

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS OF INTENSE INTEREST

INFORMAL DANCE FOR YOUNGER SET

Many Little Social Diversions Are Planned For School Girls and Boys

Many dances are being given these days for the younger boys and girls who are home for the holidays.

The first little informal dance given this week was that of Miss Nelle Powell Payne, of 1901 North Front street, a student at the Mary Lyon school, who is spending the Christmas recess with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Payne.

Among the guests were: Miss Winifred Meyers, Miss Cecelia Kunkel, Miss Betty Oenslager, Miss Susanna Maguire, Miss Alice Lesure, Miss Lydia Kunkel, Miss Annette Allert Bailey, Miss Alice Virginia Cooper, Miss Mary Cooper, Miss Alice Bentley, William Meyers, Frederick Stone, John Lesure, Lewis Kunkel, Richard Carvel, of Swarthmore; Dwight Luddington, James Mersereau, Kirk Galbraith, Edwin Brown, Alger Bailey and William McCaleb.

This evening Miss Cecelia Kunkel, of 601 North Front street, will be hostess for a few friends at an informal dance at her home.

To-morrow evening Theodora Sangree Kauffman, of 130 Evergreen street, will be hostess at a dance at the Civic Club in honor of Miss Martha Ann Wilson, of New York city, a student at Hood College, Frederick, Md., who is visiting her over the holidays. The invitation list includes about ninety guests. The Mannix Banjo Orchestra of this city, will furnish the music and Rutherford will cater.

With the Junior Aids Saturday evening the Junior Aid Society will give a dance in the Civic Club, which many of the younger boys and girls will attend as well as their parents and older friends.

The committees in charge of the dance include: General arrangements, Miss Annette Alger Kunkel, the president; Miss Margaret Davis, vice-president; Miss Honore Patton, treasurer; and Miss Sarah Ball, secretary. Flower committee, Miss Alice Lesure, chairman; Miss Winifred Meyers, Miss Nelle Payne, Miss Lydia Kunkel and Miss Cecelia Kunkel. Smoke committee, Miss Alice Bentley and Miss Elizabeth P. Harris. Refreshment committee, Miss Mary Hale, chairman; Miss Helena Martin, Miss Elizabeth Hillery, Miss Katherine Rutherford and Miss Louise A. Hickok.

Among the events scheduled for next week are a dance at the Civic Club Monday, December 31, with Miss Honore Patton as hostess and an informal dance to be given by Miss Winifred Meyers the evening of New Year's Day for a number of her friends at her home, 213 North Front street.

The Governor and Mrs. Brumbaugh, with their guests Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brumbaugh and Miss Mabel Brumbaugh of Philadelphia, have gone to their home in Germantown for the remainder of the week. William Bell and Richard Bell of Philadelphia, are the guests of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Heckert, 435 Reilly street. Miss Morris Baturin and Miss Hilda Baturin of 815 North 17th street are the guests of Mrs. Mary Kantor, in Baltimore.

WEDDING TODAY AT TWILIGHT

Kauffman-Ulrich Ceremony in the Derry Street U. B. Church

One of the prettiest weddings of the season took place at 5 o'clock this afternoon in the Derry Street U. B. Church when Miss Mary Stella Ulrich was married to Mervyn Parker Kauffman, son of Mrs. Ellen Kauffman, of East Berlin. The ring ceremony was used, with the Rev. Harry E. Ulrich, brother of the bride officiating. The Rev. J. A. Lyter, pastor of the Derry Street U. B. Church.

Preceding the ceremony an organ recital was given by Miss Rhoda Desenburger. "To a Wild Rose" was played during the ceremony. The church was beautifully decorated with palms, ferns and poinsettias.

Miss Ulrich, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick S. Ulrich, 1525 Derry street, was given in marriage by her father. She wore a stunning gown of crepe de chine and point lace, with a veil of old lace. Her shower bouquet was of bride roses, ferns and poinsettias.

