

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS ITEMS OF TIMELY INTEREST

WIN PRIZES FOR SHELLING BEANS

Guests of the Kiester Family Enjoy Evening of Fun While Working Hard

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Kiester, Washington Heights, last evening, had much merriment at a soup-bean party...

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Sechrist, Mrs. Bowman, Mrs. Sweger, Mrs. Marquet, Mrs. Bowers, Mrs. Coulson, Mrs. Kiester, Mrs. Stoner, Miss Stella Kaufman, Miss Helen Sharp, Miss Sara Kiester, Mrs. Sweigert, Harold Bowers and M. P. Kiester.

Mrs. Funk and Daughter Home After Long Trip

Mrs. B. F. Funk and daughter, Ruth, of 2556 State street, Pennbrook, have returned home after a seven weeks' trip in the South and West.

Visiting St. Augustine, Florida, New Orleans, San Antonio, and El Paso, Texas; San Diego, Los Angeles, Monterey and San Francisco, California, on the way, they returned by the Feather River Canyon, the Royal Gorge, Colorado Springs, Denver and St. Louis.

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Dance to Younger Set in Honor of a Visitor

Dr. and Mrs. William E. Wright, of 204 State street, have issued invitations to the younger set for a holiday dance Saturday evening, December 27, in the Civic Club.

The guest of honor will be Miss Mary Haldeman Armstrong, a student of Mount Holyoke College, Mass., who will be their guest during the holidays.

Miss Armstrong is a daughter of the Rev. Dr. James Newton Armstrong, formerly a headmaster of Blair Academy, Blairstown, N. J., at present connected with the New Era movement on the Presbyterian board, New York. He was at one time an assistant pastor of the Pine Street Presbyterian Church, Mrs. Armstrong is remembered here as Miss Mary Haldeman, a Harrisburg resident until her marriage.

Musicals and Dance at the Penn-Harris

One of the most attractive events of the Christmas season will be a dinner-dance and musicale at the Penn-Harris on Christmas night. Dinner will be served at 7 o'clock, with dancing following in the ballroom.

An interesting musical program has been arranged, featuring the Pine Street Presbyterian quartet, directed by Frank McCarrell. They will present "In a Persian Garden," a cycle for four solo voices, by Liza Lehmann. The quartet comprises Mrs. Roy G. Cox, soprano; Mrs. J. G. Sanders, contralto; John Gibson, tenor; and Elmer H. Ley, basso and violinist.

Table reservations may be arranged for at the hotel. Mrs. Sanders is assisting in the management in completing arrangements for the event.

Entertains S. S. Class Informally Last Night

Mrs. Harry C. Devor's Sunday school class, of Fifth Street Methodist Episcopal Church, was entertained at the home of Mrs. Harry Houghton, 339 Kelker street, last evening. Refreshments were served to the following:

Mrs. Harry Devor, Mrs. Cyrus Strayer, Mrs. Willoughby Stouffer, Mrs. Olive Zeigler, Mrs. Olive Wagner, Mrs. Edward Shop, Mrs. Joseph Rineer, Mrs. Charles Fouk, Mrs. Della Fox, Mrs. Claire Flickinger, Mrs. Amy Saylor, Miss Minnie Smith, Emerson Saylor.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Harry Devor, 1724 N. Third street, January 13.

LECTURES TODAY ON ORCHESTRAS

Paul E. Beck Speaks Before Wednesday Club Preparatory to Concert

"Most people listen to the music of a symphony orchestra as an infant gazes at a bright object—in a state of beatific coma," quoted Paul E. Beck, State Supervisor of Public School Music, in his lecture before the Wednesday Club in Fahnstoeck Hall this afternoon.

Mr. Beck, who spoke on "The Mechanism and Dynamic Construction of the Modern Symphony Orchestra," said that the average person listening to a symphony orchestra hears but a mass of sound, becoming more and more entranced by its beauty, but not truly appreciating the performance as he would had he some knowledge of the mechanism of the organization.

The lecture did not in any way touch upon the analysis of music, but dealt instead with the instrumentation and the wonderful manner in which the great modern composers have used the orchestra as a painter uses his colors, bringing out its magis tones the deep purple, dark browns, and vivid reds so that we can literally hear them throbbing through their masterpieces. In direct contrast, the early works are colorless, using one quality of tone.

