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PERSONALS

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Willard McCollum was home from the Rock Island Arsenal last Sunday.

Mrs. F. U. Allen and Mrs. Charles Smith visited Chicago relatives on Tuesday.

Yesterday's snow is ample demonstration, thank you, that Old Man Winter's backbone is not yet broken.

Mrs. C. H. Staats returned last Saturday from a weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Clara Glass, in Oak Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Smith of Chicago, visited the Simonson family last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunyar of Chicago, visited the Shaller family on Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Smith of Seneca, is visiting her brother, Frank Allen and wife.

Mrs. E. Morgan of Lyman avenue has gone to St. Louis for a short stay.

H. D. Buchanan of Chicago, visited at the home of his aunt, Mrs. T. E. Brooks, Tuesday.

Mrs. Albert Grumhaus entertained twelve ladies at a Lenten tea on Tuesday afternoon.

A surprise party at the Martin White home on Monday evening was a farewell party for Miss Ruth.

Watch the Philathea class pack the "Home Missionary Barrel" at the M. E. Church next Friday night. —Adv.

Miss Mary Smith visited at Buffalo, N. Y. over Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Burkhardt.

Mrs. Carl Carlson entertained the Misses Sylvia and Essie Roth of Hinsdale on Thursday.

A number of Ladies of the Macca-bees gave a farewell party for Mrs. Ida White on Thursday afternoon.

Daniel Miley, Jr. spent the week end at Minneapolis, Minn. visiting his aunt and uncle.

Miss Maude Bateman left Monday for Lorange, La., and will also visit Houston and New Orleans.

Wm. Dexter enjoyed a furlough at home last week from the Rock Island Arsenal.

Mrs. J. P. Cassidy of Chicago visited with Mrs. Rose Waples on Monday.

Mrs. H. Saunders of California, is visiting friends and relatives in the village.

Mrs. John B. Jenkins was hostess to the Shakespeare Class on Monday afternoon.

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Mrs. George Bridgman attended a luncheon on Monday at the home of Mrs. J. C. Lathrop at Clarendon Hills.

The Ladies Aid Society of the St. Paul Evangelical church met at the home of Mrs. Jos Staiger on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Grace Stover was home over the week end, being called here by the death of her cousin, Mrs. Maud Hanchett, of Elgin.

Mrs. F. LeBlanc entertained the Womens Class of the Baptist church on Tuesday evening. A very enjoyable time was had by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Baker from Aurora, visited his mother, Mrs. Carr Baker and other relatives here, last Sunday.

Lieut. J. J. Hopkins of Upper Praet, W. Va. and Miss Gladys Rogers were guests of friends in Decatur, Ill., Friday and Saturday.

Miss Harriet Hindman and Mrs. H. J. McFarland visited with Sergeant Harold Hindman at Jacksonville, Fla., last week.

Sergeant A. Forest Nash has received his commission as Asst. Band Master at camp Lewis, American Lake Washington.

Mysterious entertainment at M. E. church next Friday night. See the program on another page and "guess who." —Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Graham of Chicago, are here to spend the Spring and Summer with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Brooks.

Walter Harthorn has resigned his position with the Burlington and has accepted a position with the Automatic Electric in Chicago. They expect to move to Chicago in the near future.

William Vaughan died at the home of his son W. E. Vaughan 152 Lincoln ave. Thursday night, funeral services will be held at the Episcopal church Monday morning burial at the west side cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin White and daughter, Ruth, moved this week to Austin where they will make their future home. Fred will remain here living with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. LeMott until he graduates.

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Towsley entertained Messrs. and Mesdames, E. L. Kellogg, W. R. Behrel, O. B. Plumly, S. J. Brown, L. V. Orsinger, Miss E. B. Dixon. The evening was pleasantly spent playing Rook and dancing.

The Congregational Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. C. B. and Mrs. W. H. Blodgett, Maple avenue, on Thursday, March 21st at 1:30. A full attendance is desired as plans will be made to hold a Bazaar Sale on the 28th of March.

Mrs. Josephine C. Austin entertained at dinner last Sunday, March 10. Four generations were seated; Mrs. Austin, Mrs. Mabelle Stewart, her daughter, Mrs. Agnes Grove, granddaughter and Alfred V. Grove, Jr. her great grandson.

Mel Butler, who has been trying to get into the British Royal Flying Corps, was turned down Wednesday on account of his left eye. He has not given up hope however as the examining physician says less office and more outdoors may correct the trouble.

Clifford Sieber has received his discharge from C. H. and has enlisted in the Ordnance Dept., leaving Saturday for the east. This leaves the company without a regular bugler but as "Bill" Rice has been appointed to the vacancy and is a natural born musician, he will soon be able to blow the calls as well as the best.

