

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS OF INTEREST

CARD BENEFIT FOR POLYCLINIC

Ladies' Auxiliary of the Hospital Will Entertain Delightfully on Saturday

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Harrisburg Polyclinic Hospital will give a card benefit on Saturday afternoon, June 1, at the Civic Club, North Front street, for the benefit of the nurses' new home, 1524 North Second street. Many tickets have been sold and a large attendance is expected.

The committee in charge is as follows: Chairman, Mrs. Edward Kirby; Mrs. Robert E. Holmes, Mrs. Gustave F. Koster, Mrs. J. A. Warner, Mrs. R. J. Schuyler, Mrs. H. O. Burnett, Mrs. B. Frank Snavely, Mrs. L. Vernon Fritz, Mrs. H. C. Rineard, Mrs. E. Haegner, Mrs. Ralph P. Essie, Mrs. Alvin I. Miller, Miss Nellie J. Bennett and Mrs. W. Lloyd Grimes.

STORY TELLERS MEET

The annual business meeting of the Harrisburg branch of the Story Tellers League will be held this evening at 7 o'clock, sharp, in the directors' room of the Public Library. Election of officers will precede a brief program, the meeting to disband so that members may attend the lecture this evening in Chestnut Street Auditorium.

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COMMUNITY SONG MOST INSPIRING

Large Gathering Enjoys Old Favorites and Patriotic Numbers Last Evening

About 500 people gathered in the Technical High School auditorium last evening for the first of the song festivals arranged by the Community Singing Committee, singing the old, loved songs under the inspirational direction of Frank A. McCarrell, organist and choirmaster of the Pine Street Presbyterian Church.

The new songs, "Old Favorite Songs" presented by the J. H. Trout Music House, were used, with both music and words, so that part-singing was possible. From the first number, "America" down through "Love's Old Sweet Song," "Massa in the Cold, Cold Ground," "Comin' Through the Rye" and others to the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," with Mrs. Lee S. Izer singing the verses and the audience the choruses, the singers were all with Mr. McCarrell, responding wonderfully well to his magnetic leadership.

The Community orchestra, directed by Dr. Strausbach, opened the program by playing Lachner's "Four Ages of Man" in artistic manner and after had a dozen songs by the audience the Pennsylvania Railroad Men's Glee Club, directed by Ira Behney, spiritedly sang "Marching by Troops," with J. P. Gibson taking the solo parts; "California," with E. H. Gottschall, soloist; "Raus Mit Kaiser," C. N. Jackson and chorus, and in response to hearty applause, "When the Red Dawn is Shining," Walter Gibson, soloist. The Harrisburg Trio, Sara Lerner, violin; LeNora Fry, harp, and Mrs. Zimmerman at the piano, pleased everyone by their interpretation of "Allegro Maestoso," Noberg, and "Marche Solenne," Gounod.

Wellesley College Club Elects in Lancaster

The annual business meeting of the Wellesley College Club of Southern Pennsylvania was held Saturday at the home of the Misses Sener, 233 Charlotte street, Lancaster. The chief business of the afternoon was the reports of various committees and the election of officers. For 1918-19 the officers were: President, Miss Anna Margaret Miller, '14, Harrisburg; vice-president, Miss Florence Holahan, '19, Lancaster; recording secretary, Miss Clarissa Claster, '14, Harrisburg; corresponding secretary-treasurer, Miss Agnes Shand, '14, Lancaster; for 1918-20, the following board was elected: President, Mrs. Edwin M. Hartman, '04, Lancaster; vice-president, Mrs. Raymond Gillespie, '09, Harrisburg; recording secretary, Miss Marjorie Day, '14, Strasburg; corresponding secretary-treasurer, Miss Bessie Kast, '05, Harrisburg; graduate councillor, Miss Anna Sener.

Besides the election of officers, interesting reports were read from all absent members concerning work done by them. In attendance from Harrisburg were Miss Anna Margaret Miller, Mrs. Warren B. Keim and the Misses Bessie and Virginia Kast.

