JUST GOSSIP ABOUT PEOPLE

Nancy Wynne Talks About the May Market Which Will Be Held Tomorrow in Germantown—Comments on Captain Biddle's Escape

YOU know the Germantown May Market will be held tomorrow out in Vernon Park. It seems rather too bad that the Flower Market in town should be on the same day. I hope the two affairs won't interfere with each other, as very many of the same people would go to both.

Vernon Park will be given over all day to pleasure-lovers, and all ages will be welcomed and made to feel at home if the committee in charge can do so. It will certainly leave no stone unturned to make it a success.

Indians are going to lead the ponies, which will be there for the kiddies to ride, and a real honest-to-goodness shepherdess with her shorn sheep will sell wool. The innocent little sheep is to prove that the yarn is all pure wool.

Gypsies will tell fortunes. I don't know if those gypsies will be awful "real," perhaps one might be called "Florence" or another "Helen," or perhaps "Theo." I'm not sure, but there are some gypsies who are all good hand-readers. Perhaps some or one of them will be at the Rittenhouse Square tomorrow, though I have not heard of fortune telling there.

THERE will be lemonade, flowers, war bread and cake, and recipes will be sold, thereby aiding the Government in the conservation of wheat and incidentally aiding the harassed housekeeper by giving her recipes which will enable her to serve her usual delicious "eats."

And after all this, if there are any other wants that are not satisfied, the visitor may step into the Country Store, which will be presided over by Mrs. Edward Meller, and, believe me, she has everything to sell in that store, "but the kitchen stove" and who knows but that she may have one of those by tomorrow. A few things she has are livestock, vegetables, groceries, ribbons, peanuts and toilet articles of all kinds.

The May Market will be held for the benefit of the Morton Street Day Nursery and the Woman's Permanent Emergency Association of Germantown. If Friday proves rainy, Saturday will be the day for the market.

WASN'T Charlie Biddle's a miraculous escape? He has been doing some wonderful work "over there" in the aviation, and last week had an encounter with an enemy plane, in which he was shot in the leg and his machine was disabled and fell to the ground. Fortunately he did not lose consciousness and was able to crawl from the machine to a shell hole nearby. He had barely reached it when a bomb from the German plane struck his machine and shattered it into tiny pieces.

Charlie Biddle is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Biddle, of Andalusia. They live in the wonderful old Biddle Mansion high up on the river bank, above the Fox's place. Young Biddle went over early in the war and has done some splendid things. He is evidently a mighty good sport, for his cable to the family says that he has a slight flesh wound in the leg and he expects to return to his plane in a week.

The fact that Captain Hall has been located in a German hospital gives one hopes about others who have been reported missing. When this awful war is over may we never have to live through another.

MARGARET SMITH HART has returned from her wedding trip and will live with her mother, Mrs. Adams, until she is able to join Tommy, which may not be till after the war. Tommy is at present at Mineola, so it is not so bad. She can get on now and again, as for instance yesterday she heard he had a little time in New York and so went over and lunched with him.

Theirs was certainly a pretty wedding last Wednesday at St. Mark's. That church always makes an artistic background for a wedding group.

EMILY, of whom you have heard now and again in these columns, has been taught to appreciate the beauties of nature, but when it comes to crawling into mother's bed at 5:30 a. m. and discoursing learnedly on the wonderful good the awful rain of that morning (which, incidentally, was yesterday, and you know how often you had to get up to open and close windows through the night) would be for the little flowers and pretty grass, and dear little birdies who would be out hunting for breakfast, Mother did not appreciate it quite so much as usual.

And speaking of Emily, I must tell you another story. Mother asked a few friends in to lunch with her informally one day this week. Emily, who is an observant young person of five, lost nothing of the preparations that were going on in the house. Finally she ran out to play, and mother really forgot her till just after the guests had arrived, and they were all seated on the porch before lunch was announced.

Suddenly around the corner from down the street came Emily, followed by some sixteen small kiddies of about her own age, in various states of morning clothes, rompers, etc., and much mudpie and sand. She led the procession majestically into the garden, with the most hospitable expression of countenance. "But, Emily," said mother, "what's the idea?"

