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## HOME OF JOHN H. GRESS.

On Tennis Place, between Exeter and Dartmouth Streets, is the charming Colonial residence pictured above. The entrance is dignified and well proportioned and the treatment of the flanking porches in relation to the house is particularly fortunate.

The general plan consists of a large living room opening to a porch through French doors, while on the other side of the house are the dining room, breakfast porch and service portions. All details throughout are Colonial, with old ivory finish and mahogany doors.

The exterior walls are of selected hard burned brick laid in Flemish bond. A feature of the gables is the projecting small headers of the darker shades of brick, giving texture to the otherwise plain surfaces of the walls. The roof is a blend of red and brown tiles.

This house was designed and erected by the Homes Company.

#### SCOUT NEWS.

The Scouts are collecting old papers and magazines to be sold to raise a fund for the support of fatherless French children. It turns out to be a real job. With regard to the amount of paper collectible, the work exceeds our utmost expectations. Lack of transportation facilities prevented the completion of collections last Saturday. However, with good weather and good luck a "clean-up" will soon be made.

Another hike is planned for today.

At the last regular meeting the following were elected to office for the coming year: Acting Assistant Scout Master, A. Gordon Smith; Senior Patrol Leader, Jack Gray; Patrol Leader, A. Gordon Smith; Assistant Patrol Leaders, Kim Gray and Kim Seward; Treasurer, Fred Small; Secretary, Charlie Goudiss.

#### CHANGE OF DATE OF MEETING.

The regular monthly meeting of the Forest Hills Taxpayers' scheduled for the last Tuesday of the month has been changed for this month only. The May meeting will be held on Friday, June 1st. An interesting address on "Taxes in War Times" will be given by George E. Holmes, Tax Expert of the Corporation Trust Co. Public cordially invited.

#### WOMEN'S CLUB OFFICERS.

The newly-elected officers of the Women's Club are as follows: President, Mrs. Edwin Arden; First Vice-President, Mrs. Lee Galloway; Second Vice-President, Mrs. James Woodrough; Third Vice-President, Mrs. C. P. Tompkins; Treasurer, Mrs. W. F. Mohan; Recording Secretary, Mrs. W. G. Walker; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Anna C. Boyd.

Executive Board:—Mrs. J. A. Mac Farlan, Mrs. E. H. Mays, Mrs. J. B. Snow, Mrs. A. M. Gray (resigned).

#### NAVY NIGHT

Navy night, Tuesday, May 22, at Church-in-the-Gardens promises to be a notable affair. Eminent navy officers will be present. William Ledyard Cathcart, naval expert, will give an illustrated lecture on "Our Navy and the War." Miss Katharine Eggleston will give patriotic readings that have deeply stirred her New York audiences. Tickets 50 cents each will be sold by Boy and Girl Scouts, and at an automobile ticket stand in Station Square on Friday and Monday afternoons. The proceeds go towards providing mufflers and wristlets knit by members of the Women's Guild and others for Uncle Sam's jackies.

#### GARDENING PERMITS.

The Homes Company urgently requests that all persons using any of its vacant ground for cultivation of vegetables without permission, secure the proper consent at once in order that records may be made and kept of this activity by residents of the community.

After the hurry and haste of getting the ground prepared and the seed sowed for your vegetable garden, comes the time to think about the unsightly heap of sod or stones you have piled up. Many are in evidence in the Gardens these days. Why not have them removed at once? A clause in the consents issued by the Homes Company makes it obligatory on the gardener to not permit any unsightly debris to accumulate.

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#### A PERSONAL WORD.

In retiring from the editorship of the "Bulletin" the editor desires to express his appreciation of the uniform kindness that has been accorded him in every effort to promote the interests of the paper. The generous co-operation of all has made the work a pleasure and the thought that he was, in a small way, rendering a service to this delightful community has given a pleasure that will abide.

It is a pleasure to turn the editorship over to Ernest M. Bristol, who is so well qualified to make the Bulletin of increasing interest and value to the M. J. STICKEL. community.

#### FOREST HILLS RIFLE CLUB.

R. H. Carey, a member of the Rifle Club, has responded to the call to arms and gone to the Officers' training camp. This continual drain of good men is being keenly felt by the Club, but the organization has progressed far enough to stand firmly on its own feet. George Einstein, one of the founders of the Club, has also enlisted in the Coast Artillery, but it is hoped he will not be called out for active duty immediately. Captain Shurick, who has a commission as First Lieutenant on the old Engineer Officer Reserve Corps, expected to be ordered out to the training camps with the other officers but found, on investigation, that only the men on the new corps were being taken on this call.

Second Lieutenant H. F. Pomeroy has been promoted to First Lieutenant and assigned to A Company; and Sergeant J. Messenger been promoted to Second has Lieutennt and assigned to B. Company. These officers will, in the future, be in entire charge of their respective companies, responsible for attendance, discipline, general development and appointment of non-commissioned officers, subject to the approval of Captain Shurick.

The order has gone to the Government for about 100 Krag-Jorgensen rifles, which the Club is now looking eagerly forward to receiving. The Fourth of July Committee has tentatively offered to provide the company with about 10,000 rounds of blank ammunition with which to hold a manoeuver as part of the celebration on the Fourth. Every effort will be made to speed up the shipment as rapidly as possible and also to see that every man in the Club has a rifle.

#### ENGAGED.

The engagement is announced, of Miss Lillian Frances McDermott, of the Inn, to Ernest V. Gent, of Dartmouth Street.

#### WAR RELIEF LETTER.

Mrs. Jacobs has received a letter from the headquarters in Paris of the National Surgical Dressing Committee. Mrs. C. K. Austin, the Vice-President highly commends the work done by the Forest Hills War Relief Workers and sends the thanks and appreciation of the 1300 hospitals which the American Clearing House supplies. She is writing also to the Scouts thanking them for their splendid work in sending the 5000 pillows.

The need now is very great—since the great drive is on, and Mrs. Austin urges all to redouble their efforts to increase the supply. Her words are these:-

"We do not begin to have enough to fill the needs, and the numbers are growing daily. We must all make one big last effort for victory. Sincerely and gratefully yours."

#### GARDEN HINTS.

H. B. Fullerton, of the Long Island Experimental Station at Medford, L. I., recommends the following varieties of seeds for this section, after a careful survey of the location and examination of the soil, and where purchasable:

Asparagus-Reading Giant-Prescott Asparagus Farm, Concord. Mass.

Beans-Stringless (Green pod)-Stokes Seed Farms, Morristown, N. J.

Beans-Brittle (Wax podded)-Stokes Seed Farms.

Beans-Bush Lima (Fordhook)-Burpee, Philadelphia, Pa. Beans-Pole Lima (Leviathan)-Burpee, Philadelphia, Pa. Beets-Black Red all-Burpee, Philadelphia, Pa.

Cabbage (white)-Early (you will have to buy plants of early cabbage now), all head-Stokes Seed Farms.

Cabbage-Late (Ball head)-Stokes Seed Farms. Cabbage (Red)-Late (Red Rock--Stokes Seed Farms.

Carrots-Chantenay-Stokes Seed Farms.

Cauliflower—Early (Snowball)—Stumpf & Walter, N. Y. C. Cauleflower—Late (Early Erfurt)—Stumpf & Walter.

Celery—Early (Golden Self-Blanching)—Stumpf & Walter. Celery—Late (Giant Pascal)—Stumpf & Walter.

Celeriac-Giant Prague-Stokes Seed Farms.

Corn (Sweet)-Early (Golden Bantam)-Burpee, Philadelphia, Pa.

Corn-Midseason (Howling Mob)-Burpee.

Corn-Late (Golden Bantam)-Burpee.

Cress-Upland-Burpee.

Cucumber-Davis Perfect-Stokes Seed Farms.

Egg Plant—Black Beauty (Plants)—Stumpf & Walter. Endive—Green curled—Stokes Seed Farms.

Kale-Dwarf Scotch-Stokes Seed Farms.

Kohl-Rabi-White Vienna-Stokes Seed Farms.

Leek-Carentan-Stokes Seed Farms.

Lettuce-Wayahead-Burpee, Philadelphia, Pa.

Musk Melon-Burrell Gem-Burpee.

Okra-Long Pod-Stokes Seed Farms

Onion-Yellow Globe-Stokes Seed Farms. Parsley-Moss Curled-Stokes Seed Farms.

Parsnip-Hollow Crown-Stokes Seed Farms.

Peas—Early (Prolific)—Stokes Seed Farms. Peas—Late (Sutton's Excelsior)—Stokes Seed Farms.

Peppers-Ruby King-Stokes Seed Farms.

Potatoes-Norcross-Thornton & Co., N. Y. City. Pumpkin-Cheese-Stokes Seed Farms.

Radish-Scarlet Globe-Stokes Seed Farms.

Rhubarb-Wyatt's Linaens-Stokes Seed Farms.

Salsify-Sandwich Island-Stokes Seed Farms.

Spinach-Late (Victoria)-Stokes Seed Farms

Spinach-Early (New Zealand)-Stokes Seed Farms.

Squash-Fordhook-Stokes Seed Farms.

Tomatoes—Early (Bonny Best)—Stokes Seed Farms. Tomatoes—Late (Dwarf Stone)—Stokes Seed Farms. Turnip-Purple Top Strafe Leaf-Stokes Seed Farms. Rutabaga-Yellow-Stokes Seed Farms.

Walter Ryan, of Slocum Crescent, has enlisted in the First Cavalry National Guard.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McTyier and Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Kaighn spent last week at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Kaighn are visiting at the home of Edward H. Mays, in Slocum Crescent.

Harold B. Simpson, of Broookline, Mass., spent the week end with the Ryans, on Slocum Crescent.

Walter C. Hartwig is coaching the Gardens Players for the annual outdoor production of John Galsworthy's "Joy."

Lyman Beecher Stowe passed the examination for the training camp at Plattsburg, but was not called with the first contingent.

The pictorial insert in the last issue of the Bulletin attracted much favorable comment. The community is very proud of its military company.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Fancy and son, Richard, were the guests of M. J. Stickel at a Father-Mother-and-Son banquet at the Greenpoint Y.M.C.A.

Will Philip Hooper made the drawing for the new title page of the "Bulletin, Jr.," and presented the plate, with 500 copies already printed, to the youth-ful editors.

The Patriotic Tournament at the West Side Tennis Club, for the women of the Metropolitan District, was played this week. Mrs. Robert A. Pope and Mrs. L. E. Bailey were contestants.

Sergeant McClintock, an American who served in the English Army, gave a very interesting account of life in the trenches before the Men's Club on Friday night of last week at the home of Will Philip Hooper.

Work on the Metropolitan Avenue trolley line, which passes the Gardens Club House, is being pushed and service will open in the fall. This will give a five cent fare to Brooklyn and New York City.

There seems a little probability that the Board of Estimate will include in this year's budget the funds for a new school building in Forest Hills. It has been rejected once, but the local committee is still pressing the matter.

The "Reporter," the forthcoming local newspaper, will first greet the residents of the Gardens on June 18. The editors of the publication have requested that all news items of any community interest whatever, be forwarded to The Reporter, P. O. Box 20, Forest Hills, L. I.

Raymond Bell, Joseph Beringer, Huguenin Ellis, Ernest V. Gent, Alexander Howard and Walter C. Hartwig entertained one hundred and fifty guests at a Tea given at the home of Mr. Hartwig, on Dartmouth Street, Sunday afternoon, May 6th, from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Forest Hills Gardens defeated Kew Gardens in a very closely contested bowling match at the Kew Gardens Cuntry Club, Monday evening, May 7th. E. W. Mecabe, J. T. Warder, H. T. Warren, Dr. T. C. Chalmers, K. I. Small, and T. J. Scannell comprised the winning team, representing the Gardens Club.

#### THE INN.

C. Halsted Yates has joined Mrs. Yates and expects to spend the summer at the Inn.

The friends of Baron and Baroness de Goncer are pleased to again welcome them at the Inn.

Capt. W. G. Cutler, U. S. N., is among the permanent guests at the Inn.

W. W. Crawford has recovered from his recent illness and both he and Mrs. Crawford are again at the Inn. Mr. and Mrs. David H. G. Penny and their little daughter,

Mr. and Mrs. David H. G. Penny and their little daughter, Margaret, have arrived at the Inn to remain for the summer. Mrs. Eleanor A. Mead is among the recent arrivals at

the Inn. Miss Sally H. Pierce has returned from a vacation spent at Martinsville, Ind., and Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. James F. Deckert, with her little daughter and nurse, has gone for a short stay with her aunt at Oyster Bay, where she will be joined in a few days by her sister, Miss Katherine Parsons.

Mrs. John G. Lamont, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cochrane for the past few weeks, has returned to her home in Pennsylvania.

The tennis season was opened at the Gardens Club on Saturday last with exhibition games and a tea. L. M. Burt defeated Dr. S. E. Davenport, Jr., in the singles, and Davenport and Mecabe defeated Burt and Warren in the doubles. Mrs. H. B. Jagoe was Chairman of the serving committee.

The Amateur Baseball League has suspended for the season on account of the war, and the only games at the Gardens Club grounds will be played by teams organized among the members.

#### NEW TIME-TABLE.

The new Spring time-table of the Long Island Railroad, which will become effective Monday, May 28th, will include the following additional trains between Forest Hills and New York:

Week Days—Leave New York 9.15 A. M.; arrive Forest Hills 9.29 A. M.

Leave Forest Hills 3.15 P. M.; arrive New York 3.29 P. M. Saturdays Only—Leave New York 2.45 P. M.; arrive Forest Hills 2.59 P. M.

Sundays—Leave New York 6.46 A. M.; arrive Forest Hills (7.02 A. M.

Leave New York 10.40 A. M.; arrive Forest Hills 10.54 A. M. Leave New York 12.35 P. M.; arrive Forest Hills 12.51 P. M. Leave New York 8.24 P. M.; arrive Forest Hills 8.38 P. M. Leave Forest Hills 4.01 P. M.; arrive New York 4.15 P. M.

#### WOMEN'S SERVICE LEAGUE NOTES.

The headquarters of the League for Women's Service has moved to 259 Madison Avenue. \$120,000.00 is being raised by the League for administrative expenses in the 42 States where the organization is functioning. Checks may be sent to Miss Anne Morgan.

Mrs. Ernest Mecabe, 100 Greenway South, is Chairman of the Committee to secure a list of automobiles available for any emergency.

Mrs. Hartley Smith, Wendover Road, is chairman of the Committee on Gardening.

Mrs. M. M. Allen, 74 Beechknoll Road, is Chairman of the Committee on Military Census.

The Taxpayers' Association has issued a folder giving a history of the organization, what has been accomplished during the four and one-half years, a list of the important matters now being pushed, and a roster of officers and committeemen.

#### COMING EVENTS.

Announcements of Coming Events should be sent to the Community Secretary, 27 Greenway Terraces. 'Phone Forest Hills 6200.

Tuesdays, 2.30. Sales Office. Meeting of War Relief Committee. Women of the Community cordially invited.

First and Third Tuesdays of each month. Arcanum Hall, Elmhurst. Meeting of Forest Hills Lodge of Masons.

Sundays, 9.15 to 10.45 A. M., and Wednesdays 8 P. M., Continental Avenue, near the Inn. Rifle and Drill Corps drill. Men of the community cordially invited.

Saturdays, May 19th, 26th and June 2nd, 2.30 P. M., West Side Tennis Club—Exhibition singles and doubles by the foremost players in the country. Admittance free. Voluntary collections taken for Red Cross work.

Tuesday, May 22nd, 8 P. M., Church-in-the-Gardens-Navy night. Auspices Women's Guild. Admittance fifty cents.

Wednesday, May 23rd, 3 P. M., Sales Office—Informal meeting of Gardens Chapter of Women's Club. Women of the community cordially invited.

Friday, May 25th, 8 P. M., at the home of Dr. Eugene Christian, 17 Bow Street. Lecture, "Eating for Definite Results," by Dr. Christian. Auspices of Men's Club.

Monday, May 28th, 2.30 P. M., at the home of Mrs. A. M. Gray, 33 Slocum Crescent.—Last meeting of the English Literature Class.

Tuesday, May 29th, 8 P. M.—At the home of H. H. Buckley, 8 Markwood Road. May musicale. Edna Fossett-Sterling, soprano, assisted by Kan Kirk-Smith, 'cellist. Auspices of Women's Guild. Tickets, \$1.00.

Friday, June 1st, 8.15 P. M., Church-in-the-Gardens— Taxpayers' meeting. Subject, "Taxes in War Times." Address by Mr. George E. Holmes, tax expert of the Corporation Trust Company.

Saturday, June 9th, afternoon, in the Tea Garden at the Inn. Sale of garden hats, bags, ice cream, cake, etc., under the auspices of the Women's Guild of St. Luke's Chapel.

Thursday and Friday, June 21st and 22nd, 8 P. M.—In the Tea Garden. Open-air play by the Gardens Players.

Friday, June 8th, 2.30 P. M., Church-in-the-Gardens-Last monthly meeting of Women's Guild. Hostesses: Mrs. Helen L. Easton, Mrs. S. W. Eckman and Dr. Julia Wygant Perry.

#### RICHMOND HILL HIGH SCHOOL TO FURNISH GARDENERS.

The boys of the Richmond Hill High School have volunteered to work outside of school hours, through May and June, as their contribution to the campaign for feeding the nation. They expect to be paid, just as other workers do, but money is not their first object. The management of this new labor exchange has been given into the charge of the vocational committee which has had three years' experience in placement work for the pupils of the school.

Anyone who wants a boy for afternoons or Saturdays anywhere between Jamaica and East New York can secure one of these volunteers by applying at the High School. The committee will send an able-bodied, dependable worker, living in the vicinity of the prospective employer. Furthermore, they will see to it that he has some knowledge of what to do in a garden, for the men teachers who know at first hand what farming means, have offered to make sure of this before the boys are sent out. Twenty cents an hour, the customary wages of boys who do such work, will be the rate of pay.

When the summer vacation begins the boys can be secured for longer hours; or if some of them go off to help the farmers up-state, they will go better fitted to serve the country's needs. In giving them experience in our home gardens, Richmond Hill will have made its contribution to the training of efficient workers.

Write or telephone to the Vocational Committee at the High School and hire a boy. State if possible how many hours of work a week you want done. Richmond Hill 26 is the number.

#### CHURCH OF FOREST HILLS.

Morning services next Sunday will be conducted by Mr. Carl Swartz, former Pastor of the Church. In the evening there will be a musical service consisting of songs and instrumental music. All lovers of music are cordially invited to attend. The Christian Endeavor service, as usual.

#### OUR LADY QUEEN OF MARTYRS.

The members of the Sewing Circle hold their meetings in the Club House on Friday afternoons at 2 o'clock.

Thursday, May 17th, being Ascension Day, masses were said at 6 and 8 o'clock in the Chapel.

. The Sunday School children are to put on an operetta on Monday and Tuesday evenings, May 28th and 29th.

#### ST. LUKE'S MISSION.

On the 13th inst. we began our Sunday evenings at St. Luke's, a brief service followed by a fifteen-minute address on topics of the hour. The attendance was encouraging, the interest great. For convenience of the organist the service begins at 8.15 and closes at 9. All are welcome. Trinity Sunday, June 3rd, will be the silver anniversary

Trinity Sunday, June 3rd, will be the silver anniversary of the Vicar's ordination to the Priesthood. There will be a special festival service in the evening. It is hoped Archdeacon Duffield will be the preacher, with other clergy assisting. Mr. Barnard, of New York City, will sing. The offering will be given to the St. Luke's Building Fund. After the service there will be an informal reception to the Vicar at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Holland, 19 Greenway Terraces.

The Women's Guild of St. Luke's is busy preparing for a Garden Party, in the Tea Garden, on the afternoon of June 9th, to raise funds for the reduction of the mortgage on the Church property. There will be a sale of garden hats and bags, for which donations are asked from all interested friends. There will also be on sale strawberries, ice cream, cake, lemonade, candy, etc.

#### CHURCH-IN-THE-GARDENS.

The practical interest of the women of the congregation in war relief is increasing all the time. Besides the decision of the Women's Guild to work for the Comforts Committee of the Navy League, preparations are being made for a rally in the Church on the evening of May 22nd, when prominent speakers will be heard. It will be in the interest of the Navy League.

The May Musicale is to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Buckley on May 29th. Mrs. Sterling, soprano soloist of the Central Presbyterian Church, New York City, will be assisted by Kan Kirk-Smith, 'cellist. Under the auspices of the women's Guild.

In the absence of Mrs. Kaighn, Miss Hazel M. Clark sang a soprano solo at the service last Sunday. She is a member of the choir of the Church of the Ascension, New York City.

The next communion service will be on the first Sunday of June. A cordial welcome to our fellowship to all Christian people who have recently come to our community.

The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. Sherwood Eddy are hoping and praying for their safe arrival in France. Mrs. Margaret Eddy will be at 600 Lexington avenue, New York City, until she enters upon her summer plans.

A unit of the Comforts Committee of the Navy League has been formed under the auspices of the Women's Guild. All women of the community are invited to share in this work for our country. The next meeting will be on Monday, May 21st, from 2 to 5 P. M., at the home of Mrs. J. Roy Allen, 23 Greenway Terraces.

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#### HOME OF DR. T. C. CHALMERS.

The home pictured above is that of Dr. T. C. Chalmers, located on the corner of Continental Avenue and Slocum Crescent.

It is constructed of hollow tile blocks faced with "Lammie" brick on the first story, above which the construction is of half timber work and stucco.

A stone retaining wall on the front and side, covered with vines, together with a quaint old fashioned garden to the west set amid fine old oaks, make this home one of the charming places in the Gardens.

The house was designed by Eugene Schoen and constructed by the Homes Company. Olmsted Brothers were the landscape architects.

#### THE GARDENS AT PUBLIC SCHOOL NO. 3.

The pupils of the public schools are "doing their bit" by cheerfully giving up their individual school gardens in order to cultivate large community plots and thus raise crops of commercial value. In addition to planting vegetable seeds, the boys have set out many cabbage, Kohlrabi, kale and lettuce plants, the gift of Mr. Ernest Neurge. They have also planted over one hundred tomato plants contributed by Hon. John E. Weir, Commissioner of Parks of the Borough of Queens. On Arbor Day the boys and girls planted vegetable seeds in the new garden on the permanent site, which was put into shape through the kindness of Mr. George Meyer. There is a friendly rivalry among the pupils who are endeavoring to win bronze garden pins for effective garden service.

BY PROCLAMATION OF THE PRESIDENT, DATED MAY 18TH, 1917, TUESDAY, JUNE 5TH, HAS BEEN FIXED AS THE DAY FOR REGISTRATION UNDER AN ACT OF CONGRESS ESTABLISHING THE SELECTIVE DRAFT. THE BOARD OF REGISTRY FOR THIS DIS-TRICT WILL SIT IN PUBLIC SCHOOL NO. 101, ON RUSSELL PLACE, ON THAT DAY FROM 7 A. M. UNTIL 9 P. M., BETWEEN WHICH HOURS ALL MEN BE-TWEEN THE AGES OF 21 AND 31, WITH NO EXCEP-TIONS, ARE REQUIRED TO REGISTER.

WAR REGISTRATION.

#### MILITARY CENSUS.

A military census of men, women and resources of the state will be taken between June 11th and 23rd.

The Forest Hills election district will have its booth at 16 Station Square. Each booth will be under the command of a captain and lieutenant from the League for Women's Service, and they in turn will be in charge of assistants who have registered f r service in time of taking the military census. A supervisor from the Government will be in charge of a number of districts and will aid the captain and her lieutenants with any difficulties which may arise.

#### MILITARY DANCE.

When the sharp tones of the bugle, sounding the "Assembly", rang through the Inn on Tuesday night a new and unique scene in the history of Forest Hills Gardens was ushered in-A Military Ball. As the last note of the bugle died out, there was a roll on the drum and the orchestra struck up "The Star Spangled Banner". The scene that greeted the guests as they filed into the new ball room, added to the enthusiastic wave of patriotism. The National colors, interspersed with flags, including those of our Allies in the Great War, were dominant everywhere, and the whole illumined by the diffused lights from more than 150 incandescent globes. Exceptionally fine pictures of George Washington and President Wilson were part of the decorations, while a group of army rifles and sabres gave a martial touch to the picture. The attendance was unusually large and included more than the usual quota of people from neighboring communities, due to the numerous members of the Club from those sections. The ladies wore the "colors" in various modes, supplemented by the National emblem in some instances. All of the men were in their olive drab fatigue uniforms. Shortly before midnight a buffet luncheon of sandwiches, coffee, ice cream and cake was served, and sharp at twelve o'clock "Taps" was sounded in the Station Square.

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#### MERTON J. STICKEL GOES TO COLORADO.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton J. Stickel and daughters, Jean and Sue, left on Tuesday, May 29th, for Pueblo, Colorado, where Mr. Stickel has accepted a position as Executive Secretary of the Industrial Y. M. C. A., now in formation at the Minnequa Steel Works of the Colorado Fuel & Iron Co. John D. Rockefeller and John D. Rockefeller, Jr., have helped to make possible there a community welfare center, with playgrounds and athletic facilities and Mr. Stickel, with broad experience along these lines in his succession of service as Executive Secretary in Brooklyn, Chicago, Panama, and latterly Greenpoint, has been chosen for leadership in this work.

His neighbors in Forest Hills Gardens congratulate him. They have enjoyed his three-year stay here, which has seemed all too brief. With them, the "Bulletin", whose originator and editor he was, joins in hoping that he and his family may find a pleasant home in the west and that he may succeed in this new field of his chosen work.

#### MISS JESSUP RETURNS TO FRANCE

Elsie M. Jessup has gone back to France to do surgical nursing and will be stationed at the Ris-Orangis Hospital, near Fontainbleau, just outside of Paris. This is work for which she and one associate were chosen from forty candidates, her recent experience in war nursing in France and later in Serbia being of special additional value now. From a year of active nursing abroad Miss Jessup had returned to the Gardens to get back her strength. While recuperating she established and held three classes a week in Red Cross nursing here and helped with the enlistment in New York City.

#### GARDEN STUDY.

A series of Garden Strolls will be held throughout the summer in neighbors' flower and vegetable gardens, for observation and exchange of experiences, under the auspices of the Gardens Chapter of the Women's Club. Any woman interested in gardening is cordially invited to attend. The meetings are to be every other Monday, and the place of meeting alternately at the Sales Office of the Homes Company and the Cord Meyer Company's office. See program of "Coming Events" for dates.

