

NANCY WYNNE IS INTERESTED IN LOAN COLLECTION AT ACADEMY

A Private View of the John Howard McFadden Collection of English Artists' Work Will Be Given for Benefit of the Wounded Artists Abroad Today

AND now we have another way to raise money to help the suffering ones in the hospitals and on the battlefields in sunny France, as she has so often been called—France, which is making such a magnificent stand in the last weeks at Verdun. The money will be raised by means of a private view of the marvelous loan collection of John Howard McFadden at the Academy of the Fine Arts this afternoon. The collection includes the work of the eighteenth century English artists, than which there is no other collection so thoroughly representative of the time, not even in the Metropolitan Museum. It is the first time in the history of the city that so great a private collection has been loaned, and the value of the paintings is something colossal, though Mr. McFadden does not seem to think at all of their financial value, but with true appreciation judges them for their artistic value, which is greater far than mere money to him. I have heard that the collection is insured for at least a million and a half. The Academy, of course, realizes its responsibility in hanging and housing an exhibition so valuable, and they tell me the rooms will never be left unguarded night or day. The direct beneficiaries of the private exhibition will be the "Fraternalists Artists."

The women who are in charge of the private view include Mrs. Cornelius Stevenson, Mrs. John Howard McFadden, Mrs. Charles E. Dana, Mrs. Eli Kirk Price, Mrs. George Wharton Pepper, Mrs. Clarence Clark Zantinger, Mrs. Edward H. Cones, Mrs. Edward T. Stotesbury, Mrs. Jasper Yates, Mrs. Brinton, Mrs. George L. Harrison, Jr., Mrs. William R. Mercer, Jr., Mrs. George Howe and Mrs. John Frederick Lewis. The affair will be given from 4 until 8 o'clock, when all these women will receive the guests. Tea will be served and music will entertain the guests during their stay.

The Joseph B. McCall will give a dinner-dance tonight at the Philadelphia Country Club, when the guests will be the members of the dancing class which is chaperoned throughout the winter by Mrs. J. Louis Ketterlinus. The affair will be given for the McCall's daughter and sons, Lenore McCall, Howard McCall and Joseph B. McCall, Jr.

Sedgley Club luncheons will start today. They really are great fun, you know. One or two members—or one member I believe it is—takes charge of each Thursday on which it is decided to serve luncheon; she asks several other members to act as aides and then they all proceed to cook and serve the luncheon themselves. It is a joyous sight to see these fair cooks in chiffons and velvets and silks covered with miniature aprons serving the lunchers with dainty dishes cooked in casseroles of brick-red pottery. Really the food is delicious, and members are usually crasy to take their friends to these most enjoyable affairs. The luncheons will be held this year today and on the first three Thursdays in May.

The little rhyme about the "antiseptic baby and the prophylactic pup" is familiar to all of us, but can you imagine the consternation of a friend of mine when, upon consulting her young hopeful after he had been slightly bitten by her toy dog, the little boy triumphantly gasped between sobs, "Well, I just bit his tail hard, so I did!" NANCY WYNNE.

Persons Mr. and Mrs. William Struthers Ellis, of Fox Hill Farm, Bryn Mawr, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Sydney Ellis, to Mr. Radcliffe Cheston, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. Radcliffe Cheston, of Chestnut Hill.

Mr. J. Hartley Merrick will give a box party at the Mask and Wig performance, followed by a dance, at the Mask and Wig clubhouse, this evening, in honor of his debutante cousin, Miss Anne B. Merrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Vaughan Merrick.

Miss Mildred Hoopes, of Wilmington, entertained at luncheon yesterday in honor of Miss Helen C. Wilson, Miss Renee du Pont, Miss Ethel A. Tallman, Miss Janet Jackson, Miss Barbara Vandegriest, Miss Henryette Stadelman, Miss Lydia Chichester, Mrs. Clement W. Miller, Mrs. Alfred North Germantown, and Mrs. S. Frederick Barker.

Mrs. Edward T. Stotesbury, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Emory Hutchinson, Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Palm, Dr. and Mrs. Anthony J. Drexel Biddle, Jr. were among those who attended the wedding of Mrs. Mary Pace Croner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Pace, of Richmond, which took place yesterday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, at the home of the bride, 565 Park avenue, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Reath, Jr., who were married Tuesday, in Trinity Church, Wilmington, sailed yesterday for Bermuda, where they will spend about a fortnight.

Miss Mary Scott, a student at Bryn Mawr, who is spending the holidays in Richmond, was the guest of honor at a luncheon, given yesterday afternoon by Miss Frances B. Scott.

The Plays and Players will give one of their delightful informal teas on Sunday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Mrs. Robert Clark Geddes will preside as hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Roberts Nowicki, of 914 Clinton street, entertained at dinner last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Waters, of San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Boyd, of Wynnsfield, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Mary Elizabeth Boyd, on April 25. Mrs. Boyd will be remembered as Miss Imogene Calves.

