

DANCING MASTERS FIND THE FOX TROT EASIEST FOR PUPILS

More Natural Than Lu Lu Fado, La Russe, Etc., and Therefore More Likely to Survive.

"Which of all the new dances that have dropped up during the summer will be danced generally enough to make it worth while for me to go to some trouble and expense to learn them?"

ADVISES THE FOX TROT. "In confidence," he added, "for I don't want to spoil my own business, I think that of the entire lot the only one worth while for the average dancer to learn is the Fox Trot. She will find that she won't really have to learn that; it will come so easily and naturally. And that is the real test of popularity."

NATURAL DANCES THE BEST. "If there never had been any dances but the strange ones, as you call them, we would never have had this dancing craze. It found its inspiration in the one-step and the waltz-center and other natural, easy dances, which anybody can do and do without thinking."

LONE POLICEMAN QUELLS SMALL RIOT BY SEVEN MEN

Arrests One for Biting His Finger in Fray. Rioting at Wyoming and Germantown avenues, in which seven men participated, was quelled by a lone policeman, the smallest mounted man on the Germantown force, but before the fight was ended one of the men had sunk his teeth into the policeman's finger.

BRYAN SPEAKS HERE MONDAY

Secretary of State Will Address Peace Meeting in Convention Hall. Secretary of State Bryan has accepted the invitation of the Peace Commission of Philadelphia to speak at a peace meeting next Monday night at Convention Hall, Broad street and Allegheny avenue.

800 WILL WORK ON WARSHIP

New York Shipbuilding Company Gets Contract for Dreadnought. Six thousand persons in Camden and Pennsylvania will be benefited for the next two or three years by the awarding of a contract to the New York Shipbuilding Company for the construction of a new dreadnought.

PANAMA REJECTS U. S. PLAN

Boundary Troubles With Costa Rica Declared Still Unsettled. PANAMA, Oct. 7.—The National Assembly has unanimously adopted a resolution that, despite the decision of Edward D. White, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, the boundary question with Costa Rica is still unsettled.

Head of Commission Board Retires

Because of illness, W. S. Schellenger, of Philadelphia and Wyncote, yesterday tendered his resignation as president of the Board of Commissioners of Cheltenham township. A petition was presented to the Montgomery County courts this morning, asking that Charles Beck, Jr., of Wyncote, be appointed to fill the vacancy.

CARD SYSTEM PLANNED TO LESSEN INFANT DEATHS

Framed Advice to Mothers Will be Placed Conspicuously. Advice to mothers, on cards placed in conspicuous places in back alleys and courts, is the unique process of education planned to reduce infant mortality by the Child Federation.

"It is proposed," said Mr. Cross, "to erect at least 500 iron frames in conspicuous places in the back alleys and courts of our city. In these frames will be placed printed cards giving instruction to mothers regarding care of their babies."

Four new members were elected on the Board of Directors. These are Mrs. Alfred Stengel, Mrs. Anna Davies, Samuel Fels and Dr. Richard C. Harie.

SPRUCE STREET RESIDENTIAL FOR YEARS TO COME

Real Estate Men Believe It Will Resist Encroachments of Business Longer Than Similar Thoroughfares. Spruce street, west of Broad, in the opinion of real estate men, will cling to its residential traditions for years to come.

The inroads made by business in Walnut street, where two dressmaking establishments have located between Twentieth and 21st street, when it was confidently predicted only last year that the business fraternity would never pass Rittenhouse Square, are a sharp reminder that little remains centrally that is not being rapidly taken up by the increase of commercial need.

Spruce street is kept in good repair. When the deadly summer appearance of hermetically sealed houses for blocks has passed, the painters take possession.

Above Broad street in July, 1911, 1419 Spruce street was sold by the estate of I. W. Durand to S. M. Brooks, lot 20 by 149, for \$55,000. It had been purchased by the seller in May, 1905, for \$22,000, and more than \$30,000 was spent upon it, January, 1914, 1425 Spruce street was sold for \$55,000.

