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## PERSONALS

Donald Stevenson is quite ill.

Mrs. Victor Peterson is entertaining her cousin from Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Eckhart have moved to Englewood.

Howard Fairweather of Ft. Wayne is visiting home folks.

Dr. Bebb is visiting relatives here this week.

Adolph Baker visited with relatives here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Simon spent Sunday in Aurora.

Harvey Drew spent Sunday visiting friends in Naperville.

The W. T. C. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. M. B. Hanchett, Friday afternoon, April 11th at 2:30.

This afternoon Mrs. Fred Burdick will be hostess to the Highland Ave. Home Circle.

Miss Hazel Burdick is at home convalescing from an operation on her tonsils.

Miss Dorothy McDonald, of Aurora, visited over the week end with Miss Elsie Pischel.

Willard Gallup, Marine, has been discharged from the service to continue his school work and is home.

Fred Kettinger and family are now living in the Miller flat on S. Forest Avenue.

Mrs. Cora Steere, of Oak Park, visited the Ben Weatherbee family here last Thursday.

The Ira Albrecht family moved last Saturday from the Miller flats on S. Forest to Michigan.

Mrs. R. C. Briggs and daughter Elizabeth, visited with friends at Lockport, Ill., last Friday.

The next meeting of the Mothers Club will be held next Tuesday afternoon, April 15th at 2:30.

Mrs. Richard Milroy was called to Galva, Ill., Wednesday by the death of her mother, Mrs. C. A. Driggs.

Mrs. Harry Snyder, of Fairfield, Iowa, is visiting at the Snyder home on Oakwood Avenue.

Arthur D. Iehl was discharged from the army at Camp Taylor, Ky., Tuesday and arrived home Wednesday morning.

Mrs. T. F. Kelley attended a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Wellington Hughey, of Chicago, last Thursday.

Be sure to buy tickets for the Easter concert—not only for your enjoyment—but to furnish means for good work in our village. Price 15 cents.

The program for the Easter Concert will be in the next issue of the paper. A good one is assured by the committee.

George Binder was rushed to the West Side hospital Tuesday evening and operated on for appendicitis. He is doing as well as could be expected.

Mrs. C. E. Nevitt is ill at the Wesley hospital in Chicago. She is suffering from an attack of nervous prostration.

Mr. and Mrs. John Diener and fam-

ily of Ross Court saw their son Niel off for the summer at a farm at Iowa, Illinois.

H. O. Hanson and family who have been occupying the Holmes house on Oakwood Ave. will move back to Chicago.

Edward Venard has purchased the Holmes house on Oakwood Ave. and will take possession May 1st. F. D. Lindley swung the deal.

Mrs. Ralph Soule, of Berwyn is a patient at the West Side hospital having undergone a serious operation. She is a former local resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Staats and Betty Jane visited with Miss Mary Schuelenberg and other relatives in Naperville Sunday.

Mrs. Herbert I. Stoudt who has been convalescing from influenza and pneumonia at the home of her parents in the city has returned to the Grove.

The Missionary Society of the Congregational church will meet at the home of Mrs. Jules Zindt, Friday, March 11th at 2:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Blodgett entertained a few friends at dinner last Friday in honor of their 53d wedding anniversary.

A new thing in town—the sheet music department at Zindt's Drug Store. This will no doubt be a great convenience to the musical people of our community. adv.

Fire destroyed the shed in the rear of the Tom Holland home on Curtiss Street Tuesday morning. A new fire nozzle was given a work out and found to be a good one.

The members of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church announce a formal Reception and Dance to be given in Library Hall on Saturday evening, April 26th.

The Womans Guild of St. Andrew's Church will meet on Thursday afternoon, April 11th at 2 o'clock, at the residence of Mrs. Hulbert Jones, 95 Chicago Ave. All interested in the Guild work are cordially invited to attend.

Fred Binder is busily engaged in removing the "Curtiss St. Eysore" the old Blackburn property next to the creek. He is doing the job for a client of G. H. Bunge's who recently sold the property to a Hinsdale resident.

Albert Vix, of the Aviation Corps, reached home Tuesday afternoon having received his discharge from the service at Camp Grant that morning. He has been in Texas since a few weeks after his enlistment.

Mrs. Wm. Dietrich and daughter, Zella Jane visited her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Staats, