JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Main Line Red Cross Does Wonderful Work—Dog Show Will Be Held in Rose Gardens of Bellevue-Stratford for Benefit of Red Star Association

MRS. GEORGE W. KENDRICK, 3d, you know, is chairman of the wool committee of the Main Line branch of the American Red Cross. At the meeting held the other day she reported that they had turned in 2000 garments in the last five weeks. It seems to me that answers the question, "Does it pay to knit?"

Mrs. Joseph F. Page is the subchairman of this committee, and the girls who distribute the wool and collect articles are Eleanor Dougherty, Ethel Townsend, Ethel Hastings, Edith Collins, Martha Oberteuffer, Margaret Chrystie and Miss Rondinella, of Bryn Mawr College.

Some of the members of this committee are interested in a large mass-meeting which is to be held in the Masonic Hall, in Ardmore, on January 16, when Captain Peter Latham will speak. There will be songs by a double quartet composed of the following men: John Joyce, Howard Stavers, Joseph W. Shannon, Frederick L. Baily, T. Mitchell Hastings, George Orr, Clarence Gardiner and Timothy Borda, accompanied by Armitt Brown.

Mrs. T. Mitchell Hastings, of Haverford, is in charge, and under her direction all the men of base hospital unit No. 20 have been fully equipped with woolens, and the eighty women belonging to the unit have received all their woolen garments, with the exception of helmets.

You know, the Main Line branch has just completed its membership drive and collected 9000 new members, besides 1700 renewals. Just think of it! One of the workers told me that they averaged two members to every house from Ardmore to Villanova. Some membership that! Women certainly do know how to work!

WE HUMAN beings are funny things, aren't we? We fuss and fume, and when we hear the Metropolitan is going to give "Faust" or "Pagliacci" we say, "For goodness sake, why on earth don't they give us one of the new operas here?" And then when they give us a magnificent performance in point of real music and exquisite scenery, such as Liszt's "St. Elizabeth" last night, because it's all beautiful and pure and high, and there's no special plot and no hectic love scenes, we don't like it. Still I do think the audience did appreciate the tableaux, but I doubt. From the general attitude of the house, which clapped and applauded through one of the most beautiful bits of orchestration, between the third and fourth tableaux, and was only stopped by the hissing of the Opera Club, if "St. Elizabeth" will be welcomed here again. They can talk all they like about wanting new things, but they want the old ones they know by heart and that have regular tunes.

Some of the boxes were empty last night, but many of the regular operagoers were there. Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Caner, Jr., were with the Hamilton Colkets Uytendale looking extremely well in a crimson frock. Edith Wayne Ridgway also wore an old shade of crimson velvet and tulle, which was perfectly lovely and wonderfully becoming. Mrs. George Dallas Dixon, who was in the Stotesbury box, wore a gown of bright green satin and a black paradise in her hair. Mrs. George Fales Baker wore a handsome gown of black, and Mrs. Madison Taylor, who was in the Baker's box, was in gray.

There were soldiers and naval officers, marines and reserves scattered through the audience as usual, and though every single seat was not filled, it was what might be called a decidedly brilliant house.

ONE of our worthy war works is being undertaken by the Order of the Red Star. And it is a decidedly practical as well as sentimental one. The Order of the Red Star is a companion philanthropy to the Red Cross, but its helpfulness is directed to the succor of the dumb beasts which serve our armies in war. The local branch of the order is planning a dog show for Saturday afternoon and evening of this week in the Rose Garden of the Bellevue-Stratford. Proceeds will be for the benefit of a fund to purchase an ambulance for the war zone to care for battle-stricken animals. Philadelphians interested in the work of the S. P. C. A. will naturally desire to aid in the good work of relieving the suffering of man's dumb servitors and friends. For we must not forget the services of the faithful horses and dogs of the war zone. The little Red Cross dog, who hunts the living among the dead and the horse who bears his rider into the midst of the smoke and shell of battle. Should we refuse to help them? I think not, indeed.