West of Fifteenth street there have been no recent sales, and there are several properties rather pressing for sale to settle estates. There have been no transfers of special note until the 1900 block is reached. On December 11, 1911, 1309 Spruce street, a four-story dwelling with lot 41 feet front and a depth of 137 feet to Delancey street, was sold by Henry T. Fox to John N. Henry for \$50,000.

NOTES OF THE STREET. A very interesting session was held on Monday afternoon in the Survey Department, being an adjourned meeting from September 21, at which experts explained to owners and attorneys representing owners plans for the opening of streets in Moyamensing avenue section, west of Broad street.

ONE GIRL OVERCOME BY SMOKE

A girl was overcome by smoke today from a fire which damaged the worsted mill of Walter Stokes Brothers, Hancock and Huntingdon streets. She is Elsie Goodwin, 24 North Hancock street. Unable to rise, she was rescued by a smoke-diffused room, she collapsed. Policeman Pitcher, of the Fourth and York streets station, rescued her. The fire started in what is known as the picking room. Quantities of combustible material were lying on the floor. It is thought this became ignited from an overheated picking machine.

BOY VAGRANT ASKS TO BE SENT TO REFORM SCHOOL

Tired of Tramp Life and Desirous of Obtaining Education. A 15-year-old vagrant, who ran away from home four years ago, is at the House of Detention today and wants to be sent to the Glen Mills Reform School so that he may get off the streets and obtain an education.

Magistrate Penneck explained to the lad that he did not have the necessary jurisdiction to send him to Glen Mills, and accordingly sent him to the House of Detention for 30 days. In the meantime application will be made to the courts for the admission to the Glen Mills schools.

BAPTISTS ELECT OFFICERS

38 Churches Represented at 207th Anniversary of Phila. Association. The 25th anniversary of the Philadelphia Baptist Association opened its second day's session in the Roxborough Baptist Church with more than 150 persons, including representatives from 38 churches. In attendance, the exercises began at 2 o'clock with a devotional service. At yesterday's session following a report of the executive committee and an introductory sermon by the Rev. William H. Main, D. D. officers for the coming year were elected as follows: The Rev. Wesley H. Hoot, of the Blockley Church, Moderator; the Rev. Elmer W. Powell, of the Second Church, vice moderator; the Rev. Dr. J. G. Walker, of the Mantua Church, clerk.

FIREMAN ACCUSES TRACY, PENROSE POLICE "JUDGE"

Foreman Ignored When He Tells of Intended Highway Robbery. The timely action of Howard Kennedy, a foreman of Fire Engine Company No. 2, prevented Stewart Dean, of West Conshohocken, from being robbed of nearly \$500 this morning, Kennedy declared, however, that he received no satisfaction from the police, and was not allowed to testify in the case by Magistrate Tracy, a Penrose-McNichol follower of the 10th Ward.

While standing at Eighth and Arch streets, the fireman heard three rough-looking men planning to rob Dean, who was in a nearby saloon. Kennedy entered the saloon immediately and saw the intended victim in a corner. He had no idea of his whereabouts. Before the fireman could warn the man, the three strangers entered. Kennedy telephoned the police of the Eleventh and Winter streets station. The would-be thieves became suspicious and disappeared. A few minutes later Policeman Kelly arrived and took the man to the station house. He was charged with intoxication.

TWO ASHLAND YOUNG MEN FIND SPORT IN CITY COSTLY

Hotel Detective Interrupts Their Hilarity and They Each Pay \$13.50. Philadelphia is not such a fine city, after all—at least not in the opinion of Cyrus McDermott and Frank Plummer, two young men of Ashland, Pa., who arrived here yesterday afternoon and are returning to their native haunts today with sadly depleted pocketbooks, but with a knowledge that you can't "raise the dickens" in a city without getting into trouble.

