JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Overseas Committee Service Shop Opened in Ritz-Carlton on Tuesday Morning—To Be Run by Members of Overseas Club

THE Service Shop of the Overseas Committee of the Emergency Aid of Pennsylvania opened up its new home at 1336 Walnut street, bright and early Tuesday morning. And in case any of the passers-by did not "get it," at intervals throughout the day a soldier, a sailor and a marine stood at the doorway playing the bugle call to arms.

Once inside the attractive little shop, really it is hard to get out again. Now, don't misunderstand little Nancy: there are no sirens of the shops, such as one meets at times in little specialty places, where it costs nothing to gain, but a whole lot to get out. No, that is not the case; but it actually is so attractive it is hard to leave. The brilliant blue-figured wallpaper makes a stunning background for yellow painted furniture, and cheery yellow curtains with bright table covers of the same shade increase the sunshiny aspect of the room, and then there are a few palms and such about the room to give a homey air. And you feel almost as if you were playing store, for there's a business-like roll of brown wrapping paper, and the latest style of scale and cash register shows that everything will be conducted on "strictly business" principles.

That is—with one big exception—for there will be no "overhead" expenses of any kind in connection with the Service Shop, and all profits will go to the Overseas Committee for tobacco, chocolate and the many little comforts which help to make the life of a soldier or sailor more endurable.

The Ritz-Carlton has donated the use of the shop, and all service is volunteer, as each of the aides takes turns serving there several times a week.

Besides this, many of the attractive knitting bags have been donated by various members of the committee, and also a large number of finished articles which are for sale, including helmets, wristlets, scarfs and sweaters.

THE MOST important feature of the shop, of course, is the wonderful assortment of wool which they have for every conceivable kind of "war work." There is white yarn for the new socks, gray for the sailor boy and olive drab or khaki for the marines and soldiers. These include both heavy and light weight wools, but each one is of the very best quality and moderately priced.

In addition to these articles, everything which could be connected with knitting will be on sale there, such as yarn winders and holders, knitting needles and little cases for them, knitting bracelets and—quite important, though not exactly connected with knitting—are the wonderful service flags, whose sale will show the patriotism of the purchaser in more ways than one.

Many customers have already been attracted to the little shop by its quickly earned reputation of selling the best goods at the most moderate prices.

Mrs. John C. Norris is in charge of the shop and she is assisted by Mrs. Harry W. Harrison, Mrs. B. Campbell Madeira, Mrs. Richard Norris and Mrs. Charles Randolph Wood, as officers, and a committee including Mrs. Dobson Altemus, Mrs. Woodville Bohlen, Mrs. Sam Bell, Jr., Miss Agnes Brockie, Mrs. Gardner Cassatt, Mrs. Edgar Church, Mrs. Harry Disston, Mrs. Dal Dixon, Mrs. Antelo Devereux, Miss Faune Denckla, Mrs. Seymour Davis, Mrs. Sydney Colford, Miss Margaret Dunlap, Mrs. Ben Chew, Mrs. Russell Davenport, Mrs. Ned Crozer, Mrs. Dick Elliott, Mrs. Griswold Flagg, Mrs. Ellis Gimbel, Miss Mariana Gowen, Mrs. Howard Henry, Mrs. Barklie Henry, Mrs. Gerald Holsman, Mrs. H. C. Hoppin, Mrs. Thomas Jeffries, Mrs. Edward Russell Jones, Mrs. Frank Kennedy, Mrs. Samuel D. Lit, Mrs. Jack Mason, Mrs. Kearsley Mitchell, 3d, Mrs. Victor Mather, Mrs. Tom McKean, Mrs. Dorr Newton, Mrs. Howard Pancoast, Mrs. Curtis Patterson, Mrs. Louis Page, Mrs. Mitchell Rosengarten, Mrs. Radcliffe Roberts, Mrs. Caryl Roberts, Mrs. James Reed, Mrs. Samuel K. Reeves, Mrs. Francois de St. Phalle, Miss Fanny Sinnickson, Mrs. Joseph Snellenburg, Mrs. Beau Thomson, Mrs. Ben Tilghman, Mrs. Charles Randolph Snowden, Mrs. Henry Watts and Mrs. Charles Wheeler.

THERE'S going to be a big bridge party for the benefit of the University Base Hospital Unit No. 20 on the Roof Garden of the Adelphia Hotel. It seems the Base Hospital, whose chief is Doctor J. B. Carnett, is in need of operating clothes, and Mrs. Josiah Willits, who lives at the Satterlee in West Philadelphia, decided to give a benefit party at the Adelphia, and so a subscription bridge will be given on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Assisting Mrs. Willits in the enterprise are Mrs. George Cauffman, Mrs. George Whitwell, Mrs. Arthur Blakiston, Mrs. Joseph Fritz, Mrs. Frank Craig, Mrs. George Rehfuss and Miss Berenice Behrens.