Miss Elizabeth Kathleen Wilson, as maid of honor, wore a lovely gown of peacock blue taffeta and carried a bouquet of pink Maribou roses. Frederick B. Kieckner, of this city, acted as best man. Little Miss Mary Ellen Graybill, niece of the bridegroom, was charming in a frock of lace and ribbon. She carried a gift basket and scattered sweetheart rosebuds along the way.

The ushers were: John B. Lyter, of Dayton, O.; Thomas Lyter, a senior at Princeton Seminary, and Dr. H. E. Gensler, state analyst.

After the ceremony a luncheon was served to the wedding party at the home of the bride. The out-of-town guests included: Mr. and Mrs. John Hartman, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jacobs, Pittsburgh; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Eare, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Irvin Tockefellow and Miss Emma Kresson, Forest Grove; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pense, Mechanicsburg; the Rev. and Mrs. William Steekel, Doylestown, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dodd, Long Island; Earl Kauffman, Wilmington, Del.; and Mrs. Ellen Kauffman, East Berlin, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Fisher, of 619 Schuykill street, announce the birth of a daughter, Virginia May Fisher, Monday, December 24, 1917.

Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Smith announce the birth of a son, Arthur David Funk, Monday, December 24, 1917. Mrs. Funk was Miss Goldie Wertz prior to her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Matter, of 1426 Derry street, announce the birth of a son, Vance Lorraine Matter, Tuesday, December 25, 1917. Mrs. Matter was Miss Helen Albert prior to her marriage.

MILITARY DRILL VERY WELL DONE

Motor Messengers Show Expert Teaching in Their Drill Followed by a Dance

The military drill and dance given by the Motor Messenger Service of the local Red Cross chapter, was a brilliant success. The affair was held in Winterdale Hall, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion. A military drill and setting up exercise was given by the Motor Messengers, followed by a flag drill.

The drill was especially good, the messengers breaking and joining ranks in perfect time. The good tutelage of Captain William I. Lauenstein was seen in the work of the messengers. Mrs. V. Lorne Hummel, captain of the service, marched with a large American flag to the center of the room, and the orchestra played the National Anthem. The entire assemblage arose, and the messengers saluted, standing at attention until the last strains of the anthem had died away. Christmas decorations were in evidence at the side of the floor and on the walls. American flags and banners of the Allied Nations covered the walls, while Christmas wreaths and big red bells formed an attractive holiday atmosphere.

A number of members of the aviation corps at Middletown, and representatives of the regular army. The patronesses were: Mrs. Martin G. Brumbaugh, Mrs. Marlin E. Olmstead, Mrs. Lydian D. Gilbert, Mrs. Charles Ryder, and Miss Anne McCormick. Music was furnished by the Updegrave Orchestra.

The members of the Motor Messengers are: Mrs. Albert Allen, Miss Rosayne Boyer, Miss Elinor Cope, Miss Mary Creighton, Miss Myra E. Eby, Miss Katherine Gorzas, Miss Helen Gunnert, Miss Kathrine Hart, Miss Almeda Herman, Mrs. George Heisey, Miss Elizabeth Koons, Mrs. V. L. Hummel, Miss Jane MacDonald, Miss Louella Scott, Miss Julia Stamm, Miss Ruth Stary, Mrs. C. H. Sauer.

VOGEL-MACMAHON BRIDAL The marriage of Miss Mary J. MacMahon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. MacMahon, 1435 North Third street to Leo Vogel of Reading, took place yesterday morning at 8 o'clock in St. Patrick's Cathedral with the Rev. Father Carey officiating. A wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride following the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Vogel will reside in Philadelphia, after January 5, Mr. Vogel holding a government position there.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Vance, of North Sixth street, are home from New York, where they visited over Christmas.