"Oh, I thought I'd invite my little friends to luncheon," smiled Emily, the knees of whose rompers were about as black as those of any child present. Needless to say, the porchful of guests set up one shriek of unholy joy, while mother requested the small but unexpected guests to return to their homes and families.

NANCY WYNNE.

Social Activities

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Carter Burton, of Germantown, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Eleanor Seal Wunder, to Mr. Warner Roberts Supplee, son of Mrs. William D. Supplee, of West Philadelphia. Mr. Supplee is with the field artillery at Camp Meade.

Mrs. George Horace Lorimer and Mrs. S. P. Snowden Mitchell will give a tea at the Acorn Club on Monday, after the talk at the workroom of the Independence Square Auxiliary of the Red Cross, 608 Chestnut street.

Mrs. Sayen Schultz has issued invitations for the wedding of her daughter, Miss Katherine Burling Schultz, and Mr. Robert Wood, son of Colonel John T. Wood, U. S. A., and Mrs. Wood, of Wayne. The wedding will take place in St. Mary's Church, Wayne, on Saturday, June 8, at 5 o'clock. A reception for the families and intimate friends will be given at their home, Tankerville, the Schultz home in St. Davids.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund de Forest Curtis, of Wayne, will regret to hear of the serious illness of their little daughter, Florence Chandler Curtis, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Bryn Mawr Hospital. Mrs. Curtis, it will be remembered, was Miss Mildred O'Neill, of this city.

Mrs. G. Dallas Dixon, Jr., will spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. John C. Groome, at Bryn Mawr.

Mrs. Harry Wain Harrison will return today to her home in St. Davids, after spending two weeks at French Lick Springs, Ind.

The sale of flowers and vegetables which is held every Friday at the home of Mrs. Frederick W. Taylor, in Chestnut Hill, in aid of the Red Cross work at the Chestnut Hill Service House, will be omitted tomorrow, but will be held on the following Fridays in May and June, as previously arranged.

Mrs. Paul Matlack, of Germantown, will entertain at luncheon today in honor of her mother, Mrs. James Bell. The guests will include Mrs. George Brooke, Mrs. William Harris, Mrs. William Hill, Mrs. Irvin J. Phelps, Mrs. John Peters, Mrs. Jules Bell, Mrs. Sara Vandergrift, Miss Emeline Crosley and Miss Alice Bell.

Captain and Mrs. W. Hobart Porter, who are at Lake Placid, N. Y., on their honeymoon, will spend about two weeks there before going to Baltimore, where they have taken an apartment.

Dr. and Mrs. Francis W. Sinkler and their family have closed their house and are spending the summer with Mrs. Sinkler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Pearce, at Bryn Mawr, Pa.

Mr. Samuel S. White, of 2205 St. James place, will open his cottage at Cornwall avenue and the Beach, Ventnor, on Saturday, June 8. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Clement and Mr. and Mrs. Karl H. Rogers will spend the summer with Mr. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Stern are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son, William Bernard Stern, on Monday, May 13. Mrs. Stern will be remembered as Miss Eleanor Bernard. Mr. Stern is with the University Hospital Unit No. 20, which recently landed over seas.

Miss Georgene Butler, of Bristol, niece of Mrs. George F. Lasher, is visiting Mrs. Clifford I. Voorhees, of New Brunswick, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Sill, Miss Marguerite Sill and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morgan will spend the summer at Ventnor.

Mrs. William H. Lamb, who will be remembered as Miss Edith Cochran, and Miss Dorothy Cochran, daughter of Mrs. Henry Cochran, of 3511 Baring street, will be among the bridal party at the marriage of Miss Mildred Kunze to Lieutenant Hunt Harris at 21 Pelhemus place, Brooklyn, on June 10.

Mrs. Walter Dougler, Jr., of Overbrook, will spend the summer months with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Addinell Hewson, at Spring Lake, N. J.

Corporal C. Lester Bennett and Mrs. Bennett have returned from their wedding trip and are at the home of Mrs. M. B. Reed, of 3419 North Fifteenth street. Mrs. Bennett will be remembered as Miss Emily Lois Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander M. De Haven, of 5229 North Thirty-fourth street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Jean Gould De Haven, to Private Edgar Myers Wilson, of Lansdowne. Mr. Wilson is now stationed at the ordnance training camp at Camp Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel G. Coates, of 5251 Walton avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Harriet Boucher Coates, to Lieutenant John Frederick Bates, Jr., U. S. N., son of Mr. John Frederick Bates, of West Philadelphia.

