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PERSONALS

All copy should be in this office by Wednesday noon at the very latest.

The L. L. Cheveller family moved to Chicago last Saturday.

Fleck and Buchholz of Hinsdale are taking orders for Ford cars.

Dr. E. B. Goodwin was ill last week with a severe attack of the flu.

NOTICE—The Library will be closed on Thanksgiving day.

Special show at the Dicke Theatre Thanksgiving day.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Staffelt on Nov. 15th, a son.

Mr. Carter Singletery left on Wednesday on a business trip thru Ind.

Tell your friends to read the story of Lila Lee in the Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bliss have moved to Chicago.

Mrs. H. D. Wylie who has been ill is improving nicely.

See John Barrymore in "On the Quiet," at Dicke's Theatre.

Mrs. Phillip Beckman visited Naperville relatives Wednesday.

Don't miss Mary Pickford Thursday at the Dicke Theatre.

Walter Sherman is enjoying a two weeks furlough from the Great Lakes.

Frank Allison and family are guests at the Allison home on Warren Ave.

Mrs. Wm. Emrich attended a luncheon in Oak Park Wednesday.

Special music at the Dicke Theatre Thursday, Thanksgiving day.

Step and Think! Have you given your limit to the United War Work drive?

Mrs. W. J. Staats visited over the week end with her husband and cousins. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Glass of Rockford, Ill.

The Clara Wendling Boarding Club had a flashlight group picture taken lately.

Mr. Walter Kelley of Finley, Ohio, visited at the E. P. LeMott home Sunday.

Fleck and Buchholz of Hinsdale are the local agents for Fordson Tractors.

Frank Bruns returned to the Great Lakes Wednesday after spending a ten day furlough with home folks.

Dr. and Mrs. D. Irion of Elmhurst spent Wednesday afternoon with the Rev. and Mrs. P. N. Crusius.

Mrs. E. L. Dickerson and Mrs. B. J. Stevenson attended a luncheon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Clappitt at Winnetka Wednesday.

Mrs. Carl J. Staiger and son have returned from the Mary Thompson hospital in Chicago and are visiting at the home of Mrs. Staiger's parents in Fullersburg.

Miss Ida Witt who has been visiting her sister in Plainwell, Mich. is now making her home with her sister here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hagerman and Miss Bertha Schultz attended the dedication of the Lutheran Church at Le-mont last Sunday.

Miss Thelma Fraenkel is at the West Side hospital recovering from an operation for appendicitis. Dr. Worsley was the surgeon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wells attended the silver wedding anniversary of Mrs. Wells' sister and husband at Millard Ave. on Saturday evening.

Mrs. S. R. Block entertained her brother's fiancé and her sister of Galesburg and Miss Nell Adams of Chicago last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyers and family have moved into the house on Main Street vacated by the Cheveller family.

Wheaton has another gold star on their service flag. Mr. and Mrs. John Carlson have received word that their son, Carl died of wounds on Oct. 3d.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Chesman are the happy parents of a daughter, Elizabeth Lee, who came to make her home with them on Wednesday, November 20th.

Don't fail to see Lila Lee, the new Paramount star. She is like the gentle-south breeze in the spring—she has all the screen charms—youth, beauty, charm and enthusiasm.

Carl J. Stone and his wife with their little son, Donald Roy, spent the week end, Friday evening attending the Autumn Festival and then over Sunday in the home of Mr. Stone's parents.

Ernest Zimmerlin and family, formerly of our town, before they moved to Lisle, have moved back again. Mr. Zimmerlin has a good position in the C. B. & Q. round house here. Welcome! They live in the H. C. Bolde-back house on Ross Court.

Rev. R. K. Schwab, while at the home of John Rehm last Sunday after noon, was called upon to christen Roberta Joyce Van Osdel, the four year old daughter of W. W. and Julia Rehm Van Osdel.