Miss Elizabeth Allen, of Maine, who is spending the winter with the Governor and Mrs. Brumbaugh at the Executive Mansion, is in New York for the holidays. Mrs. Daniel Hartman Hastings and Miss Sarah F. Hastings, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ross A. Williams, State street, left for their home, in Bellefonte, this morning.

Miss Ruth Scheffer of 1329 North Second street spent the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. H. G. Trimmer in Pittsburgh.

HOLIDAY BRIDALS FOR ONE PASTOR

The Rev. Joseph Daugherty, of Sixth Street U. B. Church, Unites Three Couples

Miss Mamie Esther Paul, of this city and Arthur Henry Schottfuss, of Philadelphia, daughter of the Rev. Joseph Daugherty, were united in marriage Saturday evening, December 22, at 8 o'clock at the parsonage of the Sixth Street United Brethren Church by the pastor, the Rev. Joseph Daugherty. They will make their home in Philadelphia.

Aunt-Morris Miss Ivy Albin Morris and Harry Milton Auxt, both of this city, were married Monday evening, December 24, at 6:30 o'clock, at the parsonage of the Sixth Street United Brethren Church by the Rev. Joseph Daugherty. They will reside at Paxtang.

Reynolds-Blosser The marriage of Miss Anna Evelyn Blosser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Blosser, 627 Oxford street and George Reynolds, of 644 Geary street, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon at 8 o'clock in the Sixth Street United Brethren Church with the pastor, the Rev. Joseph Daugherty officiating, with the ring service. In attendance were Mrs. Susan Stine, Mrs. U. S. G. Broomall, Mrs. David Ryan, Mr. Mackintosh and Mrs. George Blosser, mother of the bride. The Rev. John Henry played a beautiful wedding march throughout the ceremony.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds are members of the Sixth Street Church and Mr. Reynolds is a member of the choir and teacher in the Sunday school. For the present they will reside with the bride's parents, and on April 1 will occupy their own home, corner Reel and Schuykill streets.

VISITING AT BELLEVUE PARK. Attorney J. S. Shirley, of Clarion, Miss Frances Shirley of Muncie, Miss Elizabeth Shirley of Sewickley, Miss Anna Katharine Shirley of the Shipley school, Bryn Mawr, and Charles Shirley of the Marine Corps camp Quantico, Va., are spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John T. Shirley of Bellevue Park.

PAGER BOYS HOME Charles, Valentine and Robert Peger, sons of Dr. and Mrs. V. Hummel, 419 North Second street, all students of the University of Pennsylvania, are spending the Christmas holidays at their home, here.

PORTER HARRIS IN FRANCE Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Porter Harris, 221 North Second street, have just received a cablegram from their son, James Porter Harris, who is with the First Depot Battalion, U. S. Signal Corps, in France. Mr. Porter Harris was a State College senior at the time of his enlistment.

CAPTAIN ERICKSON HERE Captain John Erickson, U. S. R., formerly of this city, was the guest of Henderson Gilbert, Harris and Mrs. Shirley of Sewickley, left yesterday for Des Moines, Iowa, where he has been assigned to temporary duty by the Ordnance Department.

INFORMAL LUNCHEON Miss Kathleen Carson, of Penn street, gave a charming luncheon this afternoon in honor of her guests, the Misses Clara and Bertha Hitey of Baltimore. The appointments were green and white with brilliant scarlet poinsettias. The suggestions of Yuletide. There were ten young girls in attendance, who enjoyed music and knitting after luncheon.

WED BY ALDERMAN Miss Adeline Adams and Oscar Walker, both of this city, were quietly married yesterday morning, at 11 o'clock by Alderman Shane at his offices.

MARRIED IN DETROIT Mrs. T. C. Hoppel, of 439 Herr street, announces the marriage of her sister, Miss Ethel B. Hoppel, to Mr. F. M. Lappo, of Renovo, Saturday, December 1, in Detroit, Mich. The young couple will make their home in Detroit, where Mr. Lappo is in business.