Private B. J. Dahlman, of the Black Watch Regiment, who served three years in the front lines, was wounded thirteen times and is to return to service in France, and Mr. Lincoln L. Eyre, of the four-minute speakers, will address a meeting in the Arch Street Presbyterian Church, at Eighteenth and Arch streets, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert Ogden entertained a house party over the week-end at a camp on the Susquehanna River. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Hays, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Downing Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ogden, Mrs. Austin Boyd and Mr. John Park.

The Sigma Alpha Psi Sorority held its annual dinner-dance on Saturday at the Rittenhouse Hotel. A business meeting was held, after which the election of officers took place. The following were elected:

President, Miss Clara Haibach; vice president, Miss Laura A. Firth; secretary, Miss Marion Collier Creamer, and treasurer, Miss Lisa Knelle. After the dinner an impromptu recital was given by the famous Sousa's Band.

Soldiers and sailors were guests on Sunday evening of the Synagogue Shauri Zedek, Fifty-second street and Columbia avenue. Miss Anna Brodsky and Miss J. Blance organized an entertainment for them. Miss Brodsky served refreshments to all the men and gave each one a box of candy and some smokes to take back with them.

Miss Elizabeth S. Mulford is spending the week as the guest of Miss Margaret Hetzell at her home in Gwynedd.

Captain L. P. Peiffer and Mr. C. M. Lord, U. S. M. C., have left for the South after spending a brief furlough here.

Miss Margaret Hetzell will give a dance at the Whitemarsh Valley Country Club tomorrow evening to raise the sum of $100, which will be donated to the War Chest Fund.

A play and dance for the benefit of the scholarship fund of the gymnasium of the West Philadelphia High School for Girls will be given at the Philomusian Club on Saturday evening, May 25. The play will be entitled "Whiskers," and is the story of a bride and groom.

The cast includes Miss Lucy Bradley, Miss Doris Wildernuth, Miss Sue Search, Miss Marie Wilhelmee, Miss Edith Cugley, Miss Elizabeth Magnazan, Miss Sadie Shiller and Miss Dorothy Lancaster, who are being coached by Miss Sarah Sterling.

Lieutenant George Calvin Wells and Lieutenant Warren Macpherson Wells will act as ushers at the marriage of their sister, Miss Margaret Heulings Wells, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Calvin Wells, 3212 Wallace street, to Mr. Joseph Brower, on Wednesday evening, June 5, at 7 o'clock, in the Northminster Presbyterian Church, Thirty-fifth and Baring streets. Mrs. Charles H. Kenyon will attend Miss Wells as matron of honor, and Mr. Thomas Brower will be the best man. The Rev. Mr. Courtland Robinson will perform the ceremony, which will be followed by a reception at the Aldine Hotel.

TO GIVE 'PRINCESS BONNIE' TONIGHT IN MANAYUNK

St. John's Opera Company Will Present Operetta in Parish Hall of Church

St. John's Opera Company, which has aided so many worthy charities in the Twenty-first Ward, will present "The Princess Bonnie" this evening in the parish hall of the Church of St. John the Baptist, on Rector street, Manayunk, under the auspices of the Alumnae Association of St. John's School. Mr. John S. McGarrigle is the stage manager of the operatic production; Miss Mary McKinley Makem is the musical director and Miss Marie K. Makem orchestra leader. The cast includes: Princess Bonnie, Miss Mary S. O'Brien; Kitty Clover, Miss Marie McCormack; Aunty Crabbe, Miss Madeline B. Kennedy; Donna Pomposo, Miss Annie Jeffries Mullin; Bo-peering, Carl Meyers; Shrimps, William Ryan; Count Falsetti, Mr. Frank Desmond; Admiral Pomposo, Mr. James McGarrigle; Captain Tarpaulin, Mr. Joseph Brennen; Salvador, Mr. John J. Callahan; Lieutenant Foss, Mr. John Green. The chorus is composed of Miss Nellie Cannie, Miss Anna O'Neill, Miss Marie Gallagher, Miss Helen Bowe, Miss Irene Fleming, Miss Helen Metzinger, Miss May Metzinger, Miss Anna McGinnis, Miss Marie Tresnan, Miss Helen O'Neill, Miss Margaret Walt, Miss Mary Quigley, Miss Kitty Mullarkey, Miss Mary Duffy, Miss Julia Quinn, Mr. Charles Silverthorn, Mr. William Desmond, Mr. M. Harold McCann, Mr. Jerome Duffy, Mr. John Vasey, Mr. John McCool, Mr. Eugene Doyle, Mr. Cornelius McCarthy, Mr. Alonzo Sears, Mr. Timothy Bowe, Mr. John Finnegan, Mr. Henry Wittman, Mr. William Fette, Mr. James Travis and Mr. William Scanlon.