#### FOREST HILLS RIFLE CLUB NOTES.

Three more names have been transferred from the membership list of the Rifle Club to the muster rolls of the Seventh Regiment for active service. The list this week includes Messrs. Vandeveer, Hillman and B. Thoms. The sincere regret felt by all at the loss of these men and the others who have gone before them, is tempered by the fact that the training and instruction received in the Club has been of substantial benefit to the men in a number of instances. This has been a source of considerable gratification to the officers, and now that the fundamental principles of the drill have been covered, they plan to devote as much time as possible to work along these lines. Special attention will be given to instruction in giving commands and drilling units of different sizes, while tactical problems incident to actual warfare conditions will be taken up in the field.

Through the courtesy of Lieutenant Patterson, about sixty members of the Club motored over to the Thirteenth Regiment Armory on Friday evening of last week and had a drill with rifles. Practically the whole of the manual of arms was taken up and the drill was uniformly one of the best the Club has had. Owing to the lost time in making the trip, it is not likely that the Club will again go over as a full unit, though some individual squads may do so. Lieutenant Patterson has very kindly made arrangements to loan the Club rifles any time they may wish them and they will probably be brought over here for some future drills until the Club gets some of its own. The Lieutenant, who himself is a crack marksman, has offered to give any members of the Club, who desire, instructions in shooting in the Thirteenth Regiment gallery on Saturday afternoons.

On Sunday morning, May 20th, the presentation of the colors to the Club was made in the Station Square. Mrs. Spence, a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, who organized the movement to provide the Club with a flag, made a very appropriate presentation speech, which was ably responded to in behalf of the Club by the Rev. Rowland S. Nichols, Battalion Chaplain, who concluded his speech with a benediction. The Battalion then saluted, the flag was turned over to Color Sergeant Seward and

"To the Colors" sounded on the bugles. Sunday, May 27th, the Club took a rather strenuous "hike" over in the vicinity of Richmond Hill, returning by way of Kew Gardens. Both going and coming instruction was given in putting out patrols, advance guards, etc., such as would be employed under actual war conditions, and a short maneuver was also held in the vicinity of the reservoir.

#### Orders No. 6.

1.—The following promotions and assignments are ordered effective immediately:

Second Lieutenant Pomeroy is promoted to First Lieutenant and assigned in command of A Company.

Sergeant Messenger is promoted to First Lieutenant and assigned to B Company.

First Sergeant Stout is promoted to Second Lieutenant, assigned to A Company, and will be Acting Adjutant.

R. L. Taft is promoted to Second Lieutenant and assigned to B Company.

Sergeant Bell is promoted to First Sergeant and assigned to A Company.

Sergeant Ringgold is promoted to First Sergeant and assigned to B Company.

F. K. Seward will be Acting Color Sergeant.

2.—All permanently appointed officers will procure the proper insignia of their respective ranks before the next drill.

#### HONOR ROLL FOR APRIL-P. S. NO. 3.

- 6A-Helen Fay, Walter Schlager.
- 5A-Geraldine Dow, Helen Ward.
- 4B-Olivia Edwards, Joseph Hurley.
- 3B-Dorothy Broadbent, Joy Mays, Marguerite Murphy. 3A-Evelyn Dow.
- 2B-Paul Hirshorn, Cicely Kershaw, Iris Tomasulo.

- 2A—James Hagans, Mildred Vandeveer. 1B—Robert Fancy, Edward Schweibert, Doris Earle. 1A—William Heede, Linda Eder, Elizabeth Sherwood, Dorothy Ketcham, Pamela Sweenv,

Mr. and Mrs. John Brewer, of Greenway South, left on Tuesday for Lake George, to return about July 1st.

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Mrs. Arthur H. Flint has returned from Pasedena, where she spent the winter with her invalid mother.

William Adams, Advertising Agent of the American Drug Syndicate, is now living at 78 Dartmouth Street.

Franklin P. Wilds, of the Keene Mica Products Co., has bought one of the interior houses in the group en Summer Street.

The new brick house in the trees in Groton Street has been sold to Albert T. Johnston, Jr., of the Borden's Condensed Milk Co.

Dr. and Mrs. George W. Kirchwey, of Underwood Road, spent Sunday last with Miss Madeleine Z. Doty, at her home in Sparta, N. J.

One of the twin houses on Greenway North has been sold to James Gorton Marsh, of the Huddleston-Marsh Mahogany Co., of Long Island City.

The residents of the Gardens will miss Franz A. Bachman of the Chemist Shop, who found it necessary to leave on Sunday for an indefinite stay in the Catskills on account of his wife's health.

On Wednesday evening, the Management of the Inn turned the ball room, with all the decorations used the night before, over to the help, and it is needless to say that the dance was thoroughly enjoyed by them and their friends.

Stanley Hillman, H. S. Vandeveer, E. J. Young and B. Thoms have joined Company E. of the Seventh Regiment. Kenneth Judson has passed the examination preliminary to enlistment in the Navy, as a ship's writer.

Mrs. Philip James Kieffer, who with her children Kathleen .and Bill Brett spent the last year with her sister, Miss Lucy Brett, in Ivy Close, is now or her way to Fort Riley, Kas., to join her husband, Lieut. Kieffer, of the 13th U. S. Cavalry.

The wedding of Miss Lillian McDermott, of the Inn, to Ernest Victor Gent of 78 Darthmouth street, took place at "The Little Church Around the Corner" on Wednesday, May 16th, Rev. Dr. Houghton officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Gent have gone to California on their honeymoon, and from there will go to the Far East.

#### THE INN.

Walter Quinlan has returned for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Rittenhouse, of Vancouver, B. C., will

remain for the summer months.

A. C. Hunter has returned to the Inn. Major and Mrs. Nixon and little daughter, who have been at the Inn for several weeks, have taken the house of Mrs. A. D. Miller, 41 Slocum Crescent, for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Winship, of Garden City, are guests at the

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Bay, have taken quarters at the Inn for the summer. Mrs. Bowles and son are again guests of the Inn.

Miss E. Longsteele, of Philadelphia, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Pomeroy over the week end.

Mrs. A. L. McClellan, of Richmond, Va., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Skipp.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hale have gone to Greenwich, Conn., where they will be guests of the New Edgewood Inn for the summer

Mr. and Mrs. William Ellison Renwick, of the Roanoke, Brooklyn, were guests of friends at the Inn on Sunday last.

Miss Mary Buttles spent the holiday with her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Field Griffen, at Mamaroneck, N. Y. Among the recent arrivals at the Inn are Mrs. H. A. Straffin, of New York; Miss E. M. Genney, Miss E. M. Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. Cape and daughter.

#### BOWLING TEAM WINS AGAIN.

In the return bowling match rolled at the Kew Gardens Club on Monday night, Forest Hills Gardens won by taking two of the three games played. In the third and deciding game, the high score made by K. I. Small was the deciding factor in winning the match. Forest Hills Gardens Team-K. I. Small, H. T. Warren, Dr. T. C. Chalmers, E. W. Mecabe and J. T. Warder.

#### - - WAR RELIEF CARD PARTIES.

 $\Lambda$  series of card parties, open to all, have been arranged by the local chapter to raise funds for the relief work here and abroad, Thursday afternoon, May 31st, the fifth of the series was given at the home of Mrs. George Everitt in Ibis street. More than one hundred dollars has already been raised in this way.

#### MEN'S CLUB.

A benefit for the Playground Fund consisting of motion pictures showing Marguerite Clark in the "Valentine Girl' with scenes taken in Forest Hills will be given at the Garden's Club, Saturday, June 2nd, afternoon 3 o'clock, evening, 8 o'clock, under the auspices of the Men's Club. Admission: Adults 50 cents; children, 25 cents.

The Associated Charities of Queens need the use of an automobile one afternoon a week to take two children (out of the district already cared for) suffering from the effects of infantile paralysis, into the Brooklyn clinic for treatment. Could you offer to take them one afternoon every two weeks, or for once a month? If Community Secretary, Forest Hills 6200. If so, kindly 'phone

Stephen Mandel has been accepted as an engineer by the military authorities. He is a graduate of Stephens Institute and expects to go to France with the first unit of engineers.

Warren H. Gilman is in Company 10, New York Camp of Reserve Officers' training camp at Plattsburg.

Receipt is acknowledged of a communication signed "Youthful Reader," suggesting that editorials would increase the usefulness of the Bulletin. It is not practical at present to adopt this suggestion, as "bulletins" of daily happenings crowd the paper to its capacity. "Youthful Reader's" helpful interest, however, is appreciated.

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<sup>f</sup> Tuesdays, 2.30. Sales Office. Meeting of War Relief Committee. Women of the Community cordially invited.

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Monday, June 4th.—Garden observation stroll. Rendezvous Sales Office of the Homes Company at 2.30 P. M.

Tuesday, June 5th—War Registration under Selective Draft, 7 A. M. to 9 P. M., at Public School No. 101 on Russell Place. All men from 21 to 31 years of age.

Wednesday, June 6th, 8 P. M.—Musicale at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Chalmers. Auspices of Women's Guild. Admission \$1.00.

Friday, June 8th, 2.30 P. M., Church-in-the-Gardens-Last monthly meeting of Women's Guild. Hostesses: Mrs. Helen L. Easton, Mrs. S. W. Eckman and Dr. Julia Wygant Perry.

June 11th to 23rd—Military Census of Resources. Booth at 16 Station Square.

Thursday, June 14th—Flag Day, 9 A. M. Parade by school children. All residents are asked to put out their flags at this time, as well as on Registration Day, June 5th. Monday, June 18th—Garden observation "Dutch treat" picnic. Rendezvous Sales Office of the Homes Company, 11 A. M.

Thursday and Friday, June 21st and 22nd, 8 P. M.—In the Tea Garden. Open-air play by the Gardens Players.

Monday, July 2nd—Garden observation stroll. Rendezvous Cord Meyer Company's Sales Office, 2.30 P. M.

#### Rifle Club Considering an Affiliation.

One of the most painful duties that has devolved upon the officials of the Club since its organization has been the turning down of numerous offers for entering into combinations of various kinds with other units. Up to the present time none of these have seemed to offer the right opportunity for service, but one has now been received that being seriously considered. This is an invitation to is affiliate with the Veteran Corps Artillery, an organization which dates back to the Revolutionary War. Membership in the organization has heretofore been restricted to those whose forefathers participated in the early American wars, but it is now being expanded very rapidly for home defense purposes, so that this qualification is being waived, though without lowering the standard of the membership, which is still carefully limited. Units are being organized in Great Neck, Flushing, Yonkers, and various nearby sections. of their chief duties will be in manning three-inch anti-aircraft guns, which will be issued to the different companies as fast as they are received. It is the intention to place the responsibility for the protection of New York City against air raids largely in the hands of these companies. While organized under the auspices of the State Government, from which it will receive its equipment, the corps is not affiliated in any way with the Federal Government nor with the National Guard. Krag-Jorgensen rifles will be issued to it gratis and it will be subject to call at any time the Governor may desire, but it is distinctly under stood that the organization will not be called upon to do the routine patrol work now being done by the National Guard and other Home Defense organizations.

#### APPEAL FOR FLOWERS.

Those who wish to send flowers to the poor and sick in the city may do so by leaving them, tied in bunches, at the School house on Mondays before 3 p. m.

#### ST. LUKE'S MISSION.

Tomorrow, Trinity Sunday, services will be at the usual hours in the morning, 8 and 11 o'clock. At the 11 o'clock service the Vicar will give some personal recollections as a world-wide missionary.

- In the evening, at 7.30, will be a special festival service of the Vicar's anniversary, at which it is expected that Archdeacon Duffield, Canon Swett, of the Cathedral, and the Rev. Mr. Jones, Rector of St. Peter's, Perth Amboy, (who was a seminary classmate of the Vicar's), will make brief addresses. There will be special music under the direction of Mr. Arthur Miller, assisted by Mr. Barnard, soloist. The offering will be for the Church Building Fund. Immediately at the close of the service there will be an informal reception at the residence of Mr. Edward Holland, 19 Greenway Terraces, to which both the parishioners and their friends are cordially invited.

On account of the uncertain weather conditions, the Women's Guild of St. Luke's Mission will postpone their sale of bags, garden hats, etc., which was to have been held in the Tea Garden on June 9th, until a date which will be announced later.

#### OUR LADY QUEEN OF MARTYRS.

The red vestments, one of the five sets donated by individual members of the congregation, were used on Sunday, May 27th, the Feast of Pentecost.

Sunday, June 3rd, is Trinity Sunday, the end of the Paschal Season.

Volunteers are needed to take the military census required by the State. The dates set for the work are from June 11th to 26th, inclusive.

Those taking part in the operetta gave a special matinee for the children on Thursday at 4 o'clock.

#### CHURCH-IN-THE-GARDENS.

Owing to Mrs. Sterling having a severe cold, the May musicale under the auspices of the Women's Guild has been postponed to Wednesday evening, June 6th. Mrs. Sterling is the soprano soloist of the Central Presbyterian Church, New York City. She will be assisted by Mr. Kan Kirk-Smith, 'cellist, connected with the Philharmonic Orchestra. It will be at the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Chalmers, 88 Continental Avenue.

Communion to-morrow at 11 o'clock. All Christians are welcome, whatever their denominational affiliation.

Children's Day will be observed with a special address to the Sunday School at the morning service and some singing by the Primary Department. It falls on the second Sunday of June.

The proposition to hold union services with the Church of Forest Hills during July and August is being considered by a joint committee representing both churches.

So many of the regular attendants at the weekly prayer meeting have gone away for the summer the meetings have been suspended until next fall.

The June meeting of the Women's Guild will be held on Friday the 8th, in the Social Room, at 2.30 P. M. Mrs. Frederick H. Rindge will speak about "Cuba." Hostesses, Dr. Perry, Mrs. Easton, Mrs. Eckman.

#### WOMEN'S CLUB.

The Spring Fete of the Gardens Chapter of the Women's Club, under direction of Mrs. V. Hattemer, attracted the largest gathering of the year at the Gardens Club House. More than two hundred guests watched the children in the Aesthetic and Colonial Dances and Tableaux, arranged by Mrs. Curtis E. Kloetzer. A silver vase, filled with Ophelia roses, was presented to Mrs. Kloetzer by Mrs. Hattemer and the mothers of the children, in appreciation of her splendid work. The children participating in the dancing were Evelyn Dow, Katherine Seward, Janice Traube, Eileen Johnson, Grace Clinchy, Curtis E. Kloetzer, Jr., Ferdinand Neumer, John Mellon, and Collier Elliott.

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#### HOME OF C. GORDON PEARCE.

A good example of the Tudor period of English architecture adapted to the planning of American homes is that of Mr. C. Gordon Pearce, situated on Dartmouth Street, near Tennis Place. Set off by fine oaks in front, and backed by the grounds of the West Side Tennis Club, the house is particularly fortunate in its location. The proportions of the half-timber work in relation to the stucco, both in spacing and color, have been carefully studied and detailed.

The house contains eight rooms and two baths with the laundry in the basement and was erected by the Homes Company from designs prepared by its own Architectural Department.

#### GARDEN PARTY TO-DAY.

The Women's Guild of St. Luke's Mission will have its Garden Party this afternoon (June 16), in the Tea Garden at the Inn. There will be a sale of garden hats, bags, ice cream, cake, etc. Everybody is cordially invited. The funds raised are to be used for the reduction of the mortgage on the Church property. There will be a charge of ten cents for admission, and the sale will open at 3 o'clock.

#### WAR RELIEF

Miss Carita Spencer, National Chairman of the Surgical Dressings Committee of the United States, has made the statement that the Forest Hills Unit of the War Relief has sent the largest volume of dressings, garments, etc., to Europe of any single unit of the organization in this country. There are more than 1000 of these units here.

#### COLONEL ROOSEVELT ACCEPTS

Colonel Roosevelt has accepted the invitation extended by the Fourth of July Committee and will speak here at the dedication exercises at 11 o'clock on the morning of the Fourth.

#### RIFLE CLUB NOTES.

On Friday evening, June 8th, the Rifle Club met at the Inn, having as its guests Col. J. R. Delafield, Major F. R. Stoddard and Captain Hodges, of the Veteran Corps of Artillery. President Todd called the meeting to order, introducing Col. Delafield, who described the organization of the Veteran Corps as a regiment of artillery trained and armed to defend New York City against hostile air craft. He explained the terms of enlistment and the obligations and privileges of membership and answered many questions as to the duties of the Corps, pointing out that the Forest Hills Rifle Club might become one of the batteries in the Corps. The next speaker, Major Stoddard, made a very stirring appeal to every man to realize the seriousness of the war in which we are now engaged and the necessity for every man in the nation to do its utmost to bring it to a sucesful conclusion. emphasizing the large possibility for useful service offered by enlistment in the Veteran Corps. It was decided that a ballot be sent to every member of the Club to obtain a vote on the feeling of the members on this important matter.

Following is a list of the donors who presented the "Colors" to the Club: Mrs. T. W. Spence, Mrs. Calendar, Mrs. Watkins, Miss Nutting, Mrs. Lederer, Mrs. Renfrew, Mrs. Springs, Mrs. Farrand, Mrs. C. B. Fancy, and Miss Maude Warren.

#### STATE MILITARY CENSUS.

The Governor of the State of New York, by proclamation, has ordered that those who are sixteen years of age or more, and less than fifty-one years of age, must register in person for the State Military Census not later than Monday, June 25th. This applies to all between these ages, whether citizens or not, and includes those who registered on June 5th. Registration booths in Forest Hills at the Sales Office of the Homes Company, the Sales Office of the Cord Meyer Company, and at the Railroad Station, as well as at both School Houses, are open daily, except Sunday, from 7 A. M. to 9 P. M. Owners of automobiles who will place their cars at the disposal of the Census Supervisor should telephone Thomas H. Todd, at the Inn, Forest Hills 6290.

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#### FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION.

The first general meeting of the 1917 Fourth of July Celebration Committee was held at the Sales Office on Thursday evening, June 7th. About fifty menbers were present. Plans for this year's celebration were informally discussed and it was voted to invite Colonel Roosevelt to deliver an address in the morning to be followed by the dedication of the new bronze base for the flag pole and a review of the Rifle Club and Boy Scouts.

The afternoon's celebration will consist of the usual children's games and tennis matches between the "Inns" and the "Outs", followed by a unique sylvan entertainment in Olivia Park. The Seventh Regiment Band is, as usual, to provide the music for the dancing in the Station Square in the evening.

#### LEAGUE FOR WOMEN'S SERVICE.

Everyone has been impressed with the increase in the gardening activities this spring in Forest Hills. In order to carry the benefits of our enlarged planting throughout the year we must know how to preserve and can our fruits and vegetables in the most effective way. We are fortunate in having in our midst an expert on this subject, Mrs. Edward H. Mays. She will give an informal talk on the best and easiest methods of canning, with particular reference to the fruits now ripe. The meeting will be held under the auspices of the Forest Hills Committee of the League for Women's Service, at the Sales Office of the Homes Company on Friday, June 22nd, at 3 o'clock.

#### **REGISTRATION**—Selective Draft.

The total registration on June 5th, in accordance with the Selective Draft, for this District, was 167, which is divided as follows: No exemptions, 74; occupational exemptions, 12; dependent relatives, 58; aliens, 15; enemy aliens, 8. H. R. Mandeville, Gerald MacDonald, Herbert O. Weigand, and C. C. Miller served gratuitously as registrars.

#### GEORGE H. BRAINARD.

George H. Brainard died at his home, No. 50 Exeter Street, Sunday evening, June 10th. He was a graduate of Harvard in the Class of 1902, and in business served as liability expert for the United States Fidelity and Guarantee Company in New York. Here he was a member of the Rifle Club, the Gardens Club and the Kew Gardens Country Club.

#### AUDUBON SOCIETY.

The migration of birds has ended and we are now in the nesting season. The birds that are here are all engaged in raising their broods. There is a noticeable increase in number and species of birds, especially among the thrushes, robins and warblers, but a decrease in the number of bluebirds. The dangers and accidents that beset the birds at this time are so many that it is a wonder the birds succeed in raising their young at all. For example, a pair of bluebirds arriving on March 22nd, set to housekeeping, and should now have their first brood fairly well along. but they were driven from three different nesting places before finding, late in May, a home to breed. Naturally the first eggs were lost. A pair of robins remodelled last year's nest, when the painters came along and brushed it away. A pair of song sparrows built in a barberry bush only to abandon the nest driven off by a prowling cat. A vellow warbler had its nest in a rose bush. The thorns proved no protection; one morning the nest was torn down and the mangled bird was found on the ground. Thus the tragedies enacted about us could be multiplied to an alarming extent. Many of our birds have trave'ed some five to seven thousand miles to reach their summer home and came all too trustingly. They need all the protection we can give them.

It has been suggsted to plant in connection with our gardening a few sunflower, hemp, millet, okra, and sarsaparilla seeds, which birds like during the late summer and fall. To do this is a kindness bestowed, amply repaid by the amount of insects consumed during the summer.

#### CUT WORMS.

Everybody is beginning to realize just what it means to be a successful farmer, and just how much the "Rube" of olden days really had to know in order to mature a full and profitable crop. It is certain that the average "City" man will have an increased respect for his country cousin after his present year's experience as an amateur gardener.

Just now it is the cut-worm. Of these there are many, many kinds belonging to several genera. They are all more or less the same, however, in regard to their injurious methods of feeding and can be treated in about the same manner. Take the brown June bug which flies around the electric lights at night; it generally spends two years in the ground, one year in the adu't form, and one as a short, fat, grayish-white grub. It feeds by cutting off leaves and sometimes the whole plant. To combat-Make a paste of one pound of bran, one ounce of arsenate of lead and enough molasses to moisten. Spread this along the rows at night and you will have results in the morning. The larvae pass the winter under ground. Late fall digging will open the ground and freeze most of them. Now get ready for the rose bugs; use arsenate of lead.

The 'Reporter', the new weekly paper, which includes Forest Hills in its territory, will publish its first number on Monday, June 18th. Gordon Mullen, enlisted in the Navy, is training with a unit at Newport preparatory to service with the Mosquito Fleet of Submarine Chasers.

Dr. Ward J. MacNeal, of Rockrose Place, is now at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, as one of the medical staff of a large military camp. Dr. MacNeal is a member of the Post Graduate Hospital Corps Unit, which will probably be one of the first to be ordered to France.

A message has been received announcing the safe arrival of Miss Elsie Jessup at "some port in France", on her way to Fontainbleau where she will be stationed at the Ris-Orangis Hospital.

Mrs. Nat. Wilkes, who was recently operated on for appendicitis at the Audubon Hospital, has returned to her apartment in Station Square, where she is convalescing rapidly.

Mrs. Fritz Hagens and children, James and Annette, have gone to Manchester, Vt., for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Harriss, of Slocum Crescent, have returned from a trip to California.

Miss Betty Gray, of Slocum Crescent, has returned to her home after a winter spent in Louisville, Ky.

Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Davenport, Jr., of Groton Street, entertained at dinner on Saturday evening, complimentary to their guest, Mrs. Freeman W. Higgens, of Boston. Among their guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hommann, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Mecabe, Mr. and Mrs. J. Roy Allen, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Bristol, Mr. Karl Kirchwey, and Mr. and Mrs. James Garretson.

#### TENNIS AT GARDENS CLUB.

Inter-club tennis will be seen at the Gardens Club courts this summer for the first time, as the Tennis Committee is perfecting plans for a series of matches with the Cherry Valley Country Club of Garden City; the Flushing Tennis Club, and the Hamilton Grange Tennis Club.

#### GIRL SCOUTS.

Saturday, June 8th, Helen Fay, Eunice and Elizabeth Rossman, Eleanor Rountree, Dorothy Smith, and Olivia Edwards, with Mrs. E. J. Fay and Miss Mabel Brewer, motored to Huntington Terrace, where they spent the day with Mrs. Norman B. Baker.

#### DAYLIGHT SAVING.

It is possible to hasten the movement for setting the clock ahead during the summer months by urging upon members of Congress prompt passage of the "Daylight Saving Bill" now pending before them.

#### THE INN.

Miss Adeline K. Robinson and Mrs. W. W. Farlee, who are spending the summer at Bayhead, N. J., are at the Inn for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cape and daughter are at the Inn for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eames, who have bought one of the new houses in Summer Street, are staying at the Inn until their house is completed.

 $Mr.\ and\ Mrs.\ Reddington, who were at the Inn last summer, are spending the month of June with us.$ 

 $\mathrm{Mrs.}$  L. S. Gaffery, of Rochester, N. Y., is at the Inn for a short stay.

Mr. Adkins, who is connected with the New York World, and Mrs. Adkins, are at the Inn for the summer.

The many friends of Mrs. George H. Robinson were glad to welcome her back to the Inn.

Among the recent arrivals at the Inn are Mrs. L. Freystadt and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Dowlan, and Mr. A. L. Nagle.

Cards have been received by the friends of Miss Jean B. Gannon, who has several times been a guest at the Inn, announcing her marriage, in New Orleans, La., to Dr. Armistead C. Crump, on June 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Scannell have returned from a ten days visit to Long Beach, where Mr. Scannell went to recuperate after his severe attack of pneumonia. It is needless to say that Mr. Scannell has entirely recovered, and left this week for a trip through the middle west. The wedding of Miss Louise Townsend of Philadelphia,

The wedding of Miss Louise Townsend of Philadelphia, and Mr. C. G. Plympton, until recently a guest at the Inn, took place on Saturday, June 2nd, at St. Thomas' Chapel, New York. Mr. and Mrs. Plympton will make their home in Flushing.

#### MOTHERS' CLUB.

On Thursday afternoon the mothers of the pupils met at the school house and formed an organization to be known as the "Mothers' Club" of Public School No. 3. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. George J. Simons; Vice-President, Mrs. Belle W. Hanson; Secretary, Mrs. Eugene Schoen; Treasurer, Mrs. William Walker.

#### FORMAL OPENING OF NEW BALL ROOM

The formal opening of the new ba'l room at the Inn will be on Saturday evening, June 30th, under the auspices of the Volunteer War Relief Unit of Forest Hills. A monster entertainment is in preparation. Members of the Gardens Players will present two short plays and an interlude, and a surprise in the form of moving pictures of special interest to the residents of Forest Hills will be shown. The Boy Scouts are taking an active interest in this entertainment and the affair will take on a highly patrictic aspect.

#### GOLFERS—ATTENTION.

It has been suggested that Forest Hills golfers be brought together for at least one day's sport a month during the summer. Arrangements can be made to visit the various clubs on Long Island. Annual dues will not be necessary, as the expense of each day's play may be shared by the participants, or an additional entrance fee can be charged and the amount raised sent to the Red Cross at the end of the season. Will those interested please send their names, together with their Club handicap or their average score, to L. M. Burt, 50 Slocum Crescent, who will erganize a committee to perfect arrangements.

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Saturday, June 16th. Annual Picnic. Sunday School of the Church in the Gardens, at Long Beach.