The lecture was beautifully illustrated with slides made from photographs presented to Mr. Beck by the Philadelphia, New York and Chicago Symphony Orchestras. Among the most interesting of the group were the pictures of the orchestras themselves. One showed the Philadelphia Orchestra as it appeared in connection with the great chorus of 400 voices upon the occasion when Gustave Mahler's Eighth Symphony was produced for the first time in America in 1917. The last slide showed a portrait of Leopold Stokowski, conductor of the Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra, made from a recent painting by Leopold Seyffert.

Miss Martha Snavelly, president of the Wednesday Club, presented Mr. Beck to an audience comprised of club members and their friends who heard the lecture preparatory to the concert to-night.

Miss Martha Baynes and Miss Edith F. Baynes, of Wilmington, Del., are in the city for a short stay, looking up old friends.

Carlos M. Harris went to Maine to-day for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Denton F. Foster, of Green street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Wood, Jr., of 2218 North Third street, will be having a recent relative in Catonsville, Maryland.

Richard H. Jackson, of Oneonta, N. Y., is spending a few days in the city, looking up business interests.

Miss Marilyn H. Barnum, of Scranton, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl F. Barnum of North Second street.

George W. Fechner, of Pittsburgh, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin H. Jones, of Penn street.

Charles Howard Andrews went home to Pittsburgh last night after a week's stay with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis H. Owen, his uncle and aunt.

DR. J. H. KREIDER Dr. J. H. Kreider, 1410 Derry street, has resumed practice, having returned from service in the United States Army.—adv.

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Trinity Guild to Hold Big Subscription Event

An interesting social event of the new year will be a subscription luncheon at the Civic Club house, Friday evening, February 13, under the direction of the Trinity Guild of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church. The entire house has been engaged for the occasion and those who do not dance to enjoy an evening of bridge.

The following committees have been appointed to complete arrangements under the supervision of Mrs. Walter P. Maguire, general chairman: Floor and music, Mrs. F. Herbert Snow, assisted by Mrs. John M. Mahon, Jr., supper, Mrs. J. Mowell Hawkins, Mrs. Albert Foose and Mrs. Leslie McCreath; bridge, Mrs. J. E. Kemper, Mrs. James B. Mercereau and Mrs. John M. J. Raunick; reception, Mrs. Rollin A. Sawyer, Mrs. John C. Jessup, Jr., Mrs. Phillip T. Meredith, Mrs. Harry Bowman and Mrs. C. W. Hardt; tickets, Mrs. William B. Gray, Mrs. Norris S. Longenecker, Mrs. Ingram and Mrs. Baldwin.

Gives Surprise Party Celebrating Birthday

Mrs. William L. Carpenter, secretary of the Sunday school class of Zion Lutheran Church, taught by the Rev. Dr. S. Winfield Herman, entertained at a surprise party last evening in celebration of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Margaret Walker, 649 South Front street. The party was given by many beautiful gifts from the following people:

Mrs. H. Miller, Mrs. A. Barringer, Mrs. H. O'Brien, Mrs. S. Holtz, Mrs. A. Taylor, the parmer, Mrs. R. Roe, Mrs. H. Yingst, Mrs. A. Buxton, Mrs. J. Gutshall, Mrs. G. Garman, Mrs. W. Chand, Mrs. William Garman, the Rev. Dr. Herman, W. Taylor, William Garman and Master H. Garman.

St. Paul's Bazar Opens in Gymnasium Tomorrow

The St. Paul's Bazar will open in the gymnasium of the St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Second and Emerald streets, to-morrow afternoon when many novel and fancy articles will be placed on sale. There will be an apron table, a fancy table and one with dolls, toys and other things for children. Candy, lemonade, ice cream, and cake will be on sale until the last evening when a supper will be served. Other interesting features of the event will be a grocery and delicatessen, a grab bag and a table for men.

The committee is extending every effort to make the bazar an unequalled success and has asked that every member of the congregation cooperate by assisting or by contributing articles.

THE GROFF-STUM BRIDAL Miss Dora May Stum and Parko Alfred Groff, both of this city, were married last evening at 8 o'clock in the parsonage of the State Street United Brethren Church, with the pastor, the Rev. H. F. Rhoad, officiating. There were no attendants. The couple will reside in this city.