AT EDUCATIONAL MEETING Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Meck, of 559 Woodbine street, are in Johnson town this week where they are attending the sessions of the State Educational Association. They are registered at the Fort Stanwix Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stern, of 412 Briggs street, are spending the holidays among relatives in Baltimore. Mr. and Mrs. George W. Heisey, of Pittsburgh, were recent guests of their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Young, of Greentown.

Mrs. Sara R. Coover and her son, Richard Coover, of Camp Hancock, are home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. William VanCourtland Brandt, in Pittsburgh.

Miss Honora Patton, 604 North Third street, will entertain at a dance New Year's Eve at the Civic Club.

Lewis S. Kunkel, son of Dr. and Mrs. George B. Kunkel, is home from the Gilman Country School, Roland Park, Md., for the holiday recess.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles B. Fager, Jr., of North Third street, gave a New Year's fast, Christmas morning, to all their relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fletcher, of Steubenville, Ohio, are guests of old friends in the West End until after New Year's.

Mrs. Frank Ramsey, of The Donaldson, spent Christmas with relatives at Oakton, Philadelphia.

Captain John Spofford Spicer, stationed in Philadelphia, is visiting his family at 278 Peffer street, for the holidays.

Miss Clarabelle Claster, of 801 North Second street, is spending a week in New York City.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bishop, of 1631 Ap-ricot street, is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Chrizm-an in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. William Webster Finney and children, of Swarthmore, Pa., are guests at the McCormick home, Front and Walnut streets.

CHOIR MEMBERS SURPRISE LEADER

Mrs. Charles Barnhardt Honor Guest at an Enjoyable Holiday Event

A delightful surprise party in honor of Mrs. Charles G. Barnhardt, of 1720 1-2 North Third street, leader of the Christian Endeavor choir of Otterbein U. B. Church, was given her by the members of the choir. She was presented with a beautiful ivory set as a token of appreciation of the work she has done for the choir.

The house was gaily decorated with Christmas greens, holly, mistletoe and Norwegian pines. The evening was spent playing games and in music.

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Barnhardt, Mrs. G. Edward Mense, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dinger, Mr. and Mrs. George Seidle, Miss Genevieve Ward, Miss Daisy Seidle, Miss Mary Stambaugh, Miss Catherine Quaid, Miss Marthe Rein, Miss Mildred Marlin, Miss Mary Freed, Miss Margaret Home, Miss Ruth Herr, Miss Belva Dinger, Miss Minerva Barnhardt, Miss Catharine Barnhardt, Carl Miller. Private Harold Wagner of Company K, 4th United States Regulars, at Camp Stewart, Va.; Edward Ward, Robert Ward, Lester Rome and James Kepp, of Youngstown, Ohio; Lester Ormer, Bevan Seidle and Harold Egoff.

College Students Give Vesper Service Program

A college student program has been arranged for the Sunday vesper service at 5 p. m. at the Y. W. C. A. Miss Elizabeth Garner will preside at the meeting. The Moorhead Choral Club will furnish special music.

College girls who are home for the vacations will give two minute addresses on the Y. W. C. A. work in colleges and on general topics. The following girls will represent their colleges: Vassar, Miss Maude Stamm; Marjorie House, Miss Wessely; Miss Lillian Miller; Hood, Miss Ruth Koons; Swarthmore, Miss Atherine Fahnestock; Penn State, Miss Edna Frazier; Bryn Mawr, Miss Elizabeth Hurlock; Goucher, Miss Laura Bretz; Dickinson, Miss Mary Phillips, and Wilson, Miss Lois Fair.

EAST HARRISBURG W. C. T. U. MEETS TOMORROW NIGHT The semi-monthly meeting of the East Harrisburg W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Mary Fackler, 1314 Derry street, to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. Miss Cora Dugan will read a paper on "Child Training; Co-operation Between Parents and Teachers." Current Events will be given by Mrs. Eva Frazier. Reports will be submitted by the superintendents of the various departments.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Strannan, of North Second street, are holiday guests of their daughter, Mrs. Frank Bell, in Chicago.