Monday, June 18th—Garden observation "Dutch treat" picnic. Rendezvous Sales Office of the Homes Company, 11 A. M.

Friday, June 22nd. Sales Office. Informal talk on canning of fruits and vegetables by Mrs. Edward H. Mays. Auspices of Forest Hills Committee of the League for Women's Service. Women of the community cordially invited.

Tuesday, June 26th, 8.15 P. M. Taxpayers' Meeting, under auspices of Fire Committee. Church of Forest Hills.

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Wednesday, July 4-Annual Celebration.

June 11th to 25th. State Military Census. Homes Co., Sales Office; Cord Meyer Office; Railroad station and both School Houses.

#### WOMEN'S CLUB.

A "Dutch Treat" picnic in motors is planned by the Gardens Chapter of the Women's Club for 11 o'clock Monday, June 18th, to visit Cottage Gardens Nurseries, at Queens; the Garden Magazine Garden, at Garden City; and Hicks' Nurseries, at Hicksville. All women of the community having motors and wishing to bring their guests or take persons without motors, and all women interested in gardening who would like to go if there is room in the motors of others, will kindly communicate by Monday at 9 A. M., June 18th, with Mrs. Harold P. Daniels, Telephone 6460 Forest Hills. Each one is to bring her own lunch.

#### MEN'S CLUB.

At its annual meeting the Men's Club elected officers for the ensuing year, as follows: President, David Millar; Vice-President, Harry C. Cleland; Treasurer, R. W. Farrington; Secretar, Homer Croy.

#### GARDENS PLAYERS POSTPONE.

Mars supersedes Thespis in the public mind these days and to avoid conflicting with the War Relief entertainment at the Inn on Saturday evening, June 30th, the Gardens Players have announced the postponement of their annual open-air performance, originally scheduled for this month, until the Fall. Several of the Players will take part in the War Relief plays, however. Further announcement regarding the fall play will be made later.

#### CHURCH-IN-THE-GARDENS.

Children's Day was observed with a special address by Rev. Dr. Gerhard J. Schilling, who told the children that this country is the best to be born in and illustrated it with what he has seen in the many countries he has lived in. Grace Elaine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Holmes, and Emma Amabel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Cox, were baptized. The regular sessions of the Sunday school have been suspended until September.

The sermon Sunday morning will be appropriate to Red Cross day and an offering for the Red Cross will be taken the following Sunday, the 24th. Union services will be held during July and August; in

Union services will be held during July and August; in July the services will be held in the Church of Forest Hills and Dr. Kent will preach; in August the services will be in the Church-in-the-Gardens and the preacher will be Rev. Mr. Swartz.

The unavoidable postponement of the May Musicale affected the attendance, but those who came together in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Chalmers enjoyed an evening of very fine music. Mrs. Sterling has a beautiful voice and Mr. Kirk-Smith is an accomplished 'cellist and both were admirably accompanied by Miss Olive Robertson.

The annual outing of the Sunday School, parents and friends, to Long Beach, takes place to-day, Saturday, June 16th.

#### OUR LADY, QUEEN OF MARTYRS

On Thursday, June 14th, there was special preparation for the Feast of the Sacred Heart. June 15th being the first Friday after the Octave of Corpus Christi, was the Feast of the Sacred Heart. Mass was said in the Chapel at 6.30. Instruction in Christian Doctrine is given to the children from 3.30 to 4.30 on Monday afternoons.

While many women have responded generously to the call of the Forest Hills Chapter of the Catholic Women's War Relief, for volunteer workers, many more are needed. The practical Christian charity of clothing destitute children in the devastated regions of Northern France and Belgium is one that should apeal to all women. The meetings are held from two to five on Fridays at the Club House on Seminole Avenue.

The operetta was a complete success, the children playing to crowded houses both nights.

#### ST. LUKE'S MISSION.

Sunday evenings at St. Luke's-8:15 to 9 o'clock.

The special festival service on Sunday evening, June 3rd, was the celebration of the Vicar's twenty-fifth anniversary of his admission to the priesthood. Archdeacon Duffield made an address and there was special music under the direction of the choirmaster, Mr. Arthur Miller. The Chapel was beautifully decorated with lilacs and Madonna lilies. The offering was made for the permanent building fund. At the close of the service a reception was tendered the Vicar at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Holland, 19 Greenway Terrace, which was attended by a large number of the parishioners and friends of Mr. Nichols.

#### HONOR ROLL FOR MAY.

- 6-B. Dorothy Renshaw, Walter Schlager.
- 6-A. Helen Fay, Pyloon Zeron.
- 5-A. Geraldine Dow, Helen Ward.
- 4-B. Henry Robinson, Joseph Hurley, Olivia Edwards.
- 4-A. Collier Elliott, Alfred Van Wagenen.
- 3-B. Dorothy Broadbent, Joy Mays.
  - 3-A. Evelyn Dow.
- 2-B. Robert Hurley, Elizabeth Burns, Cicely Kershaw, Rita O'Shea, Regina Sherwood, Iris Tomasula.
  - 2-A. Sidney LeBlanc, Mildred Vandeveer.
  - 1-B. Helen McCulloch, Edward Schweibert.
- 1-A. Alfred Wessmann, Elizabeth Sherwood, Helen Schoen.

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# \*A DECLARATION\* In the Name of God, Amen



O ALL PEOPLE to whom these presents shall come, be seen or heard, Know Ye, that on the 4th day of July, it is our Custom to celebrate with much publick merrie-making & divers entertainment the anniversary

of our Countrie's glorious Independence.

NOW in the one hundred and forty-firft year of our Eftablifhment becaufe of Injuftice, Grievances and Opprefsion, we are at war, fo let our Colonie celebrate meetly the Day whereon our Liberty was firft confirmed that with ftout heart we may reaffirm those principles of Government by the People for the People for which our Forefathers fought that the world may be made fafe for Democracy.

By the Committee

# THE LIVELONG DAY

#### GIFT OF BASE FOR FLAG POLE

Carrying out the plan of adding some gift to enrich the Gardens each year, the Community will unveil and dedicate the new concrete base and bronze collar for the flag pole, at the flag raising exercises on the morning of the Fourth.

Last year, W. L. Harriss and Clifford Miller, by their gifts of the pole and flag, respectively, placed the country's banner where it could wave in the center of the Gardens. This year it will stand on a firmer and more beautiful foundation. Next year it remains to add the inscription that will endure and make it all more lasting as a memorial of a completed gift dedicated to The Flag.

#### TENNIS FOR THE CUP

The tennis matches on the 4th of July will this year be a bigger feature of the day's celebration than ever before. In 1915 and 1916 a tournament between the "Inns" (those men living at the Inn) and the "Outs" (those living in Forest Hills Gardens outside the Inn) was arranged and the two teams played for annual possession of the handsome cup, which was purchased by the 1915 Fourth of July Committee.

This year a slightly new policy has been decided upon by the Tennis Committee, composed of L. Thomas, E. W. Mecabe, H. T. Warren, E. H. Conway and S. E. Davenport, Jr., Chairman; namely, that a resident living outside the Inn, but paying dues to the Inn Courts, shall be eligible for the "Inns" as well as for the "Outs."

The general plan of the Committee is as follows: To play three matches of singles, four of doubles and two of mixed doubles, every match to count one point and the team winning a majority of points to keep the cup for a year. It is believed that this arrangement will stimulate a greater interest than ever before and all enthusiasts are invited to come out and "root" for their favorites. The tournament will be held from 2:00 P. M. to 4:30 P. M., on the Inn Courts, although if possible, two or three of the matches will be played just before lunch.

The personnel of the teams has, of course, not been settled, as it will be necessary for many preliminary matches to be fought in order to eliminate unsuccessful candidates, but it is believed that the Inn team will be selected from Cravis, Ackerland, the Ross Brothers, Spaeth, Gayness, Lang, Powell, Anderson, Conway, Thomas and Robinson, while the "Outs" may line up with Burt, Mecabe and Davenport playing singles, with double teams to be picked from these three men plus Worth, Hillman, Woodbury, Warren, Garretson, Bishop, Pope, Mrs. Pope, Mrs. Burt, Mrs. Mecabe, Mrs. Rossman and Mrs. Worth.

#### CHILDREN'S GAMES

At present the children are practicing and testing their skill in running, chinning, shinning, as well as making many guesses as to who will win the different races on the 4th of July. Friends come and "root" for the children. They want you and need you. Fathers and mothers you're scheduled in some of the games, so be sure to be there on time. From two o'clock sharp until four o'clock:—and then, when the Scout Troops have finished their Dodge Ball Game, to the Inn—every child to the Inn for ice-cream and cake!

#### A MASQUE OF LIBERTY

The Celebration in Olivia Park this year will be a Masque of Liberty, written and produced by Ralph Renaud, who with Harold Conway was so successful in producing the beautiful Allegory entitled "The Happy Stranger," which was quite the most successful feature of our altogether wonderful Celebration of 1916.

In the charming green setting of the little park a miniature Greek temple will be erected which will serve as a platform and stage for the main feature of the entertainment. Folk dances beginning at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon will be given on the green sward and thereafter the Masque will be performed. There are seven girls in this, Miss Imogene Washburn, Miss Louise Freystedt, Miss Rosalind Holmes, Miss Vandy Cape, Mrs. H. C. Fullan, Mrs. Phanor Eder, Miss Edith Walker, assuming respectively, the roles of Liberty, France, England, Russia, Italy, Belgium and Serbia.

#### DANCING IN STATION SQUARE

Chairman Gress announces that, if he had his way, there would be danced on the canvas amid the colored lights of Station Square in the evening of the Fourth, from eight o'clock until one, to the accompaniment of the tireless Seventh Regiment Band, *twenty* one-steps, *one* fox-trot and *one* waltz. Saner counsels, however, have prevailed and due deference will be paid to a sense of proportion. But, after every dance of every description, lemonade may be bought at any Booth, at almost any price, for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Col. Roosevelt in the Square at 11.00 A. M.

# FOURTH & JULY



#### APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL BUILDING

Commissioner Wessmann reports that the Board of Education at its meeting held Wednesday, June 27th, appropriated \$175,000 for a Forest Hills school building. This will contain fourteen rooms and include a workshop, domestic science equipment, a gymnasium, and be modern in all respects up to the high standard of New York City public schools.

It is now for the Board of Estimate to approve or reject the action of the Board of Education, but it is expected that the Board of Estimate will promptly approve.

#### TAXPAYERS

The Nominating Committee of the Taxpayers Association has been appointed as follows:

Mr. Harold Daniels, Mr. Geo. Baerlocher, Mr. James Scott.

The last meeting of the Taxpayers Association was held at the Church of Forest Hills on Tuesday, June 26th. Capt. Argue, late of the Fire Department and assistant to ex-Chief Croker, gave an interesting talk on "Fire Prevention in private residences." The next meeting of the Taxpayers will be held in October.

#### THE GARDEN STUDY PICNIC

Owing to the kindness of Mrs. Edwin Backus, Mrs. Bloch, Mrs. DuPuy, Mrs. Holch, Mrs. Mecabe, Mrs. Post, Mrs. Sarkisian, Miss Nellie Smith, and Mrs. Springsteen, in volunteering their motors for the Garden Chapter Picnic on June 18th, 45 women enjoyed a day's trip through Cottage Gardens Nurseries and Hicks' Nurseries, as well as the Doubleday-Page Company's Garden, at Garden City and a private garden of great beauty shown them by Mr. Hicks. The weather was exquisite and the picnic a distinct success.

#### SAINT LUKE'S GARDEN FETE

An overcast sky caused some worry, but the Garden Party given by the women of St. Luke's Guild had good weather and a large attendance. The tables spread with attractive hats, bags, candy and cakes, stood in the shade of the Tea Garden, while the tea table, with small refreshment tables filled one corner. Mrs. Wright did a flourishing entrance fee business at the Garden Gate. About four hundred dollars was cleared, which is to be used towards the reduction of the mortgage on the Church property. The Vicar desires to express his gratitude to all, especially to Mrs. Brown, President of the Guild, and her many able assistants, and to Mrs. Hawley, of the Inn, and Miss Backus, for the special donation of ice cream and strawberries.

#### GARDEN PLAYERS ELECT OFFICERS

At the annual meeting for the election of officers held June 25th, the Gardens Players elected Harvey T. Warren, President, and Walter Hartwig, Vice-President. The Executive Committee for the coming year will consist of Mrs. Rufus Angell, Mrs. Stirling Birmingham and E. H. Mays.

#### MRS. CHARLES PELTON JACOBS TO TAKE A VACATION

Through poor health, consequent upon her long untiring work in the cause of Voluntary War Relief, Mrs. Jacobs has found it necessary to leave for a rest. Her fellow-workers accord to her, as leader, the credit for the things accomplished since March, 1916, when she took up the work temporarily laid aside by Mrs. Katherine P. Collins. Her organizing ability appeared especially in her mobilizing the Scouts, Boys and Girls, to increase the product of this unit. As the work goes on the incentive of Mrs. Jacobs' example will be felt and while she will be missed, in this way she will still be helping here.

#### BRIDGE AND MUSICALE FOR RED CROSS

A cordial and whole-hearted response to the Red Cross appeal was the bridge party given Tuesday afternoon by Mrs. Stephen Coles, Mrs. Burns Mantle and Mrs. Louis Springer. Twenty-five tables were arranged in the respective residences of the hostesses on Ascan Avenue. Guests who did not play were entertained with music at the home of Mrs. M. Hasselriis. The hostesses who received in Red Cross costume were assisted in serving by Miss Ellen Robinson and Miss Phylis Leonard. Nine prizes were awarded. A general prize, a box for "You're in Love," given by Mr. Mantle, was drawn by Mrs. George Magalhaes, of Flushing. Various friends contributed prizes, and fancy cakes for the refreshments. The hostesses are also indebted to Henry Muller and to the Forest Hills Flower Shop for generous contributions.

The sale of tickets realized was \$140, which entire amount has been contributed to the Red Cross fund.

#### FINANCES

There has been a generous response to the call for contributions for the Celebration. Those who have not yet sent in their checks are urged to do so at once.

#### THE INN

Following are among the recent arrivals at the Inn:

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Ross, of Brooklyn; Misses E. and B. Walker, of Moorestown, N. J.; Miss Belle Dewey, Miss P. Spaulding, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McConnell, and Mrs. Henry Oyon, of New York.

Mrs. D. W. Kelsey and Mrs. J. R. Darling, of Philadelphia, spent the week-end at the Inn. Mr. Oscar L. Schmidt, of Atlantic City, was also a guest for the week-end.

#### TO OUR CONTRIBUTORS

The editors of the BULLETIN wish to thank their contributors for the rich and varied material embodied in this number. We are proud of the BULLE-TIN and proud of the talent that has made it possible.

#### FOREST HILLS RIFLE CLUB

The drill on Saturday, June 24th, was very interesting in spite of the heat. The two companies were reviewed by Colonel Grant of the 13th Regiment N. G. N. Y. assisted by Lieuts. Patterson and Humphrey of the same organization. After the drill the Colonel spoke for a few minutes on the possibilities for service of organizations of this kind and the advantages of military drill.

The club is greatly indebted to the officers of the 13th for their instruction and for the opportunity of using the Springfield rifles.

The ballots on the question of affiliation with the Veteran Artillery Corps are coming in slowly. At the time of writing the replies indicated that about three out of every four members will enlist in the Veteran Corps.

Professor Samuel S. Seward of Leland Stanford University was the guest this week of his brother, Frederick K. Seward, in Whitson Street. Professor Seward, who served with the Hoover Relief Commission in Belgium, is now in camp at Allentown, Pa., in charge of an ambulance detachment preparing for service in France.

#### TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The benefit tennis tournament for the American Red Cross, which was held on the Inn courts on Saturday last, was very well patronized. The matches were closely contested, the honors going to Mrs. R. A. Pope and Mr. Raymond Bell. The tennis racquets awarded the winners were donated by Mr. Frederick Alexander, National doubles champion, and Mr. Theodore Pell. The tournament brought in \$50 which will be sent to Mr. Paul B. Williams, Secretary of the U. S. National Lawn Tennis Association, New York. Series of chain tournaments, which have been held in all parts of the country for the benefit of the Red Cross, have been extremely popular and when completed will net the organization about \$7,000. A vote of thanks is extended to Miss Dorothy Flint, Miss Martha Williams, and Mr. Otten, who sketched remarkably attractive posters for the tournament; and to Miss Maida Birmingham, who assisted Miss Freystedt in her undertaking. The matches started at two o'clock and for the remainder of the afternoon the gallery was supplied with some very exciting tennis.

#### NEW TIME TABLE

Today, Saturday, June 30th, a new time table goes into effect on the Long Island Railroad, containing a great many changes in the Sunday trains. For the most part, the week-day trains are identical with those in the previous table. An additional train will leave New York on Saturday afternoons at 1:52, reaching Forest Hills at 2.06.

HONOR ROLL	, FOR JUNE
6B-Ruth Wylie	4A-Collier Elliott
Ruth Dowse Dorothy Renshaw	Curtis E. Klotzer Alfred Van Wagenen
6A—Helen Fay	George Simons
Marjorie Hershorn	Grace Clinchy
Walter Schlayer	3B—Dorothy Broadbent
Richard Fancy	Joy Mays
5B—Pyloon Zeron	3A—Evelyn Dow
5A—Geraldine Dow	2B—Paul Hirshorn
Helen Ward	Curran Wilkes
4B—Nicholas Tomasulo	Elizabeth Burns
Henry Robinson	Iris Tomasulo
Joseph Hurley	2A—Mildred Vandeveer
Marie Louise Peborde	1B—Doris Earle
Catherine Attardo	Catherine Murphy
Anna Dorothy Backus	Darwin Teague
Dorothy Smith	1A—Alfred Smith

#### AUDUBON SOCIETY

The Audubon Society of Forest Hills Gardens has just completed its third year of existence. To protect birds and attract them about our homes, to encourage their close companionship, and to fill the lawns and Gardens with song and beauty, these have been the chief functions of the Society. It has been emphasized that trees and shrubbery near the house form recesses for the birds in which they feel safe and to which they gladly come; that opportunities to bathe and drink are irresistible to birds and largely increase their number in any given neighborhood, and that during the winter or early spring while snow covers the ground, regular feeding places will save many lives. With this in view, shelter, water and food have been provided. What are the results of three years' activities? Of birds that spend more or less time on the ground, searching for seeds and insects, we have a goodly number representing the thrushes, wrens, warblers, and native sparrow family. Of such birds as search for food in trees either digging the insects out or dislodging them from cracks, we have woodpeckers, nuthatches, and creepers. Of America's most distinctive birds not found in other parts of the world, birds as interesting to study as they are attractive and useful, the warbler family, we have some twenty species. Only of birds seeking insects on the wing, such as swallows, martins, swifts, nighthawks, there is still a dearth, and we must look for the future to establish them permanently in Forest Hills. Otherwise almost every family of birds is now represented and this achievement, compared with conditions existing at the beginning of our work, cannot be underestimated. In this effort to make bird protection a feature of the Gardens, we have taken a notable stand, especially if we consider that Forest Hills Gardens is a part of Greater New York. To carry the work to its completion is worthy of the efforts of every member of the community. In this connection we again call attention to the fact that by raising some plants whose seeds are attractive to birds we can help our birds, and through them, our vegetable gardens. For instance, sun flowers planted in lines among rows of vegetables, wild sarsaparilla, and pokeberry along boundary walls, buckwheat and Japanese millet in some corner of your field; all of this will prove a great attraction.

#### WAR RELIEF BENEFIT

#### NEW BALLROOM OPENS TONIGHT

Tonight (Saturday, June 30th), promptly at eight o'clock, the new Ballroom of the Inn will open, dedicating its first usefulness to the cause of the Red Cross War Relief Benefit. In the program for the evening there will be three plays, presented with the help of the Gardens Players; and also a moving picture surprise, followed by the dancing and supper.

For this entertainment, it is very important to note that no more tickets will be sold than there are seats in the full capacity of the Ballroom. The price is one dollar, the proceeds going to help in the Voluntary War Relief Work. No tickets will be sold at the doors. Boy Scouts will be stationed there to take tickets and give in exchange an identification card to each holder for use throughout the evening.

Among the players and other entertainers there will be Maida Birmingham, Dorothy Whitehead, Mrs. Stirling Birmingham, Mrs. Ernest W. Mecabe, Miss Cape, Cecil Poultney, Edward Moir, Worth Colwell, Walter Hartwig, Leon D'Emo and Harold Conway

The program of the benefit for the War Relief has been arranged by a committee of three: Miss Bertha Mandel, as coach, who gives her professional services as "her bit" to the cause; Mr. Walter C. Hartwig, in charge of the scenic arrangements, and Mrs. Stirling Birmingham as Chairman. To Mrs. Birmingham is due the credit of the idea of this benefit, the entire program of which, excepting the moving pictures, being selected and arranged by her. The executive management of the Benefit is in the hands of Mrs. Katherine P. Collins.

#### WAR RELIEF NOTES

A special call is being made on the Girl Scouts for one thousand rolled bandages for the American Ambulance in France, to be ready as soon as possible. The needs of the Ambulance are so great that one hundred thousand bandages a month from Surgical Dressing units would be inadequate.

For oakum pads, thanks are tendered to Charles Bishop, who has contributed oakum in such quantity that it has been possible to turn out five hundred pads per week for the past six months.

Boy Scouts have picked the oakum and assisted in the cutting, while Girl Scouts have cut the absorbent gauze—by their combined efforts actually doubling the output of these oakum pads.

Over-flow meetings at other points have become necessary as an outgrowth of the Tuesday gatherings of the War Relief Committee and volunteers at the Sales Office of the Homes Company. On Wednesday afternoons a unit now meets at the home of Mrs. Harvey T. Warren in Greenway South; and another is meeting in Forest Hills North at the home of Rev. Dr. Swartz. It would be helpful if other homes would open for this work.



RED CROSS BOOTH, 1916

#### SPEAKER—GUESTS—COMMITTEE

At eleven A. M., in Station Square, the Rt. Rev. Frederick Burgess, D.D., Bishop of Long Island, and Robert W. DeForest will preside at the meeting addressed by Colonel Theodore Roosevelt. Following the address Colonel J. R. Delafield and Staff will join Colonel Roosevelt in reviewing the Rifle Corps which will be augmented for the occasion by a detachment of school-boy troops from Brooklyn.

A reception committee of welcome will be composed of the following-named gentlemen:

#### RECEPTION COMMITTEE

Hon. Robert Adamson Grosvenor Atterbury Grosvenor Atterbury A. E. Brion Hon. Chas. Pope Caldwell Alexander Cameron Hon. Maurice Connolly Col. J. R. Delafield John M. Demarest Rev. J. Roy Duffield Chas. H. Goddard J. H. Gress John Halpin John Halpin R. W. Higbie Rev. R. J. Kent J. S. Myrick

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#### FOURTH OF JULY COMMITTEE

The direction of the program of the day is in the hands of the following named Sub-committees constituting col-Lctively the Committee as a whole: Officers and Committees:

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7—Messrs. Forwn & Croy
8—Messrs. Anderson & Sweeney
9—Messrs. Sheahan & Mecabe
10—Messrs. Coles & Springer
11—Messrs. DuPuy, Deems & Bebb
12—Messrs. Halsey & Close
13—Messrs. Halsey & Close
14—Messrs. Bristol & Stowe
16—Messrs. Bristol & Stowe
16—Messrs. VanName & Finnegan
19—Mr. Small
20— Sec. Sec.

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MISS MALMAN TO SING IN OLIVIA PARK Miss Helen C. Malman, soloist, of the American

International Church and leading dramatic soprano in light opera, will sing in the Masque of Liberty in Olivia Park.

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#### THE SPIRIT OF 1917

The face of Civilization bears the scars of numberless victories, none of them more stubbornly won or more highly prized than the victory of American Independence. For nearly a century and a half America has enjoyed the fruits of that triumph, sharing them in ever increasing proportion with the world at large. She has carried democracy beyond the stage of experiment, and has given to human freedom and unshackled impulse a local habitation and a name. Here the mind and heart and hand of man have wrought new wonders; for here there is no caste but that of genius, and no coercion but that of dauntless will.

And now the security of these blessings is suddenly imperiled. The hand of aggrandizement and aggression would set at naught generations of peaceful and uplifting development. It is useless to reason where reason is degraded. So Civilization, benumbed, resumes its sword, and America goes to war.

America goes to war as one man, woman and child, reeling with the hideousness of it all, but ever keeping the goal in sight. More complex than the crusade of '76 in its horror, its ruthlessness, its appalling potentialities, the end is just as dear, and the appeal a thousand times more poignant.

With some of its men on the threshold of battle, and the remainder but a few steps removed; with its women toiling at the front and at home in the vast industries of mercy; with its children rendering each his quota of tremulous aid-Forest Hills Gardens has attacked its share of the common task with the fruitful energy born of a lofty cause.

1917 reverts to the spirit of 1776. And 1776 shall uphold the spirit of 1917!



#### GREETING TO ROOSEVELT

The Gardens will be glad to welcome the Colonel. Let us see to it that the Colonel will be glad he has come to the Gardens. Called our greatest private citizen, the Colonel isn't private at all. He belongs to all of us, he is the biggest human dynamo in the country. He is our own unequalled Self-starter. Welcome to him.

First Lieutenant John Messenger, Acting Cap-tain of Company "B," Forest Hills Rifle Club, leaves today for Camp at Peekskill, N. Y. He is one of one hundred men called by the New York State Military Training Commission for service in the training of officers at the Officers' Camp there.

Robert Harvie Wessmann, who this week graduated from the Wharton School of Commerce and Finance of the University of Pennsylvania, has enlisted in the Army with forty other students, entering the Ordnance Department after a period of intensive training given at the University to fit them for this special work.

John Ortgies and Clarence Collins have both gone into the cavalry, Ortgies joining a unit at Hartford, Connecticut, and Collins at Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont.

The West Side Tennis Club has voted to relieve those members who enlist from the payment of dues. An Honor Roll of those who have entered the service is posted at the Club.

#### INDEPENDENCE DAY AT FOREST HILLS GARDENS

#### By Edward Harold Conway

More strikingly, perhaps, than any other single instrument of local expression, its celebration of the Fourth displays Forest Hills Gardens' intensive development and solidarity.

A monument is erected to the memory of a sacrosanct day. On the morrow, having served its recurrent purpose, it shall have dissolved. But the spirit that informed the undertaking persists; more enduring than its ephemeral expression, it has set in motion new forces of enterprise and of understanding. The builders have come to appreciate one another, to scent the possibilities of an enlarged co-operation, and to think instinctively in terms of the interests of all. They have caught the beat of the common pulse, and their vision has taken the shape of the common aspiration.