From all I have heard about it, there will probably be a large attendance, so all the doctors of the Base Hospital and many of the nurses will be able to count on a goodly amount of operating garments.

NANCY WYNNE.

Social Activities

The wedding of Miss Georgiana Gaylord Pitfield, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Lucas Pitfield, and Mr. Jacob Riegel, Jr., will take place on Saturday, February 16, at 4 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, 5211 Wayne avenue, Germantown. The Rev. Gaylord S. White, of New York, a cousin of the bride, will perform the ceremony, at which only the immediate families and a few intimate friends will be present.

Dr. William Curtis Farrabee, of the University of Pennsylvania Museum, gave a talk yesterday afternoon at the Plastic Club, on his explorations along the Amazon River and of the pottery of the Convervo and other tribes. Miss Marion Monroe was hostess.

Mrs. M. Colman, 4811 Kingsessing avenue, on Tuesday evening gave a reception and dance at the Curtis Country Club, Lawndale, where she was hostess to eighty members of Naval Base Hospital Unit No. 1, stationed at the Philadelphia Navy Yard. The unit is made up of men from in and about San Francisco. Mrs. Colman was assisted by a like number of young women connected with the Curtis Publishing Company.

The Ridley Park Bridge Club met on Saturday at the home of Mrs. L. F. de Borden. Among those who attended were Mrs. Howard Scott, Mrs. Harry Stelwagon, 2d, Mrs. Louis Hait, Mrs. Horace Haydock, Mrs. Percy Kane, Mrs. John Mitchell, Miss Florence Righter, Miss Edna Evy, Miss Doris Heineman, Miss Katherine Wilson, Miss E. Dorothea Miller, Miss Josephine Mitchell, Miss Helen Haydock and Miss Fanny Hasian.

Miss Alice McCullough and Miss Gertrude McCullough have returned to their home in New Bedford, Mass., after spending several weeks as the guests of Miss E. Dorothea Miller, of Lincoln avenue, Moores.

Mrs. Michael Dahan, of Darling, Pa., have gone to Florida for the remainder of the winter.

Mr. John P. Kelly and his two daughters, Miss Marion Kelly and Miss Elizabeth Kelly, of Scranton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Lucas at their home, 1918 South Forty-seventh street.

Mrs. Charles de V. Keefe has returned to her home in Bala, after spending several weeks at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Murphy and their family have recently taken apartments at 1830 Rittenhouse square.

Friends of Lieutenant George D. Kane and Mrs. Kane will be glad to hear that Mrs. Kane received the second cablegram of her husband's safe arrival at his final destination, "somewhere in France."

Mr. and Mrs. John Elderkin will entertain in honor of their daughter, Miss Louise Florence Elderkin, at their home, 137 North Fiftieth street, West Philadelphia, tomorrow evening. Among those present will be Miss Gladys Crangle, Miss Elizabeth Parke, Miss Elizabeth Johnson, Miss Elizabeth Shenton, Miss Sara Smith, Miss Grace Sarrel, Miss Lillian Shriver, Miss Edith Akins, Miss Dorothy Mapphars, Mr. Graham Keller, Mr. Carl Leonhardt, Mr. Frank Wolf, Jr., Mr. Edwin Arthur Bookmyer, Jr., Mr. Joseph Bourne, Mr. H. Halerhager, Mr. Eaton, Mr. Owen Sixsmith, Mr. William Howard Bussion, Jr., and Mr. Frank Mitchell.

During last week Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Kirschke, of 3141 Aramingo avenue, entertained their son, Sergeant Leon Kirschke, who is home on a short furlough. Sergeant Kirschke holds the rank of supply sergeant. Last Sunday evening a reception was given in his honor at the home of his parents, as he expects to leave soon for duty. Among those present were Miss Martha Kirschke, Miss Mamie Kirschke, Mr. and Mrs. W. Cieslinski, Mrs. W. J. Hartman, Miss Josephine Graves, Miss Anna Bukowinsta, Miss Minnie Smith, Miss Sarah Wagner, Mr. Thomas Yanczak, Mr. Raymond Raczynski, Mr. Aleck Drelling, Mr. J. Barr Penn and Mr. J. Stanley Drelling.

Mrs. Alan Hartwell Strong, of 2036 De Lancey street, will be at home informally this afternoon. No cards have been sent out.