AND now we have more weddings on the tapis. There's Sarah Neilson, whose engagement to Lieutenant Crawford Madeira was announced a little more than a month ago. Sarah is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Neilson, of 1926 Pine street and St. Davids. Her mother was Clara Rosengarten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rosengarten and a sister of Mrs. W. W. Atterbury, George, Adolph, Joe and Fritz Rosengarten. Her father is an officer in the Pennsylvania Railroad. He is the son of the late Mr. Thomas Neilson and Mrs. Neilson, who was Miss Sarah Claypoole Lewis, and for whom Sarah is named. His brothers are Dr. Tom Neilson, Billy and Fred Neilson, and his two sisters are Miss Emma and Miss Mary Neilson. So you see Sarah is well "uncled" and "aunted."

The wedding will take place on Saturday of next week, January 19, and Jean Thompson Thayer will be matron of honor and the only attendant. Lieutenant Edward W. Madeira will be best man, and Lieutenant Harry R. Neilson, Sarah's brother; Lieutenant Frederick Drayton, Lieutenant John B. Thayer, 3d, Mr. Francis C. Grant and Mr. Louis C. Madeira, 3d, will be the ushers. The wedding will take place in St. Martin's Episcopal Church, at Radnor, and there will be a reception afterward at the Neilsons' country home at Radnor. And Lieutenant Madeira and his bride will live near the camp where he is stationed.

NANCY WYNNE.

Social Activities

Mrs. Clinton Rogers Woodruff has returned to her home, 2319 Spruce street, from Lancaster, Pa.

Friends of Mr. J. Wallace Hallowell will be glad to hear he has recovered from his recent illness and is convalescing at his apartment at the Wellington, Nineteenth and Walnut streets.

Mrs. George Fales Baker left today for Lakewood to stay until Saturday. While there Mrs. Baker will give a large entertainment on Friday evening for the benefit of the district nurses.

Mrs. Henry S. Jeanes and Miss Margaretta Jeanes will not receive tomorrow afternoon owing to a recent death in the family.

Mrs. Paul Caspar, of Pittsburgh, returned to her home yesterday after spending a week with Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Acornley, at 508 South Fifty-second street. Mrs. Caspar came here to visit her son, Mr. Elmer J. Caspar, who is a sailor on an American warship and who has been stopping in this city for several days.

The Delta Beta Rho Fraternity elected officers for this year at the clubrooms of the Philadelphia Chapter at 1518 Pine street on Monday evening. Those chosen were Mr. Francis A. Keegan, president; Mr. Harold J. Wiegand, vice president; Mr. Anthony R. Finch, treasurer, and Mrs. Francis A. O'Malley, secretary. Plans were discussed for raising a service flag in honor of the twenty-eight members of the fraternity in United States military service.

Mrs. Joseph E. Paperman, of 6126 Lansdowne avenue, Overbrook, has left for a trip. She will stop at Olean, N. Y., to visit her brother, and at Niagara Falls and Buffalo. She will also stop at Boston, where she will visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. S. Tobin.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Rabbi B. L. Levinthal, 716 Pine street, when Miss Lena Greenblatt, of 2030 North Thirty-second street, was married to Mr. Herman Gold, on Tuesday evening, January 1. After the ceremony the bridegroom and bride left for Atlantic City, and upon their return will live at 2030 North Thirty-second street.

L'Alliance Francaise held its semimonthly meeting at the Acorn Club, 1618 Walnut street, on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock. Professor Giroud presided as usual and introduced the speaker of the evening, M. Anatol Le Braz. Since announcements had been sent out that Monsieur Le Braz had chosen for his subject "La Guerre," it was not surprising that the meeting was exceptionally well attended. After the lecture a light supper was served in an adjacent room.

The music committee of the Philomusian Club gave an operatic costume recital at the clubhouse on Monday evening.

