

KENILWORTH IN FINANCE CRISIS

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the situation resulting from non-payment of delinquent taxes. Even those who have paid their taxes should be vitally interested because equity as between taxpayers is involved. If all the delinquent and past due taxes were paid, your school and Village taxes could be further reduced but we realize that form letters, such as this one, will not have the desired result—and after all, we are not tax collecting bodies.

What Must Be Done

"The specific things that should be accomplished are:

"(1) Induce taxpayers who are delinquent for 1928, 1929 and 1930 to correct such delinquencies to reduce interest charges, and supply some cash for current expenses. Local taxing bodies do not receive the interest on delinquent payments (it goes to the County) and as a result, our interest payments on tax warrants increase your taxes for subsequent periods.

"(2) Tax bills for 1931 will be issued shortly. If these bills are paid promptly on presentation, to the township collector instead of the County treasurer, we will have the money sooner to pay off warrants and stop interest charges. The delays that occur by payment to the County Treasurer are costly. Therefore taxpayers should be urged to make payment to the Township Collector immediately after receiving their bills.

"(3) Tax bills for 1931 will be payable in two installments, but for the same reasons as those cited under (2) above, taxpayers should be urged to pay both installments at once to the township collector. Taxpayers seeking to pay their 1931 tax bills with 1931 school or village tax warrants will probably find it necessary to pay both installments at the same time since the tax collector will not accept a tax warrant as part payment of a tax bill if the denomination of said warrants is greater than the proportion of the tax bill against which it was issued. In that event, such warrants will be redeemed by the treasurers of the respective taxing bodies out of tax collections when collected. It should be borne in mind, however, that your personal property tax bill may be combined with your real estate tax bill in making payment with tax warrants.

Enforcement Machinery Slow

"The normal machinery for enforcement of tax collections is all too slow when so many properties are involved. Therefore, we feel that the citizens should organize their own group or committee to review the list of delinquencies and "strikers" for 1928, 1929 and 1930, and to prepare to carry on a person to person campaign for the collection of such taxes. This same group could also spread the word on points (2) and (3) above. It is our hope that a sufficient number of you will be interested in the seriousness of the situation to so organize. Many months expire between the time that payments are made to the County treasurer and the time that such funds are transmitted to us. Consequently immediate action is necessary to accomplish the desired results in time to assure the opening of the school next fall."

DINNER GUEST

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ware, 325 Abbotsford road, Kenilworth, entertained Miss Ruby K. Badger, superintendent of the Park Ridge School for Girls and four girls from the Junior class at dinner Saturday.

A daughter, Mary Virginia, was born January 20, at the Evanston hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Eugene Udell, 2447 Birchwood avenue. Mrs. Udell and the baby arrived at their home this week from the hospital.

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—Mrs. Henry Cutler, chairman.

Note: Economy shop is conducted by the Philanthropy department of the Woman's club of Wilmette. Proceeds go to charity.

DIVIDE CAGE GAMES

Boys' basketball teams of the Highcrest school divided honors in a doubleheader bill with the Lincoln school of Niles Center last Friday. The Niles Center first team won, 28 to 21, but the Highcrest second team was victorious, 8 to 4. The Highcrest girls' teams also broke even in their games with Morton Grove last week. The first team lost, 18 to 2, but the second team won, 6 to 5.

Mrs. Miles Seeley and baby, of 705 Rogers avenue, accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. Frank Pardee of Evanston, are leaving Friday, motoring to Clearwater, Fla. Mr. Seeley will accompany them as far as Chattanooga, Tenn.

Announce Meetings of Four Kenilworth Guilds

The Guilds of the Church of the Holy Comforter in Kenilworth will meet Monday, February 6, at 11 o'clock, as follows:

The Chase guild at the home of Mrs. Arthur P. Jenks, 54 Warwick avenue, Winnetka; The Whitehouse guild at the home of Mrs. Carl M. Huck, 605 Essex road, Kenilworth; the McLaren guild at the home of Mrs. D. G. Raymond, 210 Abingdon avenue, Kenilworth; The Anderson guild at the home of Mrs. W. N. Gillett, 533 Roslyn road, Kenilworth; the Stewart guild at the home of Mrs. John A. Carter, 336 Sterling road, Kenilworth.

GIVING GUILD TEA

Mrs. Harold O. Barnes, 98 Indian Hill road, will open her home Friday, February 10, for a Valentine tea to honor new members of the Service guild of the First Methodist Episcopal church of Evanston. Mrs. Vernon Loucks of Kenilworth is in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Barnes will be assisted in receiving by the president, Mrs. Earl Cooper, Mrs. Ernest Fremont Tittle, and the board. Past presidents will preside at the tea tables. There will be twenty women in the receiving line.

Mrs. L. M. Allen, 258 Melrose avenue, Kenilworth, was hostess to her bridge club on Tuesday, January 31.

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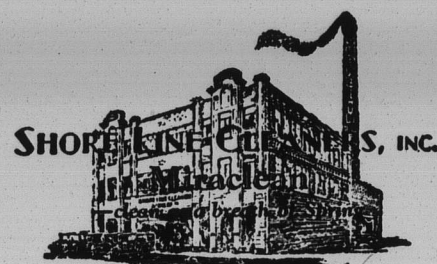
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