Miss Pearl Richards and her brother, Louis Richards, have come home from Chicago, after spending a week there among relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor B. Hausknecht, 1804 Walnut street, are spending Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hausknecht, of Hazleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Hoy, of Elmwood, are spending the holidays with Mr. Hoy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hoy, 253 Boas street.

Miss Ruth F. Etter, of 1515 Derry street, was hostess at an informal party the other evening for a number of friends at her home.

Mrs. B. W. Wright and Miss Mabel Wright, of 1 North Fifteenth street, are home after a visit with relatives in Parkersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Heaps and daughter, Miss Kaitie, of the Etter apartments, 1515 Derry street, are spending part of the holidays with relatives in Reading.

Miss Elizabeth Wright, of Annville, a schoolmate of Miss Kaitie, Kelley, at Goucher College, has returned home after a recent visit with Miss Kelly at her home, 1900 North Second street.

Willard Likely to Be Chief of War Munitions Washington, Dec. 27. — DeRitte action by the President for solution of the munitions problems may be expected within a short time, probably immediately after the holidays.

Daniel Willard, former president of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad and now chairman of the War Industries Board, is the man whom the Administration is centering.

Mr. Willard would be given power and responsibilities of an executive officer, and the War Industries Board would not contain its present anomalous position of exercising vast Government functions without real power. There is the growing sentiment, in no way alleviated by the investigations of the Senate Military Affairs Committee, that more efficient munitions policy must be established and maintained if the arteries of war are to flow in a manner essential to success of American forces abroad.

MRS. EMORY MYERS DIES Mechanicsburg, Dec. 27.—Mrs. Susan Emory, wife of Emory Myers, died at her home in West Green street yesterday after a week's illness from heart disease. She had been unwell since Sunday. Mrs. Myers was born at Camp Hill and lived for a time at Hogshead. She moved to Mechanicsburg in 1887 and had since lived at West Green. She was a member of the Church of God. Mrs. Myers was 65 years old and is survived by her husband and six children: Jacob, of Harrisburg; Miss Nell, at home; William Robert Hummel and S. Harper, all of Mechanicsburg; also two brothers, Samuel and Jacob, of Harrisburg. A sister, Mrs. S. S. Crawford, was buried from her home here last Sunday afternoon. Funeral services will be held on Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock at the home, conducted by the Rev. B. L. C. Baer, of the Church of God. Burial in Mechanicsburg cemetery.

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Political Clubs Meet to Elect New Officers

The West End Democratic Association last evening elected Luther F. Ka t president for the coming year. Other officers chosen were: Vice President, William C. McAllicher; secretary, George W. Spith; treasurer, Charles Tuckey; trustees, A. M. Shatto, James K. Hill and Charles Hampton; membership committee, Frank Lester, Percy Hamilton and Henry Schiefer.

By unanimous consent of the government members, the annual banquet has been abandoned, and the money usually spent on the event will be contributed to the Red Cross and Associated Charities.

The West End Republican Club will hold a meeting for the election of officers at the clubhouse, 1410 North third street, this evening at 8 o'clock. The annual reports will be made this evening. The building has been renovated, and a new lighting system installed. The meeting room is refurbished.

POLICE CRITICISE RAILROAD 'DETECTIVES FOR LAXNESS' Charles Robinson, a young negro, arrested by Sergeant Eisenberg on suspicion of larceny, was released yesterday when the police were unable to fasten guilt on him. He was found with \$9.20 in his cap, and some pieces of broken glass, for which he could not account. He said he got the money selling papers. It is now thought the money was stolen from the Red Cross contribution box at the Union News stand in the Pennsylvania Station. Police discharged the colored boy and held the money. They expressed regret that the railroad detectives do not inform them of all robberies within the city limits.

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