

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL ITEMS

MERRY EVENING AT MANADA GAP

Students of the Susquehanna Township High School Enjoy Outing

The Sophomore and Freshman classes of the Susquehanna township high school had a pleasant outing Thursday evening at the summer home of James McCormick, at Manada Gap. The party journeyed there by automobiles, and spent the evening around the huge campfire, roasting wienies, toasting marshmallows and playing games or at the cottage dancing to the music of the victrola.

Birthday Surprise Party For Mrs. Charles Meckley

At a birthday surprise party given recently at the home of Mrs. Charles Meckley, 1208 North street, in her honor, the following guests were present: Mrs. and Mrs. George Walters, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Liddich, Mrs. Mable Potts, Mrs. Annie E. Liddich, Mrs. Sarah Fox, Mrs. Alice Rote, Mrs. W. L. Liddich, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Reimer, Mrs. John B. Brant, Miss Maudie Bryan, Mrs. Ella Lynch, Miss Helen Liddich, Miss Goldie Brant, Mrs. Minnie Howard, Mrs. Ida Sawyer, Mrs. Emily, Mrs. William Shearer, Miss Christina Barr and Miss Mary E. Barr, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mackley and Edwood Barr.

Miss Helen Heckert Hostess to Friends

Miss Helen Heckert entertained a few friends last evening at her home in Penbrook. The girls spent a pleasant evening singing, playing "ukes" and knitting. Refreshments were served to Miss Isabelle Loban, Miss Josephine Zug, Miss Evelyn Speakman, Miss Esther Loban, Miss Lillian Speakman, Miss Blanche Heckert and Miss Helen Heckert.

Ted Olmsted Recommended For Commission in Army

Marlin Edgar Olmsted ("Ted"), who spent the summer at the Plattitz home in Penbrook, has been recommended for a commission in the Army, has passed his eighteenth birthday, but is a giant in stature and is a promising seaman on the Harvard crew. His condition was much improved to day and it is believed that he is now on the road to complete recovery.

PICNIC FOR YOUNGSTERS

Miss Clara Wilson and her brother, Leo Wilson, invited a party of youngsters to their suburban home, Glenvale, yesterday afternoon for a little picnic in the woods adjoining. Outdoor games and sports were enjoyed and the supper was a most filling one for the healthy young appetites. Sixteen were present.

TAKES SOUTHERN TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thompson and their daughters, the Misses Sara and Elsie Thompson, started this morning for a southern trip. They will make stops in Washington, at points in Alabama, and several Florida cities on the way to St. Augustine, to remain for several months.

Mrs. Regina S. Madden, of Elkwood, has returned home after a six weeks' visit with her daughter and family.

Mrs. Samuel E. Waters, of Johnstown, is visiting Mrs. Charles C. Linton, 1007 North Second street, on the way home from a southern trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Forrest, of Pennington, are guests of their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin King, of Hamilton street, for a few days.

Miss Helen Kelly, 1908 North Second street, has returned to Trinity College, Washington, D. C.

Marlin E. Jackson went home to Washington, this morning, after a business trip to this city and Reading.

SIGMA NU MAN IS COMMISSIONED

Kenneth Patterson Receives Commission as Ensign in Naval Flying Corps



H. R. Patterson, of 208 South Thirteenth street, has received a letter from his son, W. Kenneth Patterson, stating that he has received his commission as ensign in the Naval Aviation Flying Corps, and expects to be home soon on a ten-day furlough. Ensign Patterson is a graduate of Central High School, class of 1915, and was prominent in all the activities of the school. He was a member of the high school orchestra. He spent two years in Cornell University and was a Sigma Nu frat man. With a number of other Cornell students, he enlisted at the outbreak of the war in the Naval Coast Reserve and was later transferred to the regular Navy, and made two trips to France on the transport George Washington. After returning from his second trip he was assigned for training in the Naval Aviation Flying Corps, and sent to Boston Tech for the technical training, and then to Key West, Miami and Pensacola for practical flying work.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ream Chaperon Motor Party

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ream chaperoned a number of young people on a motor trip to Lancaster on Thursday evening. The party included Miss Anna Emanuel, Miss Sarah Beck, Miss Pauline Stevick, Miss Katherine Zimmerman, Miss Anna Fisher, Miss Carrie Putt, Miss Georgianna Thompson, Miss Catherine West, Jack Swartz, Charles Kenson, George Sellers, William Verbeke, James Kelley, Harry Hartzell, Bertram Smith and Edwin Loy.

