miss Betty Orr, who celebrated her fifth birthday anniversary.

The children enjoyed a merry time playing all sorts of regular party games and various contests. The prize winners were: Shirley Brinsler, who won the donkey contest, and Beatrice O'Brien, who won the guessing contest.

Following their play the little folks were served a dainty luncheon in pink and white effects with an arrangement of silver, a white dragon, toy balloons and noise-making toys were drawn from a huge parasol suspended invertedly to the center of the table by ribbons radiating to each little guest's place. Fifteen small boys and girls attended the good time party.

Mackert-Bell Wedding Just Announced Today

It was announced to-day that the marriage of Miss Mary Bell, of South Eighteenth street, to Clyde F. Mackert, of Sunbury, was a quiet affair on Friday, July 5, at the parsonage of the Fourth Reformed Church, this city, with the pastor, the Rev. Homer S. May officiating. The attendants were Dr. Charles F. Keim, of this city, and his brother.

The bridegroom is one of the Mackert brothers, eldest of a family of five, with the Chicago Federals awhile and starred in the Susquehanna and Southern baseball leagues. His brother, Clyde Mackert, is an old-time football player, while another brother, "Nixie," was captain of the Lebanon Valley College football team, where he played a star football game. The new bridegroom was one of the best football players on the Sunbury High School team.

MOODY-KNULL MARRIAGE

The marriage of Miss Luna Mae Knull to Joseph D. Moody, of this city, was a quiet event of Monday evening, July 9, at the bride's home, 1340 Cowden street, with the Rev. Joseph Daugherty, of the Sixth Street United Brethren Church. The bridegroom, a member of the Supply Company of the Eighth Regiment, N. G. P., leaves for the Mount Getzina training camp July 15.

TRIP TO NEW ENGLAND

Mr. and Mrs. C. Floyd Hopkins, with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clayton, Charles Clayton, Jr., and Miss Eva Guiles left a few days ago for an extended automobile trip, including points of interest in New England and Canada.

ENGLISH VISITOR HERE

Lowell Cartwright, assistant wireless operator of the City of Lockport, of the English Navy, is spending some time with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Cartwright, of 1212 North Third street. Mr. Cartwright is awaiting a summons from the English government to sail from New York harbor within a short time. On their return to England they will take the ship with them. Mr. Cartwright is a native of Birmingham, England.

GUESTS AT CARDS

Mrs. James Edward Dickinson, of 226 North Second street, entertained the following ladies yesterday afternoon at cards, in the Civic Clubhouse: Mrs. Frank L. Cook, Mrs. Andrew E. Buchanan, Mrs. Elsie V. Middleton, Mrs. George A. Gorzas, Mrs. Edward F. Dunlap, Mrs. M. G. Kinnehl, Mrs. Mabel Cronise Jones, Mrs. James B. Mesereau and Mrs. V. Lorne Hummel.

LUNCHEON ON PORCH

Mrs. Luther Robertson, of Baltimore, was honor guest this afternoon at a porchparty given by Miss Grace K. Williston, of North Third street, whom she is visiting. There were twelve guests who enjoyed sewing and chat after the luncheon, with appointments of yellow and white.

WEEK AT JUNIATA BRIDGE

Miss Alice Musgrove, Miss Sara M. Hamer and Robert Hamer, of Second and Herr streets, and Miss Mildred Schofield, of this city, are spending a week at idyllic cottages at Juniata Bridge, where they are entertaining their friends at houseparties and other various events that are features of country life.

Miss Katherine Sweeney, of 1 South East street, and Miss Julia Zudrell, of North Seventeenth street, are visiting in Philadelphia.

John Burns, of 317 Burchfield street, is spending some time in Syracuse, New York.

Edward Saylor, of York, spent yesterday in this city.

Miss Irene Quinn has returned to her home in New York city, after visiting friends in this city and Dr. and Mrs. Fraelich, of Mt. Holly.

LLOYD GEORGE'S DAUGHTER AND HER HUSBAND



Captain and Mrs. T. J. Carey Evans, who was Miss Olwen Lloyd George daughter of the premier of Great Britain, are here shown shortly after they were married at the Welsh Baptist Church in London. Captain Evans has won the military cross in action.

BOLD ROBBERY BY FOREIGNERS

Two Mexicans Arrested After Brutally Beating New Cumberland Man at Midnight

New Cumberland, Pa., July 12.—This morning between 12 and 1 o'clock, as Nevin Bomberger was on his way home from the Parthenon restaurant, in Market street, where he is assistant manager, he was accosted by two men, supposed to be foreigners, who asked him to show them the way to Harrisburg along the river. Mr. Bomberger accompanied the men as far as the railroad crossing at Fifth and Water streets, when the men knocked him down, kicked him in the stomach and beat him brutally. They then took his watch and money and ran away. Mr. Bomberger pretended to be unconscious until his assailants departed, when he returned down town and gave the alarm. A good sized crowd gathered at the scene, and the National Guard detail on duty here went in pursuit of the foreigners.

For some time past a number of Mexicans have been camping along the river above town and the posse went to that point to hunt for their men. Two Mexicans were placed under arrest and taken to the borough lockup. Mr. Bomberger's watch and money were found in their possession and recovered.

The men will be given a hearing to-day before Squire Eichinger and will probably be sent to Carlisle jail for court.

Natural History Society Visits Good Hope Mills

The only species of wild cactus to be found north of the Mason and Dixon line, located at Good Hope Mills, near Silver Spring Church, is now in bloom and on Saturday afternoon members of the Harrisburg Natural History Society and others interested will visit that place.