\$1200 IN SILKS STOLEN

400 Pieces of Wearing Apparel Taken From Store. A clever thief stole silk shirts and petticoats, valued at \$1200, from E. S. Rogers, 1711 Poplar street, and departed leaving no clue to his identity. The police believe it is the same man who rented a room Saturday night from Joseph Smith, 1711 Ridge avenue, whose building backs up against the Rogers' place. The supposed thief gave up his room yesterday. More than 400 pieces of silk wearing apparel are among the articles reported missing. Mr. Smith says a well-dressed man rented a room from him Saturday night. The lodger insisted on being located in the rear of the house. His trunk looked out upon a fire-escape leading from the Rogers place. The new lodger carried a grip and later a trunk arrived.

FRANKFORD ARSENAL CHIEF TELLS OF EXTENSION PLANS

Government's Decision to Purchase Land Pleases Whole Section. Residents of Frankford and officials at the Frankford Arsenal spoke with elation today of the news from Washington that an item of \$120,000 to purchase certain land adjoining the arsenal had been included in the sundry civil service estimates to be submitted to Congress for the year 1916.

"It amounts to about 26 acres," he said, "and will give us what we have wanted for many years—a frontage on the river. On the new plot we will build additional store houses, magazines and a rolling mill. Possessing the latter we will be at the mercy of outside concerns for our rolled metal. Our magazines will be built along the river, so that in case of an explosion the force will be exerted outwards over the water. We will build a dock and ship considerable material by water."

PORT OF PHILADELPHIA

Sun and Tides. Sun rises... 6:01 a.m. | Sun sets... 5:55 p.m. PHILADELPHIA. High water, 3:19 a.m. | High water, 8:41 p.m. Low water, 10:31 a.m. | Low water, 11:12 p.m.

Vessels Arriving Today

Str. Dollington (Br.), Carter, West Indies via New York, ballast, Munson Steamship Company. Str. Delaware (Am.), French, New York, merchandise, Clyde Steamship Company. Str. Ericsson, Baltimore, passengers and merchandise, Ericsson Line.

Steamships to Arrive

Name, From, Date. California... Copenhagen... Sept. 28. Mongolian... Glasgow... Sept. 28. City of Durham... Calcutta... Sept. 1. Rurmel... Calcutta... Sept. 1.

Steamships to Leave

Name, For, Date. Merion... Liverpool... Oct. 10. Mongolian... Glasgow... Oct. 10. California... Copenhagen... Oct. 16.

PORT OF NEW YORK

STEAMSHIPS ARRIVING TODAY. Name, From, Date. Rymda... Rotterdam... 8 a. m. Oscar II... Christiania... 8 a. m. San Giovanni... Naples... 8 p. m.

STEAMSHIPS TO SAIL

Name, For, Date. Campania... Liverpool... Oct. 7. France... Havre... Oct. 7. Cedric... Liverpool... Oct. 7.

FREIGHTS AND CHARTERS

Business is limited in the steam market with the principal inquiry coming for transatlantic cargo. Rates are firm and may advance. Light inquiry met by ample tonnage keeps the sail market quiet.

MODERN DANCING

DRAMATIC ART PIANO INSTRUCTION. GEORGES BERNARD (OF PARIS, FRANCE) STUDIO. 1561 CHESTNUT STREET.

AL WHITE COLONIAL THEATRE (Himself) 15TH & CHESTNUT STS. ALL THE MODERN DANCES PRIVATE AND CLASSES ALSO STAGE DANCING

MARTEL'S, 1710 North Broad. BEAUNE'S CLASS FORMING MODERN DANCING SOCIETY Every Friday Night. W.M. BOTT'S CELEBRATED ORCHESTRA POPULAR SATURDAY NIGHT DANCES. Polka, Mazurka, Instruction, etc.

1728 LUCIEN O. N. Fifteenth St. CARPENTER PHONE DIAMOND 4213 That's All

DANSE DE LUXE 27th & Girard Ave. CLIP THIS AD and attend OUR ONE-STEP CONTEST TONIGHT, Oct. 7, 1914. Bring your friends to help you win your prize. ADMIT ONE. Wardrobe 10c.