GOING TO FLORIDA Mrs. Effie Zinn Vaughn, of 14 South Fourth street is home after spending four months in Atlantic City, and one month in Connecticut, Boston and New York. She expects to leave soon for Florida to remain for six weeks.

DANCE FOR YOUNGER FOLKS Mrs. John Oenslager, of the Riverside apartments, is giving a little dance in the Civic Club, Tuesday evening, December 23, for the younger set. Many of the college students, both young men and women, who are home for the holidays, will be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Dana Faekler, of Charlestown, are visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis M. Huber of Green street.

Miss Elsie Bender and Miss Carolyn Bender, of Pittsburgh, are stopping for a while among old friends in Market street.

Herbert H. Gregory and his sons, Paul and Martin L. Gregory, of Philadelphia, are in the city for a brief stay with relatives on the way to Chicago, for a holiday stay.

Newton F. Irving went home to Brooklyn to-day after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Emmett, of Market street.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius H. Seymour, of New York city, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Barlow of State street, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Ely, of Greenwich, Conn., have returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ross A. Hickok.

Miss Pearl Donovan went home to Syracuse, N. Y., this morning after spending a week among old friends in this vicinity.

The Rev. and Mrs. Ambrose H. Fuller, of Brooklyn, are visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Percy H. Weston, of North Third street, for the week.

Grange Urges Farmers to Fight Tuberculosis

Pittsburgh, Dec. 10.—The Pennsylvania State Grange, after hearing an address by Col. John D. McLean, Deputy Commissioner of Health of the State, passed the following resolutions: "We recognize tuberculosis as a menace to our rural communities. Recent publication of 12,885 as the number of people in Pennsylvania who succumbed in 1918 to the white plague (a larger number than in any previous year except in 1906 and 1907, reveals that this State along with the western countries of Europe is giving an increased toll of human lives because of the privations of the war period. The statement of Colonel Edward Martin, State Commissioner of Health, that fully as many are dying this year of consumption should mean widespread civilian efforts in aiding the State combat this scourge. "Resolved, therefore, That the Pennsylvania State Grange, in an annual session at Pittsburgh, regards as highly important to the welfare of the State the work being carried on by the Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis and most strongly urges that the farmers of Pennsylvania give every possible aid to the intensive work being started to end this plague in this generation. One way in which every person can assist is by buying Christmas Seals and Health Bonds, which finance the citizen fight against tuberculosis."

TELLING STORIES TO THE CHILDREN

Several Christmas Matinees Arranged by Local Branch of Story League

The Story Tellers League has invited every child in the city to the story hours on Saturday afternoon, December 13. This is the occasion for the annual Christmas story matinee, to which the children look forward each year with such interest and for which the Story Tellers have prepared their most interesting stories. There will be music also for the little ones and they will be given a chance to sing the Christmas songs they love best.

There will be plenty of room this year for every one for instead of one story hour, as has been given each year, there will be three, so that all the children may come. For the little ones on the Hill, a story matinee will be held in the auditorium of the Edison Junior High school.

For those in the up-town district a story hour will be held in the auditorium of the Camp Curtin Junior High school, and for the little folks in the down-town district one will be held in the Technical High school.

Last year over 800 children crowded into the auditorium and some of the small people did not secure a good seat. That is why the Story Tellers League, with the help of Clarence H. Zorger, of the department of special activities for the school board, planned to have a story hour in all parts of the city. They will all be given on the same day, Saturday, December 13, and at the same hour, 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. David J. Reege, president of the Story League, has extended a cordial invitation to every child in the city as well as their parents and friends.

Members of the Hiawatha Club of the Girl Reserves of the Y. W. C. A. were entertained on Monday evening by Miss Mary Hoffer, 21 North Front street, chairman of girls' work at the Y. W. C. A. The girls finished their scrapbooks and postcard folders, completing the following social service work for the Hospital Guild:

Six large scrapbooks, six small books and thirty-six postcard holders. One hundred and fifty picture postcards have been pasted together, to be given to the Associated Aids Society for poor children. Those present were Miss Marie Smith, leader of the club; Elizabeth Weimer, president; Alice Pickett, Katherine Hogentogler, Mildred Signor, Dora Reynolds, Hannah Sachs, Anna Beinhauer, Ruth Forney and Miss Ruth Todd.