Other occasions, by nature either local or memorial, have, from time to time, enlisted separate energies of the community; but it has been the lot of Independence Day alone to invoke its joint resources and its most unselfish enthusiasms. In the mirror of its successive observances of the nation's natal day, the Gardens has viewed its growth with something akin to incredulous delight, not unmixed with a tentative throb of pride. The dreams of three years ago have become the commonplaces of today: already the dreams of tomorrow loom large.

The Entertainment Committee has grown in number from two to two hundred. Quite unwittingly did the pioneer members of this organization come by their distinction. On the way

to a meeting of the Men's Club in June, 1914, one of the pair casually broached the idea of a local celebration of the impending holiday. The other received the suggestion with clamorous enthusiasm, and it was straightway agreed that the matter should be brought before the attention of the meeting. A no less enthusiastic welcome greeted it there, and, without further delay, plans were formulated for its instant crystallization. As the scope of the project developed, and as the question of financing began to assume formidable proportions, it was deemed expedient, no less than fitting, to seek the organized aid of the Sage Foundation Homes Company. A voluntary levy was finally determined upon as the most equitable means of meeting the expenses of the festival, and this method has been followed ever since.

Fireworks have been taboo from the first, as lacking in both imaginative association and personality. Every kind of effort has been directed towards a harmonious fusion of the local and historical requirements of the day. The needs of the kiddies have been considered no less elaborately than those of their elders, and it has been the aim of the Committee to irradiate even the least arresting event on the programme with the spirit pertinent to the occasion.

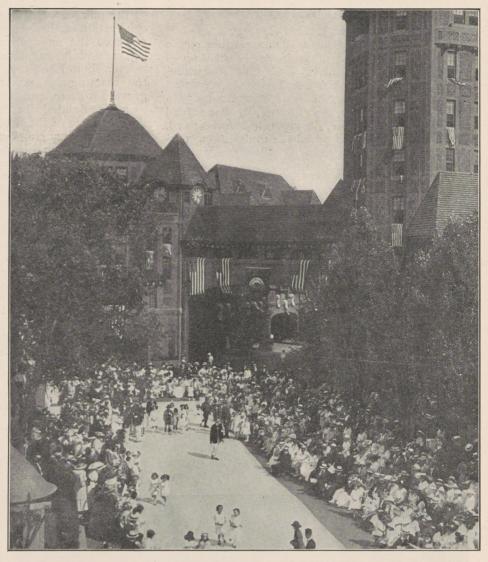
Decoration has always played an important part in the celebration. The architectural unity of the Gardens, enhanced as it is by picturesque landscape effects, renders it peculiarly susceptible to airy embellishment. The Station Square especially, under the spell of intriguing lights and lanterns, furnishes an exquisite setting for that portion of the entertainment that is reserved for the evening.



GREENWAY TERRACES, 1914

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Of course, none of these varied preparations is left to the haphazard direction of untried men. The community is unique in that it harbors a wide range of talent available for every conceivable purpose connected with the celebration. The design of the occasional pin or of the Committee's armband is treated just as authoritatively as are any of the more important features of the diversion. A type-designer of international note sets his inescapable seal upon the aspect of proclamation, programme and bulletin. Artists of reputation lend aid with graphic cover and poster. Professional writers vouchsafe trained powers of expression in the compilations incidental to the day. Dramatists help with pageant and allegory. Motion picture directors and producers extend their vivifying sense of scene and situation. The resources of architects, publishers, business executives, military men and women's organizations are at the instant solicitation of the General Committee.



CHILDREN'S GAMES, 1915

Children's games, it is needless to say, are allotted a generous share of the schedule. Banked on one side by the Inn, with its superb tower, and on the other by the terraced approach to the Long Island depot, the Station Square proves an ideal arena for the playful tyros. In the evening, under the incentive of lilting music, and in the fragile glow of a thousand lights, the former playground becomes the scene of measured treads and lurking laughter, while the grown-ups crown the day.

The parade of the boy scouts, headed by the inspiring "Spirit of '76"; the flag-raising, with appropriate ceremony, song and discourse; the baseball and tennis matches between the Inns and the Outs; the band concert and the dancing —these are, of course, part and parcel of every Independence Day celebration in the Gardens. They form the invariable nucleus of the programme. The history of the event, however, has been marked by certain outstanding features which shall linger long in the memory. That evening of the Fourth in 1914 which saw Greenway Terrace transformed into an *al fresco* dancing pavilion is memorable because it signalized the initial step in the local movement towards solidarity. It gave that movement the fillip which made possible the unique social momentum of today.

In 1915 the dedication of the bird fountain in Olivia Park, with interpretative dancing by the Baroness von Rottenthall, provided the afternoon's characteristic touch. Forest Hills Gardens is a great Audubon center, Olivia Park is a grove of sequestered beauty, and the Baroness might claim kinship with the nymphs of the wood. At any rate, the force of such a trinity of influences established an imperishable recollection. In the evening a pre-revolutionary spectacle held the center of the stage—an effort in pageantry at-



A SCENE FROM "THE HAPPY STRANGER," OLIVIA PARK, 1916

tended with eminent success. Down the darkened Station steps into the Square, attired in costumes that serve inevitably to kindle the historic imagination, came more than a hundred of the townspeople—a single spotlight throwing into effective relief each descending Cavalier and Lady, Puritan, Soldier and Redman.

The concluding tableau unfolded under cunning gradations of light, was effective to a degree.

It is doubtful, however, whether any succeeding celebration will surpass in magnitude and universality of appeal the performance of 1916. To supplement the customary features of the occasion there were "THE HAPPY STRANGER," an allegory of the Gardens, and—nothing less than a genuine circus!

The allegory was presented in Olivia Park, and required a cast of ten girls. From conception to characterization the treatment was exclusively local. THE HAPPY STRANGER, at odds with the feverish city, seeks a spot more nearly attuned to his homing heart and to nature. In the course of this quest, heretofore luckless, he happens on Forest Hills Gardens. Instantly enchanted, he drops his pack of Woes and Troubles, and surveys the scene with radiant expectation. Comes first to greet him the STATION SQUARE, and swiftly on her heels follow the INN (with her two wards, the TEA GARDEN and the TENNIS COURTS) the ROADWAYS. the BIRDS, the SUNLIGHT and the PEOPLE-all making him welcome in their several ways. His spirits rise apace; filled to overflowing is his cup of Joy when, as if to set his lot beyond the snare of hovering Mischance, INDEPENDENCE DAY herself stamps his coming with the impress of her treasured seal. Under the magic of her presence his burden

of Woes becomes a mass of Roses. With the welcomers weaving gay garlands about him, he crosses the purple hills into our Land of Sweet Content.

A circus in Station Square! The idea was scouted as thoroughly impracticable. Yet there were the aerial and ring and stage acts in full operation; there was the real tanbark, and there—could it be true?—a real clown, grimacing and horseplaying as though in his everyday milieu! The kiddies stayed up late, of course, and drank circus lemonade, and did their very best to believe that it was all as real as it seemed. The indispensable side show adjuncts were supplied by local talent, and it was the common impression that the various "freaks" invested their roles with a verisimilitude that was, to say the least, startling. Another proof, the cynically disposed might add, of our abounding natural resources! The circus was preceded by a parade of some two hundred of the residents colorfully garbed after the fashion of Yama Yama, Pierrot and Harlequin, and was followed by dancing in costume.

But there shall be no circus this year, and no clowns. Khaki has supplanted motley, and cap and swagger stick have usurped the place of cap and bells. The air is vibrant with the martial note of bugles, and that tramp you hear is not the languid gait of moon-struck Pierrots, but the expectant march of the Rifle Corps on its way to greet Colonel Roosevelt.

Yes—Roosevelt. For on this Fourth of July the Foremost Citizen is to address the townsfolk. It would be difficult to find another American so well equipped to interpret the spirit of Independence Day in its relation to the overshadowing problem of the moment. He, if anyone, can help us to recover the lost spirit of our forebears. He, if anyone, can aid us in correcting our national perspective, distorted as it has been by generations of barter and of sordid emulation.

It has been written of a poet who forfeited his dreams of immortality to battle for the common cause: "There are some things that are greater than greatness; there are some things that no man with blood in his body would sell for the throne of Dante, and one of them is to fire the feeblest shot in a war that really awaits decision, or carry the meanest musket in an army that is really marching by!"

by!" Through thick and thin that conception of the duties of citizenship has animated the lifework of Theodore Roosevelt. And Fame, reversing her traditions, has saluted him. Our service and our reward may be less splendid, but our obligation is no less strong, and our sense of pride shall be no less deserved.

In this spirit does Forest Hills Gardens enter upon its fourth celebration of America's most significant anniversary.

#### THE FLAG THAT'S FLOATING OVER FOREST HILLS

"TRAMP, TRAMP, TRAMP" Look! Look up! The flag is flying! All the air with glory thrills! Look and linger while the glow Burns across its rippling flow, And salute the royal flag of Forest Hills!

Look! Look up, above the Greenway! Where the mighty winds are free! In the calling of the gale Hear the word that will prevail, And salute the royal flag of Liberty!

Look! Look up! In consecration, While the weak endure the wrong: Wake to save what hate betrayed! Wake to make the wrong afraid! And salute the flag of freedom and the strong!

Hail! Hail! Hail! Our flag is flying! Rouse ye, stout and lusty wills! All who fight and all who dig Working still for something BIG, For the flag that's guarding us and Forest Hills!

Look! Look up! Into the splendour, That the light of heaven fills! Give yourself with might and main To the dream that cannot wane, To the flag that's floating over Forest Hills! —ADELE M. SHAW.

#### NEW ARRIVALS

A daughter, Constantia Herbert, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Hommann, No. 57 Burns Street, on Friday, June 22nd.

#### THE PLAYGROUND

"The swings are up, the see-saws are back" gaily shouted the children on May 1st and so once more we opened our out-door season of play. Since that time we have had an average of a hundred children a day on the grounds between the hours of 3 and 6 P. M. Naturally, the children come and go at their will, but of this number, between 60 and 70 children may be found playing steadily from 4 to 5:30 o'clock. This is the busiest hour of the day.

During the yearly school session the hours of supervised play are from 3 to 6 P. M. and after June 30th the play leader is on the playground from 9:30 A.M. to 12 noon, 2 P. M. to 5.30 P. M.

What do we play? It is a small question, but has many answers. The swings and slide are the most popular pieces of apparatus, but during the busiest hour you will find nearly all the apparatus on the ground in continuous use. Climbing is a favorite stunt of our healthy Forest Hills children, and a shinning contest is to be one of the events on the Fourth. Don't fail to see it!

The sand pile is loved by all ages, and here is found excellent co-operative, creative, free-play making the sand box into a village at one time a fairy King and Queen's domain at another time, or a mighty fortress guarding the coast, and submarines of all shapes and sizes. When you come to the children's games on the Fourth, be sure to look into the sandbox. Perhaps we shall have a surprise for you.

Basketball is a favorite game of the girls and at present we have a team ready to challenge any team under 16 years of age, that the reader may know of. But, at this time of year nothing interests the boys like a good game of baseball. On Saturday, June 23rd, we played and won our first game of the season. Forest Hills vs. Woodhaven—score 5-3.

The Social Clubs formed during the winter are continuing their activities by having excursions to the beach, or to the woods, and the Junior Sewing Club is meeting and sewing on the playground every Tuesday afternoon.

As the playground has been in need of a shelter house for rainy days, permission has been obtained from the Board of Education for the use of the kindergarten room after school hours, and all day during July and August. Nevertheless, a place of partial shelter is needed directly on the playground, and for this need the children have started a fund to buy a canvas cover for the arbor. At present date, they have earned \$1.17 and had \$2.00 contributed, making a total of \$3.17. Elizabeth Rossman is Chairman of this fund, and her helpers are Helen Fay, Kathleen and Elsie French.

The Round Robin Doubles tennis tournament recently completed on the Inn Courts was won by Burt and Conway with an average of 760.

#### PROGRAM FOR JULY 4TH

FORENOON:	
9.30—11.00	<ul><li>Flag raising exercises.</li><li>Presentation of base for flag-pole.</li><li>Military drill by Rifle Corps and Boy Scouts.</li><li>A community chorus will sing patriotic airs under the direction of Sigmund Spaeth.</li></ul>
	Address in Station Square. Tennis matches between the "Inns" and the "Outs" on the Inn Courts.
Afternoon :	
2.00- 4.00	Children's Games in the Playground. Dodge Ball Game—Boy Scout Troops.
2.00- 4.30	Finals of Tennis matches on the Inn Courts between the "Inns" and the "Outs."
4.00- 4.30	Children's Party in Tea Garden—refresh- ments will be served. All children of the community are invited as the guests of the Inn.
1 20	Maggina of Liberty in Olivia Darla

Masque of Liberty in Olivia Park.

8.00— 1.00 Dancing in Station Square, preceded by Grand March. Music by the Seventh Regiment Band.

#### COMING EVENTS

Announcements of Coming Events should be sent to the Community Secretary, 27 Greenway Terraces. Forest Hills 6200. 'Phone

Tuesdays, 2.30. Sales Office. Meeting of War Relief ommittee. Women of the Community cordially invited. Committee.

First and Third Tuesdays of each month. Arcanum Hall, Elmhurst. Meeting of Forest Hills Lodge of Masons.

Sundays, 9.15 to 10.45 A. M., and Wednesdays 8 P. M., Continental Avenue, near the Inn. Rifle and Drill Corps drill. Men of the community cordially invited.

Saturday evening, June 30th, entertainment at the Inn under the auspices of the War Relief Unit of Forest Hills.

Monday, July 2nd—Garden observation stroll. Rendez-vous Cord Meyer Company's Sales Office, 2:30 P. M. Women of the community interested in gardening are invited.

Wednesday, July 4.-Annual Celebration.

Monday, July 9.-St. Luke's Sunday School Parish Outing at Long Beach.

Monday, July 16th—Garden observation stroll. Rendez-vous Sales Office, Homes Company, 2:30 P. M. Women of the community interested in gardening are invited.

#### TENNIS AT GARDENS CLUB

The Gardens Club has recently been elected to membership in the Queensboro Tennis League. Team matches consisting of two singles and three doubles are so arranged that each team plays every other team at home and abroad. The Gardens team has played two matches resulting in one victory and one defeat. On June 17, at Elmhurst, they were defeated in a close finish three matches to two. On June 24, at Forest Hills, they won from The Bayside Tennis Club four matches to one. A feature of the play was the defeat of Merle Johnson a former holder of the championship of Queens and Nassau Counties by Dr. Davenport. The Gardens Club Team consists of Mecabe, Davenport, Burt, Worth, Hillman, Warren and Ortgies.

#### CHURCH-IN-THE-GARDENS

Those who have pleasant memories of the little portable chapel will be interested to learn that it is now the home of the Victoria Congregational Church, Jamaica. The church was publicly recognized by a council of churches on Friday night, the 22nd, the sermon being preached by Rev. Lewis T. Reed, pastor of the Flatbush Church, who preached the sermon at the recognition of the Church-in-the-Gardens in the same portable building. Dr. Kent offered the prayer at the recognition of the church.

A fine sermon on "The Good Samaritan" was preached Sunday morning in the Church-in-the-Gardens by Rev. E. R. Hance, pastor of the Orient Church, L. I. Mr. Hance was Dr. Kent's assistant in Brooklyn when the Church-in-the-Gardens was started and assisted in distributing the cards announcing the first service in the store in Station Square.

In response to the general appeal an offering for the Red Cross was received last Sunday amounting

to \$145. "Gathering Up the Fragments" will be the topic Ministers have been appealed to everywhere to assist in the food conservation movement under Mr. Hoover. The service will be the first of the union services with the Church of Forest Hills to be held during July and August. It will be in the Church of Forest Hills, corner of Seminole Avenue and Gown Street.

Miss Rosa Cornelia Winkler is to be married to Mr. John Francis Byrnes on Saturday the 30th, in the Church-in-the-Gardens.

#### ST. LUKE'S MISSION

On June 17th, the 2nd Sunday after Trinity, William Whitler Richardson, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. William Richardson, of Newark, N. J., was baptized by the Vicar at St. Luke's Chapel. Mr. Richardson was a former parishioner and S. S. Superintendent of the Vicar and brought his son from Newark to Forest Hills Gardens for the baptism because of his regard for his former rector.

Lucille Louise Brion, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester E. Brion, was made a member of Christ in Baptism at St. Luke's Chapel by the Vicar on St. John Baptist Day, June 24th, 1917. The Godparents were Mrs. Louise Stoltze, Miss Estelle Louise Brion, and Mr. John M. Demarest.

Ten infants have been added to the membership of St. Luke's during this first year in its own building, a large number for so young a parish.

The Vicar left Monday, the 25th, by the Day Boat, for Albany, to attend the week's session of the Cathedral Summer School.

Sunday, July 1st, services at the usual hours, 8 and 11 A. M. and 8.15 P. M. There will be no Sunday School sessions during July and August.

Parish Outing for Sunday School Scholars and their friends will be at Long Beach, Monday, July 9th. Directions later.



#### HOME OF MURRAY S. BROWN

Appropriate to this number of the BULLETIN, recalling Colonial days, our home illustration is the attractive home of Murray S. Brown, situated on the corner of Greenway North and Slocum Crescent.

The doorway with its delicate details was inspired by one of the Eighteenth Century entrances to a house in Salem, Mass. The general plan is simple in form—a large living room with screened porch on one side of the hall, on the other the dining room and breakfast porch, with service portions and attached garage in the rear. All the interiors are Colonial, and the decorations have been particularly well carried out.

The exterior walls are of ground marble stucco and the roof is a blend of red and brown tiles.

The house was designed and erected by the Homes Company.

#### RECENT COMPANY SALES

To be added to the number of prominent citizens of our colony, already noted for its wide range of activities, is the following list of some of the house purchasers since the first of the year:

Fred'k B. Humphreys, M.D.; J. Floyd Mc-Tyier, Financial Secretary of the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A.; David Latshaw, also of the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A.; Harry Hunt Robinson, New York representative of the Kelly-Springfield Motor Truck Co.; William L. Fleming, broker; Dr. John F. Hill, eye specialist; Adolph Weinman, the wellknown sculptor and designer of the new U. S. coins; James C. Parkes, Real Estate; John C. Eames, of John C. Eames, Inc.; G. Willis Drake, New York representative of the Corning Glass Works; Franklin P. Wilds, of the Mica Products Co.; Albert T. Johnston, Jr., of Bordens Condensed Milk Co.; James Gorton Marsh, of the Huddleston-Marsh Mahogany Co.; and Frank Parker Stockbridge, formerly editor of the Evening Mail, and publicity agent for President Wilson in his first presidential campaign. NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. C. Gordon Pearce, of Dartmouth Street, will have as their guests over the Fourth Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hickey, of Colorado; Miss Katherine Bayliss, of White Plains, and Mr. Ned Wiley, of New York.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Burt and Dr. and Mrs. James Erskine, of New York, will be the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Burt, of Slocum Crescent.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond P. Kaighn will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Mays.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Warren will entertain Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Mills, of Bronxville, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. C. LeBlanc will have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. LeBlanc, and the Misses Lily and Edith LeBlanc, of Jersey City.

Dr. N. J. Becker, of New York, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Winkler will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Litt, of Groton Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adamson and Mr. William Harmon Black will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hart Gress, of Tennis Place.

Miss Katharine Osborn, of New Haven, Conn., will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bristol, of Whitson Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. P. McCulloch and family have left for Rice Lake, Ont., where they will spend their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brewer have returned to their home in Greenway South.

Mr. Fritz Hagens has joined his family at Manchester, Vt.

Mr. Cyrus Blake, of the Sales Department of the Homes Company, and Miss Mabel Siegfried, of the New York office, have announced their marriage, which took place at Mt. Vernon, N. Y., on Saturday, June 9th. They have the congratulations and best wishes of their many friends connected with the company.

Werner H. Deghuee, Jr., formerly of Puritan Avenue, has been spending a few days with Kenneth Fay.

Samuel Sewall of Puritan Avenue has returned from The Hollock School, Great Barrington, Mass., for his summer vacation.

Miss Margaret L. James of Fort Valley, Ga., and Miss Anna Ford of Warrensburg, Missouri, will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McTyier.

E. C. Ketcham and family left last Saturday by motor for Chicago to spend the month of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Fleming, of Plainfield, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Harriss for the Red Cross Ball, and will remain for the Fourth of July celebration.

Mrs. Huntting C. Worth and daughter, Barbara, have gone to Lee, Mass., where they will spend the summer with Mrs. Worth's parents.



#### THE RETURN OF PIPING PAN

"Cherrily, cherrup" sang the robin lustily, "Yank-Yank" said Mrs. Nuthatch to Mr. Nuthatch who was busily putting feathers into his nest. Why do you suppose the robin is singing so joyously. He always sings loudest on rainy days and hear him now, this first hot day of summer. "Cherrily, cherrup, cherrily, cherrup" sang the robin still louder. "Yank-Yank-Ya-Ya" answered the Nuthatch, meaning "we're coming, we're coming," and away they flew to where the robin was sitting in the branches of the tree shading the pool where the birds went to bathe every day.

Not only had the Nuthatch heard the Robin calling but all their bird neighbors, the wrens, bluebirds, chipping sparrows, martins and humming birds, stopped their nest building and flew to hear the robin's story.

"Whatever is the matter?" warbled the bluebird as he flew from his house on the very tree that had the robin's nest in its branches. But, no sooner had he asked the question, than he too began to sing lustily.

"Twit-Twit-Twit," said the Martin, as he lighted on the branch right below the robin. "Look, look," he called to the wrens, chippies and humming birds as they came flying along. "See, our friend Piping Pan has returned to guard our fountain."

By this time all the birds of the Park had gathered on nearby limbs and such a chirping and chattering you never did hear.

"How clean Pan looks," said Mrs. Martin, "I wish he would tell us why he went away." "But why do you say he looks clean?" asked a bluebird who had lately come to the Park to live. "Doesn't he too bathe and drink from the beautiful fountain that he guards." "Silly," answered the sparrow, hopping over to the branch beside the bluebird. "Don't you know that Piping Pan is but a lovely statue, who can't move or speak, but just sits by our fountain to make it a beautiful and happy place to bathe in."

"But, where oh where has he been and why does he look so clean?" questioned Mrs. Martin. "Surely some one must know."

"If you will stop chattering so much I'll tell you all about it," said Mrs. Robin, who lived in a nearby cherry tree. "One day, last summer, after my children were able to fly, we were taking our bath when one of those large playmates called a boy came along. He didn't know that he had chased us away, or he would have been sorry. You see he had always lived in the big city, and trees and birds and brooks were new friends to meet. 'Ho-Ho,' said the boy, 'what's this child doing, sitting so still playing on his pipe and never making a sound.' Still, Piping Pan piped on silently, and the boy not knowing that he was for children and birds to look at, picked up a stone, hit the statue and broke it. Then the man who loves the birds, trees, flowers and children came and took Pan away, and today brought him back all mended and good as new."

"How happy the children will be to see their friend again," sang the bluebird. "Yes, yes," chirped the robin. "Come, we will sing our sweetest songs, and call to them to come and see dear Piping Pan."

Little child, do you hear the birds?

#### BOY SCOUT NEWS

The Boy Scouts of Troop No. 2, Forest Hills Gardens, have been doing their "bit" quietly this Spring, but the work has counted for a great deal. Scout solicitation of applications for the Liberty Loan Bonds was not begun until the local ground had been pretty well covered. Nevertheless, in three days applications for twenty-six Bonds totaling \$1,850 were secured. Scout Kenneth C. Fay of Puritan Avenue is entitled to the War Cross, having sold thirteen Bonds.

The sale of papers recently collected from the Gardens homes completed the fund of \$36.50 for the support of a fatherless child in France. Incidentally the market price on old paper recently took an unfortunate slump or we would have had nearly enough to support another child. Anyhow the Scouts are not disheartened and further collections will be made. The work of assisting the Surgical Dressings Committee in cutting backs for the oakum pads has progressed uninterruptedly throughout the entire Spring and will continue during the summer. Six new Scouts are: Myron and Malcolm Burton, of Rockrose Place; Edward and Maurice Mayer, of Continental Avenue; William F. Mohan and William Robinson of Greenway North.

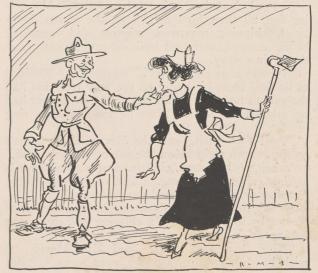


JACK'S BIT THE STORY OF A GARDEN IN THE GARDENS By Burns Mantle Illustrations by R. M. Brinkerhoff

#### This is the house that Jack built.

- This is the yard that belongs to the house that Jack built.
- This is the garden that looks like a rug that goes with the yard that belongs to the house that Jack built.
- This is the bean that grows in the garden that looks like a rug that goes with the yard that belongs to the house that Jack built.
- This is the potato that is next to the bean that grows in the garden that resembles a rug and goes with the yard that belongs to the house that Jack built.
- This is the onion that did not come up near the potato that is next to the bean that grows in the garden that looks like a rug and goes with the yard that belongs to the house that Jack built.
- These are the lettuce that failed to appear juxtaposed to the onion that did not come up near the potato that is next to the bean that grows in the garden that looks like a rug and covers the yard that goes with the house that Jack built.
- This is the wife who promised to speak to the lettuce that flopped next to the onion that did not come up near the potato that is alongside the bean that grows in the garden that goes with the mortgage that belongs to the house that Jack built.
- This is the sister who gave free advice to the wife who agreed to lecture the lettuce that failed to show next to the onion that did not eventuate near the potato nor yet the bean that grows in the garden that goes with the house that Jack built.

- This is the neighbor with a new kind of seed who spoke to the sister who gave good advice to the wife who had promised to speak to the lettuce that failed to appear next to the onion that did not come up near the potato alongside the bean that grows in the garden that goes with the house that Jack built.
- This is the bug that puzzled the neighbor with the new kind of seed who spoke to the sister who gave good advice to the wife who had promised to ehide the lettii that failed to appear next to the onion that was painfully remiss near the potato alongside the bean that grows in the garden that goes with the house that Jack built.
- This is the stuff that discouraged the bug that puzzled the neighbor with the sure-fire seed who spoke to the sister who was full of advice for the wife who agreed to be firm with the lettuce that had failed to show up next to the onion that was not to be found near the potato or alongside the bean that grows in the garden that goes with the house that Jack built.
- This is the maid who used the stuff in the borrowed can and saved the garden that puzzled the neighbor with the fertile seed who spoke to the sister who spilled the advice for the wife who promised to bring up the lettuce in the way it should go next to the onion that might have been found near the potato and not far from the bean that grows in the garden that goes with the house that Jack built.
- This is the soldier who may marry the maid who used the stuff in the borrowed can and saved the garden that puzzled the neighbor with the excelsior seed who spoke to the sister who gave the advice to the wife who failed with the lettuce that weakened next to the onion that never did show near the potato that was supposed to grow next to the bean in the garden that goes with the house that Jack built.
- And he is the lad who will save the day by eating the bean that grows in the garden that looks like a rug and goes with the house that Jack built.