George Corcoran in a letter to his mother says that last Saturday was his leaving day from Winnipeg to "go over." He also writes that he met Carl Pfau of the Grove at the camp. George is in the Canadian infantry and through the training received here with the reserve militia has been appointed corporal.

Lieut. Leslie Chandler, of Hinsdale, army aviator, who was killed last Saturday when his aeroplane fell on the flying field at San Antonio, was buried with military honors Wednesday afternoon. He was well known here through his connection with high school athletics and is the first Hinsdale man in service to lose his life.

C. H. and W. J. Staats attended a war conference and luncheon under the auspices of the State Defense Council for the Editors of Illinois, last Saturday afternoon at which Gov. F. O. Lowden was the guest of honor and the principal speaker. Every speaker on the program praised the press of the state for their patriotic endeavors in helping win the war.

The Womens Society of the Baptist church at their last meeting elected the following officers: Mrs. Tiffany, President; Mrs. Drach, First Vice-President; Mrs. Caldwell, Second Vice-President; Mrs. Edwards, Secretary and Mrs. Wohrel, Treasurer. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Barr, Thursday, March 21st, Mrs. F. F. Chessman will assist here, the missionary topic will be Assam and Burmah.

J. W. Hughes, who was in charge of the collecting of Downers Grove's share of the War Camp Recreation Fund advises us that we fell behind on our quota. \$340 was the amount allotted us and to date the collections have been \$309 with a little still to be checked in. This is almost as important a work as the Y. M. C. A. and really supplements the work of that organization. The "Y" gets in its best licks at the camps and cantonments while this fund will provide clean and wholesome amusement in the cities and towns near the camps for the boys when they are off duty.

mer evangelists, two men who have gone "over the top" in the King's service will speak at a special service in S. Andrew's church, on Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. These men have been lecturing in Chicago, under the auspices of the Episcopal church Club, and have a message from the Book of Life that will mean very much to those who take advantage of the opportunity to hear them narrate their experiences. The pastor of S. Andrew's church wishes to extend a cordial invitation to all those in Downers Grove who can possibly arrange to attend this meeting. There will be no collection, the meeting is free and open to all. The gentlemen will speak before the High school students earlier in the afternoon.

**LIBRARY AIDED
AT UNION MEET-
ING OF CHURCHES**

Substantial Sum Given Toward Work of Local Institution. Interesting Facts Reviewed.

Viewing our Public Library as a product of the Christian spirit and of Christian enterprise, the United Churches of Downers Grove demonstrated a practical interest in this important community institution by giving it a place on their program last Sunday evening at the Methodist church. Before an audience which filled the spacious building, the history, work and present needs of the Library were presented in two addresses by Rev. Ira M. Grey and Mr. W. B. Towsley, following which an offering was taken for the work of the Library amounting in cash and pledges to nearly \$80.00.

Mr. Grey pointed out the close relation between vital religion and public welfare. He scored the kind of religion which does not express itself in social and community helpfulness. "Religion is of two kinds," he said, "compartmental and dynamic. The first is of the nature of a system, the second of the nature of life. The first is a neat theological package done up in paraffine paper to be kept in a spiritual cold storage chamber. The second is an electrical dynamo that sends real life currents through every fibre and atom of your being. The one is portable and transferable—you can take it out on Sunday morning, use it for exhibition purposes during the day, and at night store it safely away again until the next Sunday. The other is diffusive and pervasive—it circulates through your whole makeup and touches everything you touch, Sunday, Monday, and every other day of the week."

Vital Christianity, Mr. Grey continued, always tended toward progress and growth. It was always the precursor and guarantor of education and social advancement. Schools, colleges and libraries grew out of its soil. And on our own splendid institutions were no exception. Our Public Library was the outgrowth of Christian altruism. The speaker paid a warm tribute to the Christian women who founded the Library a quarter of a century ago, and traced its progress under the care of the Ladies Library Association until it was turned over to the present Board, which, with its self-sacrificing President, has rendered invaluable service, was also expressed.

Mr. Towsley spoke for the Library Board. He stated that in spite of severe handicaps, the Library had accumulated 4,000 volumes, and numbered on its lists 1,000 borrowers, with an average monthly circulation of 1,600. In addition there are 30 magazines on file, which circulate 160 a month. As an aid to the boys and girls of the community, the influence of the Library was incalculable. Mr. Towsley also called attention to the honor roll which has recently been placed in the Library containing the names of our boys who are in the national service. All of this was exclusive of the social centre which Library Hall offered for the whole community, and which is used by various organizations and groups. Downers Grove would be almost lost without this central meeting place with its fine facilities for social and intellectual advancement. Mr. Towsley's reference to the unstinted and indefatigable service of President L. B. Wells was greeted with applause. Another point emphasized by Mr. Towsley was the need for more books of the right kind and the desire of the Library to serve a wider constituency, adult as well as juvenile.

