

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS OF INTEREST TO EVERYONE

BRIDAL SHOWER FOR MISS BOYER

Beautiful Towels Presented to Bride-elect by Party of Her Girl Friends

Miss Caroline Hahn gave a towel shower last evening at her home, 2221 North Third street, in honor of Miss Romayne Boyer, whose engagement to Ralph Hesser was recently announced.

The guests of the evening were: Miss Romayne Boyer, Miss Katherine Bergstresser, Miss Ruth Bergstresser, both of Montgomery, Pa., Miss Elizabeth Watts, Miss Margaret Bacon, Miss Marguerite Weldman, Miss Wetha High, Miss Alice Schuval, Miss Gertrude Weston, Miss Helen Cook, Miss Katherine Simonetti, Miss Louise Johnson, Miss Mary Alma Allen, Miss Elizabeth Frantz, Miss Katherine Eyerler, Miss Dorothy Bell, Miss Katherine Kelly, Miss Lillian Speakman, Miss Helen Wall, Miss Martha Cresswell, Miss Margaret Wingard, Miss Margaret Landis, Miss Sabra Clark, Miss Mary Brightbill, Miss Caroline Hahn.

MARRIAGE ANNOUNCEMENT

Miss Matilda Longenecker and Rudolph K. Reed were united in marriage by the Rev. E. E. Curtis, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church, at the home of the bride, 630 Kelly street, Mr. and Mrs. Reed expect to leave on an extended wedding trip in the near future.

SUMMERING AT MOUNT GRETTNA

Mrs. Howard Grove, Miss Charlene DeShong, Miss Helen Cook, Miss Mildred DeShong, "Jim" DeShong, 230 Peffer street, have gone to Mount Gretta for several weeks. Mr. Grove and Mr. DeShong will spend the weekends with their families.

Miss Kathleen Johnson, of Paxtonville, is visiting friends in Wilkes-Barre.

William Balfour and Albert Saunders will leave within several weeks for Stony Brook, L. I., to attend a Bible conference being held there during the month of August.

Mrs. Anna Wright, of Coatesville, is visiting at the home of her son, B. W. Wright, 14 North Fifteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Collier and daughter, Miss Hazel Collier, of Cottage Ridge apartments are spending two weeks in Atlantic City.

Miss Helen Haynes went home to Pittsburgh this morning after a little visit among relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Mary Lyle, of Braddock Heights, Ky., is a guest of Dr. and Mrs. Edward Green at the Pennsylvania State Hospital.

APPOINTED AN INSPECTOR

Hollis M. Wible, Camp Hill, has been appointed an inspector of castor beans by the Bureau of Aircraft Production, War Department, Washington, D. C., and will report for duty within a few days.

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EDWARD FIRST IS FIVE YEARS OLD



A PICNIC PARTY FOR LITTLE SON

Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. First entertain at Reservoir, Celebrating Boy's Birthday

The little guests were: The Misses Anna Jane Stockdale, Marguerite Leary, Katherine Bowman, Geraldine Speakman, Rachel Crabbe, Tommy Harris, James Fackler, Edward Demming, "Bill" Van Dyke, Robert Wolf, William Bender, Russell Helges, Frederick Green, Hilbert Crispin, Robert Doolittle.

Other guests were: Mrs. E. T. First, Mrs. Merle Bowman, Mrs. C. J. Bechdole and Miss Mary Bechdole.

Mrs. Fred Andrews, Miss Grace Carroll and Miss Katherine First assisted Mrs. First with the entertaining.

Miss Catherine Bergstresser and Miss Ruth Bergstresser, of Montgomery, Pa., are visiting their aunt, Miss Matilda Hahn, 704 North Third street.

STORK NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gillespie, of 2341 North Second street, announce the birth of a son, Charles Coulston Gillespie, Tuesday, August 6, 1918.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kain, of Chicago, former Harrisburgers, announce the birth of a daughter, Dora Thackara Kain, Saturday, August 3, 1918.

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CRAIGHEAD-EBY WEDDING AT LAKE

Harrisburg Young Folks Wed at Summer Resort in Little Church Among Woods

Miss Myra Eby, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Eby, of 2012 North Third street, and Eugene M. Craighead, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Craighead, 204 Harris street, were quietly married Tuesday, August 6, 1918, at a little church in the woods near Saranac Lake, N. Y.

Miss Eleanor Eby, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Both the bride and bridegroom are graduates of the class of 1912 of Central High School. Miss Eby is also a graduate of Lasalle Seminary, Boston. Mr. Craighead was graduated from State College in 1916.

Miss Eby has been working in the Public Library. The bridegroom is with the National Reserves, stationed at Chelsea, Mass. Prior to his enlistment he was doing experimental work on infantile paralysis at the medical school of this city.