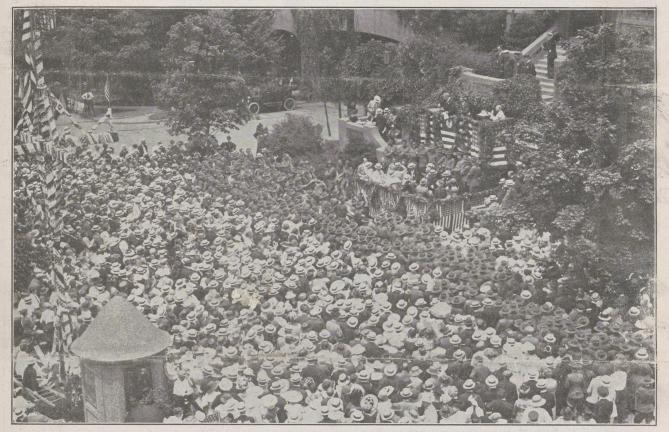
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COL. ROOSEVELT SPEAKING AT STATION SQUARE JULY 4, 1917 HERE COL. ROOSEVELT STOOD APPROVING THE SENTIMENTS JUST URGED BY BISHOP BURGESS, CHEERED BY THE THOUSANDS CROWDING AROUND HIM, AS HE ELOQUENTLY PLEADED FOR WHOLE-HEARTED ALLEGIANCE TO THE AMERICA OF WASHINGTON AND LINCOLN, FRENCH FOR THOSE ENLISTING. The budget for 1918 includes for P. S. No.

Albert Capellani, of No. 23 Greenway Terrace, offers to teach French to anyone in Forest Hills who contemplates going to France with the United States Army and Navy. Mr. Capellani served four years in the French Army, one year and two months of which was during the present war as Sergeant of Artillery with the famous French 75's, when he was incapacitated. He had one brother killed in the batt'e of the Marne.

#### NEW SCHOOL BUILDING ASSURED.

On July 3d the Board of Estimate promptly confirmed the recent action of the Board of Education, appropriating \$175,000.00 for a new school in Forest Hil's. Credit for the accomplishment is due to many who have worked hard for this new building, notably to Bernard Suydam, A. C. Wessmann and E. H. Mays, Chairman of the School Committee. The budget for 1918 includes for P. S. No. 101 in Russell Place, new floors, better ventilation, and certain other minor improvements.

#### RED CROSS.

Revenue from the Red Cross Booth in the Station Square on the Fourth of July amounted to over \$300. One item alone, involving a great deal of labor, was the sale of two thousand two hundred ice cream cones. Mrs. J. B. Snow, Chairman in charge of the Booth, was assisted by Mrs. C. W. Johnson, Mrs. Richard Clinchy, Mrs. W. C. Claypoole, Mrs. Kroeger, Mrs. H. W. Thoms, Mrs. Sarkisian, Mrs. C. E. Kloetzer, Mrs F. E. Smith, Mrs. K. P. Collins and the Misses Annette Snow, Elsie Whyte, Evelyn Wessmann and Gladys O'Halloran. Special donations from Miss Kathryn Larkin, C. C. Foster, George H. Flynn, M. C. Quinn, Henry Muller, Jr., E. H. Schweibert and Hanson's Drug Store are gratefully acknowledged.

#### "OUTS" WIN TENNIS CUP.

The Fourth of July tennis cup was won by the "Outs" team, the "Inns" going down to defeat by a score of seven matches to two. In spite of the apparently one-sided score, nearly all the sets were hard fought and a large and enthusiastic gallery followed the play closely, giving frequent encouragement by its applause. The tournament created more interest than have the others in previous years, this being partially due to the fact that mixed doubles matches were included in the programme.

Probably the feature contests of the day were the doubles match between Mecabe and Worth on one side and Cravis and Ackerland on the other, and the arguments between Burt and Cravis and Ackerland and Mecabe in the singles. The first of the above matches brought out the prettiest tennis seen on the Inn courts this year, Mecabe and Worth finally winning by a remarkable disp'ay of brilliancy and team work combined. In the singles, L. M. Burt, though handicapped by a recent injury to his foot, gave an entertaining exhibition in his defeat of Cravis, while Ackerland played at top form in beating Mecabe.

A summary of the scores follows:

#### Singles.

Burt (Outs) beat Cravis (Inns), 6-3, 7-5. Mecabe (Outs) lost to Ackerland (Inns), 6-3, 5-7, 6-2. Davenport (Outs) beat F. Ross (Inns), 6-3, 6-2.

#### Doubles.

Worth and Mecabe (Outs) beat Cravis and Ackerland (Inns), 3-6, 7-5, 6-3.

Woodbury and Davenport (Outs) beat Ross Brothers (Inns), 6-2, 6-3.

Burt and Hillman (Outs) beat Lang and Gayness (Inns), 1-6, 8-6, 6-4.

Daniels and J. Ortgies (Outs) lost to Robinson and Becker (Inns), 6-4, 5-7, 6-2.

#### Mixed Doubles.

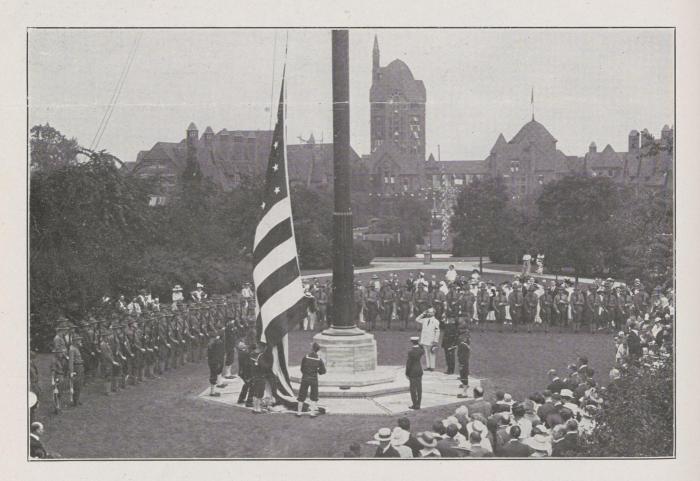
Mrs. Pope and Mr. Garretson (Outs) beat Miss Cape and Mr. Thomas (Inns), 6-3, 7-5.

Mrs. Burt and Mr. Warren (Outs) beat Mrs. Bailey and Mr. Bruce (Inns),  $6{-\!-}2,\ 6{-\!-}3.$ 

#### TENNIS LEAGUE.

By defeating Elmhurst four matches to one at the Gardens Club on Sunday, July 8th, Forest Hills Gardens tied that team for the lead in the Queensboro Tennis League with an average of .750. Messrs. Davenport, Burt, Worth, Woodbury, Hillman and Neal Vanderveer composed the winning team. Having defeated Whitestone the preceding week by five matches to none, the Gardens team is now strongly in the running for the championship.

It remains to play Bayside tomorrow (July 15th), at Bayside; then Whitestone at the Gardens Club on July 22nd, and finally, in case of a tie for the lead, to meet E.mhurst in an extra deciding match at grounds to be determined later.



DEDICATION OF NEW FLAG POLE BASE AND BRONZE COLLAR-SQUAD OF U. S. SAILORS ASSISTING IN THE FLAG RAISING EXERCISES.

THE FLAG POLE, WITH ITS NEW AND MASSIVE BASE, STILL TANGIBLY RECALLS THE MORNING'S DEDICATION, THE STIRRING WORDS OF DR. NICHOLS, THE PATRIOTIC SINGING ONCE MORE UPON THE GREEN AND THE RIFLE CORPS STANDING AT ATTENTION BENEATH THE RISING FLAG.

## RIFLE CLUB VETERAN CORPS

The Forest Hills Battery of the Veteran Corps of Artillery will be known as No. 8. Fifty - seven members of the Rifle Club have enlisted and thirty more have enlisted from Richmond Hill and Kew.

On Sunday, the 8th, the company was driled by Captain Hodges of the Flushing Battery of the Veteran Corps.

Any men desiring to join the new battery may communicate with Captain Shurick or Lieutenant Pomeroy.

The question of the continuance of the Rifle Club as a separate organization will be decided as soon as possible.



COLONEL ROOSEVELT AND HIS RECEPTION COMMITTEE

## BOY SCOUT NEWS.

Boy Scouts desiring to attend the big scout camp at Palisades Park should communicate at once with the scoutmaster so that appropriate reservations may be made in advance. The rates are \$4.00 per week which covers all necessary camp expenses, board, etc. Two weeks or longer may be spent at the option of the scout. The camp furnishes an excellent summer outing under competent supervision, canoeing, swimming, hiking and opportunity for studying scout craft and passing scout tests.

Troop II has adopted Rene Beuriot, a fatherless child, in France.

#### FLY PREVENTION.

Local garbage is being hauled to the Ridgewood Incinerator and therefore the residents are especially urged to refrain from mixing garbage or any form of decaying organic matter with the refuse and ashes which are still taken to the local dump at the foot of Seminole Avenue.

A little care in this direction will prevent any possibility of fly breeding there during the summer.

#### GIVE SHEETS FROM YOUR STOCK.

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To the wounded soldier brought in from the trenches where he has spent weeks, perhaps months, a clean, bed must seem like a little bit of heaven. In an effort to meet this need the Red Cross has requested housekeepers to give one or two sheets from their surplus stock. Linen sheets are specified because of the enormous war demands on cotton and these are asked from surplus household supply so as not to subtract from the already limited market stocks. Cotton pillow cases and sheets are equally in demand and these also are requested by the Red Cross.

Mrs. Stephen L. Coles, 98 Ascan Avenue, and Mrs. Louis A. Springer, 106 Ascan Avenue, have volunteered to collect sheets and pillow cases from the generous housekeepers of Forest Hills Gardens to be distributed by the Red Cross where the demands are most urgent. Residents are asked to send to either of the above addresses whatever number of sheets and pillow cases they can spare from their immediate needs. After the war others can be bought, but just now the wounded soldiers need them more than the linen closet does.

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#### WAR RELIEF BENEFIT.

The benefit performance of the Forest Hills Volunteer War Relief which opened the new ball room at the Inn on Saturday evening, June 30th, stands out as one of the red letter nights of the Gardens. Every number of the program won the heartnest approval of those who were fortunate enough to be present. To the entertainers is due a debt of gratitude, and it should be a source of satisfaction to them that their work was perfectly done and really appreciated. From the sale of tickets, programs, etc., the revenue amounted to \$407.65

#### FOREST HILLS' FIRST LOSS IN ACTION.

Captain Stanley O. Brand, of the Sixth York and Lancaster regiment, British Army, was killed in action "somewhere in France" on June 14th last. Captain Brand was born in England twenty-three years ago, the son of Herbert H. Brand, coming to this country after an earlier education at Cambridge. At the age of sixteen, he entered Columbia University for a special course in architecture. At the beginning of the war and while living with his family on Roman Avenue, Forest Hills, he felt that duty cailed him to the British Army. He paid his own passage to England, enlisting as a private, scon after which he was commissioned lieutenant. At the time of his death he was adjutant of his regiment, with the rank of captain.

He left many friends among the younger set of Forest Hills, who will mourn the loss of an upright and courageous young man.

#### BREWSTER CLARK.

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Brewster Clark, infant son of Evans and Freda Kirchwey Clark, died of pneumonia on Tuesday July 10th, at the residence of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Kirchwey, Underhill Road.

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COL. ROOSEVELT ACKNOWLEDGING THE APPLAUSE OF THE CROWD IN STATION SQUARE "WE CAN HAVE NO FIFTY-FIFTY ALLEGIANCE IN THIS COUNTRY"

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#### CHILDREN OF FOREST HILLS.

Have you seen the new balls and game material we have on the playground? If not, come over today and see if you can win in playing—ten pins. captain ball or help win a game of basket ball.

On warm days, we play quiet games, and if you have a little brother or sister bring them along to play in the sand. Yes, we have sand pails and shovels for the little folks.

The playground is open under supervision of a play-leader daily from 9:30 A. M. to 12 noon and 2 to 5:30 P. M.

#### FOURTH OF JULY FINANCES.

Chairman R. W. Waddell, of the Finance Committee, reports that the collections to meet the expenses of the celebration are coming in very slowly. Thus far the total returns are three hundred dollars below last year, although the tributary population has largely increased. Will those who have pledged subscriptions, and any others who have not subscribed but may desire to do so, please mail checks payable to "R. W. Waddell, Treasurer," at 49 Groton street?

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#### CHILDREN'S GAMES IN PLAYGROUND.

The playground was a scene of much merriment on the Fourth of July when the children of Forest Hills celebrated the day by having their annual races and games. A chance was given to children of all ages to see who could run the fastest and first prize was awarded to the following children:

1. 25-yard race for girls under 6 years-Florence Mc-Kinlay, Mary Backus, "Pam" Sweeney.

2. 25-yard race for boys under 6 years—George Kearn, Frankie Hargreave, Warren Schill.

3. 30-yard race for girls from 6 to 8 years—Mary Saybolt, "Pam" Sweeney, Martha Magrane.

4. 30-yard race for boys from 6 to 8 years—Jack Curtiss, Stuart Scott, Andrew Hargreave.

5. 40-yard race for girls from 8 to 10 years—Joy Mays, Elva Minuse, Grace McCaffrey.

6. 40-yard race for boys from 8 to 10 years—Phillyse Holmes, Charles Caldwell, Collier Elliot.

7. 50-yard race for girls from 10 to 12 years—Helen Fay, Eleanor Rountree, Mary Lang.

8. 50-yard race for boys from 10 to 12 years—George LaFollette, Frank McGirr, Robert Millen.

9. 60-yard race for girls from 12 to 16 years—Virginia Miller, Eunice Rossman, Kathleen French. 10. 60-yard race for boys from 12 to 16 years—Eugene

McGirr, Harold Burdick, William Gardiner. 11. Hand and foot race for boys from 10 to 14 years—

Ted Martin, Robert Scott, Harold Renshaw. 12. Flag relay, boys vs. girls, from 6 to 8 years—Won

by the girls. 13. Obstacle race for boys from 8 to 10 years—Phillip

Attardo, Jesse Hurley, Herbert MacNeal. 14. Special obstacle race—Robert Scott, William Mohan,

Frank McGirr.

15. Potato race for girls from 8 to 12 years—Beulah Payne, Pyloon Zeron, Mary Lang.

16. Sack race for boys from 10 to 12 years—Ted Martin, Henry Robinson, Frank McGirr.

17. Three-legged race for girls from 12 to 16 years— Misses Clarke and Hoshafian.

18. Three-legged race for boys from 12 to 16 years-Masters Burdick and Bastian.

19. Needle race for girls from 12 to 16 years—Kathleen French, Anna McGirr, Courteney Small.

It is rumored that had all these children run together, there is little doubt if any could have outrun Joy Mays, who, in the trial races, went ahead of any other girl.

The foot races were followed by different handicap races, and here fathers, mothers and children played together. The winners of races were as follows:

20. Mother and daughter relay race—Mrs. Rossman, Mrs. Mays, Mrs. Miller.

21. Father and son relay race-Mr. Small, Mr. Millen, Mr. Mayer.

22. Shoe race for all ages—Mary Deborde, Marjorie Hirschorn, Henry Robinson.

Unfortunately, 4:30 o'clock, time for ice cream, came only too soon, and the girl and boy scout dodge ball and basket ball games had to be postponed until a later date. Then it was, that all available cars were gathered together and used to the fullness of their capacity in taking the children to the Inn for refreshments, and afterward to Olivia Park.

#### GIRL SCOUT BASKETBALL.

On Friday, July 6th, Girl Scouts, Troop I vs. Troop II, played the game of basketball that had been scheduled for the Fourth of July, Troop II winning, score, 13 to 11.

The team of Troop I girls was composed of Eunice Rossman, jumping center; Helen French and Phylis Leonard, right and left forwards, and Edith Walker and Janet Perry, as guards. Troop II team was as follows: Lucy Hoshafian, jumping center; Loretta Clark and Denise Wagner, right and left forwards, and Loretta Clark and Ruth Wiley as guards.

Instead of their afternoon meetings, the Girl Scouts are now meeting every Thursday at 9:30 A. M. at the school house on Russell Place for one whole morning each week.

#### GARDEN MEDAL WINNERS.

Children of Forest Hills, your school gardens need weeding. Since June 30th a few children have occasionally come to work in the gardens, and in turn have been proud to carry home a head of lettuce or a bunch of radishes. In order that children as well as mothers may help in the nation-wide conservation of food products, we are making an appeal and urging the children of Forest Hills to come to the garden Tuesday and Friday mornings, or any morning for that matter, and assist in weeding and hoeing. Workers are entitled to ripe products. The work is under the supervision of Miss Hanson and the playleader.



CHILDREN'S GAMES AT THE PLAYGROUND THE PLAYGROUND HAS BECOME ALIVE SINCE IT HAS RE-ECHOED TO THE CHEERING CRIES OF THE CHILDREN AT THEIR ANNUAL GAMES.

#### ARCHITECTURAL LEAGUE. Food Battalion.

. .....Grosvenor Atterbury Director Treasurer .....W. A. Delano .....Alexander Trowbridge Secretary Committee on Ways and Means:

W. A. Delano, Chairman F. S. Vermilya

J. P. Marshall

Committee on Agriculture:

H. Reinhold, Chairman L. P. McGahie

L. Franklin

Committee on Enrollment and Administration:

C. C. May, Chairman

D. P. Higgins

H. D. Vernam

The Architectural League is rendering immediate service in the present food emergency by organizing a supply of volunteer labor for the cultivation of vacant land at Forest Hills Gardens, with the co-operation of the Mayor's Food Committee and the Agricultural Department of the Long Island Railroad and the State Agricultural College at Farmingdale. The general plan is as follows:

1st.-The architectural, engineering, constructional and other offices permit their members to take one week of their vacations distributed over three and a half months-one day at a time.

2nd.-The members of the offices contribute for the public benefit and that of the Allied War Relief their services for of the land above mentioned under the the cultivation direction of skilled experts and under arrangements such that there will be each day a squad of men sufficient in number to carry on the necessary work until the products are harvested. A period of fourteen weeks will substan-tially cover this time. Their contribution will therefore consist of one-half of their vacation period of two weeks and will not involve any expense to the office. The schedule of service is so arranged as to mean little or no disturbance of the office work.

3rd.-The heads of firms or others, who for any reason cannot give their own time, are asked to contribute financially to the necessary sum required to carry the operation.

The original plan under which the work was begun was to give one-half of any surplus to the Allied War Relief and retain the other for distribution to the volunteers. At a subsequent meeting, however, it was decided to consider this question later on, when the situation had developed, and take final action in accordance with the wishes of the majority as to whether the entire surplus or only the greater portion thereof is to be devoted to the Allied War Relief.

Under the above arrangement, we now have two hundred and twenty-five (225) volunteers-men and womenso that it is possible to keep at work an average of twelve to fifteen workers every day, Saturdays and Sundays included.

The total cost of the crop production, including fertilizer, seed, tools, cultivation, transportation and labor of all kinds Of this sum, approximately \$1,000 is estimated at \$3,500. has already been contributed in subscriptions—the balance of \$2,500 is being loaned to the "Battalion" by various members of the League who are interested in its work.

The report of the Agricultural Committee to date states that approximately seven acres have been planted in po-tatoes and eight to ten acres in navy beans, while an additional five to ten acres is in preparation for the same crop.

The planting will be continued as late as the Agricultural experts deem safe.

Both men and women are doing serious and enthusiastic work and, while the condition of the grounds available was not by any means favorable since it was mostly sod land and not recently cultivated, it is hoped that by more than ordinary care and work in cultivation the crops will be at least equal to the average grown in the neighborhood, and, that the organization will at least meet its expenses from the marketing of the produce secured.

In any event, the Committee feels that the value of the work in the way of agricultural education, the fuller understanding of the food problem and the necessities of economy,

the physical training, as well as the actual produce gotten out of the ground, will justify the undertaking and the individual efforts of those who are so enthusiastically cooperating for its success.

The beautiful new club house and grounds of the Engineers' Country Club, near Roslyn, Long Island, were opened with appropriate ceremonies on June 27th. Among the residents of the Gardens present were Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hunt Robinson and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Claghorn; Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Springer; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. DuPuy; Mr. and Mrs. Stephen L. Coles and their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Miller; Messrs. Foster, Lyman, Hurlburt, Woodruff and Small. Mr Stephen L. Coles is the Secretary of the new club.

The many friends of Miss Tapley Wessman will be glad to hear that she has returned to her home in Greenway Terraces after three years spent in Califernia.

John Ortgies, who was here over the Fourth of July, has returned to his troop at Hartford.

Mrs. James Garretson and children, of Greenway Terrace, have gone to Long Lake in the Adirondacks for the remainder of the summer.

Mrs. Martha M. Allen, of Beechknoll Road, has recently received from the judges of the Exposition held last year at San Francisco, a diploma of honorable mention as collaborator with the National Women's Christian Temperance Union in its great exhibit there. Part of Mrs. Allen's exhibit was five beautiful posters in water colors made by Claude Angell, who formerly lived in the Gardens. The exhibit of the National Women's Christian Temperance Union took the first prize, although other temperance societies had fine exhibits.

Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Chalmers have gone on a tenday motor trip to Syracuse to visit Mrs. Chalmers' brother, Dr. Ducat, who is with the Medical Reserve Corps there.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D. Brewer and daughter are visiting at the home of Mr. Brewer's parents in Greenway South.

F. L. Holmes, First Sergeant of the Rifle Corps, has received his commission as First Lieutenant in the Depot Battalion of the New York State Signal Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Rowland H. Smith, of Continental Avenue, left after the Fourth for a ten-day motor trip to New Hampshire and over the Mohawk trail, returning through the Berkshire Hills.

Howard Ortgies, Charles Goudiss, Oliver Jones and Norman Hattemer have gone to Camp Dudley, Lake Champlain for the summer.



#### SPRING AWAKENING-GREEK GROUP DANCE BY THE STUDENTS OF LOUIS H. CHALIF GIVEN IN OLIVIA PARK

CLIVIA PARK SEEMS MORE BEAUTIFUL BECAUSE. IN ITS SHADED AMPHITHEATRE. THERE HAS BEEN DISCLOSED THE GRACE AND RHYTHM OF THE WONDERFUL INTERPRETIVE DANCING OF THE PUPILS OF CHALIF.

# OUTLINE OF TALK ON CANNING FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

Given by Mrs. Edward H. Mays under the auspices of the League for Women's Service.

The new "cold pack" method of canning fruits and vegetables, which differs in several important details from the older methods, is explained and recommended in the new Government bulletins. The New Housekeeping Department of the "Ladies' Home Journal" has issued a most helpful bulletin—"How to can fruits, vegetables and meats," practically a resume of the recent Government bulletins, which can be obtained by sending 15 cents in stamps to the Philadelphia office, in Independence Square. The six important steps in the "cold pack" method are:

1. Blanching all vegetables and fruits—except sweet berry fruits—in hot water for a few minutes and following this by immediate dipping in co'd water. This shrinks and sterilizes, and is especially important in canning vegetables.

Preparing the fruits and vegetables.
 Packing them uncooked—hence the name "cold pack"

-into hot jars.

4. Filling the jars with (a) hot brine for vegetables, 1 even teaspoonful of salt to 1 quart of water; or (b) hot syrup for fruits, 1 cup of sugar to 1 cup of water. The amount of sugar varies with individual preference, as no sugar is necessary for the preservation of fruit.

sugar is necessary for the preservation of fruit. 5. Sterilizing. The jars are partially sealed and placed on a rack in a kettle of warm water. The water should come at least one inch over the top of the jars and the time for sterilizing is not taken until the water actually boils. The time varies—twenty minutes is enough for most fruits, but vegetables take a much longer time; from an hour and a half to three hours, except tomatoes, which can be done in twenty-two minutes.

6. Sealing. The jars must be sealed as soon as the time of sterilization is completed, unless the self-sealing type of jar is used.

LOST.—On July 4th, 1917, lady's gold bar pin, set with sapphires and pearls. Reward if returned to Mrs. E. Spencer-Guidel, 355 Willow Street, Richmond Hill. Tel. Richmond Hill 4694.

#### THE INN.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Williamson are again here for the summer.

Mr. E. Williams, of Lake Placid, N. Y., spent several days at the Inn.

Mrs. A. F. Dickey, of Cowden, Ill., spent the holiday with her son, Mr. C. Dickey.

 $\operatorname{Mr.}$  F. B. Holmes was a guest of Mr. H. Anderson over the 4th.

F. D. Mitchell spent the holiday at the Inn.

Walter R. Oakley, of Scranton, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Brown, of New York, were guests here for the week-end.

Baron and Baroness E. de Goncer and Mrs. C. M. Watson will spend the summer at Blue Mountain Lake, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Davis were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Magrane over the holiday.

Among the recent arrivals are Dr. and Mrs. Hoffman, of Brooklyn; Mrs. John Bailie, of Minneapolis, Minn., and son, Mr. Earle Bailie; Miss Mary A. Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. P. Beazell and Mrs. M. Polhemus, of New York; Messrs. H. Burtch, Frederick J. Patchell, A. M. Willis and Lieutenant H. Valabreque, also of New York.

Among the prospective tenants of the Gardens Apartments, adjoining the Station Square, are the following: H. F. Pomeroy, Henry Oyen, F. B. Farrand, Dr. Paul S. Barrett, C. A. Borbein, Vincent Collins, Thomas Todd, Harold A. Vincent, G. H. Cherrington, N. D. Biddison, O. C. Harn and Leroy Fairman.

#### GARDEN STUDY AND VEGETABLE CANNING.

On Monday, July 16th, the Garden Strollers, under the auspices of the Women's Club, will pass through various gardens along Greenway South and Wendover Road. The rendezvous is the Sage Sales Office at 2:30 o'clock. The gardens to be visited this week will include Mrs. Halsey's, Miss Price's, Mrs. Brewer's, Mrs. Galloway's, Mrs. Bevere's, Mrs. Kloetzer's and Mrs. Davis'. The hostess for the afternoon is Mrs. Davis and Miss Brewer will give an informal talk on the "Canning of Peas and Beans." All interested are cordially invited.

#### COMING EVENTS.

Announcements of Coming Events should be sent to the Community Secretary, 27 Greenway Terraces. 'Phone Forest Hills 6200.

