

Activities in Social Circles

By JEAN TEN BROECK

To Give Program at Club's White Elephant Sale

Plans for the Christmas bargain sale of "white elephants" are going forward nicely, states the chairman, Mrs. C. P. Evans, who is bending every effort toward the success of the affair which will be given at the club on December 12, from noon until 10 o'clock in the evening.

Mrs. Walter R. Knupfer has arranged a delightful and varied program to be given at various periods during the afternoon and evening, which includes the following numbers:

Group of songs... Mrs. Edgar A. Fellers
"A Garden Skit"... Jane Michal
Acrobatic and tap dances—
Agnes Frank Dancers
Piano numbers (boy prodigy)—
Raymond Hanson
Dornbos Wilson orchestra
Magician... Lois Fahs
"A Room to Let"—dramatic sketch by
Amateur Players, Inc. Written and
produced by Madeline Clark, and acted
by Jean Everson, Nancy Burlinger,
Peggy Pierson, and Elsie Lippen
Popular songs... Sander Kellin
Magician... Nick Tomei

Mrs. Ernest Freeman is vice-chairman of the sale and has secured some splendid posters announcing the affair which were made by Wilmette school children under the supervision of Miss Frances Donnelly.

The tea room will be under the direction of Mrs. Walter J. Gough and she has secured Mrs. Jean Baxter, who was popular at the Mart last spring, to read the tea leaves. Another feature which has gained great popularity of late is graphology and for this we have secured Mrs. Betts Burtch to analyze your past, present and future through your handwriting. Mrs. Burtch is quite an authority in this field having written articles on the subject and having given character analyses from the handwriting of royalty.

The various booths will be attractively decorated and there will be many articles appropriate for Christmas gifts in addition to the white elephant bargains.

Besides the assisting chairmen mentioned above there is Mrs. William A. Durgin, who has charge of arrangements; Mrs. J. Nye Macalister, solicitation; Mrs. Robert F. Kolb, sales; and Mrs. John Mills, marking.

Among those working on the different committees are: Mesdames R. M. Campbell, George Iliff, Charles Robb, Henry Hall, Warren Cozzens, David Moreton, H. E. Holdoway, Harry Smoot, Rollo Gullickson, Florence Butz, John Harris, Harvey A. Craig, Alvin Beirnes, Francis J. Crowell, William S. Horsting, H. O. Weishaar, Josiah Pancoast, Paul Lang, R. A. Wheelock, Victor LaFave, Knight Blanchard, Lorin A. Bower, Charles M. Burlingame, James A. Burrill, H. Otto van der Hoff, Howard Miller, Arthur Bloom, Howell Crim, Charles T. Sears, Roger Briggs, R. E. P. Kline, William H. Scott, Charles F. Ripley, George W. Putnam, Charles R. Mahan, Archie F. Hooper, H. A. Riley, H. A. Richter, Horace Pressl, Maurice C. Boothe, John A.

Club's Visitor



Mrs. Edward F. Cummiskey of Wilmette is in her third year as courtesy chairman of the Woman's Catholic Club of Wilmette. A writer of poetry, and interested in philanthropy and dramatics, she has been an active member for many years.

Club's Courtesy Chairman Turns to Poetry as Pastime

Mrs. Edward F. Cummiskey of 1336 Elmwood avenue, courtesy chairman of the Woman's Catholic Club of Wilmette for nearly three years, joined the club after coming from Washington, D. C., twenty years ago, becoming active in philanthropy work and in dramatics. Since girlhood she has written poetry for a pastime, four years ago winning the blue ribbon in a contest for her poem, "Reveries of a Maiden," a contest for which Howard Vincent O'Brien of the Chicago Daily News was judge. Two years ago, for the philanthropy department of the club, she wrote "The Philanthropy Blues." "Illness," a member of the club has said, "would be almost worth while in the Woman's Catholic Club of Wilmette for it would bring a visit from the courtesy chairman, Mrs. Edward F. Cummiskey. As the sunshine after dreary weather, so is a visit from Mrs. Cummiskey after illness."

Mrs. Walter Shattuck of Glencoe entertained her Kenilworth Bridge club for luncheon Tuesday.

Donaldson, G. C. Packard, Robert Bichl, Harry C. Carroll, and Miss Rebecca Fitch.

This White Elephant sale promises to be all and more than the name implies so come out and do some of your Christmas shopping where it will help your club. This is an activity of the ways and means department of which Mrs. Clifton L. Darling is chairman.—L.M.C.

Jane Geringer Will Marry on Wednesday

When Miss Jane Geringer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Miles B. Geringer of 1000 Michigan avenue becomes the bride of Herbert D. Seymour of the Orrington hotel she will have a small home wedding on Wednesday, December 12. A dinner party at Shawnee Country club will follow.

