

In the Social World

By MAUD McDOUGALL.

The President and Mrs. Wilson and Miss Margaret Wilson returned to the White House last night from New York where they went last Friday to take part in the Liberty Day celebration.

The Secretary of State and Mrs. Lansing have temporarily given up a trip to Watertown, N. Y. which they had planned. Three members of their household being ill with influenza they have practically quarantined themselves to avoid spreading the disease. The illness there has not been serious. Last evening they were all reported as "up now, and doing nicely, thank you."

Official and diplomatic circles were grieved and shocked last night to learn that Capt. Angus Macintosh, honorary attaché of the British Embassy, had succumbed to influenza at Walter Reed Hospital. Capt. Macintosh had but recently returned from Ottawa, where his wife, Lady Maud Macintosh, has been visiting her parents, the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire, and where some three weeks ago a little daughter was born to her. He and Lady Maud came here about eighteen months ago, as bride and groom, and leased the Chevy Chase residence of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walker, where they have lived for the past year. They had taken a house in town for this winter.

The Duchess of Devonshire who had hurried from Ottawa on hearing of her son-in-law's illness arrived yesterday shortly before his death. Capt. Macintosh, who in his own country was "The" Macintosh, head of a great clan and a tremendously wealthy man, had only been in a few days, and was removed to Walter Reed Hospital late Friday evening that he might be the better cared for.

Count Macchi di Cellere, the Ambassador of Italy, who went to New York Friday evening to attend the great Liberty parade of the Columbus centenary celebration, is expected at the embassy this morning. Maj. Gen. Guglielmo, military attaché of the embassy, Admiral Lombardi, Signor Andrea Giesser Celesti di Vegliano, third secretary, Signor Biondi and his secretary, Signor Calliano, will return with him.

The Swedish Minister and Mrs. Ekengren have taken possession of their new home, 125 Sixteenth street, which they purchased last spring. It is the former home of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolf Kaufmann, built by them when they were married and when it was considered quite far uptown. The house has been considerably remodelled during the summer for its new occupants.

Secretary and Mrs. Redfield, who have been in New York for a week, are expected back in Washington this morning.

The Attorney General and Mrs. Thomas Watt Gregory have as a guest for several weeks Mrs. A. S. Roberts, of Austin, Tex. Mrs. Roberts has visited them before. Mrs. Ericine Thomas Watt Gregory, Jr., of S. N., who spent a week with his parents, has returned to Nantucket, where he is temporarily stationed. Mrs. Gregory only recently received his commission as ensign.

Mr. Arthur Franklin Musgrave, of the British Embassy, who was married early in October in New York to Miss Helen Greene, of Cincinnati, is expected in Washington with his bride today.

Mrs. Lane, wife of the Secretary of the Interior, spent much of yesterday at the convalescent home which the Interior Department Relief Association has established near the Walter Reed Hospital, taking precautions against a threatened influenza of the prevailing epidemic.

Mrs. Tasker H. Bliss and Miss Eleanor Bliss, wife and daughter of Gen. Tasker H. Bliss, have given up the residence, 115 I street, which they occupied for some time, because of the return to Washington of Gen. and Mrs. Evans, whose home it is, and are at 227 Farragut square for the winter.

Mrs. Defrees Critch and her daughter, Miss Marjorie, have returned to their home, 217 LeRoy place, for the winter. They have spent the past year at their place in Los Gatos, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Alexander Thomas and their little son, "Bobs," of New York City, are the guests of Mrs. Thomas' father, Mr. George E. Rowe, 585 Vermont avenue northwest. Mrs. Thomas was Miss Helen Rowe, of Washington, before her marriage.

and will be glad to receive her friends for the next week.