ILL WITH INFLUENZA

Dr. David I. Miller, a Republican candidate for the Legislature, is a victim of influenza, and is confined to his home in North Sixth street.

ADmiral ROSS HERE

Rear Admiral Albert Ross, United States Navy, is a week-end guest of his sister, Mrs. John B. Patrick, 817 North Second street. Admiral Ross is inspector general of all the naval stations in the United States, and his duties extend from the Atlantic coast to the Pacific, requiring the inspection of 15,000 stations.

Richard Long went to Columbus, Ohio, this morning after a little visit with Mr. and Mrs. Melville D. Long, of Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Sites have closed their summer home, Overview, and are at their city residence, 1008 North Sixth street.

Mrs. V. Lorne Hummel has returned from Bellefonte and will reside at 107 South Front street for the winter.

Miss Estelle Ford and Miss Grace Ford went home to Cincinnati today after spending a month among old friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Dwight M. Ludington, of The Terraces, New Chamberland, has returned home after a month's stay in Atlantic City.

Samuel W. Fleming, of 194 South street, who has been quite ill for some time, is able to be about the house.

Miss Mary E. Quinn is seriously ill at her home, 1335 North Second street.

Lieutenant Berkley Receives Captaincy



CAPTAIN HOWARD L. BERKLEY Mrs. Margaret A. Rowe, of 1808 North Sixth street, has received information stating that her son, Howard L. Berkley, a Lieutenant in United States Army has been promoted to a captaincy. Captain Berkley enlisted in the Army, and was sent to the training camp at Fort Oglethorpe where he was commissioned first lieutenant. From there he went to Camp Gordon and after six months training was transferred to Camp McClellan a short time ago and was appointed captain there last week. Captain Berkley is graduate of Central High School and State College. Prior to enlisting he was connected with W. H. Galtner in the insurance business. He expects a leave of absence before sailing for overseas duty.

Money For Red Cross Raised at Christening

Forty dollars was raised for the Red Cross at the ceremonies customary to the Hebrew Faith in honor of the newborn son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel S. Etter, of Palmyra, Pa., formerly of this city. Ten dollars of that money was given to the Red Cross of Palmyra, and the balance, \$30, was given to the newly organized branch of the Jewish Auxiliary of Harrisburg. The following from this city were present: The Rev. and Mrs. A. Rockman, Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith, Miss Fannie Levitt, Jacob Gordon, Aaron Gordon and marriage Gordon. The new-born boy was named Aaron Benjamin Etter.

Red Cross Rooms Closed Up Tight

Mrs. Lyman D. Gilbert announces that the Red Cross rooms are closed until further notice. The "lines" shower for France, planned for next week, has been postponed indefinitely. Housewives are urged to keep this shower in mind, however, so that when the quarantine is lifted and the rooms are resumed this work may be pushed through and be a success.

CALLED TO OHIO

Mrs. Mabel Cronise Jones, 105 Locust street, has been called by telephone to Toledo, Ohio, by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Martha M. Cronise, who is now in well known in this city, where she made her home for many years with Mrs. Jones.

VISITING IN NEW YORK

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel F. Walton, of the West End, left today for New York City, where they will join an automobile party touring the state through the mountains and country, and remaining for ten days on the trip.

ANNOUNCE MARRIAGE

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Minnier, of 222 Kelly street, announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ellen H. Minnier, to Ralph Edgar Gift, at the First Presbyterian Church, Atlantic City, N. J., October 1, 1918.

GUESTS HERE

Adam F. Brenner and daughter, Miss Christine Brenner, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brenner and Miss Julia Fry Brenner, all of Lancaster county, are spending the day with Mr. and Mrs. David F. Young, 109 North Second street, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren B. Keim, of Camp Hill.

POSTPONE CLASS MEETING

The annual meeting of Class No. 6, of the Stevens Memorial High School, scheduled for Monday night, has been indefinitely postponed.

Miss Grace Kingsley, of Watertown, N. Y., left for home this morning after a pleasant stay among old neighbors in Penn street.