The Friday Evening Dancing Class will have three more meetings at the Germantown Cricket Club on Saturday evenings, February 16, March 16 and April 13. The dances are held on Saturday in order that men who are stationed at nearby posts may be able to come when they have week-end passes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Beebe, of Wallingford, Pa., with their two little children, are visiting Mrs. Beebe's mother, Mrs. George de Benneville Keim, of 2101 Porter street, this week.

Mrs. Thomas P. Nelson, wife of Commander Nelson, U. S. N., of 2429 South Twenty-first street, expects to have as her guest for a week or two Mrs. J. Trice, of Richmond, Va.

Mrs. Dixon Andrews and her two little children, who have been visiting Dr. and Mrs. T. Hollingsworth Andrews, of 2516 South Twenty-second street, for the last few weeks, left this week for her home in the South, where she expects to remain for the remainder of the winter.

Major W. A. Garrett, of the Remington Arms Company, addressed the Men's Society of the Frankford Presbyterian Church last evening on "Some of My Observations While in France."

Miss Nancy Raymond, of Herbert street, Frankford, is visiting relatives and friends in Scranton, Pa., and will be gone for two weeks.

TWO WEDDINGS IN NEW JERSEY

Miss Lambden Married to Mr. Tice at Home of Parents in Georgetown

A very pretty wedding occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Henry Lambden at Georgetown, when their daughter, Miss Lottie E. Lambden, became the bride of Mr. Frederick C. Tice, of Florence. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Louis T. McLain.

Miss Ethel E. James, of Laurel, Del., attended the bride as matron of honor. Mr. Tice had as his best man Mr. Stephen L. Richards, of Georgetown. Miss Grace Janies played the wedding march. A reception followed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Tice are spending their honeymoon in Phoebus, Va., and will be at home in Florence, N. J., after February 14.

BEDWELL—RICE

A pretty wedding took place at the Episcopal Church, Mount Holly, on Saturday evening, at 7 o'clock, when Miss Helen Rice, of Burlington, became the bride of Mr. Frank Bedwell. The Rev. James Cox, rector of the church, officiated.

The bride was attended by Miss Virginia Mitchell as maid of honor, and her bridesmaids were Miss Alphina G. Fenimore and Miss Hazel Whitmore. Mr. William McGrath, of Florence, was Mr. Bedwell's best man. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Bedwell left on their wedding trip. On their return they will live at Burlington.

"Stella d'Italia" to Hold Concert and Dance Tonight

The "Stella d'Italia" Italian Ladies' Mutual Beneficial Association will give a concert and ball tomorrow evening at Musical Fund Hall, Locust street above Eighth.

The proceeds of the fete will be sent to her Majesty, Queen Elena of Italy, for the war sufferers.

This is one of the most select societies of the Italian colony and has always contributed largely to philanthropic affairs.

The program of the evening will include: Miss Mary D'Annunzio and her pupils, Miss Mary Giudice, Miss Clara Cardona and Mr. Emil Sabatini, in piano solos, duets and songs; Johnny Mack, Hebrew comedian; Vincent J. Lenge, violin soloist; Franklin Duo, songs and chatter, fresh from Dumont's; Medley Quartet; Sig. Ferrucci Giannini, operatic selections; minstrel show by Medley Country Club.

The committee includes Mrs. Katie M. Laury, who is president. She was a niece of the late Captain Joseph Malatesta; Mrs. Victoria Falsetta, vice president; Mrs. Carmelina Malatesta, treasurer; Miss Teresa Botto, secretary; Miss Maria Costa, vice secretary; Mrs. Roberto Lombardi, wife of the president of "Circolo Italiano" and president of the Sons of Italy State Bank; Mrs. Florence Lagomarsino, Mrs. Rosa Rosatto, Mrs. Maria Raggio, Mrs. Julia Calderoni, Mrs. Elizabeth Malatesta, Mrs. Teresa Lertora, Mrs. Madaline Lertora, Mrs. Rosa Kimtora, Mrs. Madaline Sammartino, Mrs. Maria mel, Mrs. Madaline Sammartino, Mrs. Maria Razzore, Mrs. Italia Sordi, Mrs. Rosa Dei Piani, Miss Nettie Piccerello and Miss Elba Cardenti.

Photo by Matilde Weil.
MRS. CHARLES R. SNOWDEN

MRS. RICHARD NORRIS

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Three members of Overseas Committee of the Emergency Aid who are in charge of the new service shop opened on Tuesday in the store next to the headquarters of the Overseas Committee at the Ritz-Carlton.