The engagement is announced of Miss Ruth Bitman, of this city, to Mr. Michael Malanout.

The engagement of Miss Jessie M. Resnick to Mr. Louis Klein is announced.

Along the Main Line OVERBROOK—The Entertainment Committee of the Overbrook Golf Club, of which Mr. Philip A. Cantner is chairman, is planning an elaborate and unusual affair for the Tuesday night dance, May 2. It will be called a black-and-white dance

TO FEATURE INDOOR HORSE SHOW TODAY



Weddings

JOHNSON—ARMSTRONG.

The marriage of Miss Ethel Armstrong, daughter of Mrs. James Armstrong, of 3013 North 15th street, to Mr. Oliver N. Johnson was solemnized last night at the home of the bride's parents. The Rev. John Ellison, pastor of the Lehigh Avenue Baptist Church, performed the ceremony, which was followed by a small reception. The bride wore a gown of white satin with trimmings of tulle and Chantilly lace and a long tulle veil caught with sprays of orange blossoms. Bride roses and lilies of the valley were carried. Miss Bessie Armstrong, the bride's sister, who was maid of honor, wore a pink crepe de chine frock and carried roses of the same color. Mr. Johnson had Mr. Earl Bean as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will receive after May 15 at 1900 South 18th street.

RADLEY—SKINNER.

A quiet wedding took place last evening, at 6 o'clock, in the rectory of Holy Cross Church, Mount Airy, when Miss Madeleine Beatrice Skinner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry Skinner, of 15 Pelham road, became the bride of Mr. John Jeffrey Radley, of this city. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. J. Hines, of Holy Cross. The bride wore a white gown with a white lace and tulle veil and carried a bouquet of white roses. Mr. and Mrs. Radley had Mr. John Stewart as best man. The bride wore an exquisite gown of white lace and tulle veil and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Bertha Skinner, who was maid of honor. The ceremony was followed by a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Skinner, at which 45 guests, including members of the family and a few intimate friends, were present. Mr. and Mrs. Radley left in the evening for an extended wedding trip.

BOOKER-MERSCHER.

A very pretty wedding took place last evening when Miss Hannah F. Merscher, daughter of Mrs. Frederica Merscher, became the bride of William F. Booker, formerly of Williamsburg, Va. The bride wore a Georgette crepe dress with white satin train and carried sweet peas and lilies of the valley. The groom wore a white tuxedo and carried a bouquet of white roses. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. J. Hines, of Holy Cross. The bride wore a white gown with a white lace and tulle veil and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Bertha Skinner, who was maid of honor. The ceremony was followed by a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Skinner, at which 45 guests, including members of the family and a few intimate friends, were present. Mr. and Mrs. Radley left in the evening for an extended wedding trip.

PAUL—MAGUIRE.

An early Easter wedding was solemnized in St. Mark's Church, North Philadelphia, yesterday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, when Miss Mary Josephine Maguire, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Maguire, became the bride of Mr. John J. Paul, of 411 North Carliston street. The bride wore a white gown with a white lace and tulle veil and carried a bouquet of white roses. Mr. Paul was best man, and the ushers were Mr. Thomas B. Redfern and Mr. William May. Following the church ceremony a small reception for members of the two families was held at the bride's home. After a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Paul will be at home in Bryn Mawr after May 15.

McMAHON—CHASE.

A pretty wedding took place late yesterday afternoon when Miss Lillian R. Chase, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Murphy, of East Silverwood street, became the bride of Mr. John F. McMahon. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. P. H. McGinnis, of the church of St. John the Baptist, Manayunk. Miss Chase wore a white Georgette crepe gown, showered with lace and white satin, and carried a bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Bessie McMahon, sister of the bridegroom, who acted as maid of honor, wore a blue satin frock trimmed with roses. She carried pink roses. Mr. McMahon acted as best man. After a wedding trip the couple will be at home after May 15, and will live on East Dupont street Manayunk.

GERMANO—JULIANA.

The marriage of Miss Marie Cecilia Juliana, daughter of Mrs. Ferdinand Juliana, and Mr. Angelo Andrew Germano took place yesterday afternoon, at 4 o'clock, at 3209 Baltimore ave. A reception was held in the evening at the home of the bride's parents.

WEYLL-MILLER.

A pretty wedding took place in Trinity Church, Oxford, yesterday, when Miss Margaret Weyll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Weyll, of 2915 North 13th street, became the bride of Mr. C. Reinhardt Miller, of 2723 West Somerset street. A reception at the home of the bride's parents followed the ceremony.