Members of C. A. O. Club to Meet Tomorrow Night

Miss Martha Cresswell, of 208 Harrisburg street, will be hostess for members of the C. A. O. Sorority at her home to-morrow night. The members who will enjoy a cozy evening with knitting, chatting and refreshments include: Miss Helen Wall, Miss Caroline Hahn, Miss Getha High, Miss Romayne Royer, Miss Gertrude Weston, Miss Mary Alma Allen, Miss Evelyn Speckman, Miss Margaret Landis, Miss Margaret Winegard, Miss Alice Schwab and Miss Catherine Simonetti.

DIRECTORS MEET IN CIVIC CLUB

Tablet Markers Are Ordered and Fly Contest Plans Are Rapidly Shaping

An important meeting of the board of directors of the Civic Club was held at the clubhouse yesterday evening. Much interesting business was transacted and reports from the various departments and committees were read.

Miss Eleanor Shunk, chairman of the tablet committee, reported the signing of the contract for two tablets, one of which is to be placed on the outside of the clubhouse and one in the lounge, as memorials to Mr. and Mrs. William Fleming. These tablets, of copper and brass, costing \$800, are to be paid for from the \$1,000 fund left by Mrs. Fleming for that purpose. By a unanimous vote of the board it was decided to invest the remaining \$200 in Liberty Bonds, the interest from which is to be used to keep the tablets in order.

Mrs. Solomon Hince, chairman of the fly-swating committee, reported that 11,000 fly circulars had been printed and distributed among the schoolchildren and the city nurses. It was decided to hold two contests this year, the first in the months of June and July, the second in August and September. In addition to the payment of five cents a pint for dead flies, prizes will be offered to those who turn in the greatest amount.

Mrs. Mabel Cronis, chairman, reported for the program committee that Mrs. William L. Keller, president of the Wednesday Club, has prepared a fine musical program which will be given in the clubhouse next Monday afternoon at the last social meeting of the year.

National War Aid Hears of Menace of Germany

Mrs. Tade-Hartsuss Kuhns, who spent many years in foreign travel and made her home in Germany, told members of the National War Aid last evening in Fainestock hall of the German menace from a personal standpoint.

Mrs. Kuhns is opposed to dropping the study of German from school curriculums and said that much of Germany's success was due to the fact that her countrymen are good linguists. She also advocated the study not only of German government but also of German history, for she felt that the world may learn of the false lies with which Germany has been saturating history.

Mrs. William Jennings, president, said that the opening prayer for the parade on Saturday afternoon, and that they expect to have the largest representation of any organization in line. Mrs. Wilbur Z. Harris led the singing with Miss Alice Marie Decevee at the piano, singing as a solo, "Somewhere in France." The Rev. Mr. Robinson, of Dauphin, led the opening prayer, and brief reports were given by Mrs. Herman P. Miller, secretary, and Mrs. Herman Astrich, treasurer.

PARTY OF YOUNG FOLKS HIKES TO MECHANISBURG

A party of young folks chaperoned by Mrs. J. Stroh hiked to Mechanisburg Sunday. After their arrival a picnic luncheon was served under the trees to Miss Anna Seflon, Miss Blanche Pruss, Miss Lena Yofoe, Miss Eva Grand, Miss Bessie Frank, Miss Rose Shulman, Miss Sarah Stroch, Samuel Morris, Jack Bernsime of Baltimore, Abe Arch, of Philadelphia, to Smevome of Philadelphia, Mitchell Wolfe and Ben Yofoe.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The annual banquet of the federated industrial clubs will take place Thursday evening at the Y. W. C. A. The guests of honor are Miss Annetta Deitman, field secretary of the Y. W. C. A., the board of directors and the industrial committee. About 100 guests are expected to attend. A number of girls from the High School Club will serve.

