

LOCAL NEWS

The Misses Helen and Louise Zell visited in Chicago over last Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Barry is slowly recovering from her recent illness.

Miss Nettie Pischel visited relatives in Naperville last Friday.

Miss Cora Delaney has been absent from school on account of illness.

Mrs. Mary Sucher is the victim of a severe and lingering cold.

Mr. E. G. Lenon has been in St. Louis, Mo., on a business trip.

Miss Gladys Brooks visited in River Forest on Sunday.

Frank Duncan spent Saturday and Sunday visiting relatives in Chicago.

Miss Ruth Boydston spent Sunday with friends at Naperville.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis E. Jones are spending a few weeks at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.

Mrs. W. L. Boydston is spending a few days with old friends at Galesburg, Ill.

Mrs. R. D. Wall and son are visiting with Mrs. E. E. Morris of Belmont avenue.

LOOK—Come in and see the 600-pound cheese at Fred Gerwig & Son.—Adv.

J. L. Swearingen's brother of Canton, Ill., stopped off Monday night to visit his brother.

Mrs. Van Andrews of Aurora spent the week end visiting friends in the village.

Elvin Sucher and Mr. Pritchett attended the concert at the Coliseum on Sunday by the U. S. Marine Band.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Horlick entertained a party of friends from Chicago last Sunday.

Mrs. Carrie Baker visited a few days last week with her son, George, and family, at Naperville.

Lester Barry is again able to attend school after a siege of a severe sore throat.

Emil Haumesser, who has had a touch of pneumonia and who has been very sick, is recovering nicely.

Miss Elsie Pischel visited with Miss Leona Beidelman at Naperville last Sunday.

Mrs. Joseph Bertolin and son of Hinsdale visited here a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mehren and Miss Dorothy visited Chicago relatives over Sunday.

Misses Dorothy Plain and Evelyn Brown spent Saturday and Sunday at a house party at Galesburg.

Mrs. Henry Schump of Clarion, Pa., visited at the home of Tom Bunning and family for several days this week.

Mrs. J. H. Grindell of Plattville, Wis., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lynch, of Oakwood avenue.

Mrs. J. E. Kidder of Berwyn and Mrs. Lindstrom of Chicago visited friends in the Grove last Sunday.

Miss Hazel Staats spent the first part of the week visiting with her sister, Mrs. C. J. Winter of Chicago.

Naperville is to have a new post-office building. Mrs. B. Eggerman has let the contract and work will commence on the office at once.

Mrs. Ernest Lambeth and daughters, Georgia and Margaret of Cumberland, Md., who have been visiting with Mrs. Lynch, have returned to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Nevitt entertained Mr. and Mrs. Drinkwater and Mr. and Mrs. John Barry of Chicago last Sunday.

Wood For Sale—Sawed in stove lengths, delivered in half-cord lots or more. Austin-Littleford Nurseries, phone 46-W.—Adv.

Mrs. Beidelman had the misfortune to fall down the cellar stairs Saturday morning. Her face and head are bruised and cut as a result.

Mrs. R. G. Richards and daughter, Gertrude, of Lake Linden, Mich., visited over Sunday with the Gustin family.

Rev. M. Manshardt and wife of Topeka, Kan., are visiting with their son, Manshardt of the Evangelical Church.

The Downers Grove Home Missionary Society will meet Wednesday afternoon, November 17th, at the home of Mrs. Elliott in East Grove.

Mrs. Graver and daughter, Edythe, of Aurora, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Fred Reese on Washington street.

Geo. Willard left Monday for Martinsville, Ind., to take the baths for rheumatism at the Martinsville Sanitarium.

Miss Welby and Emmart of Hamlet, Pa., Chicago, were dinner guests on Tuesday evening, of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ferron on Curtiss street.

F. M. Lucore of Houston, Tex., a former resident of the Grove, and Mrs. McDowell of New Orleans, were married Oct. 24th. They will reside at Hamilton.

Young women who have been practicing basket ball for the last few weeks will play an exhibition with the Whiston team at the high school gym Saturday night.

The fall building operations in Downers Grove usually heavy this year. A great many new houses are being built or planned. Just watch us in the next few years.

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We are printing in another column of this issue a short poem entitled "The Stone Bruise Age." Doesn't that bring back the happy days when you were a boy?

Do your Christmas shopping early at the Congregational Bazaar in Library Hall, November 18. A full line of fancy and useful articles. Everything fine in the bakery line. Open from 10 a. m. to 6 p. m.

