

# PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS

## CAMP TO INSTALL THEIR OFFICERS

P. O. S. of A. Will Hold Public Meeting Tomorrow Evening in Penbrook

District President George Hohenchildt will hold a public installation at Penbrook on Friday evening, instituting a new camp of the P. O. S. of A. The new officers of the camp are: Past president, J. S. Kramer; president, William Brighton; vice-president, John H. Shenk; master of forms, E. A. Hollenbaugh; recording secretary, William D. Garverich; financial secretary, T. M. Bleyer; treasurer, S. G. Snoddy; conductor, J. H. Troup; inspector, C. W. Shindler; guard, M. D. Smith; trustees, Joe E. Shenk, 6 months; O. E. Wagner, 12 months; A. E. McGarvey, 18 months; State delegate, Luther D. Shoop; alternate, J. E. Shenk; chaplain, W. E. Hartzell; right sentinel, P. D. Shenk; left sentinel, J. C. Reichert; assistant secretary, George L. Hoeker. The camp will be started with sixty members. Major R. A. Dill has ordered the members of Company B and Company E, of the Pennsylvania Reserves, to be present in uniform and all members of the order are invited to attend. The degree team of Washington Camp No. 3 has been invited to do the degree work.

## Cards and Greetings For Miss Jane Long

There was a much surprised woman at 210 Herr street this morning when the postman made his first call, leaving cards of greetings and gifts for Miss Jane Long, who had no idea that anyone knew it was her birthday.

Miss Jane, who has a host of friends throughout the city, was born in York county, coming here to live when but a girl of eleven. She had made her home here ever since, and that is over seventy-five years ago, so the folks say, but Miss Jane just laughs and will not tell. She is a charter member of the Fourth Street Church of God, where she is a member of Col. H. C. Denning's class, and has an unbroken record of thirty-five years attendance, which is most unusual and hard to beat. Miss Jane is in excellent health and able to do her own marketing and house work just as in her younger days.

## Miss Boyer Is Hostess to the Girls of C. A. O.

Miss Romayne Boyer, of 268 Boas street, entertained the C. A. O. Club, Class 1217, Central High School, yesterday afternoon at a party at her home. Refreshments were served to the following members: Miss Getha High, Miss Helen Wall, Miss Gertrude Weston, Miss Alice Schwab, Miss Katherine Kelley, Miss Margaret Landis, Miss Louise Johnson, Miss Mary Alma Allin and Miss Romayne Boyer.

## TRINITY LUTHERAN PICNIC ENJOYED BY LARGE CROWD

The annual picnic of Trinity Lutheran Sunday School was held Tuesday at Rolling Springs Park. A large crowd attended and enjoyed the program, the feature of which was the ball game between the Married and Single Women, the Single Women coming out the victor by the score of 10 to 5. The Single Men also gave the Married Men a drubbing to the tune of 19 to 5. Willis F. Guyer, of Philadelphia, was in town for several days enroute to Columbus, Ohio, where he will remain for a month among relatives.

## Mrs. Willis Entertains Sewing Club at Perdix

Mrs. C. D. Willis entertained the ladies of an embroidery club of which she is a member at her cottage Elkton, at Perdix, yesterday. The honor guests at a few personal friends spent a delightful day in the country with a dinner served on the porch. Those enjoying Mrs. Willis' hospitality were: Mrs. Belle Lawson, Mrs. D. C. Deen, Miss Maria York, Miss Lois York, Mrs. Frederick H. Marsh, Mrs. Garner, Mrs. C. L. Scott, Mrs. Henry Bickel, Mrs. B. T. Allen, Miss Jean Allan, Miss Edna McCormick, Mrs. Emma Tract and the Misses Mary and Katherine Ellis, of Johnstown.

## CHICKENPOX PREVENTS INDUSTRIAL HOME RECEPTION

There are six cases of chickenpox among the youngsters in the Children's Industrial Home, Nineteenth and Swatara streets, and the place is under quarantine. Because of this there will be no reception here Saturday for the parents and friends of the children, as has been announced, and later when the quarantine is lifted this special event will be held.

## CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Miss Bertha L. Whisler, of Paxtang, was hostess last evening for a number of friends at an informal party in celebration of her eleventh birthday. Twenty-four boys and girls spent a merry time with games, music and refreshments. The little hostess received many lovely gifts and a shower of good wishes from her numerous friends.