Capt. and Mrs. C. C. Calhoun, the latter formerly Mrs. Barker Gurnere, have returned from their place, Rosedale, at Princeton, N. J., and are in Capt. Calhoun's apartment at the Rochambeau, where he kept bachelor's hall for many years. The marriage of Capt. and Mrs. Calhoun took place in the spring and they spent some time in the West and at the White Sulphur Springs. They will take possession of their New Hampshire avenue home this week.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hays Hammond, on Kalorama road, is being made ready for the family occupancy. They are being kept in Massachusetts by the illness of Mrs. Hammond, who is suffering from an attack of bronchitis.

The marriage of Miss Marian Brownell Crist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Crist, to Edward Gard, U. S. N., will take place tonight in the home of the bride's parents. The Rev. James Gordon will officiate. Mr. Delos H. Smith, a classmate of the bridegroom at college, will be the best man.

The Highlands Auxiliary Red Cross will resume its work today and meet as usual at 9:30, with Mrs. Gorgan.

Miss Janet Richards will return to Washington at the end of this week from her bungalow near York Harbor, Me. Miss Richards donated a series of lectures during the summer for war work. Her lecture on "How We Are Winning the War" netted the proceeds for purchasing an ambulance for France, given by the summer residents of Rye Beach, N. H. Miss Richards will resume her lectures here on November 4.

The League of American Pen Women has postponed indefinitely their meeting scheduled for tonight.

The monthly meeting of the Stone-wall Jackson chapter, U. D. C., will be omitted tomorrow night because of influenza.

The marriage of Capt. Roger Morse Bone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Scott C. Bone, of Seattle, Wash., formerly of this city, and founder of The Washington Herald, to Miss Ruth Hamlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hamlin, of Devonshire, governor general of Canada, and it was following his last visit to his wife and their three-week-old baby that Capt. Macintosh contracted the disease. Funeral announcements will be made later.

RED CROSS REPORTS ON RELIEF IN EAST

Relief expenditures by the American Red Cross in Russia, Siberia, the Balkans and the Near East were made public by the war council of the organization last night.

In European Russia \$2,897,919 has been spent to date. Refugees and Czech-Slovak troops in Siberia received \$4,273,200 for needed supplies. In Rumania \$2,575,289 was expended during the six months preceding which signing of the Bucharest treaty. Appropriations for Serbia were \$1,244,197 and for Greece \$375,000. An aggregate of \$3,090,950 was contributed for relief work among Armenians and Syrians in Asia Minor.

FEW WAR WORKERS WITHOUT QUARTERS

Owing to the active work being done by the Bureau of Industrial Housing and Transportation the number of homeless men and women in Washington, many of whom are government war workers, has considerably decreased.

This bureau aids the war workers and without it many of them would be homeless because of their inability to obtain accommodations here.

During September it aided 1,163 men and women in obtaining both temporary and permanent homes.

"Over There" with the Yanks

By J. R. GROVE.



Boche—"Oh, dem Americans dey ist everywhere."

CAPT. A. MACINTOSH DIES OF INFLUENZA

Attache of British Embassy Succumbs to Epidemic.

Capt. A. Macintosh died at Walter Reed Hospital at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, a victim of influenza. He was an attaché at the British Embassy here and was reputed to be the richest man in Scotland.

While at the battle front Capt. Macintosh is said to have displayed exceptional bravery on many occasions and has been decorated for his valor. He was wounded severely while in action by a bullet penetrating his lungs, and on another occasion he was gassed, his condition consequently making him all the more susceptible to the prevailing epidemic.

About two years ago he married Lady Maude Cavendish, daughter of the Duke of Devonshire, governor general of Canada, and it was following his last visit to his wife and their three-week-old baby that Capt. Macintosh contracted the disease. Funeral announcements will be made later.

THE TOWN CRIER.

In compliance with the request of the District Health Officer, the communications of the King David Lodge, No. 28, P. A. A. M., and all constituent lodges will be discontinued until further notice. Grand visitations falling within the closed season will also be dispensed with.

Urges Government Take Over Street Railways

The Columbia Heights Citizens' Association has written Commissioner Brownlow, as chairman of the Public Utility Commission, that it has not taken any other action on the matter of increased fares than advocating government ownership of all street railways.