The Arcadian Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Heintz Saturday evening, Nov. 16. After business meeting was over, games were played and refreshments served. A good time was had by all.

The boys of the high school are bestirring themselves mightily these evenings from 4:30 to 6:00 to get up a good basket ball team this year. You will hear more of them later on.

Rev. R. K. Schwab went to the University of Chicago last Tuesday evening to help initiate the new members into the Delta Theta Chi fraternity of the Divinity School.

The young people of Downers Grove should hear Rev. Aubey S. Moore, the popular young pastor of Washington Blvd. Church, Chicago, at the First Methodist Church at 8 o'clock Friday night.

Those persons who subscribed to the powder fund for Armistice Day need not fear that their money will not go up in the air. No powder was to be had so the money is to be spent for a new flag to float from the village flag pole.

The committee in charge of the Khaki and Blue dance last Saturday evening, wish to take this opportunity of thanking the Library Board and the Hostesses for their assistance and co-operation in making the evening such a success.

The Library Committee of the Home and Educational Department of the Woman's Club have charge of opening the Library for readig purposes on Sunday afternoons from 2:30 to 5:00 o'clock.

Mr. Ellis J. White of Redwood, N. Y., who visited Wm. and Edward Emrich here recently, went to visit his brother in Nebraska and passed away very suddenly.

Archie Schlauder, S. D. Richey and Chas. Prueter have purchased Fordson Tractors from Fleck and Buchholz and are now operating same around Downers Grove. For information call Hinsdale 58.

The Missionary Society of the Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. James and Mrs. Phelps. Mrs. Tiffany read a paper on Mormonism and Mrs. McCollum had charge of devotionals.

An article in Colliers magazine says—A person who refuses to subscribe to the United War Work Fund for religious reasons is not a religious crank but a tightwad and a traitor!

Ensign M. L. Butler left Sunday night for New York City to report for duty. It is not known just where he will be assigned but there is a possibility that he will be placed on a transport, there to render service in helping to bring home the American Expeditionary Force.

Next week is Thanksgiving week so please have all copy for the Reporter in extra early. Thursday is our busiest day and we want to be able to get the paper out on time and at the same time be able to enjoy a full holiday. Thank you.

Mrs. H. E. Wright and daughter Barbara, who have spent the past 3 weeks in Cincinnati, Ohio, returned home Monday. Mr. E. B. Beresford and daughter returned with them and will make her home here.

Mr. G. C. Butler left Tuesday evening for Decatur where he will attend a meeting of the Superintendents and School Boards of the State. Later in the week he will attend the High School Conference which will be in session at Champaign, Illinois.

Come and help us sing. The first big community singing preparation for the Community Christmas Tree will be held at the Kindergarten, Tuesday, November 26th at 8 p. m. Everybody wanted. If you can sing, we need your voice; if you can't, we need your enthusiasm.

Miss Edith Butler entertained a party of friends on Saturday evening Nov. 17th. A very nice time was reported and dainty refreshments were served. The guests were: Miss Maud Burton of Chicago, Corporal Harry S. Case of Aurora, the Misses Nettie and Mabel Reil, Miss Edith Snyder, and Sam Kennison and Rouse Wapies of the Grove.

The Ladies Aid of the St. Paul's Evangelical Church on Grove St. will hold a bazaar and supper on Thursday Dec. 5th. The supper will be 25 cents. Ice cream and cake will also be served. Come and bring your friends and buy fancy goods for Christmas gifts.

The Annual Bazaar of the Cong. Ladies Aid Society will be held in the church basement Thursday, Dec. 5th beginning at 10:30 a. m. A new feature will be introduced this year in a household utility booth. Come and supply your domestic needs, special attention will be given to bakery goods and attractive Christmas gifts.