Monito Club Meets A meeting of the Monito Club was held last evening in the clubroom of the Y. W. C. A. After the business session a social hour was enjoyed by Miss Kathryn Arch, Miss Alva Maus, Miss Mary Bechtel, Miss Katherine McLaughlin, Miss Fannie McLean, Miss Thelma Klais and Miss Peggy Divan.

The regular meeting of the Laetus Club will be held at the conference of Federated Industrial Clubs which will be held at Camp Nephew some time in June.

The Bachelor Girls Club will hold a business meeting this evening in the clubroom to discuss Camp Nephew delegates.

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OUT-DOOR FETE CLOSING SEASON

Families of Men in the Service Honor Guests Tomorrow at the Civic Club

An interesting outdoor program has been arranged for to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Civic Club for families of all men in the service by the Red Cross Entertainment Committee.

There will be musical numbers by Miss Margaret Vaughn, harpist; Miss Kennedy, cellist, and Mr. Marsh, violinist, and patriotic songs sung by eventide. Charles J. Wood Jr. will tell the pathetic little story of "Anna Lipinsky's Star Flag," how a foreign woman came to love the American flag and that for which it stood in her own life.

The following girls, under the direction of Miss Marjorie Bolles, of Mrs. C. A., will give a series of athletic dances on the lawn; the Misses Grace Robinson, Jean Motzler, Esther Wheeler, Faye I. Haverstick, Mary Frances Rockefeller and Florence France.

Announce Engagement of Miss Adella Geiger

Mr. and Mrs. George G. Geiger, 1825 Rudy street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Adella Geiger, to William E. Wertz, of Goldsboro. Miss Geiger is a devoted student, having appeared in leading roles in several home talent productions given by the Royal Workers of Epworth M. E. Church. She served as secretary of the "Teen Age" department of Epworth M. E. Church for some time. The bride-elect has just returned home after a five months' visit with friends in Birmingham, N. Y. Mr. Wertz, a graduate of New Cumberland High School, is well known in this city. He is employed of the boiler shops office, E. R. R. Co., at Seventh and Rely streets. The wedding will be a June event.

TO ATTEND WEDDING

Mrs. Charles Walter Wehbert, of 1402 State street, has gone to Elysburg to attend the wedding of Miss Kathryn Reed and Clinton Kase, which takes place in that place to-morrow morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rife, 1601 North Seventeenth, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss L. E. Rife, to Mr. Charles C. Williams, of Upton, L. I., to visit Private L. E. Rife, who will leave for France at an early date.

Mrs. John Stine, Reynard apartments in Germantown, returned home this evening. Mrs. Anna Herahay, 1110 North Third street, is spending the week at Cold Spring cottage, Williams' Mills.

Mrs. E. J. Decevee and daughter, Sara Leanne Decevee, have returned from a visit to Cold Springs cottage, Williams' Mills. Judge and Mrs. George Kunkel and Miss Cecilia Kunkel, 601 North Front street, have returned from a weekend visit to Camp Meade.

Train Reductions to Save \$18,000,000

Washington, May 14.—Director General McAdoo yesterday ordered curtailment of transcontinental passenger schedules from Chicago west, effective June 2 to save \$18,000,000 a year, by eliminating competition and cutting down running schedules.

CAR OFF TRACK

Traffic on the North Second street line of the Harrisburg Railway was delayed for a quarter of an hour this morning when car 609 jumped the track while crossing a temporary switch above Walnut street, while the tracks in that section are being repaired.

Fair Food Prices

The following statement, revised to May 14, regarding fair prices for food necessities, was issued to-day by the local Federal Food Administration.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Retailer pays, Consumer should pay. Items include Beans, Creamery, Butter, Cornmeal, Eggs, Flour, Lard, etc.

The following are the authorized substitutes for wheat flour: Hominy, corn grits, cornmeal, corn flour, edible cornstarch, barley flour, rolled oats, oatmeal, rice, rice flour, buckwheat flour, potato flour, sweet potato flour and soya bean flour.