The newly-married couple will spend a week camping at Saranac Lake and then will reside in Boston until Mr. Craighead is called for service in France.

Both the families of the young couple attended the wedding, also many friends from this city motored up and were guests.

Miss Blanche Hillard Will Teach in Nueva Paz

Miss Blanche Hillard, of 155 Sylvan Terrace, leaves to-morrow for Nueva Paz, Cuba, to teach in the Presbyterian mission school there. She has recently been appointed by the National Board of Christian Work in the school which is almost entirely Spanish.

Miss Hillard will go to Nueva Paz by the way of Key West, Florida, visiting relatives in Washington before taking up her work at the school.

The school is a day school maintained by the Presbyterian board, for children from the primary to the sixth grade work and the teachers are required to speak Spanish fluently.

Miss Hillard is well equipped for her work, having taught in the public schools of this city and last year in the Allison building. She is a graduate of the Indiana Normal School of this state and received her course in Spanish at the Spanish school of this city. She is a member of the Market Square Presbyterian Church and active in the work of the National History Society.

VISITORS AT CAMP LEE

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Thompson and their daughters, the Misses Alice and Edith Thompson, of Stoneleigh, Paxtang, are home after visiting Camp Lee, Pa., where Raymond Thompson is located.

When the Pennsylvania boys saw a Pennsylvania license on the car they nearly mobbed it and sang "We're the boys of Pennsylvania." The Thompsons met many of the men at a party they gave at the hotel.

LEAVES FOR CANTONMENT

Miss Mary Brightbill, of Razorville Heights, a graduate of the class of 1913 of Central High School, Harrisburg, and of the German Hospital, Philadelphia, left to-day for a camp in Cape May to do cantonment work.

WRITES FROM FRANCE

Corporal Wistar C. Buch, of the Signal Corps, A. E. F., has written an interesting letter to his father, Addison C. Buch from France, telling of the camp he is in and of the excellent health of the boys.

GUEST FROM READING

Miss Sara Nunemaker, of 232 1/2 Crescent street, who returned to-day from Chicago, Ill., where she graduated at the Moody school this week, has as her guest Miss Cockerle, of Reading, over the weekend.

Mrs. Edward Cook and her children, of Pottstown, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lesley McCreath, Fort Hunter.

Miss Pauline Richardson went home to Philadelphia to-day after a week's visit with her aunt, Mrs. Luther White, of Market street.

Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Rhodes, of Second and Briggs streets, are enjoying the week at Eaglesmere.

Mrs. Morris E. Jacobson and small son, Sol Jacobson, are visiting Mrs. Henry C. Claster, at her summer home near Summerdale.

Sergt. Steele in England, So Cablegram States

Sergt. Ralph E. Steele, of 1109 North Second street, has received a cablegram from England stating that her husband, Sergeant Steele of the 20th company, 2nd Replacement Regiment, which trained at Camp Gordon has arrived safely in that country.

Sergt. Steele, a native of Huntingdon, was employed for some time in Cleveland, residing in this city but a short time. His wife was formerly Miss Lilla Mason and they were married last May.

Corporal Clark Koons Doing Overseas Duty



CORPORAL CLARK KOONS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Koons, of 1406 Derry street, have received the overseas card announcing the safe arrival of their son, Corporal Clark Koons, who is attached to the Fourth Battery, 2nd A. R. D., of the American Expeditionary Forces.

Corporal Koons entered the Army service June 1 when he was sent to Columbus Barracks, Columbus, Ohio. After several days he was detached to Camp Jackson, Columbia, S. C., where he received his military training for overseas service and his appointment as corporal. He was last located at Camp Merritt, N. J., from which place he sailed for over there just a few weeks ago.

Clyde M. Brandt Ready Now For Active Service



CLYDE M. BRANDT

Clyde M. Brandt, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Frederick, 217 South Nineteenth street, has received his preliminary training and is now in France, ready to take up active duty on the battle front. Attached to Fourth Battery, F. A. R. D., he received his preliminary instruction in military tactics at Camp Jackson, S. C.

GUESTS AT LAUNCHING

Mrs. J. B. Montgomery, of 309 Chestnut street, and Mrs. Frank Montgomery, of Thimble Hook, Camp Hill, have returned home after attending the launching of the steamer ship Quincecock at Hog Island, near Philadelphia.

SUPERINTENDENT ON VACATION

Miss C. E. Landis, superintendent of the Polyclinic Hospital, is spending her vacation at Stoverdale.

Frank S. Montgomery has returned after a week's stay at Philadelphia. West Chester and Wilmington, Del.