Mrs. Edward Philip Lynch, who is chairman of the music committee, was in charge of the entertainment, which was most enjoyable. A great many members and their guests were present. The artists were Marie Ladue Piersol, soprano, and W. Burton Piersol, baritone. They were accompanied by Mary Miller Mount, at the piano.

Miss Marion Sadler has returned to her home after spending the week-end in Haddonfield as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lacky.

Miss Emma F. Wendel, of 1932 North Broad street, will entertain the members of her card club on Wednesday afternoon. Among the guests will be Miss Kathryn McDowell, Miss Estelle Keller, Miss Sarah Hincken, Miss Lois Black, Miss Kathryn West, Miss Louise Soulas and Miss Mae Mersig.

Miss Hazel Aarons has returned to Wellesley College after spending the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max N. Aarons, of 1934 North Broad street.

Miss Florence Koch, of 1938 North Broad street, has returned to Washington, where she attends Cathedral School, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Koch. Miss Koch had as her guest Miss Virginia Meyer, of Mauch Chunk

SUBSCRIPTION DANCE IN RIDLEY PARK

Juniors of Morton-Rutledge Woman's Club Will Give Play for Red Cross Branch

A subscription dance will be given in the Ridley Park Auditorium on Saturday evening, January 19. The proceeds will be devoted to the Ridley Park branch of the Camp Fire Girls. Miss Ethel White is president of this, and Miss Winifred Sloan, secretary.

A delightful subscription dance was held in the Auditorium at Ridley Park on Saturday evening. Even the coldest of weather cannot keep young people away from a good time, and there were lots of them at the affair. During the evening horns and other small favors were distributed among the guests, and very good "eats" were served. Mrs. Charles G. Hetzel had charge of the dance and she was assisted by Mrs. Joseph A. McHenry and Mrs. William C. Huston, of Norwood. Among those who attended the dance were Miss Elizabeth H. Buse, Miss Louise Furst, Miss Miriam Stull, Miss Brown, Miss Elizabeth Lukens, Miss Alma Case, Miss Helen Hays, Miss Frances Hall, Miss Mildred Rhodes, Miss Helen Bickley, Miss Winifred Sloan, Miss Ethel White, Miss Helen White, Miss Sarah White, Miss Jeanette Hays, Miss Anna Maude Balsley, Miss Eloise Hollis, Miss Gertrude Ellis, Miss Edith Dixon, Miss Poole, Miss Dorothy Chestnut, Miss Beatrice Butman, Miss Florence Righter, Mr. Maynard Poole, Mr. Charles Taylor, Mr. Robert Howarth, Mr. Edward Shaw, Mr. James Campbell, Mr. Smedley Ward, Mr. John Blackwell, Mr. John McCain, Mr. Ernest Hetzel, Mr. Cummins, Mr. Lewis, Mr. Park Culbert Mr. Frank Given, Mr. Frank Michell, Mr. Clyde, Mr. William Penfield and Mr. Jack Hummel.

A number of people from Philadelphia, Lansdowne, Swarthmore, Chester and other neighboring towns were there. They included several men in uniform home on furlough.

Mr. Ryland Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene B. Carter, has arrived safely in France.

Mr. Frank Zeiss, Jr., of Oakmont, arrived home the early part of the week for a short furlough. He is stationed at a southern training camp.

The juniors of the Morton-Rutledge Woman's Club will give a play in the Rutledge Borough Hall on Saturday evening, January 19. The proceeds from this affair are to be given to the Red Cross and Emergency Aid branches out there.

Last Wednesday the Woman's Guild, in Aldan, held a meeting at which the officers for the coming year were elected. Mrs. Robert Scott is president; Mrs. Albert E. Bender, vice president; Mrs. William J. Sloan, Jr., secretary; and Mrs. Clark, treasurer.