Miss Cleo Richards has returned to Brooklyn, after a short visit with her aunt, Mrs. James Gregory, of Green street.

Sergeant John Hoffer Detweiler, of New York, is expected home this evening to remain for a few days with his mother, Mrs. Meade D. Detweiler, 21 North Front street.

Miss Millicent Wagner, of Wilkes-Barre, who spent the week with Mrs. James D. Brown, of North Third street, left today for Baltimore and Washington.

Lieutenant William Meredith Wood, stationed at Washington, will join Mrs. Wood to-morrow at the home of the late Mrs. parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Etter, 209 Pine street.

Mr. and Mrs. Farley Gannett have closed their country place, Tallinn, and are at their city home, Second and Woodbine streets.

Miss Blanche W. Garverlich is recovering at her home, 627 Dauphin street, after an attack of Spanish influenza.

FIREMEN POSTPONE MEETING

There will be no meeting of the Dauphin County Firemen's Union next Tuesday evening, and no session of the Harrisburg Union, on account of the order of the City Board of Health. There will be no meeting until the second Tuesday in November, when the meetings will be held in the Washington Chemical house.

NO ONE WANTS TO TACKLE KREIDER

Democratic National Chairman's Home District Shy Candidate For Congress

There is no Democratic nominee for Congress in the Eighteenth district composed of Dauphin, Lebanon and Cumberland counties, the home district of Democrat and National Chairman Vance C. McCormick, and this is the latest day for filing changes in candidates. The Democratic State Executive Committee, which alone is empowered to fill vacancies on such tickets, has not been called for a meeting.

H. H. Mercer, the nominee for Congress, filed a withdrawal several days ago, giving as his reason the McCadoo order, lack of sympathy with the nominee for Governor on his "wet" stand and desire not to embarrass anyone by staying on a ticket.

One story is that Mercer, who was induced to file papers at the last minute and who was the only applicant for the nomination, does not see why he should pay campaign expenses in a hopeless battle and that he has no interest in what happens in his own district.

Price of Train-Crew Meals Is Cut in Half

Philadelphia, Oct. 5. — William G. McCadoo, director general of railroads, rapidly is earning the title of "Liberator of Railroad Men" by a series of orders, each giving the railroad employees an advantage or privilege they had never had before. His latest is an order to the effect a train crew may have a 50 per cent. discount on the cost of meals in the dining cars.

Before the advent of government control of railroads the roads made rates in this regard, many of them allowing the men a substantial discount, but never as much as 50 per cent.

At the office of General Director Markham, in this city, those in authority stated yesterday they could not say whether this reduction in food prices for railroad men was based on cost, but admitted it was a liberal discount.

However, the prices that have prevailed in dining cars will remain the same, so far as the traveler is concerned.

MUTINEERS GET TEN YEARS

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 5. — Private Martin O'Donnell, Thomas J. Hayes, and Tony Serpico, stationed at Camp Gordon, were convicted of mutiny by court-martial yesterday and sentenced to ten years each in the Federal prison here. The men were charged with attempting to overthrow the authority of the officer in charge.

RUSSIAN LEADER KILLED

London, Oct. 5. — Alexander J. Gushkoff, former Russian Minister of War and leader of the Octoberist party, has been murdered by robbers. This information was received yesterday by the Central News dispatch from Amsterdam quoting Moscow advices.

The sentences carry dishonorable discharge from the Army.

Advertisement for Astrich's hats, featuring various styles like Black and Colored Velvet Hats, Black Silk Velvet Hats, and Black Hatters' Plush Turbans, with prices and sale dates.

Funeral Flowers advertisement: A Beautiful Spray, A Handsome Wreath, Keene's Two Shops.

Sechrist Eye Sight Specialist advertisement: Eye Sight Specialist, 9 N. Fourth St. (2nd Floor).

Lebanon Valley College advertisement: Students Army Training Corps, 30 more men wanted immediately.

Gohl, Rinkenbach & Rouse Optometrists and Opticians advertisement: Dependable Optical services and glasses are more in demand today than ever before.

The Blake Shop advertisement: Put Your Home In Fall Attire, Home Craft Week Display of Quaker Laces.

Advertisement for Liberty Bonds: Last week when I was in New York the car lines were asking shoppers to avoid rush hours, so that both workers and shoppers might travel more comfortably.