Miss Hoffer Entertains Hiawatha Club of Y. W.

Historical Society Meets J. C. Rawn will speak before the Historical Society of Dauphin County to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock, giving "Reminiscences of Market Square and Vicinity." The meeting will be held in the society's house, 9 South Front street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Gilbert, Second and Harris streets, returned last evening from Atlantic City, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Neil Salsich.

Charles B. Houston and Edward B. Houston, of Pittsburgh, are guests of their sister, Mrs. Grace Houston Richards of State street, on the way home from Philadelphia and New York.

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Veterans Foreign Wars Holding Dance Tonight

The third annual December dance of Calder Post, No. 31, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will be held this evening in Winterdale, the proceeds to be used toward the new home. Miss Burd's orchestra will play and dancing will be according to the edict of the fuel administrator, from 8 to 11 o'clock. It is expected this will be the largest dance ever held by the organization.

On the committee are: H. D. Myers, chairman; Charles P. Raffensberger, Jacob Wolf, Captain James F. Long, Charles H. Burg and Jonas K. Reist.

Missionary Society to Repeat Program Friday

The entertainment given several weeks ago in Lemoyne by the Young People's Missionary Society of the United Evangelical Church will be repeated in response to numerous requests. The society has arranged to give the entire program Friday evening, December 12, in the church. The entertainment consists of two missionary sketches—"Maldies and Remedies in America," and "One Day in India." No admission will be charged, but an offering will be taken.

Miss Mary Anwyll, of Herr street, has gone to New Haven, Conn. for a stay of several weeks among relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bolan, of 2335 North Fourth street, are spending several days in New York and Philadelphia.

Mrs. T. E. Whiteman and daughter, Lois, who visited Mrs. Whiteman's parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Miller, 1909 Market street, have returned to their home at Roanoke, Va.

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Visiting the Shops with Adele

NATURALLY my one thought these days is to search for gifts — the thing in which everyone is most interested. It goes without saying that I find many lovely ones, particularly at the Saltzgiver Art and Antique Store, 223 North Second street. Yesterday, for instance, I discovered a distinctive wrought iron lamp with attractive parchment shade. Oddly shaped, yet well-balanced and graceful, it would make an ideal gift. Then, too, in one of the windows of the store, there is a most artistic aquarium of Tiffany glass and wrought iron. As a table aquarium—one of the latest fads—it could not be excelled.

IS there anything more attractive than a beautifully trimmed Christmas tree? And is there anything that adds more to its effectiveness than a myriad of sparkling, gleaming electric lights? The candles of olden days have been supplanted by this safer, newer method of illumination, and as drab, little Candelaria, by the touch of a wand, was transformed into a shimmering, glimmering beauty, so the dull little tree, at the turn of a switch, suddenly blazes forth in splendor. If by any chance you have neglected this important decorative feature in the years that have passed, don't fail to add it this Christmas season. At the Dauphin Electrical Supplies Co., 434 Market street, you will find a complete lighting outfit for your tree.

MANY men who work in the open find buckle arctics absolutely indispensable during the winter months. In fact, without them they would suffer from continually wet feet. But despite the fact that they are a great protection they, in themselves, are not enough. No, in order to keep the feet from freezing, warm sheepskin shoes or snug felt ones should be worn inside. Only the man who spends his days out-of-doors can appreciate the relief they bring. Ofttimes it is hard to find them but the Army and Navy Shoe Store, Court street, is showing a complete line.

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Judgment Applied to Christmas Giving It has often been noted that many people who exert the soundest judgment ordinarily seem to lose this faculty at Christmas. They make most inappropriate gifts and often don't seem particularly interested in getting 100 cents worth of value for every dollar they expend. Why not make your money go just as far Christmas as at any other time? And why not select sensible gifts which will be genuinely appreciated? If you are puzzled regarding what to give your wife, your mother or your sister give a thought to my shop. A pretty blouse or some other dress accessory will certainly be welcomed. And if you don't care to actually select the gift buy a Gift Bond good for anything in my assortment up to the amount indicated. Always Worth Par