The officers of the alumnae are Miss Isabel McDevitt, president; Miss Marie Rogers, vice president; Miss Elizabeth Bowe, financial secretary; Miss Marie Cosgrove, recording secretary, and Miss Mary G. Quigley, treasurer. There are about 200 members.

NOTES OF INTEREST FROM LANSDOWNE

Junior Members of Twentieth Century Club Will Give Series of Dances

The last junior dance, which was held at the Twentieth Century Club in Lansdowne several weeks ago, was so successful that the members of the junior section have decided to have a series of dances, one to be given each month during the summer. The first of these will be held at the clubhouse on Saturday evening, June 15. The proceeds from these affairs will be used in buying a piano for the clubhouse.

Miss Dorothy McEwen is chairman of the dance committee, and others on the committee are Miss Helen Taylor, Miss Isabel Galbraith, Miss Grace Bond, Miss Martha Yerkes, Miss Marion Haviland, Miss Helen Adler, Mrs. George K. Hooper and Mrs. Robert Hall Anderson. Three senior members have also been asked to serve on the committee. They are Mrs. Oscar S. Kimberley, Mrs. Howard W. Reed and Mrs. Charles Wilcox.

Miss Frances Barnard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lynn Barnard, gave a card party at her home on Saturday afternoon. Her guests were Miss Ruth Peck, Miss Phillis Whitehorn, Miss Ruth Redford, Miss Rachael Ziegler, Miss Helen de Garcia, Miss Ruth Collings, Miss Betty Leopold, Miss Ruth Kingsmore, Miss Helen Clark, Miss Marjorie Voelker, Miss Dorothy Le Fevre, Miss Miriam Palmer, Miss Sue Read, Miss Gladys Smythe, Miss Anna Muth, Miss Grace Luft, Miss Eleanor Alexander, Miss Gwynne Mercer, Miss Isabel Keller, Miss Blanche Richards, Miss Emily White and Miss Dorothy Burt.

An attractive dance was given at the Twentieth Century Club on Saturday evening by the Lansdowne Auxiliary of the West Philadelphia Hospital for Women for the benefit of that hospital. Mrs. James Temple Butler had charge of the dance, and those on her committee were Mrs. Howard W. Read, Mrs. Harold Wilson, Mrs. Andrew S. M. Young, Mrs. J. LeRoy Smith, Mrs. Chester P. Gallcher, Mrs. Louis L. Greisenberger, Mrs. John H. Wright, Mrs. J. Liddon Pennoch, Mrs. Clifford Parkinson, Mrs. Charles S. Musser, Mrs. Charles L. Shurtleff, Mrs. Edward J. Collins, Mrs. John Bowers, Mrs. J. L. Williams, Mrs. Jesse Brown, Mrs. Charles Evans and Mrs. W. A. Almy.

INDUSTRIAL ARTISTS GET DIPLOMAS TONIGHT

Commencement Exercises of Pennsylvania Museum at Academy of Music

The commencement exercises of the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art will be held this evening at the Academy of Music.

After the introductory remarks by the president, Thomas C. Search, M. A., and an address by James P. Munroe, prizes will be awarded. Diplomas will be given to the following:

Industrial Art

Teacher's Course—Elizabeth Sophie Arnold, Mabel Bock, Harold Samuel Brecht, Eleanor Madeleine Costa, Marie Elizabeth Hauer, Ada Jones, Margaret Godshall Kilver, Grace Paul Leaxs, Katharine Montgomery Lukenbach, Dorothy Margulies, Emma Knight Markley, Mary Clare McCloskey, Catharine O'Donnel, Otto Ludwig Pahl, Jr., Fay Elizabeth Read, Armando Tunun Ricci, Gertrude Cathryn Schmidt, Virginia May Scullin, Mary Bahia Sweeny, Margaret Ziegler.