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FINE PROGRAM FOR THE ORGAN

David E. Crozier, of Germantown, Will Play at Market Square Church Thursday

An organ recital will be given in Market Square Presbyterian Church Thursday evening of this week at 8:15 o'clock by David E. Crozier, of Philadelphia, formerly organist in this church.

Mr. Crozier comes here under the auspices of the Harrisburg Association of Organists and in the interest of the Red Cross as the entire proceeds of the offering will be devoted to this cause.

College Students Home For Summer Holidays

With the gala commencement activities at Dickinson College over the weekend, the summer vacation was heralded in for the college students. Many students of this city, who are attending that college, have returned home for the holiday vacation. Among the Dickinson College students from this city who are spending vacation at their homes are: Miss Alice Schwab, Miss Margaret Winegard, Miss Mary Bell, Miss Nora Lippl, Miss Mildred Day, Miss Mabel Clark, Miss Elva R. Lippl, members of this year's graduating class, are also home for the summer. Both Miss Clark and Miss Lippl were speakers at the class day exercises held at the college Saturday afternoon.

Leaves His Business to Take Up Arms For U. S.

Lieutenant John Snyder, of 1461 Market street, who is stationed with the United States Army at Camp Meade, Md., is spending a seven-day furlough at his home.

Miss Bertha G. Adams, of 2056 Swatara street, is enjoying a stay in Washington, D. C.

Miss Florence Brown, of Penna Grove, N. J., has returned after spending the weekend at her home, 1932 North Third street.

Mrs. George Kunkel and Miss Cecilia Kunkel, of North Front street, are spending a few days in Lancaster.



MOE L. COOPER

Moe L. Cooper, a member of the firm of Watson & Cooper, owners of the Worthy Clothes store at 14 North Third street, will leave this evening for Columbus Barracks to enter the service of his country. Mr. Cooper will retain his interest in his business here, which will be looked after during his absence, by his partner Charles J. Watson. Moe has a host of friends who all wish him good speed and good luck.

24 GIVE LIVES IN WAR ON HUN; 72 ON THE LIST

Greater Number, 27, Are Missing in Action; 21 Are Slightly Wounded

Washington, May 14.—The casualty list to-day contained seventy-two names, divided as follows: Killed in action, 14; died of wounds, 7; died of disease, 3; wounded slightly, 21; missing in action, 27. Officers named included Captain Lloyd E. Russell, Manchester, Okla., and Lieutenants Herbert Royer, San Francisco, and Stephen T. Fitzgerald, Dorchester, Mass., killed in action. Major John H. Haskins, Minneapolis; Captain Michael J. O'Connor, Boston, and Lieutenants Edward M. Guld, Mahant, Mass.; William A. Murphy, Chicago, and Ray E. Smith, Rutland, Vt., wounded slightly, and Lieutenant Benjamin C. Burr, Hartford, Conn., missing in action.

The list follows: Killed in action: Captain Lloyd E. Russell, Manchester, Okla.; Lieutenants Herbert Royer, San Francisco; Stephen E. Fitzgerald, Dorchester, Mass.; Privates Ezra Barstow, Hartford, Conn.; Harry B. Bartlett, East Haven, Conn.; Magnus M. Brams, Scottsbluff, Neb.; Aaron Chimeroski, Chicago; John M. Davidson, Senath, Mo.; Samuel Pierberg, Hartford, Conn.; Leo Haremza, Ashton, Neb.; Louis J. Londry, Hartford, Conn.; Thomas McKinley, Council Bluffs, Ia.; Gordon Rullman, New Richmond, Wis.; Willis B. Sanders, Conover, S. C.; Died of wounds: Sergeant Theron E. Dalrymple, Rochester, N. Y.; Mechanic Frederick E. Ruckelshausen, New Haven, Conn.; Privates Walter Auer, Canton, Ohio; William J. Bishop, West Springfield, Mass.; Wilmer L. Childers, Paragould, Ark.; Frank Daniels, Hagerstown, Pa.; William J. Jones, Starke, Fla.

