

# Wilmette Junior Auxiliary Party to Aid Local Charity

## Junior Auxiliary Style Show and Bridge Feb. 11

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As the calendar rolls around once more to the day made popular by St. Valentine, we again are informed of one of those delightful affairs that has become almost a late-winter institution in Wilmette, the annual bridge tea and fashion show of the Junior auxiliary of the Woman's club of Wilmette. This year's event is the Saturday before Valentine's day, February 11, at 2 in the afternoon, in the club house. Its purpose follows that of its predecessors, for with funds so acquired, the Junior auxiliary carries on its share of local charity work, and helps to provide food for those who are hungry, and the wherewithal to provide warmth for those who are cold. Tickets are reduced from the price for former occasions of the same kind.

Because there are more suffering families here at home than there were last year, the girls are eager, they tell me, to make the results of this, their gala party, reach an even wider circle of those in need.

With the seriousness of their purpose to prompt them, they select for the showing of new modes that drab time of the year when every feminine heart yearns for the bright, fresh colors and fabrics that at once spell spring. The fashion parade comes after a few hands of bridge and precedes the serving of refreshments.

Myrtle Rose, incorporated, of Evanston, will present advanced spring styles, with the Edythe Hat shop, also of Evanston, providing millinery. Sally Sherman, importers, will exhibit lingerie, and a representative of Helene Rubenstein will not only make up the mannequins, who are to be members of the Junior auxiliary, but will give a short talk on make-up and the care of the skin.

A prize will be given at each table of bridge, all of which will be reserved.

With finesse the Junior auxiliary members have given their benefit each season, always making it an affair outstanding in Wilmette.

Miss Dorothy Hall and Mrs. George Hannah are co-chairmen of the bridge tea and fashion show, which is given under the auspices of the ways and means committee, of which Miss Hall is chairman.

Others on the general committee are Miss Constance Bersch, Mrs. Edwin A. Robson, in charge of tickets; Miss Alvina Reichman and Miss Ann Klapperich, tables; Miss Doris Woodcock and Miss Alice James, refreshments; Miss Marion Born, Miss Vera Hoerber, prizes; Mrs. George Hannah and Miss Hall, fashion show; Mrs. John Young and Mrs. Harding Van Schaack, publicity.

### Guest of Honor

The Misses Caroline and Ann Davis of 615 Laurel avenue gave a party Monday evening in honor of Miss Hazel Kraft of Wilmette who is leaving Sunday for the University of Wisconsin at Madison to begin her next semester's work.

### Depression Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Earle D. Lyon were host and hostess to twenty neighbors at a Depression dinner in the basement of their home, 1504 Elmwood avenue, Saturday, January 21.

## Aids in Benefit



Miss Mary Mack of 707 Central avenue, president of the Junior auxiliary of the Woman's club of Wilmette, is an ex-officio member of the committee for the annual Valentine's bridge tea and fashion show to be given on the afternoon of January 11, as a benefit for local charity work.

## Woman's Club Concert to Be Gala Society Event

One of the gala evening society affairs of this season in Wilmette is to be the evening concert at which the Chicago Association of Commerce Glee club and Sonia Sharnovia, of Chicago, Chicago Civic opera prima donna, will appear on Friday evening, February 17. The musicale is taking place in the large auditorium of the Woman's club of Wilmette under the auspices of the club's ways and means committee as a project to increase the building fund.

The committee at work for the success of the affair comprises Mrs. Paul B. Wagner, chairman, and Mesdames Harvey A. Bush, Charles N. Evans, A. L. Grinnell, David Hall, Walter H. Magner, Halsey E. Poronto, F. J. Scheidenhelm, Walter Horner, and Dr. Alice D. Tuttle.

## Mothers Fete Daughters

The Delta Gamma mothers of Northwestern university are giving a Valentine luncheon for their daughters Saturday afternoon, February 11, at the Georgian hotel in Evanston. Mrs. George Hart of Highland Park and Miss Helen Collins of Evanston will present a style show, which will be followed by cards in charge of Mrs. Otto Seidenbecker of Glencoe and Mrs. C. C. Case of Chicago.

## Discuss, Sew for Mart

The committee for the annual Woman's Club Mart in March met Tuesday of this week at the home of its chairman, Mrs. C. L. Darling, 1538 Highland avenue, to discuss plans and projects. Following the business discussion, the remainder of the day was spent in sewing on aprons of various patterns and other articles for the Mart.

## Valentine Dance Is Infant Welfare Event

An old-fashioned ball with a midnight buffet supper is being given by the Wilmette center of the Infant Welfare Society of Chicago at Shawnee Country club on Saturday, February 11. This Valentine dance, the group's annual party, promises to equal the splendor of former occasions, the committee announces. To it Infant Welfare members may invite guests, Mrs. M. C. Hecht, special chairman in charge of the affair, announces. Mrs. Hecht, whose address is 1042 Greenwood avenue, is also in charge of reservations which are to be made by Thursday, February 9.

Through the efforts of Mrs. William L. Hart, the arrangements for the center's gala social event have been made at Shawnee Country club. Besides Mrs. Hart, other members of the committee for the ball are Mrs. Conrad Frykman, Mrs. A. E. Beirnes, Mrs. Lester Mee, Mrs. Harvey Craig, Mrs. R. H. Nason, and Mrs. B. C. Bowen.