Tuesdays, 2.30. Sales Office. Meeting of War Relief Committee. Women of the Community cordially invited.

First and Third Tuesdays of each month. Arcanum Hall, Elmhurst. Meeting of Forest Hills Lodge of Masons.

Sundays, 9.15 to 10.45 A. M., and Wednesdays 8 P. M., Continental Avenue, near the Inn. Rifle and Drill Corps drill. Men of the community cordially invited.

Sunday, July 15th-League Tennis Match at Bayside.

Forest Hills Gardens vs. Bayside, at 3 P. M. Monday, July 16th—Garden observation stroll. Rendez-vous Sales Office, Homes Company, 2:30 P. M. Women of the community interested in gardening are invited. Sunday, July 22nd—League Tennis Match at Gardens Chile Forest Hills Gurdens w Whitegraps et 2 P. M.

Club. Forest Hills Gardens vs. Whitestone, at 3 P. M.

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#### PLAYGROUND HOURS.

The Payground is open under supervision of a play-lcader daily from 9:30 A. M. to 12 noon, and from 2 P. M. to 5:30 every afternoon.

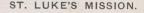
#### OUR LADY, QUEEN OF MARTYRS

The Sunday instruction for the children will be resumed in September.

The members of the Forest Hills Unit of the Catholic Women's War Relief will hold their meeting at two o'clock on Friday afternoons at the home of Mrs. Mandel, No. 85 Jewel Street.

A meeting of the Altar Society will be held in the Chapel on Thursday afternoon at three o'clock. Reports of the officers will be submitted. All members are urged to attend.

The people of the parish rejoice in the recovery of their pastor, Fr. Nummey. Fr. Nummey has long been ill at St. Agnes' Hospital, Baltimore. In appreciation of his efforts in their behalf and as a token of their esteem, his parshioners of Forest Hills presented him with an automobile while his Richmond Hill parishioners gave him a purse of five hundred dollars.



This special notice is sent to the parishioners and friends of St. Luke's Mission-that the Chapel is open during July for the usual services as follows: Sundays-8 A. M., Holy Communion; 11 A. M, Morning Service; 8:15 P. M., Evensong. Fridays -10 A. M., Litany and Intercessions. Rev. R. S. Nichols, Vicar, officiating.

#### CHURCH-IN-THE GARDENS.

During July union services are being held in the Church of Forest Hills (undenominational) at Seminole Avenue and Gown Street, North Side. Dr. R. J. Kent, officiating.

#### MOSQUITOES ARE SCARCE.

Preventive work has achieved gratifying results, reducing the number of mosquitoes thus far this summer to a comfortable minimum. Local breeding now appears to be under control and the work of reditching Flushing Meadows is practically completed.

SCENE FROM A MASQUE OF LIBERTY IN OLIVIA PARK.

IN OLIVIA PARK, THE CLASSIC ART OF RALPH E. RENAUD HAS PRODUCED ANOTHER MASTERPIECE, THE CROWNING ACHIEVEMENT OF THE DAY—''A MASQUE OF LIBERTY''—THE TRIUMPH OF THE ARMIES OF JUSTICE.

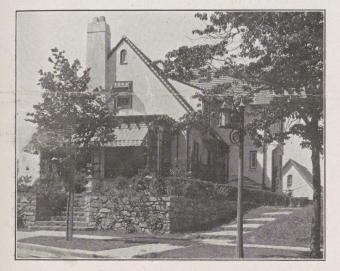


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# HOME OF E. H. VAN NAME.

Pictured above is the home of E. H. Van Name on Wendover Road. The design is individual, yet in certain respects leans towards the English farm house type. The lines are brought out without applied ornament, depending upon the well studied arrangement of plan, the rough texture of the stucco and the deep red tones of the tile roof. The dining porch is attached to the rear, commanding a fine view of the Gardens and the neighboring farms.

The Homes Company was the architect and builder.

# HOW TO CONSERVE VEGETABLES.

On Tuesday, July 31st, at 3:30 P. M., in the Sales Office, under the auspices of the League for Women's Service, Mrs. C. H. Goudiss, one of the publishers of "The Forecast," will speak to her Gardens neighbors on the De-hydrating of Vegetables, illustrating her talk with a drying apparatus which she has lent for this occasion. As the subject is vital'y important to these who have raised gardens and are interested in conserving their products, the meeting is open to all.

# ANTI-MOSQUITO ASSISTANT INSPECTOR

Wm. Dumont, Rutgers '18, who last year was Inspector for the Kew Gardens Association, is now assisting the local Inspector, M. J. Folensbee, the latter serving on part time basis.

# NATIONAL PATRIOTIC SINGLES TOURNAMENT.

Upon the request of the National Association the Board of Governors of the West Side Tennis Club has decided to carry out a National Patriotic Singles Tournament, to be held at the Club, starting August 20th, 1917. The Club's share of the net proceeds of this tournament will go to the fund of \$100,000 (or more) which is being raised to help provide three ambulance sections to be given to the United States Army through the American Red Cross.

The National Committee and the Committee of the Club are doing everything possible to have the best entry that has ever been had in a National Tournament. Johnston and probably McLoughlin are coming on from the coast; Williams, Washburn, Griffin, Mathey, and Church will participate if they can be excused from their military duties. In addition to these, Alexander, Behr, Murray and Throckmorton will be in the entry. An added feature will be a series of five matches between Miss Mary Browne, of California, and Miss Molla Bjurstedt, of the West Side Tennis Club.

#### NEWS FROM FRANCE.

A letter from Miss Elsie Jessup, written on July 4th, describes "Military Hospital No. 76," where she is stationed near Paris. Here an old monastery with its tremendous corridors is serving to shelter long rows of the wounded from the Allied front. In one ward there are ninety beds filled with those just brought in, cared for by Miss Jessup and three other nurses. An American surgeon is in charge and it is planned presently to turn this hospital over entirely to the American forces.

# GIRL SCOUTS GO TO CAMP.

Two weeks of camp-fires and hikes in the woods and life in the water, with chances to practice all they know of Scout craft, await the girls who started yesterday with Miss Brewer for the Girl Scout Camp at Bear Mountain. They are Denie Claypoole, Helen Fay, Kathleen and Elsie French, Audrey McGrath, Virginia Miller, Eleanor Rountree, Dorothy Henshaw, Dorothy Smith and Edith Walker. Mrs. N. B. Baker will join the party for the second week.

#### FOREST HILLS GARDENS BULLETIN.

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# RUFUS GREENE ANGELL

Rufus Greene Angell, of Shorthill Road, died Saturday, July 21st, in his fifty-ninth year. Mr. Angell was a graduate of Columbia University, Arts Course, Class of 1881, and a member of the Philolexian Society. As an accountant, he served as an Examiner in the Department of Finance of the City of New York.

Extremely active and interested in the life of Forest Hills, he included in his affiliations membership in the Players, the Rifle Club, the Men's Club, the Taxpayers' Association and the Gardens Club. Beside Mrs. Angell, he is survived by a sister, until lately a resident of the Gardens, Mrs. A. A. Wallian.

#### JAMES P. MARREN.

James P. Marren died on Wednesday, July 18, at the Jamaica Hospital, due to a weakened heart, following a recent operation for appendicitis. With his death one more of the veterans of the Civil War is gone. Mr. Marren was born in Brooklyn seventythree years ago, but fought in a New Jersey regiment in the Union Army. In business a decorator, his real serious life long devotion was given to the social welfare work of the Eighth Avenue Mission, New York City, where he was a teacher and director. Two daughters, residing at 51 Burns Street, survive him.

# COMFORTS COMMITTEE OF THE NAVY LEAGUE.

Unit No. 183 (Oklahoma Unit) appeals to you and your friends for helmets, socks, wristlets and jackets in gray wool for the Dreadnought Oklahoma. Knitting directions and wool at Headquarters (509 Fifth Avenue, New York City). Please send completed garments to Miss Edith L. Fryer, Chairman, Continental Avenue and Austin Street, Forest Hills. Telephone Forest Hills 6344-W.

### FOREST HILLS BATTERY.

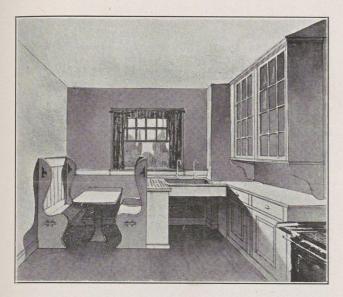
The first compulsory drill of the Forest Hill Battery was held on July 8th. Unlike the old Rifle Club, attendance at the regular drills is as compulsory as in the army, relief from duty only being obtainable by formal application in writing. The officers of the Battery are very careful to explain this condition clearly to new recruits and it is gratifying to find so many of the local men sufficiently in earnest in their endeavor to do something in these trying times to assume these real serious obligations. May their numbers increase !

The official announcement of Captain Shurick's appointment as a Captain in the V. C. A. appears in General Orders No. 15 of that organization and his assignment as commanding officer of the local battery appears in Detachment Orders No. 17. The Captain, who has been examined twice for a commission in the Army, states that this was by far the most rigid examination he has been subjected to.

At drill on Wednesday of last week, Captain Shurick appointed E. H. Moir as Acting First Sergeant and instructed him and Acting Lieutenants Taft and Pomeroy to submit recommendations for several other sergeants. The men recommended were Mandeville, Wright, Hommann, Teague, Mayer, Seward and Cox. Captain Shurick ordered all of the candidates to appear before a Board of Officers of the Seventh Battery at Flushing on Thursday of this week for examination and those standing the highest will be recommended for office and sent up for examination before the Official Board at Regimental Headquarters.

This Battery will belong to the Third Battalion, including the 7th (Flushing), 8th (Forest Hills) and 9th (Kew and Richmond Hill) Batteries and will be under command of Major Hodges, with Captain Shurick as Senior Captain, second in command. Major Hodges is one of the most popular officers that has ever drilled the local organization and the men are much elated at his appointment to this post. That he is a very efficient officer is evident from the fact that a special request was made for his services for the training of the Engineers' Regiment that was recently stationed at Fort Totten.

Keen regret was felt by every man in the Battery at the sudden death of Rufus G. Angell, who was one of its most popular and enthusiastic members. The Battery drew up a resolution expressing its sentiments, which was sent to Mrs. Angell, while a beautiful wreath formed part of the funeral decorations.



# APARTMENT KITCHEN

In connection with the three-room apartments in the "Gardens Apartment," a recent innovation has been adopted in order to make the kitchen more attractive to those desiring to use it as a breakfast room. The fixtures in the kitchen will be arranged so as to provide a cosy breakfast alcove, (see illustration) in one corner and a working alcove in the other corner. This will make the kitchen more attractive in appearance and will save steps and work. The stove is located in such a position in relation to the sink, drain board and dresser that the person preparing the meal does not have to leave the seat to reach dishes, pans, supplies or stove. After the meal is prepared and placed on the drainboard, the various courses can be reached without leaving the table. The accompanying photograph shows the proposed arrangements of the fixtures. Ample dresser and closet space will be provided to take care of the dishes, silwer, etc., that ordinarily goes in a dining room.

The house at No. 11 Markwood Road, previously occupied by Samuel W. Eckman, has been sold to Thos. L. Atkinson, of the Witcombe-McGeachin Co.; and another of the new brick houses on Greenway North, has been sold to Chester I. Barnard, Commercial Engineer, with the Telegraph Co.

# FOURTH OF JULY SOUVENIRS.

Extra copies of the Fourth of July "Proclamation" are available at the Homes Company office, 27 Greenway Terrace, for those who may desire them as scuvenirs of the celebration.

THE INN.

Prof. N. Boradin and his secretary, M. Pontiloff, members of the Russian Legation, have come to the Inn to remain during the balance of their stay in this country.

Mrs. Ernest Gent returned from her western trip on Thursday last and will be joined by Mr. Gent on Wednesdav next. They expect to remain at the Inn for the next three or four months.

Messrs. A. Thon, S. H. Andreson and O. Rohlff, of Christiana, Norway, who have recently come to this country to establish an American office for their European firm, are staying at the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Scannell have been joined by their mother, Mrs. J. L. Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Williamson had Mr. and Mrs. A. Bates and Miss Gerberding as their guests over the week-end. Mrs. Jeanette Tell and her daughter, Miss Olive Tell,

who is prominent in the moving picture world, are stopping at the Inn.

Lieutenant G. deGeofroy has returned to the Inn after an absence of several months.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Howe and daughter, Miss Ethel, (who is quite a noted musician), have returned to the Inn. Mr.

Howe is Vice-President of the E. W. Dunstan Company. George E. Beach and W. B. Glenn have returned from a delightful motor trip through the Mohawk Trail.

Mr. Robert Bruce Beeson, of Cincinnati, and his grand-son, Dan Morse, spent a day last week with friends at the Inn.

Among the summer guests recently registered at the Inn are the following: J. W. Hillis, of New York; George Sherman Richards, Forest Hills Gardens; Mrs. H. V. Baldwin; George W. Case, Jr.; T. J. O'Donahue and daughter, Miss Marie; H. R. Elwell; Mr. and Mrs. E. Putney; Misses E. and I. Koemmerich, of Newfoundland; W. Hoffman Mrs. and F. Roemmerich, of Newroundand; Mrs. W. Honman and son, John R. Hoffman, Jr.; Mr. and Miss Moore; George Nowland; Mrs. E. C. Wilson; Miss E. Gilbert; Miss Wens-ley, and F. R. Harty, of New York. Messrs. J. A. McLoughlin, W. J. Keegan and H. D. Wood

have recently returned from their summer holiday.

# WAR RELIEF PARADERS.

Friday evening, July 20th, a quaint "Italian" procession passed through the Gardens, winding from the Inn to Autenreith's Road House, an organ grinder at their head with a dog for a monkey, making a musical appeal to all for pennies and larger ccins—with a net result of \$40 gathered for War Relief, when the evening's work was done. The paraders were the Misses Maida Birmingham, Dolly Whitehead, Phyllis Salmon and Eugenia Christian, and Messrs. Erik Hunneker, William Adams, Worth Colwell and Neal Vanderveer.

Fifty members of the West Side Tennis Club have already enlisted in various army and navy units of the Government service.

John H. Hazelton is the author of the leading article in "Case and Comment" for July,-an able commentary on the Declaration of Independence and its historic background.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vance Hewitt, of 41 Ingram Street, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, John Vance, Junior, on Wednesday, July 11th.

Announcements of Coming Events should be sent to the Community Secretary, 27 Greenway Terraces. 'Phone Forest Hills 6200.

Tuesdays, 2.30. Sales Office. Meeting of War Relief Committee. Women of the Community cordially invited.

First and Third Tuesdays of each month. Arcanum Hall, Elmhurst. Meeting of Forest Hills Lodge of Masons.

Wednesdays at 8 P. M.-Continental Avenue, near the Inn. Forest Hills Battery drill.

Monday, July 30th-Garden observation stroll. Rendezvous, Sales Office, Cord Meyer Development Company, 2:30 Women of the community interested in gardening P. M. are invited.

Tuesday, July 31st, 3:30 P. M., at Sales Office.—Address by Mrs. C. H. Goudiss, "The De-hydrating of Vegetables." Auspices of League for Women's Service. All are cordially invited.

Monday, August 20th.—Opening of National Patriotic Singles Tournament at West Side Tennis Club.

#### FOREST HILLS RIFLE CLUB DISBANDS.

Minutes of the Final Meeting of the Forest Hills Rifle Club.

A meeting of the Forest Hills Rifle Club was held on July 17th at 8:15 in the sales office of the Sage Foundation Homes Company, with President Todd in the chair and about fifty members present. The President called the meeting to order and read from the notice sent out to call the meeting together a statement of the condition of the membership and emphasized the fact that about forty of the most active members of the club had already enlisted in the Veteran Artillery Corps, making it extremely doubtful whether there were sufficient men outside of the Veteran Corps left in the Rifle Club who would be willing to continue the military drill.

The exact status of the Rifle Club in reference to military drill and the question of rifles, uniforms and organization were very fully discussed by many of the members. As the matter seemed to affect chiefly those who had not enlisted in the Veteran Artillery Corps, it was decided that the treasurer at once return to all members the \$5.00 subscription which they had made for the purchase of rifles. after which the members of the Veteran Corps should retire and leave the remaining members to discuss the question of the continuance of the Rifle Club, which was done.

It was regularly moved, seconded, and carried, that the Forest Hills Rifle Club disband and that its existence should terminate at 12 o'clock midnight on July 17th.

It was regularly moved, seconded, and carried, that the band instruments be given to the Eighth Battery of the Veteran Artillery Corps.

The treasurer reported a balance on hand of \$46.28, some of which would be needed to pay several small bills. It was regularly moved, seconded and carried that the balance, after paying all bills, be donated to the local branch of the Red Cross Society.

It was regularly moved, seconded and carried, that the flag be presented to Battery No. 8 of the Veteran Artillery Corps, provided the ladies who have given the flag consent. The meeting adjourned sine die.

HAROLD P. DANIELS, Secretary.

T. F. Cannon, of Whitson Street, has returned from an extended business trip through the West.

Jack Ryan, of the Twenty-Second Engineers, stationed at Yaphank, L. I., spent Sunday with his parents at 135 Slocum Crescent.

On Monday, July 23rd, twenty-five children spent a most delightful afternoon as the guests of Virginia Wheeler, of Slocum Crescent. The party was in honor of the hostess' ninth birthday.

Mrs. Stephen L. Coles, after a ten day motor vacation trip to Jaffrey, New Hampshire, has returned to her home in Ascan Avenue.

#### CHURCH SERVICES.

Roman Catholic-Sunday mornings at 8 and 9:30 o'clock. Ascan Avenue, near Queens Boulevard.

St. Luke's Episcopal-Sunday mornings in August-Holy Communion at 8 o'clock. Sermon at 11 o'clock. Greenway South, near Ascan Avenue.

Church-In-the-Gardens-Sunday mornings in August, combined with Church of Forest Hills. Service at

11 A. M. Greenway North and Ascan Avenue. Church of Forest Hills (undenominational)-Sunday mornings in July, combined with Church-in-the-Gardens. Service at 11 A. M. Seminole Avenue and Gown Street, Northside.

#### ST. LUKE'S MISSION.

On August 5th there will be a second celebration of the Holy Communion at the 11 o'clock service, the Vicar offi-

ciating. The Vicar is booked to sail August 8th by the S. S. "Caracas" for Puerto Rico, to visit old friends in his former Archdeaconry for a fortnight, and then continue the voyage to LaGuyara, Venezuela, for a glimpse of the City of Caracas. He is due in New York on his return September 13th, but may be obliged to go immediately to Chicago He will therefore be again in residence on on business. September 20th.

During the Vicar's holiday the Rev. Fred C. Stevens, Assistant Minister of Grace Church, Jamaica, will officiate Sundays at 8 A. M., and our good friend and committeeman, Mr. G. Sherman Richards, has kindly consented to take charge of the 11 o'clock services. The Rev. Mr. Stevens will answer any calls; his telephone is Jamaica 1776-J.

Sunday School will reopen September 22nd at 10 A. M. It is also expected to have a kindergarten department in charge of Mrs. Jessup.

Sunday evening services resumed October 7th, at 8:15 o'clock.

#### PLAYGROUND NOTES.

It has been found that to erect an awning over the trellis would be an expensive proposition, and until a later date large canvas umbrellas will be used for sheltering the children who play on the sand, or who have found a breezy but sunny spot to play in somewhere on the grounds. A gift of one umbrella was made by Mrs. Low of the Inn, and a contribution by Mrs. Arthur Freeman added sufficiently to our shelter fund to buy a second one.

About fifteen little folks from 3 to 7 years of age have formed a group which comes regularly to the playground every day from 11 to 12 o'clock, to do some kind of handiwork. It has made a name for itself and is called the "Kindergarten Class" by the older children. A popular form of amusement with a group of girls from 7 to 10 has been making doll houses out of cardboard boxes. Bring over a good-size box, little playmate, and we will show you what we are doing.

Quiet games are popular these warm days with the boys, and to add to our store of games, Master Maurice Mayer presented the playground with two games, "Pitch 'em" and 'The Automobile Race."

Mrs. Frederick K. Seward and children, of Whitson Street, have gone to Buzzards Bay, Cape Cod, for the remainder of the summer.

Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Davenport, Jr., and children, of Groton Street, left on Friday last to spend six weeks in Northampton, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morton Gray and family, of Slocum Crescent, have left for their cottage at Sea Girt, N. J.

Warren Cunningham and John H. Jackson are spending July and August with James Garretson of 18 Greenway Terraces.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fuller, of Plandome, L. I., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hillman, of Markwood Road.

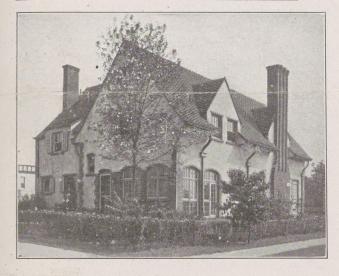
Mr. and Mrs. Earle G. Hines, of Puritan Avenue, are now at their summer home near Greenwood Lake.

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# HOME OF MRS. ELLEN B. KENDALL.

Pictured above is the distinctive home of Mrs. Kendall on the corner of Markwood Road and Rockrose Place. The exterior is of quaint English design, and is treated in a soft colored staceo with brick trim and red tile roof. The plan is unusual in that the living room extends through to the roof, with a balcony on the second floor.

Frederick J. Sterner of New York City was the Architect.

# DR. GALLANT GOES TO ENGLAND.

Dr. A. Ernest Gallant expects to leave at once for Birmingham, England, to serve as surgeon in that division of the English Military Hospitals. Although a member of the United States Naval Reserve he has received permission to volunteer for this service abroad and, at the invitation of Col. Marsh, in charge of the Birmingham Division, goes to help where the need is greatest. The hospital where he will be stationed contains 3,000 beds.

#### EXPENSIVE DELIVERIES.

In the interest of economy, local merchants, through the League for Women's Service, are asking that less frequent and exacting requests be made of them for deliveries throughout the day. The resulting economy will benefit the consumer and merchant alike and is particularly necessary in war time.

# V. C. A. GUARDS AQUEDUCT

Men of the local battery, following an emergency call on 'Tuesday night to mobilize at the Seventy First Regiment Armory, are now guarding the water works in response to the appeal of Governor Whitman for volunteers to protect the system temporarily. The National Guard which has been handling this work has now been Federalized. It has, therefore, been withdrawn and, pending the organization of additional state troops, which it is estimated will require about two months, there is urgent and immediate need of temporary guards.

The Governor, in line with his promise to the V. C. A., did not *order* the organization out for this duty, as he is empowered to do, but requested their assistance in the emergency, and the response of more than three-fourths of the men in the local battery is gratifying evidence of their patriotism.

The V. C. A. has taken over about a seven-mile section of the aqueduct lying between Elmford and Kensico dam. This service means that each man must go on guard duty for eight hours in the twentyfour for a period of from ten to fourteen days. Captain Shurick, with some of the headquarters officers, went over the ground thoroughly last Sunday and is now on duty in command of Company "B."

# WOUNDED FRENCH SOLDIER HELPED.

A very definite service may be ascribed to those who paraded and those who gave when the recent "Italian" procession passed the hat through the Gardens. The money raised has been turned over by Miss Maida Birmingham to Miss Elsie Jessup in France, to buy an artificial leg for a wounded French soldier under her care in Military Hospital No. 76, near Paris. Added contributions made one hundred dollars available for this purpose and the soldier, whom, after a custom prevailing abroad, Miss Jessup has adopted, will have the best mechanical device obtainable instead of a crude wooden leg to help him make the best of his crippled life.

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Local news notes and other items of interest for publication in the Bulletin should reach the Homes Company Office, 27 Greenway Terrace, not later than Tuesday morning of the week of publication.

# TENNIS TOURNAMENT AT WEST SIDE.

Monday, August 20th, will mark the opening of the National Patriotic Singles Tournament on the courts of the West Side Tennis Club. A stand has been erected on the north side, with a seating capacity of 3,500. For the entire tournament seats will be \$7.50, while single day tickets will be \$2.00 per person, so there will be a large saving in purchasing a season ticket. Harry Parker will be Treasurer of the Club Committee as usual, and have charge of the tickets. He may be addressed at the Hotel Vanderbilt, 34th Street and Park Avenue; telephone Murray Hill 1381.

The feature matches between Miss Mollie Bjursted and Miss Mary K. Browne, to be played on five of the tournament days, alone promise to crowd the stand to capacity.

In addition to the Club's share of the net proceeds of this tournament which will go to the fund of \$100,000, being raised to help provide three ambulance sections to be given to the United States Army through the American Red Cross, an ambulance abroad as the separate individual contribution of members of the West Side Club is now practically assured, as more than seven hundred of the one thousand dollars necessary for this purpose has already been subscribed.

#### RED CROSS COOK BOOK APPEAL.

An ingenious plan for war relief work has been devised by Mrs. I. A. Washburne, Chairman of the Distribution Committee of the Forest Hills Unit, Catholic Women's War Relief, who, in collaboration with Miss Henrietta Jessup, Supervisor of Cooking, will edit a Gardens Cook Book to be sold presently to raise funds for the Red Cross. For this purpose a call is now made for contributions from all the women of the community: they are asked to send their choicest recipes at once to Mrs. Washburne at 55 Olive Place.

# REDUCING FOOD PRICES.

Garden Observation Strolls, inaugurated this summer under the auspices of the Gardens Chapter of the Women's Club, have awakened a widespread interest in the control of food prices among the women of the community. The July 31st "Stroll" embraced the Hattemer, MacDonald and Virgil Miller gardens, with Mrs. Virgil Miller entertaining as hostess of the afternoon. The Strollers on their August 13th outing will visit the vegetable gardens between Ascan Avenue and Summer Street, and Mrs. Hooper's, Mrs. Dietsche's and Mrs. LeBlanc's flower gardens. Mrs. LeBlanc will be the hostess of the afternoon. The special feature of the day will be an address by Miss R. Smith, District Organizer of the New York City Food Aid Committee, on "Reducing Food Prices." This Committee, under George W. Perkins, as Chairman, works with the co-operation of Teachers' College most efficiently toward rational price control.

The Strollers will start from the Sales Office of the Homes Company at 2.30 P. M.; the hour set for the talk at the home of Mrs. LeBlanc, 105 Puritan Avenue, is 3.45 P. M. All are cordially invited.