The Central Committee of the Downers Grove Community Christmas Organization met in Chas. Haller's real estate office last Saturday evening. The place to put up the tree, how to light and decorate it and the nature of the main program were all threshed thru. Committees were filled and schedules of events were drawn. The committee will meet again at the same place this coming Saturday eve at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pect of Hartford, Conn. are spending the week with their cousins, Mrs. Stanley and Mr. Naramore, here.

Mrs. A. B. Cole, who has been here with her mother, Mrs. John Stanley, who has been ill with lagrippe, left for her home in Ottawa, Wednesday.

We see that our special mention of the Post Office clock last week caused it to move to a different place on the wall. That is the first move it has made for some time. We fear that it is seeking to dodge the real issue, however. What we are after is that its hands should move in regular order over its face, not that the clock should move all over the wall, in order to be a good 100 per cent American clock.

Saturday was a gloomy and rainy day, especially for the St. Procopius football team that got all muddy and discouraged about its chances for beating our own Downers Grove first team and quit cold and left for home in a hurry when a bit of sharp, illegal football that they wanted to spring was not allowed by the officials. 'Stoo bad! We were in hopes of seeing a real game.

A large and enthusiastic catechetical class has recently been organized by Rev. R. K. Schwab among the children of the First Evangelical S. S. The class meets after school every Wednesday afternoon until 4:30 in the Young People's room in the church. The following are regular members of the class: Lois, Phyllis and Marie Bruna, Robert Conley, Vernon Frank, Ruth Geissert, Welton Gress, Maud Haller, Clarence Heintz, John Lehman, Virgil Sutter, Theodore Tack, Paul Wenzel, Martha and Susanna Zimmerlin.



Saturday, November 23rd.  
**John Barrymore**  
in  
**"On the Quiet"**

Past! It's a secret, but may be we'll let you in on it if you promise not to breathe it to a soul. Bob Ridgway was one of those lovable harem-scarem scamps who was up to his neck in hot water every time he turned. He went out of a Yale lot faster than he entered it and when he left he carried the best wishes of the faculty for a safe arrival in the Inferno. Now! Here's the point. He had to finish that course at Yale to get the girl and the 20,000,000 that went with her. That's where he had a job done "on the quiet." What job? Ah! Now you're asking to much. Come on down and see!

Burton Holmes Travel Travel Picture  
"Some Romeo" Christie Comedy  
Matinee 3:30. Admission 10 and 15 cents including War Tax  
Evening two shows 7:30 and 9:15. Admission 15 & 20 cts. inc. War Tax

Tuesday, November 26th.  
**Lila Lee**

in  
**"The Cruise of the Make-Believes"**



LILA LEE in "The Cruise of the Make-Believes"

Lila Lee Was Chosen From Thousands To Be Famous  
Lila Lee is the lucky girl who was chosen from thousands of aspirants for motion picture fame. The experts say that this 16-year old girl is the coming star. They have started her steps on the paths that have been trod by the film players whose names are household words. Is she worthy of the honor? Will she make good? Come to see her in "The Cruise of the Make-Believes" and judge for yourself.

Christie Comedy presents "Help! Help!"  
One show at 7:45. Admission 15 and 20 cents including War Tax.

Special Thanksgiving Program  
Thursday, November 28th.

**Mary Pickford**



MARY PICKFORD in "Johanna Enlists"  
An AIRCRAFT Picture

**"Johanna Enlists"**

She lives on a lovely farm, does Mary Pickford in this picture, and then the soldiers came. Never a bean before and now Lovers three! A hardy aristocratic Captain, a handsome Lieutenant, and a peppery private! Who gets her? But you can't guess. The private knows he is heavily handicapped and calls the lieutenant "a piece of cheese"—who naturally gets him introduced to the Guard House, followed by a Court Martial. The Captain is the Prosecutor in the case, but Cupid adds the brains of everybody concerned... and eventually Mary pickford rides away on a gun carriage to be married.

Bray Pictograph Special Music Ford Weekly  
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Evening two shows 7:30 and 9:15. Admission 15 & 20 cts. inc. War Tax