CARD PARTY AND AUCTION FOR RED CROSS

Branch Formed at Crosswick, N. J., Busy Collecting Linen for Hospitals of France

CROSSWICK—The Red Cross branch held a card party, followed by an auction sale of all kinds of fancy cakes, fruit and bric-a-brac, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Rogers on Monday afternoon. The proceeds were turned over to the treasurer of the Red Cross branch. For the last fortnight the members of the branch have been kept very busy. During the recent linen shower one box of linen has been collected for the linen shower for France, also a box containing equipment for nine patients, consisting of shirts, pillow slips, slippers, towels, wash cloths, handkerchiefs and bed socks; a box of surgical dressings containing 620 pieces.

The members are now planning to hold entertainments, card parties and dances in order to raise money for the needed supplies for the soldiers "over there." Since the organization of the Crosswick Red Cross branch every member has been at the work rooms each meeting day.

BURLINGTON—Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert S. Bivins have returned to Millville after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gares.

Miss Margaret Trainor entertained Miss Alice Johnson, of Haddon Heights, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hennasey have issued cards announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Alice U. Hennasey, to Sergeant Howard S. Miller on Saturday, January 26, at St. Mary's Church. The Rev. Charles S. Lewis rector of the church, officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Miller announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Virginia Miller, to Mr. Ernest Bachofen, of Camp Dix.

PALMYRA—Mrs. A. B. Powell is entertaining Mrs. John S. Green, of Bethlehem, Pa.

Mrs. John A. Althouse has returned from a visit to West Chester, Pa., where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. David A. Hickman.

The Masonic Association of Palmyra and Riverton will give a dance on February 16, in the P. O. S. of A. Hall. The proceeds will be donated to the Red Cross, of Riverton and Palmyra. The music will be furnished by the New York Shipbuilding Corporation's band of thirty pieces.

The members of the Red Cross, together with the Junior Red Cross and the school children, made a special drive last week, collecting linens for the hospitals in France. Great success is reported.

In the work of the Junior Red Cross, the children of the schools are busy making comfortable articles for the soldiers. The organization of the Junior branch is progressing and a general auxiliary committee, composed of Professor Edward B. Griffith, Miss Brower, Miss Anderson, Mrs. Hoepfner, Mrs. Weart, Miss Barry and Mrs. Bonsall, has been named. Professor Griffith, who is the supervising principal of the schools, has received inquiries from the Government as to the facilities of the schools for training people for various branches of war work. In case the whole population of the United States is mobilized, as planned, for war activities, the schools will be utilized for training persons for various tasks.

RIVERTON—Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Lippincott and Mrs. Frank D'Olier are home after a week's visit with their sons at camp.

Mr. Fletcher S. Woolston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Woolston, is among the successful students who have passed the examination in the aviation corps. He has received his commission as lieutenant in the Officers Reserve Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver G. Willits have returned home after spending a fortnight at Miami, Fla.

Mr. Henry C. Howell left for a month's stay in Leesburg, Fla.

Mrs. Mary Horn will spend the midwinter at Bristol, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Woolston are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

EDGEWATER PARK—Mrs. Frank W. Earl and Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Earl, who have been spending several months in St Augustine, have gone to Palm Beach until April.

Mrs. P. S. Clarkson will return home tomorrow after a week's stay in Philadelphia with her little daughter, Theresa, who has been in the Jefferson Hospital.

Thirty-first Ward Reunion of the Town Meeting and Republican Alliance. Dinner at Textile Hall, Kensington avenue and Cumberland street, 7:30 o'clock. Voluntary subscription.

Young America meeting for boys, Union League annex, Broad and Spruce streets, 7:45 o'clock. Free.

Dance, Island Heights Yacht Club, Hotel Adelphia, 8 o'clock. Admission charge.

British War Exhibit, First Regiment Armory, Broad and Callowhill streets. Admission charge.

Evening of Mirth, Philomusian Club, 8:15 o'clock. Members.

Meeting North Hills Country Club, Hotel Adelphia, 7:30 o'clock. Members.

Thirty-second annual dinner of the Hardware Merchants and Manufacturers' Association, Bellevue-Stratford.

Ancient Order of Hibernians' concert and lecture, Academy of Music. Proceeds for A. O. H. War Fund. Admission charge.

Lecture, "Animal Transplantations," by Dr. Ross G. Harrison, Franklin Institute. Free.

"Happiness Talk," Margaret Cutting Ives, New Thought Library, Weightman Building, Fifteenth and Chestnut streets, 8:15. Free.

