

Saunterings

Paris is agape over the latest navy scandal of the continent and this time one that is very near home to them.

There has been a constantly and mysteriously recurring rumor ever since the ill fated French submarine *Pluviose* was sunk recently, that a woman was on board and went down to her death with the crew and officers of the boat. The submarine, was, of course, the last place on earth where at the time the boat was sunk a woman had either a right or place and despite the efforts that have been made to hush up the report it has spread and revived so persistently that it is probable that the French government will be forced to investigate the matter. Even the most conservative of the French newspapers have given much space to the affair. One journal declares that ten corpses were recovered from the wrecked boat and that only nine were officially reported as having been found. It is stated, too, that the captain of the submarine went aboard before she sailed with "another person" who was in reality a woman. Another report that lent authenticity to the story, was the fact that a wrecker which located and got hold of the *Pluviose* was not allowed to continue its work. It is also alleged that one of the men in the boat who evidently lived several hours after it sunk made many notes of conditions on board and that these notes have since mysteriously disappeared.

Its the day of the big game and until it's over there is apt to be scarcely a corporal's guard at any one of the three clubs.

In honor of her guest, Miss Eva Larabie, Miss Marguerite Richmond entertained at a large tea and bridge party Tuesday.

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. R. M. Breeden entertained charmingly for Miss Raye Dryer of Minneapolis, the guests being drawn largely from the younger crowd.

Mrs. Wilford Moyle entertained the members of her card club Tuesday at a luncheon at her home on Third avenue. Her sister, Miss Hazel Dorius assisted.

One of the prettiest parties of the week was that given Tuesday by Miss Beverly Riley, when five tables were set for bridge, followed later by a luncheon.

The week has witnessed the return of dozens of the wanderers, most of them too tired to do anything but try to recover.

One of the prettiest parties at the Country club Wednesday was that given by Mrs. William H. Cunningham in compliment to Mrs. Avery, Mrs. A. C. Ewing's guest, and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Terry's guest, Miss Pauline Terry.

Those who braved the odors, heat and dirt of the circus Monday evening will know better than to do it again—at least with that particular circus. The motors whizzed most of the society folk away after the show to the cool of the clubs where something might be obtained to neutralize the effect of the choking atmosphere of the tent. The up-town cafes drew their quota and a larger one, at that, than has been the case for weeks. At the Louvre, Frank Knox, Thomas Kearns and a party of their friends entertained former Senator William A. Clark for an hour or two, and a lot of people who had just gotten back into town found their first opportunity of getting about among their friends.

Town Talk of San Francisco vouches for the following: If you examine the smart shop windows on Grant avenue you will find one in which is displayed the very latest contrivance for giving women who are not endowed with good figures the perfect appearance of voluptuous maturity. Admiring feminine throngs have gazed at the contrivance in envy and wonderment right along and among them were not a few who have since heard with evident relish the tragic ending of what was to have been a smart little dinner party at the St. Francis the other evening. As



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CAPTAIN DICKSON

Noted British artilleryman and aviator who is to conduct practical aeroplane tests at the army maneuvers in England to show the use of aeroplanes as a means of attack on war vessels.

the escort of one of the fair diners-out met her in "peacock alley" of the hotel, he noticed someone had neglected to provide her with flowers and he immediately suggested that they stop at the flower stand on the way in to dinner and induce Miss Cohn to part with enough hot house beauties to start the sighs as soon as they appeared on the scene at dinner.

The flowers were purchased of the young woman and she leaned over the counter to pin the sweet peas to the lady fair's gown, using the customary deadly weapon, which is about half as long as a hatpin. How should Miss Cohn know that the lady of exquisite figure was wearing one of those new fangled affairs? She didn't, but she

learned it with startling suddenness, for there was a noise like the explosion of a toy balloon, the lady screamed, her escort gasped with surprise and the elevator boy stared when a wilted figure dashed into the lift and demanded between blushes and hysterics to be taken to the lady's dressing room.

Among the hostesses who entertained delightfully at luncheons at the Country club Wednesday were Mrs. W. V. Rice, Mrs. F. E. McGurrin, Mrs. Onderdonk and Mrs. Bidwell.

Mrs. L. O. Naylor and daughter returned from Buffalo this week, where she visited with Captain and Mrs. Howard R. Perry at Fort Porter, stopping there on her way home from New York.

Mrs. D. C. Jackling has as her guest her sister, Mrs. McCarty, of Los Angeles.

HAPPENINGS AND WHEREABOUTS.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McCune, Jr., are at home in their apartments in the Covey flats.

Neil Pratt has returned after an extended trip through the east.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Howard have returned after their vacation.

Jack Thompson is home after an outing at Brighton.

Mrs. P. J. Quealy of Rock Springs, Wyoming, who has been ill here at one of the hospitals for some time, is convalescing and is at the Knutsford until she is able to travel, when she will go home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fife have returned after a delightful trip to Lake Tahoe and other western points for two weeks.

Judge and Mrs. C. S. Varian are in southern California for a trip of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Murphy who have spent the summer at Tahoe will return about September 1, to their home on I street, which during their absence has been occupied by Mr. and Mrs. John Cain.

Mrs. J. J. Paul is here for a visit with her son, A. Vaughn Paul.

Judge and Mrs. O. W. Powers are on a month's trip through the Pacific northwest. They will probably go to California before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Moyle are at Brighton.

Miss Edgarda Wedgwood is in Ogden canyon for a stay of several weeks.

Mrs. J. B. Cosgriff is entertaining her sisters, Mrs. L. E. Hunt and Miss Stewart of Vermont.

Miss Josephine Weil is camping with friends at Bear Lake.

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