# NOTICE TO KNITTERS.

Knitters have been justified in their knitting in a recent communication written by Louisa Pierpont Satterlee, Chahman of the Comforts Committee of the Navy League, in answer to certain critics, and Unit No. 67 in Forest Hills, which heard the letter read at its semi-monthly meeting on August 1st at the home of Mrs. Burns Mantle in Ascan Avenue by Mrs. G. Elder Adams of Garden City, wishes the facts stated therein to have as wide a circulation as possible. The letter is as follows:

"Replying to your readers who seem to be in a quandary as to whether or not knitted garments are wanted or really worn by the men in the Navy, I would like to submit the following:

"There are many rumors circulating that we would like to refute and explain. Knitted garments are not only wanted, but desperately needed to help complete the outfit furnished by the Navy Department.

"Gray mufflers vs. blue mufflers: There are many questions and arguments as to why the change in color of the mufflers has been made. We wish to announce that principally for the sake of uniformity the Navy decided on gray; undoubtedly the dye situation of today had much to do with it. Blue mufflers will be accepted, but gray are preferred.

"Helmets vs. mufflers: Helmets are preferred from those who are able to knit them, not because mufflers are not wanted or worn, and not because they are used to "polish the brasses" or to "clean the guns," but for the simple reason that hundreds of school children are making mufflers, and if those who are able will knit the helmets we can fill the sets. **Flannel helmets** will not be received by the Navy Department.

"Hand-made garments vs. machine-made garments: Hand-made garments are more durable, warmer, better quality, in fact, better in every respect.

"Fee: Dame Rumor has also circulated that we are asking each sailor \$4.00 for the sets. This statement is absolutely false. We are giving these garments gratis. During the past five days we have given 2,818 articles to commanders who have applied here direct. To date we have sent out from these headquarters 28,574 articles. These garments have cost the Government or the boys who have received them absolutely nothing.

LOUISA PIERPONT SATTERLEE,

National Chairman, Comforts Committee, Navy League."

# NOTES.

Mrs. J. H. Meir, of Toronto, Canada, is visiting Mrs. Martha M. Allen, of Beechknoll Road. Mrs. Meir is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Al'en and is a sister of Lady Hearst, wife of Sir William Hearst, the Premier of Ontario.

The Vicar of St. Luke's Mission, Dr. R. S. Nichols, sailed on August 8th for an extended trip that will include a fortnight's stay in Porto Rico and a short visit to the City of Caracas, Venezuela.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Beecher Stowe and son are spending the month at Lotusland, Tannersville, N. Y.

H. H. Judson, of Slocum Crescent, has returned from a vacation cruise along the New England Coast.

J. C. McCormack and son, Percy, of Tacoma, Wash., spent the week-end at the home of John F. Ryan in Slocum Crescent.

Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Waddell, of Groton Street, have gone on a motor trip to Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. C. H. Goudiss, of Wendover Road, motored to Camp Dudley this week to see her son, Charles, who is spending the summer there.

Edward H. Mays, whose coming the boys of Camp Dudley anticipate each year as one of the biggest treats of their entire summer, left Friday, August 3rd, and is now at Westport, on Lake Champlain, for two weeks of fun with the campers.

The marriage of Miss Bonnie Henkle, of the Inn, to George Einstein, took place on Thursday, August 2nd, at Greenwich, Conn. Mr. Einstein is a Sergeant in the Twenty-Ninth Company of Heavy Artillery, U. S. A.

Miss Charity Lyon, a graduate of the Presbyterian Hospital, who is to sail shortly to take up nursing duties in France, is visiting at the home of Dr. Henry D. Spangenberg, in Whitson Street.

Mrs. Edward H. Mays left on Friday, August 3rd, for a two-weeks' visit at the home of her father, George T. Baker, in West Barrington, Mass., where her daughter Joy is spending her vacation.

In addition to his industrial Y. M. C. A. work at Pueblo, Col., M. J. Stickel is directing the games and athletics for one thousand soldiers encamped there.

After a three weeks' vacation, Mrs. L. A. Springer has returned to her home in Ascan Avenue.

During the past week Mr. and Mrs. Rowland H. Smith and Mrs. E. J. Fay motored to Bear Mountain to visit the Girl Scout camp.

Mrs. George W. Kirchwey, of Underwood Road, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. LaRue Brown, in Cambridge, Mass. A son, John Whitefield, was born to Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Kendrick, of Puritan Avenue, on Friday, July 27th.

Cards have been received announcing the marriage of Edward J. Dowling, formerly with the Homes Company, but now connected with the Continental Garage, to Miss Kathleen Louise Hamilton, of New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Hommann, of Burns Street, have gone to Lee, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. David H. Millar and children, of Olive Place, have taken a cottage at Oak Beach, I. I., for a few weeks.

Miss Mabel Brewer, after a week spent with the Girl Scouts at Bear Mountain, has gone to Bellport, L. I., to join her mother.

During the recent hot days Long Beach attracted many residents to its cooling breezes and refreshing surf, motors and trains serving to make the trip quickly from the Gardens to the sea.

# THE INN.

J. Frank Davis of San Antonio, who is a prominent short story writer for many magazines, is spending the month of August, together with Mrs. Davis, at the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Luce who are building a beautiful home in the Gardens, are staying at the Inn until the completion of their house.

Mr. and Mrs H. A. Smith and their daughters, Miss Helen and Jane, of Grand Rapids, Michigan, had a delightful trip by motor from their home to the East and were heartily welcomed by the old guests of the Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Wilcox of New York, with their mother, Mrs. S. S. Willox of Albany, have been at the Inn for some time and were joined this week by their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Stokes.

Mrs. F. J. Low, with her attractive little son, recently returned from a delightful trip through the New England States.

Mrs. J. E. Jopling, who has been at the Inn with her mother and her son for some time past, is expecting Mr. Jopling to join her within the next few days.

Miss D. Barrett of Bisbee, Arizona, who is spending the summer in the East, has come to the Inn to remain until her return home.

Among the recent arrivals- are Miss B. Thimmel of New York, Miss A. Quinn of St. Louis, Miss Nutting of New York, and Mr. R. J. Collin of Bortanque, Sweden.

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First and Third Tuesdays of each month. Arcanum Hall, Elmhurst. Meeting of Forest Hills Lodge of Masons.

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:00 A. M. Sales Office. Meeting of War Relief Committee. Women of the community cordially invited.

Wednesdays at 8 P. M.—Continental Avenue, near the Inn. Forest Hills Battery drill.

Monday, August 13th. Meeting under auspices of Gardens Chapter of Women's Club. Miss R. Smith, of the New York City Food Aid Committee, will speak on "Reducing Food Prices." All are cordially invited. Rendezvous Sales Office of Homes Company, 2:30 P. M. Talk at residence of Mrs. George C. LeBlanc, 105 Puritan Avenue, at 3:45 P. M.

Wednesday, August 15th. Altar Society of Our Lady Queen of Martyrs. 3 to 5 P. M., Card Party at 69 Jewell Street; 6 to 8 P. M. dinner at McDonald's.

Monday, August 20th.—Opening of National Patriotic Singles Tournament at West Side Tennis Club.

#### MEN'S CLUB AIDS PLAYGROUND.

From the recent moving picture entertainment by the Men's Club presented under the direction of Homer Croy there was realized \$78.50, which has been turned over to the Playground for its support.

#### THE PLAYGROUND.

What did we play during the hot spell? you ask. Well, first we borrowed a hose and kept sprinkling the ground and trees about us to help make the atmosphere a bit cooler. When the sun kept getting hotter and hotter, we put on our bathing clothes and had a very good time using the hose for a shower bath.

Two afternoons groups of children and the playleader went to Long Beach for a real swim, and at present we are planning a big beach party one day this week for all the children who play together on the playground. We are happy to say that Forest Hills has a playground,

We are happy to say that Forest Hills has a playground, for the importance and need of playgrounds is now recognized by all cities and to what extent is shown in the following clippings from The Playground Magazine:

New Recreation Plans for France.—New recreation parks and playgrounds designed for Rheims, Clermont-en-Argonne, and Bordeaux show that France is awake to the value of opportunity for physical development and a pleasant use of leisure hours for the sake of the nation.

New Playground for New York.—The Board of Estimate has voted \$36,000 for a new playground on First Avenue, between Sixty-Seventh and Sixty-Eighth Streets. New York City is not going to neglect its children in war time.

These Cities Spent Most for Recreation in 1916.—(From Year Book Reports). Chicago, Illinois, \$967,657.21; Philadelphia, Pa., \$265,610.00; New York City, N. Y., \$202,-162.51; Boston, Mass., \$172,363.54; Pittsburgh, Pa., \$158,-500.00; San Francisco, Cal., \$149,704.00; Minneapolis, Minn., \$148,306.07; Detroit, Michigan, \$132,601.59; Oakland, Cal., \$104,981.81; Newark, N. J., \$90,609.29.

#### ENLISTMENT OFFER NOT ACCEPTED.

The local enlistment offer of one hundred dollars to war relief for each man enlisting within a limited time, made by George Einstein and announced by E. H. Conway at the War Relief Ball on June 30th, brought no response, much to the regret of the prospective donor. The enlistment at the local booth on the Fourth of July of seven visitors to the celebration from Brooklyn and Richmond Hill led to a slight misconception on this score. It should be stated, however, that examination disclosed that practically all single men of eligible age in the Gardens had 'already quietly enrolled themselves in various units of the government service.

#### CHURCH SERVICES.

Roman Catholic—Sunday mornings at 8 and 9:30 o'clock, Ascan Avenue, near Queens Boulevard.

St. Luke's Episcopal—Sunday mornings in August—Holy Communion at 8 o'clock. Sermon at 11 o'clock. Greenway South, near Ascan Avenue.

Church-In-the-Gardens-Sunday mornings in August, combined with Church of Forest Hills. Service at 11 A. M. Greenway North and Ascan Avenue.

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#### OUR LADY QUEEN OF MARTYRS.

A novena in preparation for the Feast of the Assumption, August 15th, began on Monday, August 6th. The devotions consist of Holy Mass at 6.30 each morning and Rosary and Benediction at 8 o'clock in the evening.

A card party and dinner is to be given by the members of the Altar Society on August 15th. Cards from 3 to 5 at 69 Jewell Street. The prizes consist of three bags of equal value; one for non-players, one for the highest number of points, and one for the greatest number of games won. Dinner at McDonald's from 6 to 8. All expenses for the cards are being met by the members of the various committees so that the entire proceeds may be used for the Church.

#### MOSQUITO NOTES.

Perhaps the Gardens' residents are presuming that the mosquito committee has gone on a vacation, judging from the brood of mosquitoes on the wing for the past two weeks.

S. W. Eckman, H. P. Daniels and C. C. Perry, Treasurer, are still on the job, but the Vice-Chairman, W. P. Mc-Culloch, has been away for the past month on a vacation, and if "Mac's" absence has had anything to do with the continuous presence of the pesky pest we never want him to go away again.

Due to a combination of continued rain fall and high tides during the early part of July a tremendous salt marsh brood of A. Sollicitans matured on or about the 15th of the month. This condition was practically the same over the whole of Long Island. Of late we have been receiving through the papers various accounts of tremendous broods which have assailed the laborers at Yaphank, or Camp Upton, and various other vicinities, both on the North and South Shore.

In an ordinary season the present salt marsh ditching which is practically complete, both on Jamaica Bay Meadows and on the Flushing Bay Meadows, would have prevented such prolific breeding, but with daily rainfall small pools on the meadow were continually replenished, thus giving a chance for eggs deposited last year or the year before to develop into mosquitoes. In a measure the same condition existed in the interior, for every depression usually dry at ordinary times was filled with water for a period of a week or ten days and turned out its quota.

As yet the Health Department of the City of New York is without a comprehensive system of inspection, and until such system is developed whereby mosquito breeding territories are regularly surveyed for mosquito-breeding places and such places, when found, given prompt attention, we will not have arrived at a solution of mosquito extermination.

Through the Health Department we receive excellent cooperation when actual complaints of mosquito breeding are pressed, but there are many ponds and pools untouched which have been turning out broods of mosquitoes from one year's end to the other.

Very good reports are coming in from New Jersey. Bergen County, which in past years has seen the mosquito at its worst, this summer has been practically free. This is due to a comprehensive system of inspection, salt marsh draining, dike and tide gate construction. Union and Essex Counties also have favorable reports.

W. H. DUMONT,

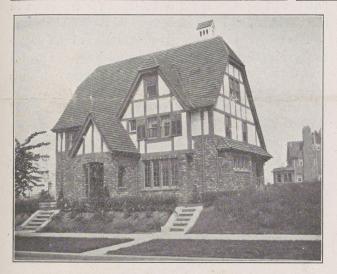
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# HOME OF PHILLIP HOOPER.

On Greenway South and Cranford Street, is the attractive home of Mr. Hooper pictured above. Designed and planned by Grosvenor Atterbury, Architect, it possesses rather unusual features. As it is primarily the workshop of Mrs. Hooper, who is well known as a poster designer, the house was planned with a studio and living room on the ground floor, from which a tile loggia leads to the pretty garden and bird bath in the rear.

On the second floor is the owner's apartment, consisting of a sitting room, bed room and private bath, with a guest room, two servants rooms and bath additional.

The entire third floor was laid out as a billiard room. The Homes Company was the builder.

# TENNIS MATCHES.

The residents of the Gardens have been well represented in the attendance at the National Patriotic Singles Tournament at the West Side Tennis Club during the past week. This tournament was held this year in place of the usual annual championship matches. About the only difference was that the results were not to be used as a basis for ranking the players, the proceeds going to the fund raised by the various matches being held at most of the tennis clubs throughout the country for the Red Cross Society Ambulance Fund. Some of the tennis stars of the country took part in the tournament-Williams, Griffen, Behr, Murray, Mathey, Niles-and their duties in the service of the country have not taken off any of the sharpness of their service or game on the courts. The matches did not draw as big an attendance as in former years, but the club anticipated this and did not provide as many seats; the stands they did provide, however, were filled at every match. We missed the few stars who found it impossible to get away from their governmental duties-McLoughlin, Church and Bundy-and our friend of last year, the Jap star. One of the specially interesting features were the games played by Miss Bjurstedt and Miss Brown.

# THE LAWN.

Watering the lawns-Most of our lawns are suffering from the long hot, dry spell. Water should be artificially supplied to prevent them from being seriously injured from lack of moisture. Water freely late in the afternoon, or better still, at night; if done in the hot sun it will evaporate quickly and will probably form a crust and at least half its value will be lost. A light sprinkling is valueless; it only freshens up the grass temporarily and is often harmful. It will tend to bring the roots to the surface for the water; this makes the grass more susceptible to injury and causes it to burn up with the next hot sun. Your lawn should be saturated to a depth of at least four inches. After you have watered for what you consider a long enough time, dig down with a knife and you will often be surprised to find to what a little depth the water has reached. Do not let the water run on the grass without a sprinkler attached to your hose, as this will wash the soil from the routs of the grass. Nozzles which throw a small stream for a long distance should be avoided for the same reason. There are many good lawn sprinklers on the market; the ring sprinkler is a good one, as it distributes the water evenly, like rain. Light dressings of artificial manure are beneficial at this time and will be found not only to keep the turf in good color but also in. health. Nitrogenous manures tend to encourage grass; phosphatic manures tend to encourage clover. Highly soluble manures should not be used on sandy soil; they will dissolve with the first rain and be washed out of reach of the roots of the grass.

Crab or September Grass—Many lawns at this season of the year are badly infested with this annual, tender, surface rooting plant. As this plant is an annual it will die with the first frost and if it is not allowed to ripen its seed it cannot reproduce itself. Therefore keep your lawns closely mowed. To pluck out this plant is a tedious job and it is better to preyent the seeds from falling now by mowing. Strengthen your lawns in the spring and produce a dense and close turf which will exclude blown seeds from adjoining lots and tend to make it difficult for them to find a lodgment in the turf. In this way your lawn can be kept practically free from this weed.

#### THE GARDENS CLUB.

The Gardens Club tennis team, composed of Burt, Mecabe, Warder and Kirchwey, defeated Bayside three matches to one on August 19th. The team now leads the league.

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Local news notes and other items of interest for publication in the Bulletin should reach the Homes Company Office, 27 Greenway Terrace, not later than Tuesday morning of the week of publication.

# "SMOKE" BENEFIT AND DANCE.

A few gentlemen of the community have organized to promote a benefit entertainment and dance for the SUN TOBACCO FUND to be given on the evening of August 30th, 1917, at the Forest Hills Inn.

Have you heard about the SUN TOBACCO FUND? If so, you are undoubtedly in direct sympathy with this generous and patrictic endeavor to keep our gallant soldiers in France supplied with a reasonable amount of tobacco—in the words of Ervin Wardman, Publisher of the Sun, "Not only to give them the comfort of a smoke, but to remind them that they have not been forgotten at home."

Only an outline of the program can be given at this time. By the courtesy of B. A. Rolfe, of Greenway Terraces, General Manager of the Metro Pictures Corporation, and through an arrangements with the Garden Theatre, of Richmond Hill, "The Slacker," written and directed by Mr. Cabanne, of Shorthill Road, will be given a special showing. This motion picture holds unusual interest for people of the Gardens, for besides having been directed and produced by resident men, it contains not a few picturesque reproductions of local scenes. An additional occasion of interest lies in its presentation of glimpses of the now defunct Forest Hills Rifle Corps.

Also motion pictures of the Fourth of July Celebration will be exhibited. Those who found such pleasure in the dancing of Chalif's talented pupils, the stirring scenes of the Masque of Liberty, and the characteristic effort of Colonel Roosevelt cannot but be charmed at the prospects of rekindling the enthusiasm which marked the most notable celebration of the Fourth ever held in the Gardens.

A vivid description of life in the trenches and an idea of the comfort that those on the fighting line derive from tobacco, will be given by a soldier on furlough from the front. Edward H. Conway will read "The Old Dudeen," from the "Rhymes of a Red Cross Man." This splendidly appropriate poem would seem to have been written for just such an occasion as this.

The entertainment will begin at 8 o'clock and consume two hours' time, leaving the balance of the evening for dancing. Funds will be collected by ten young ladies of the community who will solicit contributions from the audience. Those making contributions will be "tagged" and only those so "tagged" will be eligible to participate in the dance. EVERY CENT contributed will be forwarded to the Sun for inclusion in the TOBACCO FUND.

The major portion of the program has been voluntarily contributed. The incidental expenses which are unavoidable will be disbursed by a few publicspirited gentlemen, who welcome the opportunity to do something of this kind as a very small measure of their "bit."

It is hoped that the contributions will amount to at least \$1.00 per person. Judged by theatrical standards alone, not to mention the local and patriotic aspects, the evening ought to be well worth that. Some few contributions have already been received from those who heard of the affair before this announcement. There is no objection to this policy and such contributions will gladly be received up to the night of the entertainment. Acknow edgement and the proper tags will be forwarded to those making contributions in this manner.

More definite announcements can be made later. The Sun has given its official approval of the plan, and is working in close co-operation with the local committee.

In all the affair should prove one of the most enjoyable ever given in Forest Hi'ls Gardens. Not only because of the real merit of the programme but also for the direct aid it will render to the SUN TO-BACCO FUND for our soldiers in France, and for the splendid example it will furnish to others.

Those desiring the best seats would do well to arrive early as a patriotic affair of this sort is bound to tax the capacity of the ballroom at the Inn.

The following comprise the committee on arrangements: J. M. Demarest, B. A. Rolfe, E. H. Conway, I. P. McGahie.

# NAVY LEAGUE UNIT NO. 67.

A meeting of Navy League Unit No. 67 was held at the residence of Mrs. Richard Harris, Underwood Road, on Wednesday, the 15th inst. At this meeting a report was made of the work done by the Unit since May 22d. The following articles have been sent for our sailor boys:-33 sweaters, 38 mufflers, 15 pairs of wristlets, 1 helmet. During the past week a call was received from the Navy Department for a large number of khaki-colored sweaters for the marines, to be delivered in two weeks. So far the members have responded with the promise of eight sweaters. For some time past wool has been supplied through voluntary contributions. The Unit is now in need of funds and contributions are earnestly requested. The next meeting will shortly be announced. Women of Forest Hills are cordially invited to join in this much needed work. Contributions may be sent to Mrs. Ferry R. Getz, 60 Olive Place, or Mrs. Richard Harris, 24 Underwood Road, from either of whom information may be obtained.

# THE INN.

The Inn is keeping pace with other hotels, numbering two war brides among its guests within the last few weeks. Miss Bonnie Henkle and Mr. George A. Einstein, both of whom have been guests of the Inn for several years, were married at Greenwich, Conn., on July 11th, in the presence of the bride's father and a few of the guests from the Inn. On Saturday, August 11th, Mr. and Mrs. Einstein gave an announcement dinner, which proved to be a most charming affair. Twenty-one guests were seated at the table, which was arranged around the fountain in the dining room of the Inn, the flower decorations being maidenhair fern and pink and white sweet peas. The dinner was quite an elaborate one, followed by speeches, songs and much merry-making, after which the party joined the regular Saturday night dance in the drawing room. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lewin Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Gayness, Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund Spaeth, Mr. and Mrs. Winship, Dr. and Mrs. Gallant, Mr. and Mrs. McClenaghan, Mrs. Hoffman, Mr. Murtch Mr. Robinson, Major Ardery, Miss Florence Cochran, and Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Collins. Mr. and Mrs. Einstein are continuing their residence at the Inn, although Mr. Einstein is awaiting orders to sail for France

Miss Elfreda Koemmerich and Mr. Robert J. Collin were married on Friday, August 17th, at Long Island City, and gave a delightful dinner on Saturday evening to ten of their friends. Mr. and Mrs. Collin are leaving next week for a honeymoon in the White Mountains and will then sail for Borlange, Sweden, the home of Mr. Collin's parents. It is probable that on their return they will take up a permanent residence at the Inn. The sister of the bride, Miss S. Koemmerich, will remain at the Inn for the balance of the summer.

R. R. Whitman, who has recently bought the New York Commercial, one of the most popular and reliable newspapers in New York, has been stopping at the Inn for some time past and was joined on Monday last by his daughter, who is participating in the Tennis Tournament at the West Side Club this week. Miss Whitman will be under the chaperonage of Mrs. P. H. Magrane during her stay at the Inn.

J. E. Jopling, of Marquette, Mich., has joined his family, who have been at the Inn since early in the summer. He is so pleased with his visit here that the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Jopling and their mother, Mrs. Mather, has been postponed until early next month.

E. C. Wilson has recently joined his wife at the Inn and. we hope will remain for some time. Mr. Wilson has been with the Ambulance Corps in France for the past year and a half, while Mrs. Wilson devoted her time to nursing in one of the most important hospitals outside of Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gosselin, of Europe and New York, are among the early fall arrivals at the Inn.

Miss Harriett Dowlan, of Los Angeles, Cal., has recently joined her mother and father, who have been guests at the Inn for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Parks, of Columbus, Ga., are stopping at the Inn, having come to visit their daughter, Mrs. Harold Daniels, of the Gardens.

Miss M. L. Nutting, J. J. Heard, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Mc-Cosker, Mrs. Carl Eirich, Mrs. W. Slade, Mr. Slade, Henry Cape, Jr., and W. Baylis are among the latest arrivals.

Miss Martha Williams spent the week-end with her father at Rockaway.

Master Dan Morse, of New York, is visiting friends at the Inn.

#### GENERAL NEWS.

Mrs. W. J. Kennedy and children, of Patterson, N. J., are visiting the family of her brother, Frederick E. Smith, 215 Greenway South.

Miss Helen Smith, who has been in Lasell Seminary, Avondale, Mass., for the past two or three years, has been attending a reunion of her class at Madison, N. J.

Miss Blanche Taylor and Miss Catherine Innes, of Cincinnati, were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. George C. LeBlanc, of Puritan Avenue.

Theodore Barrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Barrett, 100 Puritan Avenue, who has been teaching in the School of Mines, Cleveland, O., has received his commission as Second Lieutenant in the Engineers' Reserve Corps. He has received an order from Washington, and expects to go there for three months' training in the Engineers' Camp. Mr. and Mrs. Louis P. McGahie spent the week-end with

friends at Lake Mahopac, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Litt, of Groton Street, left on Satur-

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Litt, of Groton Street, left on Saturday last by way of the Fall River Line for Rockland Beach, Me., for a stay of three weeks.

The McClures, who have been living at 338 Burns Street, have moved to Scardale, N. Y. O. L. Grever and family, of Montclair, N. J., will occupy this house after September 1st.

C. W. Irwin has rented the Stickel house, 26 Ingram Street, and A. E. Buchanan, the house at 52 Slocum Crescent, formerly occupied by F. S. Roeschlaub and family.

Dr. A. G. Lansing will be away from his office in the Square until September 5th.

Edward H. Bouton, President of the Roland Park-Guilford Company, also President of the company developing the property controlled by the Bethlehem Steel Company at Sparrows Point, and who was formerly Vice-President and General Manager of the Homes Company, spent Monday, the 20th, in the Gardens. J. Capen Eames, son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Eames

J. Capen Eames, son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Eames, 45 Summer Street, who has been in the Officers' Training Camp, Plattsburg, N. Y., as a member of the Field Artillery, New York Division, is one of the successful candidates gaining a commission. He has been home for ten days on furlough.

Edward H. Mays has returned from his visit to Camp Dudley, where he had a good time with the boys in camp there. Mrs. Mays and children have also returned from their visit to Great Barrington, Mass., where they were visiting Mrs. Mays' father.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson Pope are enjoyinng a motor trip through New England.

Ernest M. Bristol is spending his vacation in camp at Mt. Tom Lake, near Litchfield, Conn. The August number of "The Playground" has an article

The August number of "The Playground" has an article by Miss Anne Smith, the local playleader, on "Playing by Mail."

The members of the Gardens Club will be glad to know that the paving of Ascan Avenue has been completed to the north side of Metropolitan Avenue.

The new house at the corner of Ascan Avenue and Seasongood Road has been sold and will soon be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hupp and family, who have been living in Kew Gardens.

William R. Bell, E. H. Moir and Harvey T. Warren, all of Forest Hills, have received appointments to the second Officers' Training Camp at Plattsburg, starting today.

#### THE GARDEN STROLLERS.

On August 13th the Garden Stro lers' program was carried out as planned and Mrs. Dietsche's, Mrs. Hooper's, Mrs. Fancy's, Mrs. Rea's, Mrs. Moore's, Mrs. Fullan's, Miss Miller's, and Mr. Nelcamp's gardens were inspected. Miss R. Smith, District Organizer of the Food Aid Committee, spoke on the Committee's work and asked for help and suggestions. About fifteen ladies were present at Mrs. LeBlanc's to hear her, and Mrs. LeBlanc and Mrs. McGahie served much appreciated iced tea.