INTERESTING TALK AT RED CROSS MEETING

Auxiliary No. 7 Met on Tuesday at Home of President in Germantown

The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Women's Army and Navy Relief Society of Germantown was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Francis Howard Williams, president of the organization. Madame Giroud gave an informal and intensely interesting talk on the babies and women of France, and of the conditions over there at the present time after three years of war. When we hear of the trifle—almost unbelievable—suffering which these people as a nation are enduring and realize that had it not been for their courage and bravery our country would no doubt be in a similar condition, it does seem as if the least we could do would be to deny ourselves in every way possible and give as much of our time and money as we can afford to help this poor, stricken people.

Madame Giroud, who has five sons of her own in the war, is devoting her entire time to the splendid work which is being carried on by the French War Relief, and tells in her earnest, direct way of the frightful horrors that are being perpetrated over there every minute of the time. She says that, in the first place, everything is so expensive that only the rich people can afford to buy what would one time have been considered common necessities. These things have since become luxuries. For instance, one cake of soap is forty-nine cents. Therefore, it is utterly impossible for the poor people, especially those in the invaded towns, to wash their clothes, and many of the children are given baths at the expense of the Government. For this reason the different war relifes are using gray material instead of white to make clothing for both the women and children.

Madame Giroud inspected one of the beautiful little layettes which had been completed by the Women's Army and Navy Relief and, while she agreed that the contents were perfect in every detail, she suggested—and the idea was adopted—that the next ones be made of dark-gray outing flannel. This seemed a shame, so far as beauty was concerned, for the little pink-knitted caps, with pink ribbons, white socks, etc., looked so sweet and dainty, and gray seems such a somber shade for a little baby's outfit; but, of course, they will be much more serviceable and practical under the circumstances. A layette comprises nineteen articles, and they are needed more now than ever before, as there are thousands and thousands of little orphaned babies to be cared for.

The school children all wear black aprons made of satine, usually, because they write in ink entirely in France—having no pencils as we do in America. Both the women and children prefer dark clothing on account of the dearth and expense of soap and lack of washing facilities. A sewing bag, with soap, comb, hairpins, black and white cotton, darning cotton, needles, thimbles, scissors, etc., is to be added to the list of articles comprising a layette, as the women have absolutely no materials with which to mend their clothing. Besides this the Army and Navy Relief is going to make outfits for children between the ages of fourteen and sixteen, who suffer a great deal from cold and lack of proper clothing, as most of the garments are made for women or very small children and babies.

Annual Benefit Card Party Given on Monday at Bellevue

The annual card party and reception for the benefit of the Church of St. Francis de Sales was given at the Bellevue-Stratford on Monday evening. Fortunately, the date of the affair was not affected by the new fuel regulations, as the Bellevue has decided to cancel its Tuesday engagements just as the theatres are doing.

The entertainment was in every way a great success and fully equaled the high standard set by each of the preceding affairs.

The floor of the ballroom was covered by tables for eucher, while five hundred was played in the arjoining Clover Room, and those who preferred bridge were seated at tables arranged on the balcony. There were many handsome prizes, and the door prize, which consisted of a $50 Liberty Bond, was won by Miss Haxpacker.

Monsignor Michael Crane and the Rev. John Mellon were in charge of the affair. Among those who assisted them were Mr. and Mrs. Franklin A. Smith, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Michael F. McCullough, Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Dagit, Mr. John Monaghan, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. W. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Lucas, Mrs. Everett H. Plummer, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Mackey and many others.

CHILDREN'S PARTY SATURDAY AFTERNOON

Snowball and Snowstorm Dance to Be Given at South Philadelphia Club

Mrs. Robert S. Hayward gave a children's party on Saturday afternoon, in honor of the sixth birthday of her little daughter, Nan. The rooms were artistically decorated in pink, and little kewpie dolls were the favors. The children had a donkey test and peanut hunt, and several other children's games, and light refreshments were served. Among the little guests present were: George Hincken, Authur Holmes, James Keenan, Elsie and Anna McKenty, Helen Gladwyn, Blenly Richards, Eleanor, Martin and Raymond Quinlen, Frances, Jack and Bob Delaney, May and Jack Fraser, Laura Syse, Elizabeth and Annette Minck, Louis, Virginia and Hartwell Moore, Francis, Mary and Jack Finnegan, Eloise and Betty Eirich, Dorothy, Bert, Stephen and Dudley Gimber and Doris and Junior Huttric.

Friends of Mr. Daniel C. Donovan, of 2125 Porter street will be glad to hear that he is gradually recovering from his recent serious accident. Mr. Donovan fell on the ice during the recent storm and severely fractured his collarbone.

