



News of the North Shore Clubs



Jewish Women to Sponsor Ballet

Ballet Russe Performances January 3 and 4, Benefit Work of Council

Again this season two performances of the Ballet Russe de Monte Carlo will be sponsored by the National Council of Jewish Women, Chicago section, on the nights of January 3 and 4, at the Auditorium theater, as its sole fund raising project of the year. It is one of the most ambitious benefits attempted by any woman's organization in Chicago.

By special arrangement with the Ballet management only the latest and most popular editions to the company's repertoire will be presented on Council nights. The program on Tuesday, January 3 will include "Bogatryri," "Carnaval," and "Gaiete Parisienne." "Coppelia" and "The Seventh Symphony" will comprise the program on Wednesday, January 4. The usual box office prices will prevail. Tickets may be obtained at the box office or the offices of the National Council of Jewish Women, Chicago section, 185 North Wabash avenue.

For forty-five years the National Council of Jewish Women, Chicago section, has made important contributions to the civic, cultural and philanthropic life of Chicago. In recent years a greatly expanded program of social work has necessitated supplementing the treasury of the organization with one annual fund raising project of a high order.

Council Camp at Wauconda, a model summer camp for underprivileged Jewish mothers and children, will benefit directly by the Ballet performances as will the department of service to the foreign born. This department, with offices at 130 North Wells street, and with a staff of six professional workers and a number of trained volunteers, is doing an outstanding piece of work for the victims of persecution in Central Europe. The adult education and blind and hard of hearing committees will be among the other committees of the Chicago section whose effectiveness will be increased by the successful culmination of the Ballet Russe project.

Mrs. Fred Bernstein, is general chairman of the Ballet Russe committee. She is being assisted by Mrs. Joseph R. Willens, chairman of boxes; Miss Evelyn Silverstone, chairman of ticket sales; Mrs. Arthur P. Feigen and Mrs. Oscar H. Plotkin, co-chairmen of Ad Book; Mrs. Myron I. Ingram, treasurer of Ad Book; Mrs. Max L. Loewenberg, chairman of Goodfellows; Mrs. Samuel L. Herman, treasurer of ballet; and a committee of 100.

Mrs. Benjamin I. Morris, president of Chicago section, is an ex-officio member of the committee.

Hostesses

Miss Marion and Miss Catherine Cook and Miss Ann Henderson were hostesses at the Cook home, 1017

Club Officer



Mrs. Thomas Gibbons is program chairman of the Woman's Catholic Club of Wilmette, which is giving a bridge party for its members Friday afternoon of this week at 2 o'clock, at the Wilmette Woman's club. A Yule party for the Catholic Action group will be given at Mrs. Gibbons' home on December 27. DeHaven Photo

Junior Auxiliary Holds Christmas Party Tonight

Santa Claus will again visit the Junior auxiliary of the Woman's Club of Wilmette at its annual Christmas party which is to be held this evening (Thursday) at 6:45. The members will bring ten-cent gifts for Santa to distribute.

Following dinner several foreign students from International House, University of Chicago, will speak on various Christmas customs in their homes.

The Christmas party is always one of the most popular meetings of the year and Miss Portia Mary Lee, chairman of the program committee, announces that this meeting will fulfill all expectations. Miss Lee is being assisted in the arrangements by the Misses Bettie Buckett, Carol Lawrence, and Elsa Miller, and Mesdames C. M. Jensen, A. Paul Leisner, and Dean Lake Traxler.

Jewish Council Calendar

The International Relations class of the National Council of Jewish Women, Chicago section, is meeting next Wednesday at 10 o'clock, and in the afternoon at 2, Rabbi Charles E. Shulman of Glencoe will speak at a session of the religious study class. The meetings are held in Room 504, 185 North Wabash avenue, Chicago.

Greenleaf avenue, at a shower given Thursday evening of last week in honor of Mrs. Carl A. Reeb, also a resident of Wilmette.