John B. Wright, of Jonestown, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Warlow, of 41 North Seventeenth street. Miss Lona R. Shaw, of 1331 Park street, has returned from Lancaster, where she spent a week with Miss Mary.

Miss Alice Wright, of 442 Cumberland street, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Wright, has returned to the Methodist Hospital, Philadelphia, where she is training after spending a two weeks' vacation with her parents.

William E. Beckley, of Herr street, is home after visiting her parents at Donnelly's Mills for several days. Mrs. Robert F. Hazen and small daughter, Jeanette Hazen, returned to Cleveland, Ohio, this morning after a little visit with relatives in the West End.

Kenneth Gardner went to New York this morning to remain for a fortnight and take in the sights of the city and its famous resorts. Frank K. Binnix, of Baltimore, a former Harrisburger, spent yesterday with his sister, Mrs. John H. Scott, 1219 North Second street.

Miss Norma Sutton and Miss Clarice Sutton left for Atlantic City this morning where they will stay for two weeks.

## Patriotic Rally Is to Be Held at Rife

Rife, Pa., July 26.—Under the auspices of the Elks Club, Eight Week Club of this place, a patriotic rally will be held here Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The speakers will be County Recorder James E. Lentz, representing the Red Cross; the Rev. H. Miller Killinger and the Rev. S. L. Rhoads, Elizabethville. There will be a solo, "Guard the Flag," by Miss Myrtle Herrold; recitation, Miss Marie Deveny. The music will be by the Elizabethville Citizens Band. Refreshments will be served and the proceeds will be for the benefit of the Red Cross Auxiliary of Elizabethville. Children have been requested to attend early to participate in games.

The picnicers included Miss Esther Arch, Miss Lillian Sherman, Miss Henrietta Adams, Miss Ann Micholwitz, Miss Bessie Micholwitz, Miss Levinstone, of Rochester, N. Y.; Miss Abrams, of York; Miss Elva Cramer, Miss Cramer and Miss Frances Latt, of Shamokin.

Miss Jean Gamber, North Fourth street, is home after a visit in New York city. Miss Marian Musser, of Lancaster, is visiting friends here. Miss Mary Weilm, of 1706 Green street, is home after visiting in Hadonfield, N. J.

Miss Frances Latt, of Shamokin, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Arch, of Kunkle and Cowden streets, will leave Sunday for her home in Shamokin.

Harold East, of 27 North Seventeenth street, has returned from Harvey's Lake and Williamsport, where he spent several weeks. Judge and Mrs. George Kunkel and daughter, Miss Cecelia Kunkel, of Front and Liberty streets, are spending several weeks in Cape May, N. J., where they are registered at the Hotel Chalfont.

Miss Claire Foster, of Northampton, Mass., is the guest of Miss Mary Sponser, 105 Chestnut street. Mr. and Mrs. David Kaufman and son Joseph, of 1728 North Second street, are on a motor trip to Philadelphia, New York, Saratoga Springs and Camp Idelwood, on Lake Schuoon, where their son Herbert is spending the summer.

Miss Christine Fleisher, of 1500 State street, is visiting in Pottsville. Mr. Richwine and daughter, Miss Ruth Richwine, of 821 North Sixth street, are spending some time in Maryland.

Mrs. C. C. Courtman, of 17 North Fifteenth street, is visiting in Hershey.

## Walk Through Country After Supper on Lawn

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eckbert, of Willow Farms, entertained a supper party of twenty last evening at their home. The event was held on the lawn and was in honor of the Misses Belle and Sara Mather, of Cincinnati, who are spending the summer in this vicinity.

After the feast, which ended with watermelon, the young people started out in the country with a dinner served on the porch. Those enjoying Mrs. Willis' hospitality were: Mrs. Belle Lawson, Mrs. D. C. Deen, Miss Maria York, Miss Lois York, Mrs. Frederick H. Marsh, Mrs. Garner, Mrs. C. L. Scott, Mrs. Henry Bickel, Mrs. B. T. Allen, Miss Jean Allan, Miss Edna McCormick, Mrs. Emma Tract and the Misses Mary and Katherine Ellis, of Johnstown.