Mr. Gene Bassett will leave today to enter the Government aviation service. Mr. Bassett is a brother of Mrs. Winters, and has been staying with her during the last few months, at her home, 2561 South Garnet street.

A number of the residents of the Girard Farms are spending their time working for the new Red Cross Auxiliary recently organized in the Poe School, Twenty-second and Ritner street. Different women supervise the work each day, and a great deal is being accomplished.

An interesting feature is being introduced at the affair that is to be given this evening by the members of St. Rita's Club, Broad and Federal streets, in their clubrooms. They call it a "Snowball and Snowstorm" dance, and, as can be imagined, during the evening there will be a violent "storm" of confetti, etc. This is the first of a series of interesting affairs that are being planned by the club for the next few weeks. The committee includes Mr. William Robinson, Mr. James Marley, Mr. Frank Bennett, Mr. Gerald Brenninger and Mr. Joseph Adelizzi.

Among those who have accepted invitations to attend are Miss Marie Salmon, Miss Catherine Short, Miss May McCrosson, Miss Margaret Walsh, Miss Helen Quinn, Miss Bessie Kelly, Miss Gene O'Malley, Miss Agnes Kerrigan, Miss Anna Snyder, Miss Anna Sheridan, Miss Eleanor Walsh, Miss Helen Grogan, Miss Bessie Grogan, Miss Aida Verrechio, Miss Marie Barnes, Miss Irene Ginty, Miss Margaret Gallagher, Miss Marian Getty, Miss Regina McGuigan, Miss Helen Morris, Miss May Finn, Miss Matilda Miller, Miss Bessie Murphy, Miss Ethel Colbert, Miss Mary Henry, Miss May Cauley, Miss Mary McLaughlin, Miss Marie Smith, Miss Adelaide Moore, Miss Loretta Blanchfield, Miss May Coyle, Miss Vera Huggett, Miss Marie Gallagher, Miss May Koch, Miss Margaret Kenny, Miss Gene McGinley, Miss Lea Fitzgerald, Miss Anna Smith, Miss Marie Love, Miss Marian LeStrange, Miss Catherine O'Rourke, Miss Agnes Moran, Miss Anna Finnerty, Miss Catherine Tourish, Miss Teresa Horahan, Miss Mary McGranre, Mrs. Thomas Maloney, Mrs. John Friel, Mrs. L. Andrew Friel and Miss Anna Roche. Miss May Mahon, Miss Gertrude McEvoy, Miss Catherine Sweeney, Miss Mary McDermott, Miss Mary Owens, Miss Anna Coughlin, Miss Elizabeth Coll, Miss Ethel Tiernan, Miss Agnes Golden, Miss Helen Moore, and Mr. Andrew Dell, Mr. William McLoughlin, Mr. Edward McKenna, Mr. Joseph McConnor, Mr. Charles Cartisan, Mr. Arthur Bufano, Mr. Edward Taffard, Mr. William Taffard, Mr. Neil Furey, Mr. Edward Malahy, Mr. Frank Yelger, Mr. John Duffy, Mr. Thomas Gillan, Mr. Louis Flynn, Mr. Samuel Tornatore, Mr. Felix Dorsey, Mr. William Woods, Mr. Herbert Donohue, Mr. Joseph Bakers, Mr. Michael LaFabla, Mr. William McConda, Mr. John Tourish, Mr. Louis Bacher, Mr. Harry O'Brien, Mr. Andrew Walsh, Mr. Philip Miller, Miss Gaetan D.Blase, Mr. William O'Brien, Mr. Frank Jewel, Mr. Walter Jackson, Mr. George O'Brien, Mr. Joseph O'Neil, Mr. Joseph McNamee, Mr. William Montgomery, Mr. Aloyslus Tierney, Mr. Thomas Robinson, Mr. George Wright, Mr. Hugh Shields, Mr. Andrew Friel, Mr. Michael Salerno, Mr. Terence Carlson, Mr. William Bailey, Mr. Albert Bruno, Mr. George Contino, Mr. Harry Kline, Mr. Daniel Harkin, Mr. Robert McDougal, Mr. Daniel McLaughlin, Mr. Joseph Monahan, Mr. Anthony Fagan, Mr. Thomas McDougal.

Private Joseph J. Braddock, of the Military Police, has a ten days' furlough, which he is spending with his family, 1801 South Sixteenth street. Several affairs have been planned during his stay. On Tuesday evening, his aunt, Mrs. Catherine O'Connell, of 914 Spruce street, entertained in his honor, and this evening his sisters will entertain at his home. On Saturday evening there will be a theatre party in his honor. He expects to start South on Sunday night.