Died of Disease: Privates Sogune A. Arnold, Greenville, Miss.; Clement P. Duffy, New Haven, Conn.; George T. Paucirich, Minneapolis, Minn.

Miss Anna Lehman, of Penbrook, was a recent visitor at her home in Middletown.

Miss Arlene Meyer, of 412 North street, has accepted a position with the United States government in Washington, D. C.

Miss Pearl Herbert, of 121 Chestnut street, spent the weekend in Philadelphia.

Miss Jacobina Meyer, of 1611 Green street, is home after a weekend stay in Mount Gretna.

Mrs. E. N. Springer and Miss Edith Springer, of 1302 Fernon street, have returned home after a visit with relatives in Paoli.

Mrs. A. W. Morrison, of 22 North Fifteenth street, is home after a recent visit with her mother, Mrs. George Morrison, of 1706 Green street, is spending a few days in Philadelphia and New York.

Deaths and Funerals

John H. Cassell, aged 74, died at the home of his grandson, C. B. Cassell, 1423 Swatara street, last night after six weeks' illness of hiccoughing. He was a veteran of the Civil War, and had two daughters, a son and seven grandchildren who are his funeral arrangements have not yet been announced.

WILLIAM T. SHOEMAKER William T. Shoemaker, aged 70, died yesterday afternoon at his home, 17 Evergreen street. Funeral services will be held to-morrow evening at the residence of the Rev. A. L. Lyster, pastor of the Perry Street United Brethren Church, officiating. Burial will be in the Laurelwood Cemetery. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Martha Shoemaker, two daughters, Pearl and Stella Shoemaker, and two sons, Lewis Shoemaker, of Philadelphia, and Harry Shoemaker, of this city. Mr. Shoemaker was a veteran of the Civil War.

FRANKLIN C. SWARTZ Franklin C. Swartz, aged 45, died last night at his home, 431 South Fifteenth street. Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. W. J. Lowhart, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will be in the Parkland Cemetery. He is survived by his wife, Margaret Swartz, and two children. Mr. Swartz was a fireman on the Harrisburg Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

E. E. HARTMAN Eldredge E. Hartman, aged 15, died at his home, 437 South Thirteenth street, last night. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. Clayton A. Lyster, pastor of Stevens Memorial Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will be in the Parkland Cemetery. Mr. Hartman was a member of the Stevens Memorial Church for twenty-four years.

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The work was executed in 1881 and is about five feet long. It contains some points of interest now of the past. It represents an evening hour in the river valley and was painted from Fort Washington, on the west shore of the river. Kuppel's island, which disappeared in the great flood of 1889, is shown in the center of the picture and behind the hill is seen the snow of the old West Fairview mill works, since dismantled. Farms are shown where Enola, the railroad town and its big yards are now located, while the upper end of Harrisburg is mainly Davidson, Wormleysburg, which is just about 100 years old, is shown in the foreground. Since the painting the new Rockville bridge and the Lucknow yards have been built.

It was Mr. Beck's desire that the picture should be given to the library, which wish has been carried out through his children.

ON THE SAME FACULTY Mrs. Frank Famous, of 3 South Market Square, is entertaining Miss Margaret Fear, of Lykens, for a few days. Mrs. Famous and Miss Fear were members of the faculty of the Royalton schools at the same time.

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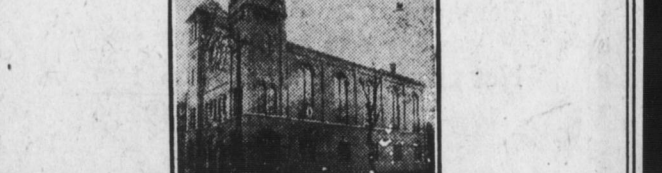
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