George Dicke was out Sunday for the first time since he has been laid up with a broken leg. He motored to Chicago to visit his partner, Leo Bertolin, who is at the West Suburban hospital, also with a broken leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Brady of North Forest avenue celebrated their nineteenth wedding anniversary last Sunday. A large party of friends from Chicago and Downers helped them in the celebration and a merry party it made.

Lola Lucore of Houston, Tex., formerly a resident of Downers Grove, and Cyril Sheldon of New Orleans, La., were married in October. They will reside with Mr. Sheldon's folks in New Orleans.

The All Stars will roll a picked team from Naperville on the local alley tonight. The Napervilleans, as always, say they have a great team this year and expect to win. But if we had any money to wager it would be on the Stars.

A travelogue, with stereopticon views, showing the wonders of the West, including the Grand Canyon, Yosemite Valley and Panama Exposition, will be given in the Congregational Church Friday, November 17th, at 8 o'clock. Admission—Adults, 25c; children, 15c.

Last Sunday morning about thirty men, women and children all wearing pennants subscribed Brady's 19th Anniversary, wended their way down N. Forest Ave. and helped Mr. and Mrs. Brady celebrate their wedding anniversary. The day was ideal and the visitors enjoyed it to the utmost.

H. P. Jones of Gilbert avenue, who has had much experience in the tabulation of election returns in Chicago and Illinois, visited New York last week to help the New York staff of the Associated Press compile the state vote on the woman suffrage question and the proposed new state constitution.

Have the mysterious robbers left Downers Grove for a new field of operations at Naperville? This week's "Clarion" says a number of robberies have taken place in the last few weeks, the burglars leaving no clew. Only small jewelry and money being taken, as was the case here last winter and this fall. Here's hoping they go still farther west.

The many friends of Mrs. Frank Frisbie of Highland Acres are glad to hear that she is rapidly recovering from the injuries she sustained from an electric shock a week ago Thursday.

A limb of a tree fell on the electric light wires and pulled the street circuit out to the house wire. Mrs. Frisbie pressed an electric light button on the wall of the living room while she was standing on a register. This completed a circuit. The shock burned her thumb and a spot as large as a silver dollar on the sole of her foot.

WESTERN NEWS.

Miss Anna Huling has been visiting her sister and enjoying the exposition in San Francisco. She is now in Los Angeles with her brother and may remain in California indefinitely.

Mrs. W. S. Carpenter, Miss Nellie Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Fry, Miss Anna Huling and Mrs. John B. Huling of Los Angeles helped to swell the crowd of nearly 350,000 persons who attended the exposition on San Francisco Day. This was the largest attendance recorded since the exposition opened and compares favorably in proportion to the size of the city with the great days of other fairs in the past, notably Chicago Day in 1893. As children Mrs. Fry and Miss Huling went with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Huling, to the World's Fair on October 5, and they were the only members of their family to have the pleasure of being present at the P. E. E. in Chicago Day this

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year. Readers of the Reporter who have seen this exposition and admired the Palace of Fine Arts will be interested to learn that earnest efforts are being made to preserve it and later it is hoped to reconstruct it in permanent materials.

CONGREGATIONAL HOME DEPARTMENT ENJOYS LUNCHEON.

The Congregational Home Department observed a reunion on Tuesday when they met in the church with guests and friends which was a delicious luncheon which was prepared for them by the Philatheas.

Following the prayer offered by Madame Bridgeman, the doxology was sung, led by Mrs. Harry Slosser, Mrs. Blackman kindly furnished music on the Victrola during the luncheon and sang "Oh, Promise Me," and was heartily encored.

Mrs. Prince, superintendent, then introduced the following speakers, who responded briefly: Mrs. Fetter, superintendent of the Presbyterian Home Department of Hinsdale; Mrs. Heughan, wife of the pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Hinsdale; Mrs. McCartney of Hinsdale, wife of Harry McCartney, known to us through his "Du Page County Peace Memorial"; Rev. Viehe, our pastor; Mrs. Elizabeth Batchelder, representing the honorary members; Mrs. Narmore, representing the charter members of the church; and Mrs. W. P. Thomas of Chicago, executive secretary of the Woman's Peace Party.

The Home Department is the home study class of the Sunday school. Its aims are spiritual. It seeks to express in Christian lives and Christian service Christian precept. It depends upon the voluntary contributions of its members to pay its expenses, which contributions have exceeded the expenses for five consecutive years, enabling it to give twenty dollars to the church building fund from its treasury. The department is now asking for a Christmas thank offering to be paid before December 15, of one dollar from each of its 85 members, to be applied to the building fund.