The youngsters' dancing class, which usually meets every other Friday in the Ridley Park Auditorium, will not have a meeting till the end of January on account of the extremely cold weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Hetzel gave a small dinner at the Union League on New Year's Day. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. G. Hetzel Atherholt, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Atherholt, Miss Helen Atherholt, Miss Carrie Hetzel, Miss Anna Hetzel, Mrs. John Pomeroy and Mr. Richard Pomeroy.

Items of news for the society page will be accepted and printed in the Evening Public Ledger provided they are written on one side of the paper and are signed with full name and address of the sender, as it is great kindness if possible to verify the notes. Address "Society Editor," Evening Public Ledger, Sixth and Chestnut streets.

MRS. VICTOR C. MATHER

MISS EDITH EARLE (Above)
MRS. LAWRENCE D. BEGGS (Below)

MRS. GILBERT MATHER (Above)
MRS. J. M. PATTERSON, 2D (Below)

Bride of next month and her four married sisters, who will be members of the bridal party.

SEEK WARMTH OF SOUTHERN COAST

West Philadelphians Leave City to Occupy Cottages at Miami, Fla., Until Easter

Miss Marion Renieke and Miss Alice Renieke, of 328 South Forty-sixth street, with their grandfather, Mr. William McMullin, left this city last week for Miami, Fla. Mr. McMullin has taken a cottage there and they expect to remain until Easter. Both Miss Alice Renieke and Miss Marion Renieke are very active members of the Urquhart Chapter of the Red Cross.

Miss Margaret Mary Maher entertained a few of her friends on Thursday afternoon. The guests, who amused themselves with knitting and tea, included Miss Mary Carr, Miss Salome Gale, Miss Constance Burns, Miss Anna Denney, Miss Eleanor McCarey, Miss Regina Buckley, Miss Jean Gastand, Miss Anna Cassidy, Miss Margaret Miset and Miss Helen Quinn.

Mr. and Mr. Percy C. Rosenberg, formerly of Forty-ninth and Walnut streets, are now living in their new home at Sixty-ninth and West Chester road.

Mr. John W. Au Raud, of 5252 Larchwood avenue, had a large family reunion during the holidays. His daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Washburn, and their four children, from Pittsburgh, were among the guests. Others included Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Thompson, Miss Gertrude Au Raud and Miss Augusta Au Raud.

Miss Jane Eglin, of 235 South Forty-second street, gave a family dinner party during the holidays. Her guests included Dr. and Mrs. Archbald Eglin and Master Archibald Eglin, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Eglin and Miss Frances and Master Billy Eglin, Mr. William C. L. Eglin and Mrs. David Horne, formerly of Harrisburg.

Miss Mabel Luccarenie, of 4944 Hazel avenue, entertained the Alpha Chapter of the Phi Delta Psi Sorority at her home at luncheon Saturday afternoon. Her guests were Miss Catharine Becker, Miss Helen Chatham, Miss Erma Glower, Miss Mildred Conrey, Miss Elsa Gross, Miss Margaret Kilmore, Miss Jenebelle Harkins, Miss Ruth Mylin, Mrs. Lewis Street, Miss Marian Williams, Miss Estelle Wood, Miss Catharine O'Neil, Miss Mary Wogan and Miss Sue Luccarenie.

Card Party and Sale for Benefit of Woman's Hospital

A card party and sale of fancy articles, candies and cakes will be held at the Acorn Club, 1618 Walnut street, today, at 2 o'clock. The proceeds are for the benefit of the Woman's Hospital, Twenty-second street and North College avenue. The social service department is in charge. Since the beginning of the war demands on the Woman's Hospital have been unusually heavy. The hospital cares solely for sick women and children, and an unusually large number of patients have lately been treated as the result of breaking up of homes, following the departure of husbands and fathers for war service.