## Women Voters to Give Valentine Dessert Bridge

A Valentine dessert bridge is to be given under the auspices of the Wilmette League of Women Voters at Shawnee Country club on Tuesday, February 14, at 1:30 o'clock.

Mrs. William H. Rehfeld of 210 Ninth street is general chairman of the affair and ticket chairman as well.

Miss Mildred Hebel, Mrs. Albert G. Ackermann, and Mrs. Harry Smoot comprise the committee for prizes. Mrs. W. S. Hedges, Mrs. A. F. Hooper and Mrs. Murdo Ross are the hostesses for the occasion, and Mrs. H. E. Ringholm is in charge of publicity.

Assisting Mrs. Rehfeld with the ticket sale are Mrs. J. D. Kinnear, Mrs. Floyd McGrath, Miss Ella Butz and Mrs. H. T. Reiling.

Mrs. Clarence Clarke, president of the league, is serving on the committee ex-officio.

## Assist at Betrothal Tea

At a tea Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Nelson L. Buck of Evanston announced the engagement of their daughter, Frances Lillian, to John W. Taylor, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Taylor of Chicago. Miss Buck is a graduate of Roycemore school and of Connecticut college and Mr. Taylor of Culver Military academy and the University of Pennsylvania. Friends of Miss Buck pouring and assisting at the tea table were the Misses Charlotte McCall and Frances Chamberlain of Winnetka, Katherine Dudley of Kenilworth, and Mary Karker of Glencoe.

## Give Buffet Supper

Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Davis, 731 Elmwood avenue, gave a buffet supper Sunday for a group of recently appointed members and wives of the medical faculty of the University of Illinois. Afterwards a program was furnished by Robert Brown, violinist; Frances Anderson, pianist, and Harriette Widner, who interpreted negro life in the south with original stories and verse.

## Breakfast Bridge

Miss Ann and Miss Caroline Davis of 615 Laurel avenue entertained at a breakfast bridge for twelve guests Wednesday in honor of Miss Virginia Cordell of Wilmette, whose engagement was announced recently.

## Garden Club Shares Club Program; Makes Entries in Show

The activities of the Wilmette Garden club include a joint meeting with the Woman's club of Wilmette on February 8, at the club house. The Garden club has charge of the morning program. This will start at 10:30 with a lecture by Dr. W. G. Waterman, head of the Botany department of Northwestern university. His subject is, "Forests and Flowers of the Four Seasons." The lecture will be illustrated with natural color slides.

Mrs. P. B. Wagner is to be the speaker at the noon hour. She will exhibit and talk about antique fireplace fittings. At 2 in the afternoon the program is in charge of the art department of the Woman's club and Garden club members are the invited guests.

Mrs. John F. Weedon is taking the Garden club reservations for the one o'clock luncheon. Reservations must be in by Monday, February 6, the club announces.

The Wilmette Garden club has registered for three exhibits in the Illinois Garden club Garden and Flower show. The exhibition is again to be held at the Navy pier. The date is March 31 to April 8, inclusive.

Mrs. A. E. Gebert is general chairman for the club exhibits. Her entries include an Indoor Window box, a Special Occasion Luncheon table, and a Shadow Box picture of fruit.

Mrs. John F. Weedon has charge of the advance sale of tickets. Such tickets purchased in advance, not only are priced below those sold at the gate, but entitle the holders to programs of the show. Those who wish to take advantage of the advance sale price are asked to get in touch with Mrs. Weedon, whose home is at 204 Fifth street.

## To Assist at Tea and Exhibit in Yarn Shop

Miss Janet Childs will be hostess at a tea and exhibition of models displaying knitted suits and dresses from her Au Rouet Yarn shop in Old England in The Chimneys, 150 Center street, Winnetka, Monday afternoon from 3 until 5. Assisting her will be Mrs. W. O. Kurtz and Miss Joyce Whitman of Winnetka, Mrs. John Nicholson of Glencoe, and Mrs. H. Carman Lutkin, Mrs. Henry Huxley, Mrs. Warren Buckley, and Miss Muriel Hypes of Evanston. Miss Childs has also invited those who have knitted under her instruction to wear the suits they have made so that each can see what the other has done.

## Next O. of M. Hostess

Mrs. Edward J. McArdle, 111 Broadway avenue, will be hostess at the next meeting of the St. Francis Household, Order of Martha, next Monday afternoon for sewing at 1:30 o'clock. On January 24, Mrs. P. J. McGurk, 1634 Highland avenue, entertained at a card party for the Martha association, of which Mrs. Joseph Koza is president. There were ten tables of cards. Assisting Mrs. McGurk were Mrs. Martin Lynch, Mrs. Henry G. Prosser, and Mrs. C. W. Grignon.

## In Corner Cupboard

The Corner Cupboard, the Woman's exchange project of the Woman's Club of Wilmette sponsored by the ways and means committee, announces that its menu for the next Club day February 8, will be baked beans and nut bread. Orders, too, are taken, for salted nuts.