Henry C. Claster, of the Central Officers' Training School, Camp Gordon, Ga., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth K. Sullivan, in North street.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Swank and Mrs. Swank of Camden, N. J., who were guests of Miss Ruth D. Shure, at 353 South Thirteenth street, have gone to Gettysburg.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles S. Rebeck and their son, Lawrence Rebeck, 412 North Third street, have returned from a camping trip near Shippensburg.

Mrs. Charles March and her daughter, Miss Grace Caroline March, of Chester, are the guests of Mr. March's mother, 410 South Thirteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Holmes went to Pittsburgh this morning for a week's stay among relatives.

Miss Beatrice Kline, of Chicago, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Army Shelton, of Green street.

Berlin's Version of Foch Drive Lacks the Details; Somme Attacks Repulsed

By Associated Press Berlin, via London, Aug. 9.—The German official communication issued yesterday follows: "On both sides of the Lys we drove back partial thrusts by the British."

"North of the Somme the enemy carried out heavy counterattacks against our new lines on both sides of the Eraye-Corbier road. They were repulsed."

"During the night the artillery action and reconnoitering engagements were temporarily revived."

"West of Montdidier partial attacks by the French broke down."

"Between Soissons and Rheims the artillery duel was revived only intermittently. There have been minor infantry engagements on the Aisne and Vesle and north of Rheims."

"In the Vosges there has been a successful thrust into the enemy's lines at Hochzammels."

8,000 AT ANNUAL 'GROCERS' PICNIC AT HERSHEY PARK

Record Crowd Turns Out For Frolic; Varied Program Is Enjoyed

Approximately eight thousand Harrisburgers joined grocers of the city in holding high revel in Hershey Park yesterday on the occasion of the annual Harrisburg Grocers' Picnic. A ball game in the morning attracted hundreds of sport lovers, who saw the uptown grocers squelched by the Hill grocers with a score of 23-7. Impromptu athletic contests amused many others.

The baseball game was the principal feature of the day's program. Some game it was! Olympic meet, thin and medium forgot their hair was slightly silvered and in good old collegiate style ran for the base. Singing out long-distance hits all over the diamond became a habit and many of the players ran so well yesterday that it is rumored they will make application for the marathon in the next Olympic meet. Wagner and Crownshield were the stars of the game, receiving wild applause for their spectacular playings.

Swimming Races

While no program for the day's activities was announced, a number of impromptu contests were held. No prizes were awarded by the committee saying that the official contests had not been held because of the heat. Swimming races, diving contests and aquatic events of every description attracted the crowd and thousands sought relief from the blaze of the sun by plunging into the cool water.

Following the baseball game, the crowd scattered to the tables and the grass, where boxes were opened and everybody partook of a big dinner. The restaurants and cafes of the little town were crowded to capacity and it was necessary to secure a number of extra waiters to help in taking care of the huge throngs.

In the afternoon a free matinee performance of "In Walked Jimmy" was given by the Pickett Sisters Stock Company in the Hershey Park Theater. Every seat in the house was taken and many of the picnickers stood at the back of the house, watching the performance. For lovers of dance there was a free dance in the big pavilion in the park.

Community Singing

Preceding the afternoon performance in the large audience hall was led in community singing by L. G. Orr and A. P. Kitchin. A number of songs, among them the "Star and Soldier" songs, were included in the program given.

After the theatricals, the baseball field was again the scene of a night battle between the Hill and Uptown grocers. When the smoke of battle had lifted it was found that the score was tied, 22-22.

In the late afternoon another section of the large audience began to swarm in from Harrisburg and the surrounding district. Street cars, trains and automobiles were crowded with the merry-makers. The picnickers had dinner in the park. This was followed by a band concert at 6:30 o'clock, given by the Hershey and the Uptown grocers.

The concert continued for more than an hour while the audience enjoyed popular and classical airs. Another free dance in the evening closed the day's festivities and the happy crowd turned homeward again.

There was only one serious accident to mar the day's happiness. John Bents, of near Dillsburg, was drowned in the swimming pool. Officials say the first drowning in the history of the park.

Although no efforts were made to gather a crowd for the picnic, yesterday's was one of the largest in the history of the association.

High praise has been given to the park officials and to the committee in charge of the picnic for the efficient work in providing amusement and for handling the crowds.

The committee in charge included W. A. Gernert, president; S. A. Schreckenhaus, vice-president; Monroe M. Morrison, secretary; A. P. Kitchin, treasurer; Ed. Crownshield, L. G. Orr, A. H. Krellder and Charles Zimmerman.