The social service department has enlarged its activities by constant visits to the homes of discharged patients, for the purpose of seeing that the conditions of health and proper living are cared for. These ministrations are under direct charge of trained nurses, experienced in all lines of social service work. The Woman's Hospital is under great financial strain, coping with the emergencies constantly arising, and is in vital need of assistance.

MRS. BENJAMIN HARRIS

Whose marriage took place on December 23. Mr. and Mrs. Harris have returned from a wedding trip to Sulphur Springs, Va., and are at home at 1942 North Thirty-first street.

RETURNS TO CAMP AFTER FURLOUGH

New Jersey Red Cross Branches Have Large Increase of Membership After Drive

EDGEWATER PARK—Lieutenant Wayne Patton has returned to camp after a furlough of ten days, which he spent with his mother, Mrs. Emma Patton, on Cliff lane.

Mrs. Burton D. Blair, who is spending several months at the Lincoln in Philadelphia, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gill on Sunday at their home, Holt-Wilson.

Mrs. Samuel A. Nedich has returned home after spending ten days at the Marlborough-Blenheim, Atlantic City.

Mrs. P. S. Clarkson and Miss Theresa Clarkson have returned to Spruce Acre after a few days' visit at the Hotel Dennis, Atlantic City.

MOORESTOWN—Mrs. Anna Willets has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Martha Willets, to Mr. William Hoyt, who is now with the U. S. Aviation Corps.

Mrs. Roy Sutton is entertaining her brother, Mr. Edward Meyers, of Boston, Mass.

BEVERLY—Mr. and Mrs. P. T. McLaughlin, of Broad street, are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Loreaux, of Philadelphia.

Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Cook have returned from Albany, N. Y., where they have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Guy Smith.

Fifteen thousand members were secured in Burlington County for the Christmas Red Cross membership drive.

Mrs. Jacob Rue, of Walnut lane, left for a fortnight's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Louis Bryan, of New York.

Mr. Henry C. Blair will leave for the West Indies in a few days to be gone for several months.

DELANCO—Mrs. Thomas Hagstoz is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Askins, in New York for a few days.

Mrs. Jan Van Herwerden and her little daughter, of Plainfield, N. J., are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Jones L. Edwards.

The Rev. George W. Ridout, D. D., who has made his home in Upland, Ind., for several years, was calling on friends here on Sunday. Doctor Ridout was formerly pastor of Dobbins Memorial Church. Doctor Ridout will go to France as a secretary of the Y. M. C. A.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leathen have returned to their home in Trenton after a ten days' visit with Mrs. Edward Powers, of Walnut lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Hunter have returned to Washington, D. C., after spending the holidays with Mrs. E. R. Hunter on Union lane.

RIVERSIDE—Mrs. M. A. Hozier is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Alfred P. Morgan, of Los Angeles, Cal., for a fortnight.

Mr. John Graham, of Cleveland avenue, has enlisted in the ambulance corps.

The Riverside and Delanco Red Cross branch during the Christmas membership drive secured 2200 members. This is one of the largest branches in Burlington County, having 3304 members. One thousand four hundred and twenty-five members were enrolled at the Keystone watch case factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rider are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

RIVERTON—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Biddle will leave today for Hibernia, Fla., for a three months' stay.

Mrs. Henry C. Biddle is at Montreal, Can., for a month's stay with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Page.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McIlvaine Biddle are spending several weeks in New York.

During the Christmas drive for new members 500 were enrolled.

Mrs. William Kellie gave a dinner in honor of her brother, Lieutenant Thomas Ford, who is with the Second Ontario Regiment in Canada. Covers were laid for twenty guests. Lieutenant Ford will leave soon. This is the first time in five years that he has visited his home here.

The marriage of Miss Leah Northwood and Mr. George D. Evaul is announced.

PALMYRA—The Red Cross branch has increased its membership by 297 members during the Christmas membership drive.

Miss Dorothy Sharp has returned to Elmira, N. Y., where she is attending college, after spending the holidays at her home here.