At the dance that Miss Edith Simon, of 1620 West Passyunk avenue, gave last evening in McCrea's, the proceeds of which will be donated to the Red Cross Auxiliary connected with the Trinity Lutheran Church, Eighteenth and Wolf streets, Mr. William Miller and Miss Ada Woerthle gave vocal solos during the intermission. Mr. Ray Adams, and his Jazz harmonists furnished the music for dancing, and many South Philadelphia attended. The committee assisting Miss Simon were Mr. Martin Clauss, Miss Hilda Clauss, Mr. Charles P. Shister and Miss Mary Stevenson.

Among those who accepted invitations to attend were Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Ballard, Miss Anna Steckle, Miss Margaret Seip, Mrs. Harry Sinex, Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Yarnall, Miss Ruth Smith, Mr. Carlisle H. Reville, Mr. Eugene Wood, Mr. Herbert Simon, Mr. Donald McKay, Mr. L. C. Reynolds, Mr. Harry M. Miller, Mr. Frederick Storch, Mr. Frederick Simon, Mr. Howard Feist, Mr. H. Klastermann, Mr. Edward Stewart, Mr. Alexander McKay, Mr. H. Sibley Lee, Mr. Elwood Smith, Mr. William McClane, Edward Stapleton, Mr. J. A. Maguire, Mr. Thomas Kesler, and Mr. Edward L. Thomas.

MINSTREL SHOW IN CAMDEN

Elaborate Scenery Made for Affair by Men's Club of Trinity Church—Comedy Given for Camp Dix

THE fifth annual minstrel show by the men's club of Holy Trinity Church, Collingswood, will take place Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, February 5 and 6, at the Young Men's Christian Association, Broadway and Federal street, Camden. The proceeds will go for the aid of the West Jersey Homeopathic Hospital. The board of lady managers of the hospital, of which Mrs. Sarah Taylor is president, is giving the show. The affair is directly under the supervision of the entertainment committee of the board of which Mrs. J. S. Kerbaugh is chairman.

The sparkling comedy, "On Board the S. S. Mr. Tush," will be presented by the burnt-cork artists, who are prominent business men of this community. The four end men will be Mr. Joseph S. Kerbaugh, Mr. George Bendell, Mr. George Shultz, and Mr. George Bierschenk. Mr. Walter L. Tushingham will be interlocutor.

Elaborate scenery has been painted for the show. The stage will be transformed into the deck of a great liner and will show in the distance an American transport bearing Uncle Sam's defenders toward "Over There." The old faithful lighthouse will also be shown guiding the ships safely past the rugged coast that meets the breakwater at Cape May Point.

On board the "Ship" there will gather a chorus of thirty male voices, fifteen little Japanese girls and a double quartet of string music. Miss Gertrude Kerbaugh will be the cabin "boy."

The musical direction will be provided Mr. Ambrose B. Evens and the business part of the show will be in charge of Mr. Philip G. Kuehel. Hundreds of tickets have been sold for this affair. All those in charge are working zealously to make this affair a brilliant success.

The Ahav Zedak Auxiliary held a meeting on Sunday night at its quarters, Post 5 Hall, Fifth street and Taylor's avenue, Camden. Further plans were made for the presentation of "Queen Esther," a Puritan play which will be presented by the Sunday school children of the Ahav Zedak Auxiliary in celebration of the Hebrew holiday Purim. The play will take place in the early part of March, in the auditorium of the organization. Rehearsals are taking place several times a week and are making fine progress.

Mrs. Smith, of 707 Linden street, entertained the members of the choir of Tabernacle M. E. Church last Friday night.

A mock trial, "The Great Umbrella Case," was presented in the Baptist Church lecture room of Collingswood, on Friday evening, with a cast of thirty-six all of whom are well-known men. The part of the judge was cleverly taken by Mr. B. F. Taylor. A large audience was present.

A comedy in three acts, "The Trials of a Hostess," was cleverly presented on Monday night in the High School Auditorium, under the auspices of the Collingswood Women's Club for the benefit of the Haversack Club House, Camp Dix. In the cast of the play were a number of prominent women of the town, including Mrs. H. Lewis Goerlick, Mrs. Kennedy Brown, Mrs. B. F. Taylor, Mrs. E. B. Jilliard, Mrs. R. P. Rieder, Mrs. Charles E. Crate, Mrs. J. H. Rowbotham, Miss Elizabeth Rowbotham, Miss Anderson, Mrs. C. B. Baseler, Mrs. B. F. Meyers, Miss Winnie Maussner, Mrs. A. L. Besore, Mrs. Joseph Reinert, Miss Katherine Goldthorpe, Mrs. Frank Knight and Miss Anna C. Wilson.