Miss Marion Seymour, sister of the bridegroom and Miss Jane Blessing of Evanston will be bridesmaids, and Samuel Dunn of Chicago will serve Mr. Seymour as best man, while the bride's brother, Miles Geringer, Jr., and Warren Fisher of Evanston will usher.

Both Miss Geringer and Mr. Seymour attended Northwestern university, where the former was a member of Alpha Chi Omega sorority. Mr. Seymour also studied at the University of Maryland and the University of Florida. He is a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon (DKE) and is the son of Herbert W. Seymour of Evanston, formerly of Baltimore, Md.

The bride and bridegroom will sail December 15, for Europe to spend two weeks in Paris and then will go to London to make their home for a year.

Among the many pre-nuptial parties in honor of the bride-to-be is a bridge luncheon today with Miss Marion Seymour as hostess and a dinner party at the Stevens hotel tomorrow with Miss Rose Solfronk and Miss Rose Kerner as co-hostesses. Others who have entertained recently for Miss Geringer were Miss Jane Blessing who gave a lingerie shower and a buffet bridge supper; and Mrs. G. F. Sullivan of Chicago, who was hostess at a boudoir shower and luncheon. Mrs. W. P. Kapsa of Chicago gave a personal shower and buffet bridge supper; and Mrs. H. H. Taylor of Evanston entertained at a glove shower and also a buffet bridge supper.

Betrothal Announced of Rosalie Budinger

Mr. and Mrs. John Budinger, 614 Maple avenue, Wilmette, announce the engagement of their daughter, Rosalie Veronica, to F. Preston Forbes of Washington, D. C., son of Frank Forbes of Evanston.

Miss Budinger is a graduate of Marywood academy and National College of Education.

Mr. Forbes was graduated from Harvard in the class of 1929. He is now associated with the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce at Washington. Until moving east he made his home with his sister, Mrs. George S. Smith of Evanston. The wedding will take place this winter.

Tea Hostess

Mrs. G. F. Fischer of Lake Forest was hostess at tea Wednesday of last week, her guests being a number of north shore women. Mrs. Fischer is the mother of Mrs. Stanley Knight of Chicago, formerly of Kenilworth.

Musical Will Be Feature of Party for Junior School

A special feature of the activities of the north shore group of the Chicago Junior school is the annual Christmas party for the benefit of the school. This year it will be held on Wednesday, December 12, at the home of Mrs. Lansing B. Warner, 201 Sheridan road, Hubbard Woods. Luncheon will be served at 12:30 o'clock, and reservations are in charge of Mrs. Clarence Leland of Winnetka and Mrs. George S. Channer of Glencoe.

The hostesses will be the program committee of the North Shore group, assisted by members from the executive committee.

The popular musicians, Elizabeth Hartig Percy, violinist, of Chicago, and Charles Baron Fleischmann, baritone, of Kenilworth, will present the following program, arranged by Mrs. Alma Wallace Randall, accompanist:

The Slighted Swain	Old English
Bendemeer's Stream	Old Irish
Sigh No More, Ladies	William Arms Fisher
	Charles Baron Fleischmann
Fantasia Appassionata	Vieuxtemps
Elizabeth Hartig Percy	
Aria from Herodiade "Vision Fugitive"	Massenet
	Charles Baron Fleischmann
Meditation—"Thais"	Massenet
Obertass	Wienlawski
Bird as Prophet	Schumann
Perpetual Motion	Bohm
Elizabeth Hartig Percy	
My Homeland	Oley Speaks
Long Ago in Alcala	Massager
At Parting	Rogers
I Love Life	Mano-Zucca
	Charles Baron Fleischmann

Rummage Sale Is On

Today (Thursday) and tomorrow, the North End circle of the Congregational church is sponsoring a Rummage sale at 1141 Greenleaf avenue, Wilmette, from 8 in the morning until 5 in the afternoon. Chairmen in charge of the two-day sale are Mrs. Charles Eldridge, Mrs. W. E. Hudson, Mrs. Bruce P. Owens, and Mrs. J. A. Pancoast, the latter's name being inadvertently omitted from the list by WILMETTE LIFE last week. Mrs. Charles R. Bixby is chairman of publicity.

Cartoonist on Program

The Kappa Kappa Gamma Chicago Alumnae association is having luncheon Friday, December 7, instead of December 15, it announces. The College Inn will be its locale, 12:30 is the hour. Chester Gould, cartoonist will be the guest speaker.

O. of M. Meeting

St. Francis Household, Order of Martha, will meet with Mrs. Carl Schaeffer, 830 Sixteenth street, at 1:30 o'clock Monday, December 10.