Carol Singing Opens Mother's Club Program

Because the singing of Christmas carols, led by Mrs. William Sherrill with Mrs. John Petaja at the piano, is to open the meeting of the Young Mother's Club of Wilmette on Monday evening, December 19, at 7:45 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Sherrill, 1725 Highland avenue, Wilmette, members are asked to be prompt in their attendance.

Assisting the hostess that evening will be Mrs. Joseph B. Salberg and Mrs. J. E. Kamper.

For the program, Mrs. Myron I. Harshaw will speak on books for small children. She is head of the educational service bureau of a Chicago department store and the author of two children's books—"Reindeer of the Waves," the Literary guild choice for 1934, and "The Counsel of the Gods," a story of Greek mythology.

Mrs. Stanton Schumacher of Winnetka, former head of the English department of York High school in Elmhurst, will give two Christmas readings.

Hostesses for Dance

Among the numerous parties, during the holidays, for the young people is a Christmas dance which will be given December 22, at the Evanston Country club by a group of senior girls at Roycemore. The hostesses for the party are Sue Bishop, Midge Hubachek, Martha Johnson, Walta Jane Johnson, Barbara Lewis, Jane Anne McBride, Mary McIntosh, Ann Meissel, Charlene Mork, Jean Pirie, Mary Louise Roberts, Jeanne Rodger, Betty Roulet, and Blanche Vail.

New President



Mrs. Walter W. Stegman, 2141 Kenilworth avenue, Wilmette, is president of the Young Mothers' Club of Wilmette which will hold a Christmas meeting next Monday evening at the home of Mrs. William F. Sherrill, 1725 Highland avenue, Wilmette. DeHaven Photo

Legion Auxiliary Outlines Its Work

Wilmette Post 46 Group Aids in Rehabilitation of World War Vets and Their Families

Wilmette Post 46 American Legion auxiliary, a group proud to be numbered among the more than 35,000 women in Illinois who are members of the American Legion auxiliary, outlines the part it plays in state work.

One part of its service is that of rehabilitation among the veterans of the World War and their families.

It contributes to the Auxiliary Treasure Chest which supplies many and various creature comforts for the men in hospitals. Insulin is furnished to diabetic patients outside of hospitals who are unable to purchase it themselves. This fund also helps to maintain the Veterans Craft shop at 203 North Wabash avenue. In this shop is found beautiful merchandise of various kinds made by veterans from all of the hospitals in the Chicago area. The auxiliary purchases as much goods as possible from the store during the year, thereby helping to keep the disabled and unemployed veterans busy.

The first Wednesday of each month some of the members of the Wilmette auxiliary go out to the Edward Hines hospital to work among the patients there, doing letter writing, reading, mending, shopping. The auxiliary also donates a great deal to the hospitals in the way of clothing, magazines, cards, puzzles, cigarettes, flowers, rags and silk hose to be used in making rugs. At Christmas time each patient receives a gift from the auxiliary.

At the Veterans' hospital in North Chicago, Wilmette Post 46 auxiliary gives one large afternoon party for the ex-service men and participates in several dances there. Cars full of women and girls are taken up there to dance with the psychopathic patients to the music of their fine orchestra. January 9, a dance is to be given jointly by the Wilmette auxiliary and that of Evanston Post 42. Refreshments and cigarettes will be furnished by the units.

Anyone desiring to go on these trips to the hospitals or wishing to contribute clothing, games, magazines, cards, or other items, is asked to call the rehabilitation chairman, Mrs. Earl W. Moon of 518 Maple avenue.

Present Gift to Chapter

The Kappa Delta Mother's club presented a combination radio and phonograph to the Northwestern University chapter at a Christmas party given at the Chapter house last Saturday evening.

Sew for Babies

Mrs. I. K. Stover entertained the members of the senior sewing group of the Infant Welfare Society at luncheon and an all-day sewing meeting on Monday at her home, 1044 Ashland avenue.

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