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Frederick Cornelius Alston, Noble Frame Beacham, Frances Tipton Hunter, Eleanor Stuart Love, Katherine Milhous, Edward Costello Smith, Hettie Emma Wenzel.

Interior Decoration

Catherine Antoinette Dehm, Carroll Thomas Lambert, Corinne Claire Loos, Edward Austin Walton.

Design

Louise Holmes Baker.

Regular Textile Course

Walter Howard Weber, Julius Robison, Nelson Leon Newmark, Louis Hilliard Joseph, John Frederick Speacht, James Young Humphrey, Jr.

Chemistry, Dyeing and Printing Course.

John Cless Trimble, William Howard Jeffries.

COMPETE AT ART ALLIANCE

Students to Compete for Year's Honorary Membership in Association

The Art Alliance afternoon for May will be held next Tuesday at 4 o'clock. The committee on music announces a concert by Miss Lena Weber, contralto, and Miss Helen Ware, pianist, who having been passed by the music jury of the Art Alliance, sing under its auspices.

It has been decided that there shall be an honorary students' membership in the Art Alliance, to be awarded by the various art committees as a prize for the best work in each art at an annual competition.

The music committee announces a competition for students of the piano, violin, or cello, and of singing and composition, the prize to be an honorary membership for one year in the Art Alliance, and the privilege of active membership later without initiation fee.

Students of composition are invited to send their work to the music committee by June 1. The competition for students of the piano, violin, cello and of singing will be held at the Art Alliance on Wednesday evening, May 29.

MISS BETTY LIGGET

Small Miss Ligget was taking her nurse out for a walk when the cameraman happened to see her, and so we have the chance to see her, too. The little lady is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ligget, Jr., of 238 South Twenty-first street.

WORK OF HOSPITAL GROWS

Jewish Institution Needs More Funds to Meet Demands

Appeal yesterday was made for the Jewish Hospital for additional fund, with which to maintain the work, which has grown to unusual proportions during the last year. More than 5000 patients, about half of them free patients, have received treatment during that period.

The annual meeting of the hospital will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Henry C. Frank Memorial Building, on the hospital grounds. Graduation exercises of the Nurses' Training School will be held May 30 at 2:30 p. m.

FORM GIRL SCOUT TROOP

Gimbel Store Employes Enroll 35 at the First Meeting

A Girl Scout troop was formed among the girl employes of the Gimbel Bros. at a dinner in the store dining room last night. The new troop enrolled thirty-five girls at the meeting and elected Harriet Deaver as captain.

The girls were addressed by Daniel Gimbel, who told of the value of the Girl Scout organization. A large number of Girl Scouts were in attendance to boom the formation of the new troop.

A GROUP OF RECENT BRIDES

Mrs. Howard Roak, who was Miss Ethel Proctor, of 1813 Venango street, before her marriage; Mrs. Israel J. Brodsky, who will be remembered as Miss Hulda J. Apt, of 6729 North Thirteenth street, and Mrs. Frederick E. Rowe, who was Miss Amelia McDevitt, of 4413 Baltimore avenue. Mrs. Roak's photograph was taken by Marceau, and Mrs. Brodsky and Mrs. Rowe were photographed by Photo-Crafters.

PRIZE HORSES HELP BOYS "OVER THERE"

Many Animals Entered for Devon War Relief Show in June

"In every warehouse was believe horse show should be held for the benefit of war relief work and for accredited organizations engaged in all measures for relief.

"Horse records no other friend of man remaining horse, and it is certain that the horse lovers of our country can do no better work than to serve him still further by helping to increase those conditions essential to the comfort and well-being of the men over there."

These are the sentiments which appear above the signature of Dr. Thomas Ashton and William H. Wanamaker, Jr., chairman and secretary, respectively, of the Devon War Relief Horse Show, which is to be held at Devon June 6, 7 and 8.