MISS LYONS' PRIVATE SCHOOL OF DANCING, 1712 Chestnut Street. Reports Oct. 16th. Private lessons any hour. Studio for dances, musicals, cards. Our Method One Step, One Step, One Step. Social evening dancing as it should be taught. THE B. C. WOODS CARPENTER STUDIO. 1115 CHESTNUT ST. J.J. Finn's studio of dancing, 3002 W. Dauphin St. Latest dance taught, class or pri. Dis. 5007.

TWO HELD FOR ROBBERIES

Arrested in Germantown as Outcome of Series of Robberies. Two men, whom the police believe are implicated in numerous robberies of stores and homes in Germantown, and who have been sought for two months, were held in \$1000 bail each today by Magistrate Penneck, at the Germantown station, for further hearing next Sunday. They were captured at Germantown and Cheltenham avenues by Special Policemen MacFarland.

The prisoners are William, alias "Red-dy" Gallagher, 265 Heiskell street, and John Gallagher, 71 Potterton Heights, Germantown. The men are not related. "Reddy" Gallagher, the police state, has served time before on burglary charges, and the other man is wanted by the police of the Manayunk station on a larceny charge.

Ellwood Beaver's Death Regretted

The Board of Directors of the American Organ Players' Club, in Estay Hall, on October 5, adopted a resolution regretting the death of Ellwood Beaver on July 28, 1914. Mr. Beaver was an organist in Philadelphia churches for many years, and a founder and the only treasurer of the American Organ Players' Club.

ANCIENT AND HONORABLE GUESTS OF SHRINE

Visiting Artillery Entertained Luncheon, Dinner and Smoker. The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston, which arrived in Philadelphia yesterday on the annual jaunt, today will be the guests of the Shriner. This morning the visiting soldiers were taken on a tour of the city in automobiles, ending up at the Lu Lu Country Club at Edge Hill for lunch. Tonight half of the Ancient and Honorable will dine with the Shriner at Lu Lu Temple, while the other half are similarly entertained by the State Fenicians in their army.

FIRE ROBS 12 MEN OF WORK

Twelve men have been thrown out of work as the result of a fire which damaged the two-story building at Josephine and Kinsey streets, early this morning. The fire started on the first floor occupied by Arthur Rhodes, carpet manufacturer, and spread to the second floor occupied by the Primrose Tapestry Company. The fire was discovered by a watchman. The loss was several thousand dollars.

Store Opens 8:30 A. M. WANAMAKER'S Store Closes 5:30 P. M. The Grand Organ Plays Tomorrow at 9, 11 and 5:15 Men's New Fall Overcoats Up to a few years ago there was about as much individuality in American men's overcoats as there is in a wagon-load of bricks. Of the "styles" that were supposed to be the best that could be produced, none remain, outside of a rag-shop except the kind that will always remain, that is to say, the standard, conservatively cut black and oxford coats. These remain on their merits. They will always be in demand by men of the solid, substantial type, without whom the world could not get along. But styles of fancy overcoats have changed radically and there was never such a change for the better. Men only needed to be shown the newer and better styles to discard the old ones. The newer and better styles were English styles and styles influenced by the English. This Men's Clothing Store it was that introduced them. American makers have since learned to develop them—to diversify them—to improve on them. The new Fall Overcoats now on display are a fine achievement in everything that goes to make graceful and harmonious fashions on top of old-time reliability of making and woolsens. Noticeable new features are the showing of jauntily cut garments in lively designs and homespun effects, to which a touch of grace and balance has been given by a velvet collar. By the way, collars, generally speaking, are broader this year than last, and very new also is the unusual showing of rather pronounced tartan designs. The vogue of cuffed sleeves continues, but there is ample choice of other sleeves for those who want them. The best showing in fancies is at \$15, \$18, \$20, \$22.50 and \$25. The black and oxford coats go from \$15 to \$30. (First Floor, Market) JOHN WANAMAKER