## TRIP TO COLUMBIA

Paul Fisher, of 266 Susquehanna avenue, Enola, and Earl Smith, of 1009 North Third street, left this morning for Columbia to spend the week-end with the latter's mother, Mrs. Elsie Yohe, of that place.

## ARRIVE IN CALCUTTA

Mr. and Mrs. William Kimmel, of Second and Herr streets, have just received a cablegram from their daughter, Mrs. Vernon Workman, announcing the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Workman at Calcutta, India. They will locate at Sikahi, India, 150 miles from Calcutta, where Mr. Workman will be in charge of the steel plant in the interests of the T. A. Steel Company.

## PICNIC AT JUNIATA BRIDGE

The members of Geystone Division, No. 47, Ladies' Auxiliary to the Order of Railway Conductors, will hold their annual picnic Thursday, August 2, at the cottage of Miss Snyder, Juniata Bridge. It is expected there will be a full attendance and a pleasant day is anticipated.

Miss Marie Arendt, formerly of this city and Lebanon, now a resident of Erie, Pa., is a guest of relatives in this city. Miss Judith Lee Dismukes, of 1015 North Front street, entertained six young ladies at a visiting school classmate, yesterday at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lester and son, Wilbur F. Lester, have gone home annually at Calcutta, India, to stay with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Klunberly, of State street. Walter H. Winston, of Pittsburgh, is in town on a short stay with his sister, Mrs. Ralph K. White, of Cumberland street.

## CLASS OUTING IN PARK

The following people attended the outing yesterday afternoon of Mrs. Emily E. Miller's Sunday school class at the Methodist Church, held in Reservoir Park: Mrs. John Johnson, Miss Silk, of Dundaff; Mrs. Edward McClintock, Mrs. Sydney Stole, Mrs. Charles Naughton, Miss Martha Monroe, Miss Edna Gratzler, Miss Jessie Kishpaugh, Miss Adeline Greathead and Miss Carrie Baskins.

Miss Sara Eisenberg, of New Cumberland, will motor to Eaglesmere over the week-end, where she will spend some time at the Forest Inn. Joseph Passia, of Philadelphia, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wall, of 27 North Fifteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. George K. Keet and son, George K. Keet, Jr., of 268 Boas street, are registered at the Hotel Strand during their several weeks in Atlantic City.

Miss Helen Arch and Miss Blanche Pruss, of Boas street, motored to Lancaster to-day.

## LEAVE FOR THE SEASHORE

Miss Evelyn Joyce and Miss Mary Joyce, representing the Red Cross, and Miss Wall, of North Fifteenth street, and Miss Mary Black, of Hummel street, will leave Saturday for a fortnight's stay in Atlantic City.

## PARTY OF YOUNG FOLKS ENJOY OUTING AT HERSHEY

A party of girls held an outing at Hershey Park this afternoon. Tennis, boating, bathing and a delightful supper were enjoyed in truly picnic fashion were enjoyed.

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## BERLIN'S DREAM NOW SHATTERED

(Continued From First Page.) all types who have fought with the German forces on land and sea and in the air. These may be summarized as follows: To Hold Out Germany having held out thus far, she is prepared to hold out to the end. The economic situation in Germany is not as bad as it has been represented, either by the belligerent or neutral press. Contrary to reports, there is no visible shortage of materials actually needed for the prosecution of the war.

America's entry into the war will prolong rather than shorten it. The United States being essentially a commercial nation, she cannot make her great man-power felt soon enough to change the course of events. The submarines are doing all that was expected of them.

Unconcerned at United States There is a surprising lack of concern manifested by the prisoners of the United States being arrayed against their country. The correspondent was allowed to mingle with them freely, at times with any of the British officials in charge of the camp being present. A young German airman who was brought down recently by Dover and who exhibited an iron cross which he said he had won for many daring feats over the Anglo-French lines, seemed to express the view of the more intelligent class of prisoners by asserting there had been "so many declarations of war against Germany when the United States came in that any more did not matter. Asked whether it would surprise the German people if the United States should actually place 1,000,000 men in France within a year, the airman smiled as one amused and replied: "I would like to see them there first."