These are printed as a preface to the prize list just issued for the event, which will be one of the most notable social-charitable occasions of the year since it is to be held for the benefit of the Main Line branch of the Emergency Aid.

The prize list has been addressed to every stable in the country, but exhibitors eager to participate in the event have not waited for its receipt and already have reserved public for their favorite favorites.

Prospective exhibitors have been notified that the entries will close May 28. There will be 105 classes, which permit the widest opportunity for every type of horse and pony to show what he can do in the ring.

Notable judges will be found in the Devon ring. George C. Vanderbilt and Charles A. Bauduoine will pass upon the merits of harness horses, ponies and hackney breeding stock; E. Nicholas Clark and R. Lawrence Smith will judge saddle horse, and ponies; Alfred Maclay and M. Rice Jackson will estimate the performances of hunters and jumpers, and George Waring will decide judicious-ly the fine point exhibited by the many roadsters, which will be seen in the ring.

Dr. J. W. Adams and Dr. J. C. Bartholomew will be Devon's veterinary inspectors.

CONVICT PAYS FOR BIBLE TO BE SENT TO TRENCHES

No. 3624, Connecticut State Prison, Sends Two Dollars to Pocket Testament League

Sitting in his cell in the Connecticut State Prison at Wethersfield, Conn., John Johnson read in a newspaper of the work of the Business Men's War Council in furnishing Bibles for the soldiers and sailors.

John John on is an atheist. In all probability, as many men who are sentenced to prison give fictitious names in order to conceal the disgrace from their family and friends. In the Connecticut State Prison, Johnson is known as No. 3624.

Johnson knew the value of the New Testament as a comforter and friend. A clergyman who visited the prison gave him a copy, and Johnson spent many an hour poring over its pages. While he read a light dawned in his soul, and today he is a Christian man.

When No. 3624 read that a group of Philadelphia business men, known as the Business Men's War Council, was engaged in a campaign to furnish 1,000,000 Testaments to Uncle Sam's soldiers and sailors, he remarked, "That's the best thing the soldiers and sailors could receive."

Out of his scanty earnings in the prison shops John Johnson took two dollars. Then he asked to see the warden. As a result, J. Louis Twaddell, treasurer of the Pocket Testament League, received the following letter a few days ago at his offices in the Witherspoon Building:

"Dear Sir—Inclosed herewith check for $2 sent at the request of No. 3624, John Johnson. Respectfully yours, Charles C. McClaughry, warden."

The Business Men's War Council has received numerous contributions from men and women in all walks of life, but it is doubtful whether any has been more appreciated than the $2 received from No. 3624 in the Connecticut State Prison.

FRIENDS OF ANIMALS BUSY

Pennsylvania S. P. C. A. Report for April Shows Activity

At a meeting of the board of managers of the Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals held today, Secretary Phillips submitted the following report, covering operations for the month of April:

"Prosecutions, 31; cases remedied without prosecution, 2013; horses ordered from labor for various causes, 187; pads adjusted to prevent rubbing sores, 742; coops of poultry relieved from overcrowding, 913; animals moved in society's ambulances, 28; animals humanely killed, 108, of which nineteen were horses offered for sale at the various bazaars.

"At the stockyards, our agents inspected 469 carloads of cattle, in which were found twenty animals disabled and twenty-six killed in transportation. Stoning and beating cattle prevented, 3; overcrowded cattle in wagons relieved, 10; cattle ordered to be fed, 95; cattle watered, 85.

SUCCESS SEEMS SURE AT GIRL SCOUTS' SALE

Punch and Judy Show Amuses Children While Mothers Are Busy With Bargains

The Girl Scouts' rummage sale, at 1007 Market street, promises to be a big success. Today is the second day, and prospects are that a goodly amount will be passed for the summer camp.

Those in charge of the various departments are working with quite-some caliber zeal. Harriet Frazier, Rachel Fitler, Ellen Mary Cassatt, Gwen Martin, Cecily Barnes—all of them, in fact, are putting every ounce of "pep" into their work.

It is a rummage sale having some unusual features. For example, the idea of "checking" the children while the mothers shop has received the enthusiastic votes of both children and "mammas." No woman can find the maximum of joy even at a bargain sale with a bored and whimpering child pulling at her skirts. And no child can feel the maximum of filial affection during those barren moments. So the children are turned systematically, and the hours that society reports to be a yard and a half of baby blue ribbon are whiled away with a Punch and Judy show.