In its communication the association hopes an opportunity will be offered for representatives of all civic bodies to obtain all the facts by cross-examination in order that appropriate action may be taken.

CONFESSIONS OF A WAR BRIDE

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We Are Shaken by a Depth Bomb and Supplies Are Low.

Once again, that morning, death snatched at me—and missed. The destroyer had picked up the scent like a thoroughbred. I judged, for Bremer's anxiety increased whenever he ventured to thrust up the periscope. Finally he ceased to use it and from that fact I reasoned that although the morning was gray and the mist was clinging to the water, the pursuer was drawing dangerously near. The U-boat's ears—its listening apparatus—brought Bremer the same information. But he couldn't seek a safer berth at a lower depth with a wrecked level gauge. How the destroyer finally pounced upon my undersea prison and shook it as a cat shakes a mouse, the annals of the U. S. navy will never show. While her motors were going at top-speed, the submarine staggered and then careened like a barrel rolling on its side. I was tossed from my berth to the floor. The boat stopped shaking long before the men did. Fear which seemed always to dominate the minds of the crew was for the moment unconcealed. Bremer called down his engine tube and appeared satisfied with the answer he received. The helmsman announced that his hydroplanes were O. K. Only unimportant repairs, lights here and there, were required. There was no leakage. Whatever its sins, the sub was spared its reckoning that day. The event proved that the destroyer, having dropped one bomb "just for luck," perhaps was obliged to return to her job of escorting the transport. A sailor picked me up from the floor and placed me out of the way on the bunk just as the commander appeared, his head bound up in cotton and surgeon's tape. He held a long conversation with Bremer. By piecing together fragments of it I was convinced of what I had only surmised yesterday: oil was low, provisions were short; they must hurry to their base and take on supplies; and now repairs must be made; a new level gauge must be installed immediately or they would soon rest, all of them, in Davy Jones' locker for evermore. He held a longer conversation with Bremer after that than being antombed eternally with a U-boat crew. But, not being dead yet, I was interested in finding out something about their other ship. "If their base isn't a ship," I reflected, "the information will be even more valuable." Then I was obliged to add, "If I live." (To be continued.)

Why Some Marriages Are Failures

By DOROTHY DIX THE WORLD'S HIGHEST PAID WOMAN WRITER.

A millionaire ex-president of a mighty railroad system has just said his wife for separation, and exhibited A in the case was a bunch of the silliest and mushiest letters an indiscreet woman ever penned, that were written by the wife to a hotel manager with whom she was infatuated. In her own defence, the wife told a tragic little story of gilded misery, of a life that seemingly had everything in it to make it happy, but that, in reality, was only a hollow mockery of happiness. She said that when she was 21 she was very proud because she had married a man who had already made a name for himself in the world of finance. She was considered to have made the catch of the season even if her husband was old enough to have been her father. She said that he gave her the best place in the Berkshires for a home. He provided rich clothes and jewels, automobiles and servants. And that was all. She said that he was too much absorbed in his career to have time for his family. When he was at home he was grouchy and glum, buried in his own thoughts and plans. When she tried to talk to him about her affairs and asked his advice, he told her that if she was old enough to be married, she was old enough to attend to things herself without bothering him. She bore him ten children. He hardly noticed when they were born. He did not even seem to grieve when many of the babies died. She said that her husband was never willing to take her to any place of amusement, and that even when they went to a reception or a ball together, as their social position required them to do sometimes, he would never stay but a few minutes. He never enjoyed himself. He never had good times together, as most wives and husbands do. She was terribly lonely, says this poor rich wife, who had nothing but money. She was hungry for companionship, for romance, for sentiment, and then she met the Other Man who was chummy and understanding, and who flattered her and made love to her, and she lost her heart to her husband over him and wrote him the fool letters that brought disgrace and ruin upon her. I have told this story at length because it seems to me that there has never been such a searchlight turned upon the question of why marriage is a failure in such cases as this, nor any happening that ever pointed such a lesson to husbands and wives. Its first lesson is to husbands, and it is this: You can't feed a woman's heart on bank notes. It takes something more than