Along the Reading

Dr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Toulon, United States Navy, who have been spending the winter in Philadelphia have taken a house, 108 Woodland avenue, which they are now occupying. Dr. and Mrs. Toulon will have Mrs. Lewis E. Goodier, Miss Helen Goodier and Lieutenant Lewis E. Goodier, Jr., of the Aviation Corps, United States Army, as their guests for an indefinite time. Lieutenant Goodier is here on an extended furlough, as he is recuperating from a very serious fall at San Diego last year.

Roxborough

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Cheltenham Fire Company is planning for a big picnic and dance on Wednesday evening, May 3, at the Freshwater. This women's organization has always given very enjoyable affairs and this promises to be one of the most successful.

FOUR WEDDINGS IN AN AFTERNOON

Oak View Church Has a Busy Time Marrying Its Young Folk

St. Charles Church, at Oak View, was the scene of a most unusual happening yesterday, when four marriages were performed in the one afternoon. The first took place at 2:30 o'clock, when Miss Helen Harsh, of Clifton Heights, became the bride of Mr. John Vaughan, also of Clifton. Miss Harsh wore a suit of blue taffeta, with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Bertha Skinner, who was maid of honor. The ceremony was followed by a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Skinner, at which 45 guests, including members of the family and a few intimate friends, were present. Mr. and Mrs. Radley left in the evening for an extended wedding trip.

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Military Minstrel Show

The Boys' Catholic Club will give a military minstrel and dance in St. Philomena's Hall this evening and tomorrow evening. Those taking part in the sketch will be Miss Nan Haley, Miss Gertrude Haley, Mr. Adam J. Weber, Jr., Mr. James J. McIntosh and Mr. D. Arthur Maguire. In the minstrel circle will be Mr. J. Haines, Mr. Edward Lewis, Mr. Jack Lynch, Mr. Arthur Perry, Mr. James Kean, Mr. William Brookmeyer, Mr. Thomas Cuhane, Mr. F. Farren, Jr., Mr. T. Haney, Mr. Irwin Uhl, Mr. Edward Burdick, Mr. Raymond Uhl, Mr. Arthur J. O'Brien, Mr. Charles McShane, Mr. J. Cuhane, Mr. William Cuhane and Mr. Oliver Watson.

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MUSICALE TO BE GIVEN BY LADIES' AID OF ST. TIMOTHY'S

A Tea and Concert Will Be Held to Commemorate the 200th Meeting of the Aid—Other Entertainments

THE Ladies' Aid of St. Timothy's Hospital will give a musicale on Saturday, from 3 until 5 o'clock, to commemorate the 200th meeting of the aid, also to open for inspection St. Catharine's Cottage, the new home for the nurses on Rector street, Roxborough. All who are interested in the welfare of the hospital are most cordially invited to be present to spend a pleasant musical afternoon, also to see what comfortable quarters the nurses have been made possible through the combined efforts and gifts of many of the good people in the community.

A surprise party was given by Mr. Nathan Weinstein for his sister, Miss Ethel Weinstein, last Sunday at 3721 Brown street, the room being decorated with Easter lilies and American beauties. Mr. Aaron Feldman gave an exhibition of dancing and juggling, with many beautiful steps. An exhibition was given by Miss Ethel Weinstein and Mrs. Samuel Laskin, showing some of the newest steps. Mr. Nathan Weinstein gave a selection on his violin, with Miss Bessie Brown at the piano. Miss Tillie Adelson sang a few solos. Mr. Morris Seidel gave a recitation. The feature of the evening was the singing of Mr. Samuel Laskin.

Among the guests were Miss Fay Rosenberg, Miss Tillie Adelson, Miss Bessie Brown, Miss Ella Halman, Miss Sara Weinstein, Miss Minnie Feldman, Miss Fannie Laskin, Mr. and Mrs. Feiman, Mr. and Mrs. Weinstein, Mr. Nathan Weinstein, Mr. Samuel Laskin, Mr. Morris Seidel, Mr. Morris Weinger, Mr. David Towner, Mr. Louis Rosener, Mr. Isaac Lattinsky, Mr. Adolph Laskin and Mr. Abe Herman.

An amateur singing contest and dance will be given by the Senior Auxiliary of the Jewish Sheltering Home on Sunday, May 7, at the Parkway Auditorium, Broad and Cherry streets. Three cash prizes will be awarded to the best singers, who will be judged by the audience.

An Easter reception was given by Mr. Maurice Feldstein at his residence, 3335 Rector street, Roxborough.

AMUSEMENTS

CONVENTION HALL NOW

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FOR WAR WIDOWS AND ORPHANS

CENTRAL POWER, 5 P. M. Daily

Concert Hall—Rich Quartet and Thaddeus O. Rich, Violin and Horatio Connell, Bass.

8:30 P. M.—The Hubertus-Montgomery. A piano; Paul Volkman, Tenor; David Mayer, Baritone; Eugene, Bass.

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Victoria OWEN MOORE

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MMB. PETHOVA in "Playing With Fire"

Phila. Indoor Horse Show

Today—Tomorrow—Saturday

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