Largely Attended Wedding in Bridgeboro, New Jersey

BRIDGEBORO.—A pretty home wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell in Bridgeboro, N. J., when their niece, Miss Amelia Cumberland Hanson, became the bride of Mr. Raymond J. Anderson. The Rev. J. N. Morris, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiated.

Harry Anthony, of Edgewater Park, played the wedding march. The bride, who was given in marriage by her uncle, wore a frock of white georgette crepe, trimmed with lace and pearls. Her tulle veil was held in place by a spray of orange blossoms and her bouquet was of white orchids and lilies of the valley. Miss Anna Hanson, a sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Miss Clara Hanson was bridesmaid.

Mr. Russel Anderson, a student of Wesleyan University, Middleton, Conn., attended his brother as best man.

CAVOUR CLUB HAS TALENTED MEMBERS

Last Year's Officers Re-elected Unanimously for Management of Organization for 1918

The Cavour Club closed its first year of existence with seven successful entertainments. In these entertainments much talent was brought out, which now places the Cavours among the leaders as club entertainers.

The new year program includes the work for which the organization was started: The helping of the Italians in Philadelphia who cannot help themselves. At present this will consist in filling out the questionnaires.

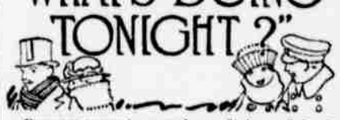
The excellent work accomplished by the officers of the club during the last year has been rewarded by the members by re-election to office without opposition. The officers are as follows:

Mr. William S. Lapetina, president; Mr. Henry A. Mastrangelo, first vice president; Mr. Paschal Peters, second vice president; Mr. Frank Massey, recording secretary; Mr. Joseph Di Piano, corresponding secretary; Mr. Alfred D'Espinose, financial secretary; Mr. Nicholas V. La Fazia, treasurer, and Mr. Victor J. Feola, editor.

The executive committee includes Mr. Frank Massey, Mr. Nicholas V. La Fazia, Mr. David Depresby, Mr. Paschal Peters, and Mr. Victor J. Feola.

Literary committee includes Mr. Paschal Peters, Mr. Vito Manrizio, Mr. Carl Scamufo, Mr. Alfred D'Espinose, and Mr. Henry Cifuni.

"WHAT'S DOING TONIGHT?"



Commencement exercises, Peirce School, with address by Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, Academy of Music. Invitation.

First Wednesday night organ musicale for war relief, St. Clement's Church, Twentieth and Cherry streets. Free.

Military reception, Veteran Guard, Third Pennsylvania Infantry, Roosevelt. Members.

Liberty Club of the Second Division of the Fortieth Ward meets at the home of M. R. Keffer, 1416 South Fifty-second street. Members.

Cheyney Training School for Teachers, Cheyney, Pa., public meeting, Witherspoon Hall. Address by Oswald Garrison Villard, editor of the New York Evening Post. Admission charge.

British War Exhibit, First Regiment Armory, in aid of the British Relief Committee of the Emergency Aid and the British War Relief Fund of Philadelphia. Admission charge.

Laundry Owners' Exchange dinner, Adelphia Hotel. Members.

The Fathers' Association, regular monthly meeting and election of officers, Assembly Hall, 4519 Frankford avenue. Members.

Automobile Schools of the Spring Garden Institute graduation exercises, Broad and Spring Garden streets. Free.

Philadelphia Skating Club, annual dinner, Boathouse Row. Members.

Fortieth Street Business Men's Association, 7 South Fortieth street. Members.

Bridesburg Business Association, Ash and Thompson streets. Members.

County Medical Society, Twenty-second and Ludlow streets. Members.

U. of P. Episcopal Students' dinner and reception, Houston Hall. Invitation.

Meeting of North Kensington Business Men's Association, McPherson Park Library Building, Kensington and Indiana avenues. Free.