Another noteworthy point in regard to the Girl Scouts' sale—the dresses and pictures, clothing and toys, jewelry and furniture, although second-hand, are in excellent condition, while the prices remain at the popular radiously low figure.

The Girl Scouts' new camp will be situated on the George H. McFadden estate at West Chester. Mr. McFadden has given the strength and use of his house for this purpose. Thirty girl scouts can live there at the same time, combining that military discipline with all the joy of a really well-organized camp life.

The following young women make up the local council:

Mrs. Elizabeth Adams, Miss Catharine Hutchinson, Miss Alexander Cope, Miss Cecelia Farnum, Mrs. Edith Hollis, Miss Eugenia Lewis, Mrs. Anna Lewis, Mrs. Rose Dolan, Mrs. Garland Ely, Mrs. Helen Fitzhugh, Mrs. Anne Thomson, Miss Ellen Boeddeker, Mrs. Johnson Crosby, Mrs. Katharine C. Lea, Mrs. Philip Lewis, Miss Anne Magee, Mrs. Edward T. Nolle, Mrs. Mary Newbold, Mrs. Nicholas Biddle, Mrs. Agnes Stone and Mrs. Edward Marshall.

WAR LIMITS COMMENCEMENT

Exercises at Chester Abridged on Account of Call to Plattsburg Camp

War has virtually eliminated commencement week this year at the Pennsylvania Military College in Chester. So many young men of the college go to Plattsburg for the students' camps to be opened June 3, that the graduation exercises have been set forward and many of the usual ceremonies foregone entirely.

Simple graduation exercises will be held tomorrow afternoon on the campus. At 3 o'clock there will be a review of the cadet battalion, followed by an address and the conferring of degrees by John Wanamaker, president of the board of trustees.

The class of 1918 comprises nine young men. The degree of civil engineer will be conferred upon Harry C. Engle and Charles F. Fenn, Jr. The degree of bachelor of science in economics will be awarded Robert B. Horlacher, Richard V. Huebner, Alfred L. Hummel, William C. Scion and William B. Simpson.

The competitive rule for the John C. Bergfels cavalry medal was won by a Philadelphia boy, Herbert Peck, with Walter Bastian, of Allentown, second. The junior cavalry medal was won by Charles Hoffman, of Reading, and second honor by James Wishart, of Chicago.

MARRIED LAST EVENING

Miss Mary Brown Bride of Mr. Clarence Sadler at Home of Clergyman

The marriage of Miss Mary A. Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Brown, of 3856 North Fifth street, to Mr. Clarence Sadler, also of Tioga, took place last evening at the home of the Rev. Findlay M. Wilson, pastor of the Third Church of the Covenanters, Franklin and Dauphin streets, who performed the ceremony. The bride wore her traveling suit of dark blue with a blue and white hat. She was given in marriage by her father and was attended by Miss Katharine Mercereau, who wore a coat suit of brown and white check with a brown braid hat.

Mr. R. M. Brown, Jr., the bride's brother, was Mr. Sadler's best man. The service was followed by a dinner. The bridegroom and bride, after a short stay in Atlantic City, will leave on an extended southern trip. They will be at home after September 1 at 3856 North Fifth street.

GALLAGHER-GIBBONS

The wedding of Miss Gertrude Gibbons, daughter of Mr. J. J. Gibbons, of 1525 Loudon street, Logan, and Mr. Arthur A. Gallagher, son of Mr. Frank Gallagher, of Holmesburg, took place yesterday in the Church of the Holy Child. The ceremony was performed by the rector of the church. Miss Gibbons was attended by Miss Helen McShane as maid of honor, and the best man was Mr. Joseph Hughes. Mr. Gallagher is a private at Camp Meade.

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 only and are signed with full name and telephone number of the sender, as it must be possible to verify the notes. Address "Society Editor," Evening Public Ledger, 606 Chestnut street.

WAR CHEST

Mass-Meeting

Metropolitan Opera House

Broad and Poplar Streets

FRIDAY, MAY 24th, at 8 P. M.