Not Actual War With Allies, Russian Diplomat Declares

Washington, Aug. 9.—American Consul Poles at Moscow has informed the State Department that Nicholas Lennine, the Bolshevik president, recently declared before a gathering of Soviets in Moscow that a state of war existed between the Russian government and the Entente Allies.

In response to questions from the allied consuls, Lennine said that the state of foreign affairs, said the premier's statement need not be considered a declaration of war but that it rather was a declaration of a state of defense on the part of Russia similar to the situation that existed at one time with Germany.

PENBROOK WANTS CITY WATER; MAY COME TO COUNCIL

Residents Dissatisfied With Present Service; Discuss Annexation

"A simple solution of Penbrook's water problem, which would be advantageous to the water company as well as the people of Penbrook, is a plan to connect the water mains of that territory with Harrisburg," a resident said to-day. "Thus the Extension Water Company, of Penbrook, and the Susquehanna Township Water Company could buy water from Harrisburg at a rate said to be more advantageous than from the Hummelstown Company. Considering that the Hummelstown company has tried to supply the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company with the same pumps, this would relieve the strain at this end and thereby permit a greater supply of water at that end as well."

The cutoff is in the vicinity of Nineteenth and Derry streets and by closing the mains there Penbrook and Susquehanna township could be supplied from Harrisburg as this is all adjacent territory. The Asylum is said to have connections now whereby it can secure Harrisburg water at any time if necessary."

Council Room Crowded

The council room in Penbrook was filled and a great many were on the outside to hear the proceedings of the mass meeting last night. With B. F. Ober as chairman and Anton Benson as secretary protem, a report of the committee was submitted by Dr. E. K. Lawson. The committee's investigations revealed the fact that a number of causes were responsible for Penbrook's being without water, estimated by Dr. Lawson at about ninety days during the year. Lack of funds, sometimes lack of coal and poor equipment are the chief reasons, he said. A resolution was then passed authorizing the committee to petition the Public Service Commission to instruct the water companies to secure adequate fire protection and water supply from the city of Harrisburg.

Report on Annexation

The committee then reported on the question of annexation to Harrisburg and submitted a boundary map which would necessitate taking in all of Reservoir Park over to Market street, from there to Prospect Hill Cemetery, to schoolhouse and Thirtieth street, through Penbrook to north of Herr street. From that point along the north boundary line of the East Harrisburg Cemetery and Herr street to the western boundary of the borough and south to State street and along the line of State street west to the brick barn at Twenty-first and State streets.

Clayton Miller, Charles Walmer, G. W. Mumma, G. M. Amstutz, A. K. Thomas, George L. Hocker, O. S. Ebersole, Lawrence Hetrick and H. A. Loser were chosen as a committee to solicit funds to defray necessary legal expenses.

Dillsburg Youth Drowns in Hershey Park Pool; First Death at Resort

The first fatal accident in the seven years' history of the Hershey Park swimming pool occurred yesterday afternoon when John Bents, aged 10, Dillsburg, was drowned.

Bents was the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Bents, Mt. Top, near Dillsburg. He was attending the annual Harrisburg Grocers' picnic. After luncheon his brothers and he went to the pool for a swim. Following an afternoon in enjoyment of the pool the brothers donned their street clothes without giving a thought to John who was considered a good swimmer. Shortly after the brothers came out of the water, Lester Bents, this city, stepped on the body in about four feet of water. The body was brought to the promenade and Dr. J. L. Zimmerman worked for several hours endeavoring to bring the youth to life. A pulmonator was rushed to the scene but even this proved of no avail.

Since Bents made no outcry, according to bathers who were near the scene, it is thought he was suddenly seized with indigestion or with cramps. It may have been possible that acute indigestion was the cause of his death, brought on by entering the water too soon after eating.

The accident is the first of its nature in the history of the pool. It is estimated that more than 200,000 people have been in the natatorium since it was opened.

Funeral services for John Bents, aged 20, who was drowned at Hershey yesterday, will be held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bents, Dillsburg. He is survived by his parents, two brothers and five sisters.

WILLS PROBATED

The will of Julia A. Dennis, Harrisburg, was probated and letters testamentary issued to Percy E. Dennis, named as executor.

In the estate of Elizabeth Walton, Royaltown, the will was probated. Clarence E. Walton was named as executor and letters testamentary were issued.

Letters testamentary were issued in the estate of William H. Cocklin, Harrisburg, to W. L. Gardner, who is named as executor.

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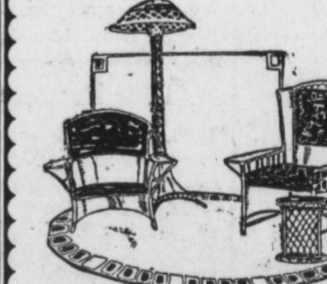
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