Third Regiment Veteran Guard Reception, Rittenhouse Hotel. Invitation.

ACADEMY—TUESDAY, JAN. 15, at 8:15.

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SOUTH PHILADELPHIANS ENTERTAIN

Musicale and Dance for Quaker City Ladies Motor Club at Hotel Walton—Knights of Columbus Hold Army and Navy Nights

AN affair that is causing considerable interest among the women's clubs throughout the city is the musicale and dance that is being given by Mrs. Frank B. Stockley, of 1812 South Broad street, the entire proceeds of which will be donated to the war relief fund of the Quaker City Ladies' Motor Club, of which she is a very active member. This organization has given invaluable aid to the boys at Camp Dix and at Allentown, and since November 1 over $1500 worth of comforts, blankets, bathrobes, sweaters, helmets, wristlets, socks, pillows, etc., have been taken and distributed personally by the committee among the men at these two cantonments. The members meet several times every week to sew and knit, and at the present time there is $250 worth of wool for free distribution among the workers to be made into very necessary articles for the men in service. The fact that many members of the club have sons and nephews in the service, two of whom are at present with General Pershing, is responsible in a measure for the unabated zeal manifested by the members in any affair that helps the fund.

The musicale and dance which Mrs. Stockley has arranged will be held on Friday evening, January 25, in the Hotel Walton, and among the artists who will be heard that evening are the Pennsylvania Male Quartet, Miss Margaret Keane, soprano, and Mrs. Frank B. Stockley, reader. The members of the war relief committee are Mrs. Richard Y. Filbert, president of the club; Mrs. William Marshall, Mrs. Charles Longcope, Mrs. William S. Gemmi, Mrs. Edward D. Hallowell, Mrs. S. A. McDougal, Mrs. Edward Beecher Finck and Mrs. Frank B. Stockley. Among the prominent club members who are working zealously for the success of the affair are Mrs. George W. Young, Mrs. George W. Shisler, Mrs. George W. Datesman, Mrs. S. A. Boyd, Mrs. Clarence Kugler, Miss Lena Wagner, Mrs. George C. J. Fleck, Mrs J. H. Cooley, Mrs. John H. Holmes, Mrs. Lewis Cave, Mrs. Clarence May, Mrs. J. Stewart, Mrs. Lewis Reading and Mrs. Samuel Whan. Two days of every week these women work making blanket robes for the soldiers, and during the last months more than 500 of these robes have been made and distributed. This week a friend of one of the members has donated the use of her large home, in which there are several sewing machines, and the workers will give three days' work at her invitation.

A splendid work that has been going on during the last two months is the army and navy nights that are being given by the various councils of the Knights of Columbus, under the able leadership of Mr. James W. Wafer, chairman of the general committee on war relief. These affairs are given every week by the different councils of the order and any enlisted or drafted man in service is welcome. Uncle Sam's uniform is the only entrance fee required, and everything possible is done to give the men a thoroughly enjoyable time.

Tomorrow evening Brownson Council, No. 993, will entertain in St. Thomas Aquinas's Hall, at Eighteenth and Fernon streets, and many enlisted men have accepted invitations to attend. There will be an excellent entertainment under the direction of Mr. John F. Towers, who will also furnish the music for dancing, following a delicious luncheon, so that every man in the service who attends is assured of a good time. The officers of Brownson Council are Mr. George V. McGrath, grand knight; Mr. Joseph V. Somers, deputy grand knight; Mr. John McNally, chancellor; Mr. Joseph P. Tucker, warden; Mr. John J. Degnan, financial secretary; Mr. James A. Mitchell, recording secretary; Mr. Edward W. Ford, treasurer; Mr. Daniel E. McCarthy, advocate; Mr. William J. Crimbring, inside guard; Mr. Richard A. O'Donnell, outside guard, and Mr. Samuel Fisher, lecturer. The entertainment committee, of which Mr. Fisher is chairman, includes Mr. John I. Gallagher, Mr. Thomas H. McCarthy and Mr. William H. Bonner. Among those expected to be present are Mr. and Mrs. James J. Brogan, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Gaffney, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Halpenny, Mr. James J. Freeman, Mr. Francis A. McCarron, Miss Mae Condron, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Murtha, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Gallagher, Mr. and Mrs. Robert McDougal, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel E. McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Roletter, Mr. Louis J. Bresset, Mr. Richard Connelly, Jr., Mr. Charles Goldstein, Mr. George J. Gill, Mr. William F. Golden, Mr. Cornelius J. Dougherty, Mr. Francis A. Cartin, Mr. Charles A. Daley, Mr. Edward J. Wynne, Jr., Mr. Thomas F. Moran, Mr. John M. Lamb, Mr. Charles McGarrity and Mr. Andrew L. McCabe.