SOUSA'S GREAT LAKES BAND—COMMUNITY SINGING—MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT

Brief address by Former Ambassador Herrick and other eminent men.

First view in Philadelphia of motion pictures of actual battles taken by the British and French Governments.

Tickets free at War Chest Headquarters in Liberty Building, or at any newspaper office, bank, trust companies, library, etc.

OFFICIAL FRENCH WAR EXHIBIT

of materials and trophies loaned by the French Government to the Treasury Department of the United States

DAILY, 10 A. M. to 11 P. M.

Admission 25c. Proceeds to War Chest.

1017 MARKET STREET

CASINO MATINEE TODAY Burlesque Review With Morton & Russell Walnut ab. 8th St.

GAYETY 8th St. Below Vine. Both Phones. HELLO FRANCE and OCHEETA

Trocadero HELLO BROADWAY and THE ORIENTAL MILO

Commencement of the Philadelphia Textile School. Academy of Music.

First annual charity dance of the Carnation Country and Athletic Club, Twentieth street and Montgomery avenue.

Municipal Band concert at Aramingo Square, Aramingo and Lehigh avenues.

Concert military band of Polish army, Metropolitan Opera House.

Address by Lieutenant Fletcher, Wayne Presbyterian Church.

May music festival by Choir C, Philadelphia County Sunday School Association, Baptist Temple.

Commencement Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art, Academy of Music.

Quarterly meeting West Philadelphia Baptist Social Union, Chester Avenue Baptist Church.

Meeting, Northern Liberty School Alumni, at Northern Liberty School Building, at 8 p. m.

TWO SOCIAL EVENTS END ZELOSOPH YEAR

P. F. Alexander Installed New President of University Literary Society

The annual elections of the Zelosophic Literary Society at the University of Pennsylvania and the installation of the new officers has taken place. The year's work will be brought to a close this week-end with two social functions.

The new officers are: President, P. F. Alexander; vice president, Stanley E. Stady; secretary, A. F. Gerecke; treasurer, P. Amram; master of archives, F. H. Bates.

The coeds who took part in the Zelo plays this year will be entertained tomorrow evening. Informal dancing will be preceded by "This End Up," a two-act play written and produced by Clifford Goldsmith, who took the title roles in "What Happened to Jones" and "The Man on the Box."

The dramatic coach, Mrs. Sarah F. T. Price, will entertain the Zelosophic players and members of the Quill and Bauble Society of coeds at her home Saturday at Chestnut Hill.

The Stanley MARKET STREET ABOVE 16TH 11:15 A. M. TO 11:15 P. M. ALL THIS WEEK MAE MARSH IN FIRST SHOWING OF GOLDWYN'S "THE FACE IN THE DARK" NEXT WEEK—CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG in "THE REASON WHY"

PALACE 1214 MARKET STREET 10 A. M. to 11:15 P. M. GOLDWYN PRESENTS MARY GARDEN in "THE SPLENDID SINNER" NEXT WEEK—MARY PICKFORD in "M'LISS"

ARCADIA CHESTNUT BELOW 16TH 10-15 A. M., 12, 2, 3:45, 5:45, 7:45, 9:30 P. M. Sessue Hayakawa in PARAMOUNT'S FIRST SHOWING "THE WHITE MAN'S LAW" Next Week—Marguerite Clark in "Prunella"

VICTORIA MARKET ST. ABOVE 9TH LAST 3 DAYS WM. FOX PRODUCTION Theda Bara in "Cleopatra" ADDED—FIRST AUTHENTIC PICTURES OF THE BATTLE OF PICARDY Next Week—Olga Petrova in "The Life Mask"

REGENT MARKET ST. Below 17TH FIRST PRESENTATION MRS. VERNON CASTLE in "THE HILLCREST MYSTERY"

GLOBE MARKET STREET AT JUNIPER 11 A. M. to 11 P. M. VAUDEVILLE CONTINUOUS "THE COUNT AND THE MAID" TOM RAY, the Singing Fireman. OTHERS.

CROSS KEYS MARKET ST. Below 60TH Daily—Twice Nightly MERRY-GO-ROUND Musical Comedy

BROADWAY Broad and Snyder Ave. DAILY—NIGHTLY "A DREAM OF THE ORIENT" Peggy Hyland in "Peg O' the Pirates"

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