At the close of the speaking the congregation was treated to a rendition of the cantata, Gallia, by the joint choirs of the Methodist and Evangelical churches, under the direction of Mrs. J. F. Jenness. The choir was ably supported by Mrs. R. E. Rasseweiler, who sang the soprano solos. This inspiring and uplifting contribution by the joint choir formed a fitting climax to the evening's worship. Someone suggested that it should be repeated, and we hope it may some time soon.

**TO THE VOTERS
OF DuPAGE COUNTY**

I hereby announce myself candidate for the office of County Treasurer. Having served as Township Collector for the Town of Milton the past two years, I feel that I can fill the above office to the satisfaction of all the voters.

The Primary takes place September eleventh. I respectfully solicit your support.

Lawrence Hattendorf,
Wheaton, Ill.

**MAYOR KIDWELL
BANQUETED BOYS
OF 108th ENGRS.**

Camp Logan, Houston, Texas. The Downers Grove Reporter, Gentlemen:

Mr. John F. Kidwell of Downers Grove tendered a banquet to the boys of the 108th Engineers, Camp Logan, Houston, Texas, at the Brazos Hotel noted throughout the South for its fine cuisine.

Among those present were his two sons, Thomas and John Kidwell, Robt. Shields, U. B. Groves, John Koll, Clayton Peterson, Andrew Mowart, Warren Wells, Alfred Gardner and Wm. E. Connolly. The battle started at six-thirty and lasted for two hours and to see the boys in action you would think their food supplies were about to be cut off for three days. After the engagement was over they thanked Captain Kidwell for his gallant courage in leading them against the army called Chow, and as John Koll remarked, "I did not realize we used up so much ammunition."

The forces then retired to the parlors to rest and recuperate after the hard battle and Robert Shields, the Caruso of Co. A. rendered several vocal selections and U. B. Groves recited "The Boys We Need."

The boys then voted Mr. Kidwell a vote of thanks and he will long be remembered in camp for his kind disposition as well as his generous heart and all the boys are saying, Come Again.

Corp. William E. Connolly,
Co. A, 108th U. S. Engineers.

**NEWSY NOTES
FROM LISLE
AND BELMONT**

A. PORTER, Correspondent
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**LISLE CONGREGATIONAL
CHURCH NOTES**

Bible school 10 a. m.
Morning worship 11 a. m. Subject, "The City of God."

Evening service 7:45. Beautifully illustrated travelogue with seventy colored pictures. Come and bring your friends.

Each Wednesday evening at 7:45 a special Lenten Service will be held at the church taking up the "Last Week of the Life of Christ." These services will be held until Easter.

Easter Sunday will be observed with appropriate sermon and special music. Communion will be observed and members publicly received. Any wishing to unite with the church at this time are requested to give their names to the pastor.

Mrs. A. Schwartz passed away at her home Sunday, March 10th, at the age of 78 years. She had been a resident of Lisle for 50 years. She leaves to mourn her loss three sons and one daughter, Mrs. Boecker, of Naperville, and Daniel, Edward and Andrew of Lisle and several grandchildren and a host of friends. The funeral was held Tuesday morning at St. Peter & St. Paul church. Interment at the Naperville cemetery.

August Lasanska has received his call from the government and left here Tuesday for Georgia.

The boys club will have a social time in the church basement Saturday evening. They are looking forward to having a good time as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tate attended the funeral of Mrs. A. Schwartz Tuesday.

The Lisle Red Cross gave to August Lasanska and Anton Stroup each a comfort kit and knitted articles for which the boys are very thankful.

**FORMER DOWNERS
PEOPLE PICNICED
IN CALIFORNIA**

The Downers Grove association met at Sycamore Grove, last Saturday, March 2. The day was warm and beautiful indeed and all enjoyed meeting old friends and talking over old times.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Hawks, Mrs. James Pridham, Grenville Pridham, Mrs. Lusy A. Kinyon, Miss Dell Wilcox, Mrs. J. B. Marshall, J. K. Gager, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Colwell, Mrs. Ella Chivers, Mrs. Rutherford, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Riddler, Olive Sanders Staimer, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Lindley, Mrs. C. J. Wilcox, Orville Wilcox, Mrs. Eva Blanchard, Mrs. Mary Stanley, Mrs. H. Gumbrell, Miss H. W. Gumbrell, Mrs. J. B. Huling and daughter Margaret, Mr. J. C. Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Golisch and Mrs. J. Allen Toland.