Following a social hour there was an adjournment to the Library Building, where Mrs. Thomas spoke before the Woman's Club and Home Department on "Woman and the International Idealism."

Because women suffer most from war they must protest, not alone Jane Addams and the leaders of this new crusade, but each individual woman. Not hesitatingly, as did the Trojan women of old, but with radiant eyes and vision and know that Love and Justice will come to rule the world.

War is a barbarous and outrageous tradition which we have done to long

past its day. Man is too highly civilized to endure it longer. It isn't true that Christianity has failed; Christianity has never been tried; when it is tried war will cease.

MEETING TO URGE PRESIDENT TO JOIN NEUTRAL CONFERENCE

Similar Meetings All Over Nation.

Since the startling evidence of the deplorable and neutral governments of Europe has been put before the people of our country, a growing feeling of impatience by men and women over the delay of our country to act in the name of humanity has finally resulted in a nation-wide movement. Everywhere people are clamoring for an opportunity to assert their feelings and are besieging the centers of organization to give advice as to what can be done to help Europe out of the trap into which it has fallen. The organization of peace forces, the National Peace Federation, the president of which is Hamilton Holt of New York, Vice President Jane Addams of Chicago, and Secretary Louis P. Lochner of Chicago, will direct this national peace demonstration. On Nov. 8th, thousands of simultaneous meetings will be held all over the country, constituting an immense, gigantic appeal calling upon the president to lead the United States in fulfilling our solemn obligation.

"THE DANCING GIRL."

Story of the Play.

Florence Reed, the celebrated emotional actress, whose amazing talents have been seen to advantage in such noted Broadway successes as "Seven Days," "The Typhoon" and "The Yellow Ticket," in the last of which she won a distinct personal triumph, makes her first appearance in motion pictures in the Famous Players Film Company's realistic and artistic screen adaptation of Henry Arthur Jones' world-famous drama, "The Dancing Girl."

The mobile features and pantomimic power of this talented young American star lend themselves readily to the screen, and her grace and beauty of form not only render Miss Reed particularly suited to the role of "The Dancing Girl," but make her a welcome and valuable addition to the photoplay world.

"The Dancing Girl" might have been written for the camera, so full of action and picturesqueness is every scene, the colorful exterior of its rocky coast of "The Isle of Endellion" contrasting with the rich interiors of the elegant home of the profligate Duke of Gulesberry, under whose patronage the dancing girl lives to this time, and then in the dramatic

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THE BLUES
parison of the sober life of the grave Quakers on the lonely island with the bright life of London society and the gay Bohemia of the singers and artists, with whom the Quaker girl, Drusilla, mingles when she becomes the favorite of the Duke. Perhaps the greatest incident of the play is the famous "staircase scene," where Drusilla, at the zenith of her fame, having come down to dance before the Duke's own family, declares to her amazed and angry old Quaker father, who comes in search of her, that she wants to be "the topmost rose on the topmost bough, and live in the sunshine," and is crushed by the terrible wrath of a father's curse. "Tittering for a moment beneath her father's scourging censure, she falters, and falls the length of the grand staircase, and awakes to consciousness, knowing at last the havoc she has made of her life and the shame she is to her people. The tragedy of this is followed by the splendid scene in which occurs the meeting of the penitent Drusilla with the nobleman whom her extravagance has ruined, on the lonely coast to seek death, and where they sheltered lives and to share a newer, purer life. At Dicke's Theater, Tuesday, November 16.

WHAT DID YOU DO?

Did you give him a lift? He's a brother of man, And bearing about all the burden he can.

Did you give him a smile? He was downcast and blue, And the smile would have helped him to battle it through.

Did you give him your hand? He was slipping down hill, And the world, so he fancied, was using him ill.

Did you give him a word? Did you show him the road, Or did you just let him go on with his load?

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Saturday Nov. 13th

"An Unseen Enemy,"
"Tony & Marie"
"And by these Deeds"
"Paramount South American travel picture"
"Foiled"
Biograph Drama
Lubin Drama
Biograph 2-reel Feature
Kalem Comedy

Tuesday Nov. 16th

Daniel Frohmann presents
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Thursday Nov. 18th

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We romped bare-footed all day long; We read "Tom Sawyer," too, Or fished for bullheads in the pond, Beneath the shade of blue; And many a homeless how-wow would Our sympathies engage, Back on the road to yesterday, Back in the stone-bruise age.

The lemonade stand—Oh, yes! The postage stamps—the slides—The haunted house—the visit press—And grandma's string-of-pearls—The Jack-in-the-box—The

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