One of the largest affairs of South Philadelphia's younger set will take place tomorrow evening, when the Kirkwood Country Club will hold its annual reception and dance. In previous years, this affair has always been held in Horticultural Hall, but the recent destruction of the hall has made it necessary to take it this year to Danceland at Twentieth street and Montgomery avenue, where about 2000 guests are expected. Congressman John R. K. Scott will lead the grand march, and the music will be furnished by Professor Daniel F. Shea and Hummel's Philadelphia Plaza Band. Among the prominent men who have accepted invitations to attend are Mr. W. Freeland Kendrick, Mr. Thomas B. Smith, Mr. William S. Vare, Mr. Frank J. Ryan, Mr. Edwin H. Vare, Mr. C. Walter Glassow, Mr. William H. Wilson, Mr. Edwin R. Cox, Mr. James Haslett, Mr. William E. Finley, Mr. John P. Connelly, Mr. Evan T. Pennock, Mr. Robert Carson, Mr. William W. Smith, Mr. Carl B. Baker, Mr. Harry A. Mackey, Mr. Frederick W. Willard, Mr. Samuel P. Rotan, Mr. James E. Lennon, Mr. Harry Kuenzel, Mr. James S. MacLaughlin, Mr. Harry W. Mace and Mr. Edward W. Wells. The officers of the club are Mr. Edward P. Carney, president, who is in a great measure responsible for the success of the affair; Mr. James P. McCormick, vice president; Mr. Joseph I. Finnerty, recording secretary, and Mr. John C. Nolan, financial secretary and treasurer. Mr. Martin A. Lyons is chairman of the entertainment committee, and the members of the club are Mr. William Brennan, Mr. C. Harry Cowley, Mr. John J. Coulin, Mr. Bernard J. Coyle, Mr. Charles F. Geeney, Mr. Daniel A. Devine, Mr. Frank A. Devine, Mr. A. John Doody, Mr. Casper T. Eissler, Mr. Howard T. Eissler, Mr. Luke T. Foley, Mr. Paul V. Griffin, Mr. William W. Griffin, Mr. Leo A. Hefferman, Mr. Lawrence N. Hannigan, Mr. James Hannigan, Mr. George D. Hughes, Mr. William T. Haverty, Mr. Hugh A. Keenan, Mr. Daniel C. Latimer, Mr. C. Walter Leonard, Mr. John P. Lyons, Mr. Joseph Lythgoe, Mr. Peter J. McCarrity, Mr. James P. McCormick, Mr. Edward D. A. McCormick, Mr. William A. McGlone, Mr. John J. McMenamin, Mr. Frank X. McDonald, Mr. John P. J. O'Byrne, Mr. Henry E. O'Byrne, Mr. Hebert J. O'Connor, Mr. Thomas J. A. O'Riordan, Mr. Harry S. Smith and Mr. C. Leo Wallace.

Miss Blanche Lane, of 2527 South Eighteenth street, entertained the members of her bridge club Wednesday evening. A buffet supper was served.

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