A tall, distinguished looking fellow who had been a prisoner since the battle of the Marne, and who said he was formerly a lawyer in Bavaria, expressed the belief that the war would undoubtedly result in giving the German people a more democratic form of government. He doubted, however, whether any attempt to remove the emperor would succeed. Germany, he said, was so accustomed to an imperial head that he did not think it would be advisable for her to follow Russia's example. Others, including a former chemist, a government official from West Africa and a young man who said he had been a professor of English in a German university, suggested to them.

Three Prussian youths who were taken prisoners by the British in the recent Mesines push were believed to have represented the attitude of the peasant classes when they asserted that they did not even know the United States had entered the war. They were each 20 years old and had been called to the colors a year ago. They had received nine months' training prior to being sent to the front.

AT OFFICERS' CAMP Richard Bright, of Scranton, was the guest of Harold Fast, 27 North Seventeenth street, enroute to the officers' training camp at Fort Niagara, N. Y., where he has enlisted for military service. Mr. Bright, a college friend of Mr. Fast's, is a graduate of this year's class at State College and member of the Delta Epsilon Fraternity.

Miss Irene Diersert, of Mechanicsburg, has returned after a motor trip to Atlantic City for a vacation. Walter Forrey, of South Seventeenth street, is home after a pleasant trip to Atlantic City.

## CHESTER QUIET AFTER RIOTING

(Continued From First Page.) negroes, who were goaded to the act by two negroes. He was slain in a few feet of his home while his sister stood on the porch. Victims in Hospital The men shot last night, who are in the Chester Hospital, are: John Rich, broken nose, shot in chest and right thigh. Joseph Vievecto, shot in arms, chest and right thigh. Andrew Romanski, shot in right hip. Weyman LaRue, colored, shot in right hip. John Riddin and Mayberry Hackett, colored, were badly hurt by being hit by bricks. They also are in the hospital. Order was restored after Companies B and C of the Sixth Pennsylvania Infantry and state police reinforced the thirty-five Chester police.

Saloons Closed While the fighting was at its height Mayor McDowell ordered the saloons in Chester closed. They reopened this morning. The killing of McKinney was the second slaying of a white man in Chester within a month. There has been a series of holdups by negroes in the same period and recently a white girl was torn from her escort, but was rescued before she was harmed.

All these incidents served to stir racial animosity, especially as hundreds of negroes have flocked to Chester from the South. Soldiers on Guard Mayor McDowell said he was confident serious trouble had been nipped in the bud. Sufficient city police, soldiers and state police would be on duty to-night, he said, to prevent a renewal of the fighting. "The outbreak only emphasizes the fact that Chester has not sufficient police protection," he said. "Chester has a population of 80,000, with a police force of only 44. Some of our men are on vacations or are absent because of illness. Although within a year and a half our population has increased from 40,000, the police force was raised from only thirty-one to forty-four."

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## Sec. Baker Denies Officers Have Commented on War

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## Witmer, Bair and Witmer FRIDAY BARGAINS

OPEN 8.30 A. M. CLOSE AT 5 P. M.  
60 Fine Summer Dresses—All sizes, white, neat or elaborate color combinations—a few good linens, blue, rose, etc. All new. \$10.00, \$12.50, \$13.75, \$15.00, \$17.50 to \$21.00

For Friday Bargain 1/4 Less 25%  
20 Fine Silk Dress Skirts—Stripes and figured—dark or light—few plain outer white; fine pongee; assorted prices. \$5.95, \$10.00, \$13.75, \$15.00, \$17.50 to \$21.50

For Friday Bargain—25% or 1/4 Less  
41 Wash Skirts; large coin dot; Paisley design; black and white stripes; fine quality Gabardine; all sizes; large and small. \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.75  
Big Friday Bargain; Your Choice, \$1.00

- 1 Hello LaJezr Silk Suit—very fine, size 36. \$45.50 reduced to \$27.50. Now Special.
  - 1 Oyster White Extra Fine Silk Punjab Suit, size 40. \$42.50 reduced to \$27.50. Now Special.
  - 1 Natural Extra Fine Silk Punjab Suit, size 40. \$41.50 reduced to \$27.50. Now Special.
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  - 1 Navy Taffeta Silk Coat Dress, size 36, tan collar and cuffs and silk embroidery. \$34.50 reduced to \$24.50. Now Special.
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