The species of cactus is known as the prickly pear cactus, and is not common anywhere in the state. This region is also inhabited by an abundance of birds, making it a point of interest also.

The party will take the Mechanicville car to Oyster's Point at 1 o'clock, and thence by auto truck.

RETURNS TO CAMP

Jesse Z. Daron, of Company F, Thirteenth Regiment, of the United States Guards, has resumed his duties at Fort Mankunch, where his company is doing guard duty, in abeyance to the Federal summons to military service in France, after a thirty-six hours' visit with his parents and friends.

GUESTS FROM ALABAMA

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Beckley, of Birmingham, Ala., have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Beckley, at 408 South Thirteenth street, for ten days. Mr. Beckley started yesterday on the return trip to Alabama, while Mrs. Beckley will remain north for several more weeks.

VISIT ARMY ENCAMPMENT

Colonel Hobart K. Bailey, U. S. A., retired, of Bridgeton, N. J., A. E. McCreath and Mr. and Mrs. Leasley McCreath, motored to Gettysburg on Tuesday, where they visited the army encampment.

CLOSED EVENINGS

During The Months Of JULY and AUGUST Shop Closed at 6 P. M. Fall Opening As Usual ANNA L. WALKER YOUR HAT SHOP MECHANICSBURG, PA.

ITALY ASSURED OF U. S. HELP

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TOURING THE WEST

Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert J. Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. William B. Hartman are enjoying a fortnight's tour of the west in the Townsend car. They will make stops at Pittsburgh, Chicago, Galesburg, Ill., Indianapolis, Ind., and places of interest in the various states crossed.

Semi-Annual Optical Sale Now Going On

Gives New Value to a Dollar At a time now, when, because of the war, prices on optical goods have almost doubled, Rubin & Rubin offer their semi-annual optical sale with extraordinary reductions on optical goods. This we are able to do because of our large output.

Take Care of Your Eyes Now

During This Sale Only Gold filled Riding Bows. Lenses included for near or far. Regular \$2.50. Gold filled Straights. Lenses included for near or far. Regular \$2.50. Sale, \$1.00. Gold filled Nose Pieces. Guaranteed 10 years. Regular \$3.00. Sale, \$1.00. Gold filled Chains. Regular \$2.00. Sale, \$1.00. Adjustable Nose Glasses. Guaranteed 10 years. Including lenses for near or far. Regular \$3.50. Sale, \$1.00. Eyes Examined. No Drops Used.

Rubin & Rubin

Harrisburg's Leading Eyeglass Specialist. 320 MARKET STREET. Open Wednesday and Saturday Evenings. Over The Hub. Bell, 2020-W

CRANE-RUFF MARRIAGE Miss Sadie R. Rupp, 13 South Seventeenth street, and Richard L. Crane, an employe of the Pennsylvania Railroad, announce their marriage Wednesday, July 11, at the parsonage of the Grace Lutheran Church, Baltimore, Md., by the pastor, the Rev. E. Byers. Mr. and Mrs. Crane reside in this city.

WITMER, BAIR and WITMER Walnut Near Second

SUMMER BUSINESS HOURS 8.30 to 5 P. M., except Saturday at 9 P. M. Thursday Half Holiday.

Our Famous Discount Sale For Ten Days Only

Beginning Friday, July 13th and ending Tuesday, July 24th, Inclusive

EVERY GARMENT IN THE HOUSE — REGULAR AND REDUCED — SUBJECT TO DISCOUNT.

During the last ten days we have cleaned the stock of all odds and ends so you can expect to see a clean, well balanced and desirable stock of seasonal merchandise.

No Approvals — No Exchanges — Nothing Laid Away During the Discount Sale.

20% Discount on all Cloth Suits Serge Dresses Cloth Skirts Mixed Suits Cloth Coats Tweed Coats

15% Discount on all Dark Silk Dresses Tyrol Wool Suits Wool Jersey Coats Silk Suits Silk Coats Silk Top Skirts Summer Dresses

10% Discount on all Wash Skirts Sweaters Bathing Suits Petticoats Waists Summer Furs White and Light Colored Georgette and Crepe de Chine Dresses

WITMER, BAIR and WITMER

Week-End Piano Opportunities At Troup's

Every week-end we offer piano buyers opportunities so extraordinary that a single announcement is usually sufficient to dispose of our stock.

This week-end special offer is, we believe, one of the most attractive yet made, and should claim the immediate attention of those interested. It includes:

Used Upright Pianos that have been completely rebuilt—at \$80

New Upright Pianos that for various reasons have been reduced to \$220

New and Used Player-Pianos All 88-note. Prices on these start at \$335

Others at \$365 and up. Bench, scarf and 36 Music Rolls FREE. Terms as low as \$8 monthly.

If you want a piano for the children or a player-piano for all the family—see these bargains tomorrow or Saturday.

Victrolas \$15 to \$250 on Club Terms

J. H. TROUP Music House Troup Building 15 S. Market Square

You Are Invited to Attend the Demonstration of the DUPLEX FIRELESS STOVE

All This Week Mrs. Ratliff, Domestic Science teacher, will demonstrate the Duplex Fireless Stove all this week at Rothert's.

Friday Afternoon 2 to 4 Mrs. Ratliff will demonstrate the Fireless Stove with ROAST CHICKEN and HOT BISCUITS

Learn about this money and time saving Fireless Stove.

Credit on Liberal Terms 312 Market St. Furniture Carpets Stoves



ROTHERT'S Furniture Carpets Stoves

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