The next stroll will be again from the Sales Office of the Homes Company, as the hostess of the afternoon on the North Side, owing to illness in the family, has had to withdraw her invitation. Mrs. Mays has offered to act as hostess for the afternoon. Because of this fact the itinerary for August 27th will include Mr. McGahie's, Mr. Conway's, Dr. Lendle's, Mr. Colton's, and Mr. Wessman's gardens. The Flower Shop, and Mrs. Hirshorn's and Mrs. Mays' gardens will be inspected on the way to Mrs. Mays'.

Announcements of Coming Events should be sent to the Community Secretary, 27 Greenway Terraces. 'Phone Forest Hills 6200.

First and Third Tuesdays of each month. Arcanum Hall, Elmhurst. Meeting of Forest Hills Lodge of Masons.

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:00 A. M. Sales Office. Meeting of War Relief Committee. Women of the community cordially invited.

Wednesdays at 8 P. M.—Continental Avenue, near the Inn. Forest Hills Battery drill.

Monday, August 27th—Garden Observation Stroll. Rendezvous, Sales Office of the Homes Company, 2.30 P. M. All interested are invited.

Thursday, August 30th, 8 P. M., at the Inn-Benefit entertainment for the Sun Tobacco Fund. Admission free. Contributions solicited.

#### PLAYGROUND NOTES.

On Monday, August 13th, a group of children under the chaperonage of the Playleader and Mrs. Low spent the day at Long Beach. Through the kindness of the Homes Company the children traveled safely by motor, and a jolly day was spent on the sand. The group consisted of the following children:

Susan Daniels, Eleanor Rountree, Marjory Hirshon, Joseph Delany, Frank McGirr, Paul Hirshon, Maurice Mayer, Robert and Richard Fancy, Boston and Lawrence Hunt, Billy Colton and little friend and Frank Deen Low.

In the last weeks the playground has received gifts of games from Mrs. Low, of the Inn; Mrs. Luneborg and a playmate. These add greatly to our supply of quiet games which have been a popular form of play during the hot weather.

#### GIRL SCOUTS.

The Girl Scouts have returned from their two weeks' stay at the Scout Camp on Bear Mountain and report having had a wonderful time.

The Girl Scouts are asked to report at the Sales Office of the Homes Company on Monday mornings, at 9 o'clock, for War Relief work.

# MOSQUITOES AND FLIES.

The residents of Forest Hi ls are urged to take in the garbage and ash cans as soon as they are emptied. A failure to do so not only attracts flies, but also is a violation of the Sanitary Code. A little care in this matter will help make the fly nuisance less.

Also, all areaways and open drains around the house should be cleaned out. See that the gutters are not stopped up, for they may be breeding the mosquitoes that are troubling you most. If a few drops of kerosene or fuel oil are put in each drain, all possibility of breeding would be eliminated. None of the species of mesquitoes in New Jersey and Long Island with the exception of the three migratory salt marsh species (A. Sollicitans, A. Cantator, and A. Toeniorhynchus) can compare with the house mosquito in injurious power. It is everywhere about human habitations. It breeds in large numbers, wherever the water stands long enough. It penetrates our screens and attacks us in our sleep. Every little bit counts so do yours now.

#### ST. LUKE'S MISSION.

The Vicar, Rev. Dr. Nichols, sailed on August 8th by the S. S. "Caracus" for Puerto Rico, where he will spend his vacation. For a number of years Dr. Nichols was Archdeacon of this Province and has many friends here. A letter from him this week announced his safe arrival, although they encountered a terrific hurricane en route.

The regular services are being held in the Chapel every Sunday. Holy Communion at 8 A. M., Morning Prayer and Sermon at 11 A. M. The Rev. F. C. Stevens, of Grace Church, Jamaica, takes the early communion, while Morning Prayer and sermon, at 11 o'clock, are taken by George Sherman Richards, who is spending the summer at the Inn. On Sunday, August 26th, Mr. Richards will repeat, by request, the sermon on the Lord's Prayer, which he delivered last year at the Chapel.

The following interesting letter has been received from Miss Elsie Jessup, who is on active duty in Military Hospital No. 76, in France. She asks that the Bulletin publish it so that it may reach all of her friends and pupils in the Gardens. This letter was undoubtedly written before Miss Jessup received the notice that her "god son" was to have a real artificial leg, the money for which has been sent her by Miss Maida Birmingham, and consisted of the contributions made to the "Italians" who "passed the hat" through the Gardens three or four weeks ago. We shall probably hear from Miss Jessup again.

Dear Friends and Pupils, also Neighbors:

As I have so little time for letters I have asked to have this inserted in the Bulletin so that I might send a few greetings to you all at once, and thereby save neglecting anyone.

Our hospital here contains about 300 beds, all for "grande blesses"—or badly wounded men. The ambulances go out from the hospital about 11 o'clock at night to a little place some fifteen kilometres away and get the men from the hospital trains. They only do this about once in ten days, and when they do three nurses generally go along, too, and have an impromptu "buffet" for the less seriously wounded men who are passing through on the hospital trains. The ambulances are generally finished collecting the "blesses" by 2 A. M., and then all the staff—both day and night nurses—"get together" and cut off torn and bloody uniforms, give baths, and give the poor men nourishment, making them as comfortable as possible—and then snatch an hour's sleep.

The patients call us all "Mees," their idea of pronouncing "Miss," and we fortunate ones who can speak French are deluged with questions, such as, "Is it true that in America the red skins kill the people in California?" One old chap said to me one day, "How lucky you are to speak so many languages, Mees; you speak English, American and French." He seemed quite surprised to learn that English and American were the same.

I have adopted a "Fillene' (or "god son"), a tall lad of 21, whose right leg has been amputated above the knee. The other day was his 21st birthday, so I had some cake and a cigarette case for him, and he was as pleased as a king. The poor boy has no people of his own at all, and as I am getting him an artificial leg, he seems to feel that I am his entire family and follows me around on his crutches, waiting for a chance to help me fold a blanket or shake up a pillow. He told one of the other nurses today, "When my marraine (god mother) goes to America, I go too, to work for her with my new leg." So you may see me appearing with a fully grown son with a wooden leg.

The whole atmosphere here among the patients is one of happiness. When entering the ward in the morning most of the patients will greet us with "Bon jour, Mees, avez vous bien dornie?" They adore having us take time to shake hands, both on going on duty and going off, but naturally we do not often have time to spare.

The ward I work in has 90 beds, and we are five nurses, so you see we are pretty busy.

I hear that Forest Hills is doing splendid work for the Red Cross, and I was so glad, but not at all surprised. We've all got to do our "bit," and although making dressings is not as exciting as nursing, still it is every bit as important. With best wishes for everyone.

Sincerely,

ELSIE M. JESSUP.

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# HOME OF MISS MARY E. TAYLOR.

One of the distinctly charming small homes in the Gardens is that of Miss Taylor on the corner of Puritan Avenue and Shorthill Road. The house is constructed of hollow tile faced with rough texture "Lammie" brick of pleasing soft colors, with tile roof in different shades of reds and purples. The woodwork is delicately detailed and adapted from Colonial precedents.

Grosvenor Atterbury, F. A. I. A., was the architect, and the Homes Company the builder.

# SCHOOL OPENING.

School will open Monday morning, September 10th at nine o'clock in both the North Side and South Side buildings.

The following grades, with their respective teachers, will meet in the Gardens schoolhouse during the coming term:

6B, 6A and 5B, Miss Hanson,

5A and 4B, Mrs. Mueller,

2A, 1B and 1A, Mrs. Huestis,

Kindergarten, Miss Brewer.

The following grades will meet in the North Side schoolhouse:

4A and 3B, Miss Patterson.

3A and 2B, Miss Jones.

The sessions will be full time at both buildings.

# E. T. SHURICK IN ENGINEERS' CAMP.

Captain E. T. Shurick, of the Eighth Battery, V. C. A., has received a commission as First Lieutenant in the Engineers' Reserve Corps and gone to Camp at Washington, D. C. Captain Shurick, trained not only as a soldier but also as a mining engineer, has given a definite service here in his efficient organization of the local unit, and now devotes his special engineering preparation to the government service.

# C. A. PERRY AT CAMP UPTON.

Captain C. A. Perry, commissioned in the Quartermaster's Department, Officers' Reserve Corps, has been assigned to Camp Upton, Yaphank, L. I., where he is serving as Division Exchange Officer on the staff of General Bell, in charge of regimental exchanges for the Camp.

#### GARDEN PLAYERS PLAN.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee held Tuesday evening, August 28th, at the home of E. H. Mays, the general program for the coming year was tentatively worked out along the following lines. Twice the Players will apear: first in a Fall production, appropriate to the times, containing three episodes from Stephen Phillips' Armageddon, and second, in Mid-Winter in a distinct novelty, details of which are withheld as a surprise for the community. Throughout the year it is planned to bring prominent men and women of the Stage here for informal lectures at the homes of the members.

The Executive Committee is comprised of E. H. Mays, Mrs. Hartley LeH. Smith, Mrs. Stirling Birmingham, Mrs. Phanor J. Eder, Mrs. Rufus G. Angell and Walter C. Hartwig. In the absence of Harvey T. Warren in Camp at Plattsburg, his duties as President have devolved on Mr. Hartwig, Vice-President.

#### NEW TIME TABLE TODAY.

Today, September 8th, a new time table goes into effect on the Long Island Railroad. Many changes appear in the Sunday trains, but the week day schedule remains unchanged, except that one Saturday train, leaving New York at 1:52 p. m. is discontinued.

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Local news notes and other items of interest for publication in the Bulletin should reach the Homes Company Office, 27 Greenway Terrace, not later than Tuesday morning of the week of publication.

#### PERSONAL NOTES.

The David Millars have had as guests, Mr. and Mrs. Mark H. Spiers and family, of Devon, Pa., motoring from Maine; Mrs. Chas. D. Geer, of Connecticut, at whose estate David, Jr., has spent the summer; and Lieut. Ward Wheelock, of the air service, enroute to France.

T. F. Cannon and family spent the week-end and Labor Day at Atlantic City.

Charles Goudiss, Howard Ortgies, Oliver Jones, Norman Hattemer, and Harold Treu have returned from Camp Dudley.

Franz A. Bachman, after spending three months in the Catskills, is again at his place in the Chemist Shop.

Mrs. John Brewer and Miss Mabel Brewer have returned from Bellport, L. I.

Homer Croy, who recently completed an extended lecture tour of New England, has joined the colony of authors at Old Lyme, Conn., for a period of writing there.

Miss Helen Joseffy is appearing in "The Masperader," which opened at the Lyric Theatre, on Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Van Name have returned from a three weeks' vacation spent at Allenhurst, N. J.

Kenneth Judson, in preparation for his naval duties, is studying at Annapolis, Md.

Mrs. Charles Close, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, has returned to her home on Ingram Street.

Dr. and Mrs. S. E. Davenport, Jr., and family have returned from their vacation, spent in Northampton.

Mys. H. C. Worth and daugnter have returned from Lee, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. James Garretson and family have returned to their home in Greenway Terrace.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Woodbury, of Groton Street are spending their vacation at Nantucket. Mrs. H. T. Warren has taken a house at Plattsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Mecabe and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Worth motored to Pittsfield, Mass., last week and while there, Worth and Mecabe won the men's doubles event in the annual Pittsfield tennis tournament.

Mrs. Nelson Grant Richie, of South Orange, N. J., has announced the engagement of her daughter, Dorothy Weld Raymond, to Madison Worth Colwell.

Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Waddell, of Groton Street, have returned from a motor trip to Cleveland, Ohio.

Dr. Thomas C. Chalmers is in the Flushing Hospital, recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

### THE INN.

With the coming of the first cool breeze of Autumn, many wanderers are beginning to think of home, and the Inn has already welcomed many of its regular winter guests, including Mr. and Mrs. L. Renfrew, Mrs. George H. Robinson, Mrs. C. W. Watson, Mr. Lewin H. Thomas, Mrs. Frank Aspinwall Goodrich and Mr. Frank J. Ross.

Miss Adelaide King Robinson and Mrs. L. D. Gordon are visiting their brother, Mr. Rufus Robinson, for the month of September.

Major C. Brooman-White, of the British Army, has just arrived in this country and is making the Inn his headquarters. Major Brooman-White says he has heard more pessimism since his landing in this country than anywhere he has been abroad. The British, he says, are most cheerful and look to a quick ending of the war.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bowen ,of Grand Rapids, Mich., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith over the week-end.

Mrs. L. Freystedt and her daughter, Miss Louise Freystedt, have returned to the Inn for a short stay this Fall. They will be joined today by Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Barry, of Greenwich, Conn. Mrs. Barry is also a daughter of Mrs. Freystedt.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Duane, of Philadelphia, with their son and daughter, are spending a few weeks at the Inn.

Mr. Richard Carey, who left the Inn three months ago for the Officers' Reserve Camp at Plattsburg, where he won a Lieutenant's commission, spent the week-end at the Inn before reporting for duty at Camp Upton, Yaphank.

Among recent arrivals at the Inn are Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nelson, Mr. R. C. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lloyd, Mr. R. L. Bowles and Mrs. O. Schmidt

#### SCHOOL PROMOTIONS.

The list of those scholars who were promoted for proficiency in their studies during the Spring term, is given by grades as follows:

From 6B to 7A—Ruth Dowse, Dorothy Renshaw, Ruth Wiley, David Millar.

From 6A to 6B—Sadie Danziger, Helen Fay, Marjorie Hirshorn, Anna McGirr, Richard Fancy, Walter Schlayer, Donald Waldron.

From 5B to 6A—Elizabeth Gray, Eleanor Rountree, Olivia Serena, Rhoda Stohlman, Pyloon Zeron, Aelred Briggs, Harold Renshaw.

From 5A to 5B—Geraldine Dow, Olivia Edwards, Mary Kemp, Helen Ward, Florence Wissel, Julia Schalow, Kenneth Cuddeback, Joseph German, Lawrence Hunt, Robert Millen, Ferdinand Neumer, William Nuerge.

From 4B to 5A—Elizabeth Anderson, Catherine Attardo, Anna Dorothy Backus, Geraldine Claypoole, Joseph Hurley, Eileen Johnson, Randolph K. Martin, Ernest Nuerge, Marie Louise Peborde, Henry Robinson, Dorothy Smith, Neil Timpson, Nicholas Tomasulo, Janice Fair Traube, William Wiegman.

From 4A to 4B—Lillian Brady, Richard Burgess, Charles Caldwell, Grace Clinchy, Edith Dowse, Collier Elliott, Affa Gray, Boston Hunt, Curtis Kloetzer, Anna Lehnert, Martha Lehnert, John Millen, Barbara Moynahan, Maurice Moynahan, Ruth Schrader, George Simons, Alfred Van Wagenen, Paul Zeron.

From 3B to 4A—Lawrence Bonime, Robert Burns, Charles Reiss, Dorothy Broadbent, Gertrude Cantrelle, Gladys Hoshafian, Joy Mays, Grace McCaffrey, Mildred Millar, Marguerite Murphy, Helen Serena.

From 3A to 3B—Philip Attardo, Alden Campbell, George McGill, Wharton Lyman, Lawrence McNamara, Thomas McNamara, Angelo Tomasulo, Edna Brady, Evelyn Dow, Viola Hopkins, Margery Mohan, Elsa Neumer, Emilie Neurge, Emma Wissell.

From 2B to 3A—Millard Briggs, Walter Bonime, Alan Drummond, Howard Fiero, Stuart Gayness, Morgan Heede, Paul Hirshorn, Robert Hurley, Curran Wilkes, Milton Scherpf, Raymond Schramm, John Woodrough, Elizabeth Bristol, Elizabeth Burns, Jessie Fiero, Cicely Kershaw, Rita O'Shea, Emilie Peborde, Regina Sherwood, Iris Tomasula, Eileen Moynahan.

From 2A to 2B—James Briggs, Harford Getz, Andrew Hargreave, Earle Hines, Sydney LeBlanc, Fenwick Morris, Stewart Scott, James Hagens, Caspar Hasselriis, Norma Fraser, Miriam Buckley, Denise Peborde, Mildred Vanderveer, Elma Rea.

From 1B to 2A—Robert Fancy, Edward Schwiebert, Dorwin Teague, Ernest Wye, Marjorie Conkling, Matilda Dowse, Doris Earle, Margaret Hussey, Helen McCulloch, Catharine Murphy.

From 1A to 1B—Lawrence Blackhurst, William Heede, Alfred Smith, Randolph Trabert, Alfred Wessman, Karl Zimmerman, Linda Eder, May McNamara, Mary Saybolt, Helen Schoen, Elizabeth Sherwood, Pamela Sweeney.

#### PLAYGROUND.

On Thursday, August 30th, a group of girls, chaperoned by Mrs. Rossman, Mrs. Perry and the playleader, spent the day at Long Beach. Through the kindness of the Homes Company the trip was made by motor. The group consisted of Eunice and Elizabeth Rossman, Janet Perry, Ellen Robinson, Courtney Small, Helen Fay, Olivia Edwards,

Joy Mays, Alberta Cox, Louise Cox and Dorothy Broadbent. Now that cool weather has returned, basketball is again becoming popular, and practice will be held the same days as last year, Tuesday and Thursday for girls from the south side, and Wednesday and Friday for north side girls. Besides the Scout teams, there will also be a main community team made up of the best players from the Scout teams and a list of eligibles. Anyone caring to register on this team kindly notify the playleader.

After September 10th—the day that schools open—the playground will be opened daily under supervision from 2.30 P. M. to 6 P. M., and Saturdays from 9.30 A. M. to 12 noon, and 2.00 P. M. to 5.30 P. M.

# ANNA McGIRR WINS PRIZE.

The third prize of five dollars awarded by the American Society of Thrift for the best public school essay on thrift, was won by Anna Marie McGirr, then in class 6A. The prize will be presented at a special morning assembly to be held during the week of October 8th in the schoolhouse.

# CHECKER TOURNAMENT.

On Monday, August 27th, a checker tournament took place on the playground. Twelve children entered and the final game found Lawrence Hunt against his brother, Boston Hunt, Boston winning 2 to 1.

# AUDUBON NOTES.

The good news that between twenty and thirty different varieties of warblers were reported seen in the Gardens this last spring makes the following of special interest:

"To the warblers is given the care of the foliage of the trees and therefore the good health of the forest. They are the tree doctors just as the woodpeckers are the tree surgeons. As long as the foliage is kept in good condition the trees will be healthy and produce good wood. Conifers will hardly stand a single defoliation and deciduous trees are seriously devitalized even by a single stripping of the leaves. Never a year passes when sufficient caterpillars are not hatched to defoliate every woodland in this country, so prolific are the moths which lay the eggs. It is possible, and practical, nowadays, to spray the shade trees of city streets and thus protect them from these pests, although it is always an expensive process, but it will never be practical to spray entire woodlands. We must continue to rely upon the protection which birds give. Chief among these arboreal guardians are the warblers, and the thoroughness with which they do their work can be proved by anyone who will observe a tree infested with the canker worms, aphids, gypsy moths, or almost any other pest of the foliage. Once the migratory troops of warblers discover it, they will remain about it for days, new birds frequenting it all through the migrating season, until the caterpillars become so scarce that they are difficult to find. The number consumed by a single bird seems almost incredible, but much careful and accurate information has been accumulated by E. H. Forbish, the State Ornithologist of Massachusetts, giving actual numbers consumed, which attest the tremendous economic importance of this family. R. H. Coleman counted the number of insects caught by a palm warbler and found that it varied from forty to sixty per minute. The bird observed spent at least four hours at the task, and in that time must have gathered almost 9,500 insects. F. H. Mosher observed a pair of yellow-throats feeding upon the aphids on a gray birch. One of the birds took 89 of these tiny insects in a minute and 3,500 in forty minutes. A chestnut-sided warbler was observed to take twenty-two small gypsy moth caterpillars in fourteen minutes, another twenty-eight brown-tail caterpillars in twelve minutes, and a Nashville warbler forty-two caterpillars in thirty minutes, together with some other insects Many other observations could be listed, not identified. but the foregoing will give some idea of the good work the warblers are ever doing. While it is true that the warblers and most birds do not like the large, full-grown, hairy caterpillars, they destroy them while small in great numbers. and such disagreeable species as tent caterpillars and tussock moths are relished, even in the adult stage, by cuckoos and orioles. If we should list all of the insects that have been taken from the stomachs of warblers, in the economic studios of the biological survey, they would run nearly the entire gamut of insect life. Fortunate it is that the country is at last awake to the value of birds, that Federal laws for their protection have been enacted, and that we are learning to appreciate them not only from the economic standpoint, but also for the beauty and pleasure which they bring into life."-("American Forestry," April, 1917.)

Announcements of Coming Events should be sent to the Community Secretary, 27 Greenway Terrace. 'Phone Forest Hills 6200.

First and Third Tuesdays of each month. Arcanum Hall, Elmhurst. Meeting of Forest Hills Lodge of Masons.

Tuesdays and Thursdays, 2:30 P. M. Sales Office. Meeting of War Relief Committee. Women of the community cordially invited.

Wednesdays at 8 P. M .- Continental Avenue, near the Inn. Forest Hills Battery drill.

Monday, September 10th, at 9 A. M .- Opening of Fall term, Public School No. 3, South Side in Russell Place; North Side at Seminole Avenue and Meteor Street.

Wednesday afternoon, September 12th, at the home of Mrs. Summers, 112 Ascan Avenue-Meeting of Navy League, Unit No. 67.

#### "SMOKE" BENEFIT AND DANCE.

In the drawing room of the Inn on the evening of August 30th, Forest Hills Gardens made its contribution to the "Sun Tobacco Fund," amounting to more than five hundred This contribution was peculiarly the gift of the dollars. Gardens, because the givers of the money as well as the givers of the unusual talent which filled the program were almost without exception local residents.

Eager to help send smokes to the soldiers in the trenches, an audience of five hundred crowded the drawing room, glad of the opportunity to contribute and proud of the program that in almost every detail bore the label "made in the Gardens."

Edward H. Conway presided. Ethel Adelaide Howe of the Inn at the piano in the opening number rendered Sinding's "Caprice" delightfully. Motion pictures of the 1917 Fourth of July Celebration followed, showing the Masque of Liberty in Olivia Park and Colonel Roosevelt speaking in Station Square, the pictures vividly recalling the beauty and spirit of that gala day. The next number, "The Slacker," a motion picture produced by B. A. Rolfe of Greenway Terrace and written and directed by W. C. Cabanne of Shorthill Road, held the interest for more than an hour, as, woven into a timely and well-schemed plot; it showed reel after reel of scenes in the Garden's enacted in part by residents of the Gardens. The Rifle Club was shown in one reel as a foil for the slacker.

Sergeant-Major MacKenzie, of the British Army, in his talk on Life in the Trenches, told how much "smokes" meant to the soldiers, emphasizing that good smokes found their way to the soldiers' hearts. In plain and simple fashion he told of British heroism in the trenches where, when the first line advances, it may be wiped out, but it "The Black Dudeen," read by E. H. Conway, brought out

the soldier's love for his smoke and dependence upon it, in the picturesque style of Service, and Robert J. Cole closed the program with a clear explanation of what the Sun would do with the money contributed.

Contributions were in charge of the following ladies: Mrs. H. F. Pomeroy, Mrs. L. P. McGahie, Miss May Mink, Mrs. E. H. Ahrens, Miss Imogene Washburne, Mrs. T. J. Scannell, Mrs. George Lyman, Mrs. H. A. Bogart, Mrs. Gene Mrs. R. E. Renaud. Carr,

the program the committee gratefully acknowledged In the invaluable assistance and co-operation of B. A. Rolfe for "The Slacker," Frederic W. Goudy for the program, William Dunklin for the tags and printing, Miss Martha Williams for a poster and bag for raffing, Mr. H. B. Roun-tree for drawing for program cover, Mr. A. I. Menin for the orchestra, Forest Hills Inn for use of ballroom, lights, etc., Vitagraph Company of America for "The Masque of Liberty," Universal News Service for Colonel Roosevelt, Station Square, Fairchild Sons for the chairs, W. H. Barse, proprietor Hotel Nassau, for projection machine, Herman Zimmerman for electrical work, Sage Foundation Homes Company for decorations and labor, American Tobacco Company for collectors' boxes.

The Committee in charge of arrangements was as fol-F. W. Goudy, J. H. Hopkins, F. C. Kay, L. P. McGahie, and B. A. Rolfe.

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#### CHURCH SERVICES.

Roman Catholic-Sunday mornings at 8 and 9.30 o'clock. Ascan Avenue, near Queens Boulevard.

St. Luke's Episcopal—Sunday mornings, holy communion Sermon at 11 o'clock. at 8 o'clock. Greenway South, near Ascan Avenue.

Church-in-the-Gardens—Sunday mornings, service at 11 o'clock. Greenway North and Ascan Avenue.

Church of Forest Hills (undenominational)-Sunday mornings, Sunday School at 10 o'clock; sermon at 11 o'clock; Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday at 6.45 P. M.

#### CHURCH-IN-THE-GARDENS.

Dr. William A. Rice will preach at the service on Sunday, September 9th. Dr. Kent will, on that date, preach in his old church, The Lewis Avenue, of Brooklyn, whose present pastor is chaplain of the Twenty-Third Regiment. Dr. Kent will be in his own pulpit on Sunday, September 16th.

#### ST. LUKE'S MISSION.

The regular services of the Chapel: Holy communion, 8 A. M.; morning prayer and sermon, 11 A. M., have been continued during the absence of the Vicar, the Rev. Dr. Nichols, who is spending his holiday in Puerto Rico. The Revs. Messrs. F. C. Stevens and G. S. Richards have

officiated at these services.

The Vicar is expected to return September 15th, and will preach on September 16th.

Sunday School will reopen September 22nd, 10 A. M. Mrs. Jessup will have charge of the kindergarten department.

In spite of the many Sunday attractions, the services have been well supported during the sum or months. Communicants at the Inn have been frequent visitors at the early service. All are welcome.

### CHURCH OF FOREST HILLS.

Repairs have been completed and the interior of the church decorated in time for the opening tomorrow, Sunday, September 9th.

Sunday School starts at 10 o'clock; regular morning service at 11 o'clock; Christian Endeavor Society of the young people at 6.45 P. M. The Sunday evening services will not commence until October.

#### TENNIS AMBULANCE FUNDS.

As a result of the National Latriotic Singles Tournament just completed on the Vest Side courts, a net contribution of approximately \$7,00° es into the Red Cross Fund of \$100,000 being raised to help provide three ambulance sections for the United States Army.

In the separate fund for its own members the West Side Club has already passed the \$1,000 necessary to maintain an ambulance abroad in its own name, its member contributions now totalling \$1,032.50.

The house at the corner of Ascan Avenue and Winter Street has been sold to Albert Farjeon, who is the Eastern Representative of the Saylor-Portland Cement Co.

The remaining house in the group on Summer Street has been sold to Mr. E. O. Butler.