Miss Nellie Stout, of 64 Broadway, is home after a visit in the East.

This evening the I. D. K. Social of North Camden will hold a dance at Daly's Hall, Second and Vine Streets. The committee in charge is working hard to make the affair a success.

The marriage of Miss Leona Beatrice Seeds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Seeds, of 640 Spruce street, and Mr. George Wadsworth Oswill, took place last Saturday night. The Rev. C. I. Fitzgeorge, pastor of the Union M. E. Church, officiated. Miss May Hawk was Miss Seeds's bridesmaid and Mr. James Covert acted as best man. The ceremony was followed by a reception.

Miss Helen Markley, of Windber, Pa., is being entertained by her parents, Dr. and Mrs. P. H. Markley, of 515 Cooper street, Camden.

Mrs. Charlotte M. Borden, after a month's visit at West Chester, has returned to her home, 421 North Sixth street, Camden.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Peterson, of Station avenue, Haddon Heights, have been entertaining relatives from Bridgeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Samson Dobbs, of 31 Berlin avenue Haddonfield, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Saturday night at their home. The wedding ceremony was re-enacted by the Rev. William S. Ferrell, pastor of the First Baptist Church, assisted by the Rev. Alfonso Dare, pastor of the First M. E Church. Many members of their family were present.

Mrs. Lewis W. Brown, of 628 Penn street, has been entertaining her daughter, Mrs. Wellington Butler, of Trenton.

For the benefit of the Red Cross Society Mrs. Julius Smith, of Merchantville, entertained a party of friends at a knitting tea.

Mrs. Joseph Williamson, of Volan street, Merchantville, is entertaining her niece, Miss Helen Hutchinson, of Philadelphia, who is staying on an extended visit.

A testimonial dinner was given to Mr. Albert E. Burling of Franklin street, Merchantville, who recently retired as a member of the Pennsauken Township Committee. The affair was given him by his colleagues at the Ridgway Hotel, Camden, last Friday night. Many prominent men of the town were present. Mr. Burling is now the solicitor for the township.

The Bachelor Girls' Club of Camden gave a surprise party for Miss Charlotte Batten and Miss Pearl Batten, of Collingswood, last Thursday evening at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Reeves, of King's Highway, West Haddonfield, will leave early in February to spend a few months in California.

After a few weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bicker, of Evergreen avenue, Woodlynne, Mrs. M. McDowell of Columbus, O., has returned to her home.

A minstrel show and entertainment was given by the employes of the New York Shipbuilding Corporation in the Camden Young Men's Christian Association, Camden, last Friday evening. The proceeds of the affair will be turned over to the West Jersey Homeopathic Hospital Fund.

The minstrel show which was staged by the State Militia of Camden was a great success and was preceded by a band concert by the New York Shipbuilding Corporation Band.

DELANCO—Miss Ella Detwiler, who has been the guest of Miss Florence Shipps, has returned to her home in Moorestown.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ashler are home from a week's stay at Washington, D. C.

The Rev. J. Ward Gamble, D. D., pastor of the Dobbins Memorial Church, has sent in his resignation to the New Jersey Conference to take effect after March 6, when the New Jersey Conference will convene at Atlantic City. Doctor Gamble will make his future home in Merchantville.

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The Stanley — MARKET STREET ABOVE 16TH — 11:15 A. M. to 11:15 P. M.
Joseph M. Schenck Presents
NORMA TALMADGE
IN "GHOSTS OF YESTERDAY"
Next Week—MABEL NORMAND in "DODGING A MILLION"

PALACE 1214 MARKET STREET 10 A. M. to 11:15 P. M.
SELECT Presents
CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG
in "SHIRLEY KAYE"
Added—Mack Sennett's "KITCHEN LADY"

ARCADIA CHESTNUT BELOW 16TH
10:15 A. M., 12, 2, 3:45, 5:45, 7:45, 9:30 P. M.
Julian Eltinge in ARTCRAFT PICTURE "THE WIDOW'S MIGHT"
Next Week—Pauline Frederick in "Jealousy"

VICTORIA MARKET Above 9TH LAST 3 DAYS
WM. FOX Presents
THEDA BARA in First Showing of "THE ROSE OF BLOOD"
Coming—WM. FARNUM in "Les Miserables."

REGENT MARKET Below 17TH
VIOLA DANA METRO Presents in "THE WINDING TRAIL"
Fri., Sat.—CHAS. RAY in "HIRED MAN"

GLOBE MARKET STREET AT JUNIPER
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