LAY NEW PLANS FOR WAR'S END

U. S. Bureaus See Need of Centralized Effort for Trade Progress.

With all the tremendous expenditure of time, thought, energy and money to win the war, preparations for after-war conditions also are claiming considerable attention in certain departments of the government. Probably foremost in laying the plans for the economic reconstruction to follow a cessation of hostilities is the Department of Commerce. "The time is now ripe for more centralized, concerted work on a program of economic reconstruction after the war," says a report made public last night by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce. It is the first of a series of reports to be issued on this subject and is devoted to the plans under consideration by other agencies, especially as they bear on future foreign-trade developments. From this official report and other known views and opinions of men prominent in official circles, it is plainly evident that there is fast developing a strong sentiment for government control of the country's natural resources in the momentous task to be faced.

All Nations Preparing. "The outstanding fact under observation," says this report, "is the recognition in every land and by all statesmen of the problem called 'economic reconstruction.' But of more immediate importance is the fact that England, France, Italy, Germany and Austria are making preparations to resume their peaceful economic life, with improved facilities for foreign trade, with a national supervision of the use of natural resources for the benefit of their own citizens, and with assistance from the state."

Attention is called to the achievements of our own government in preparing for after-war conditions, such as the building and organization of a huge merchant marine backed by large and efficient shipyards and docks, the Webb-Pomeroy export trade act authorizing exporters to combine for exportations, the leeway in the foreign-trade banking now possessed by the Federal Reserve Bank and efficient shipyards. All these have been a very considerable amount of effective work looking toward the future, says the report, but much remains undone.

HOROSCOPE.

Astrologers read this as a doubtful day, all adverse during the next few days of morning and afternoon, but later Mars and Venus are in benefic aspect. The night should bring great good fortune to our armies and should be a time when some lasting advantage is gained. The women will give most trouble aid to soldiers and sailors during the war, but there is strong indication that afterward the wives and sisters will return to home occupations which will be changed, however, in the new era. Under this way there is likely to be a tendency toward criticism, instability and unrest. Persons of every age should exercise severe self control as the stars presage the prevalence of nervous disorders. Again reports of many strange occurrences in the preparation of the occult world becomes more and more prevalent to men and women. A great access of "superstition" is indicated. Many "dark" pleasures will be told and some of them will be true. Love affairs, especially those in which soldiers are concerned, are well directed. This is a promising government of the stars for theaters and new plays should be successful if presented during this way. Education has a leading making for practical training and the preparation of students for important tasks in the rebuilding and reconstruction period that will follow the war. In the new era every place where men and women work will become a school for careful training, the seeds declare, and ignorance will gradually be banished from the world. Diplomacy as well as military supremacy are to be recognized as America's hard earned achievements. Persons whose birthdate it is have the forecast of an active year that holds much pleasure. New friends will bring advantages. Children born on this day are likely to be energetic and clever. These subjects of Libra really have a keen sense of justice. Many of them are studious. (Copyright, 1918.)

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EPIDEMIC REDUCES COAL PRODUCTION

Miners Seriously Affected by Spanish Influenza. Spanish influenza caused a pronounced reduction in the output of coal last week, according to reports to the United States Fuel Administration. Mining districts in various States were hard hit by the rapid spread of the epidemic, notably in Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia, Tennessee, Kentucky, Central Pennsylvania and Alabama. The most serious report came from the Cumberland-Piedmont district where, because of the prevalence of influenza together with a scarcity of physicians and nurses, many of the smaller coal mines are completely idle, while the larger ones are but half-manned. The estimated output from this district is only 50 per cent of its former weekly rate. "The rapidity of the progress of the disease and fatal results have the population awestruck," says the report from this district. Influenza among railroad employes is hampering the movement of cars in Ohio and West Virginia. Germans are requisitioning rails and all materials of brick kilns of Boom (near Antwerp) so that laborers are driven to work in Germany or at sorting munitions in their own district.



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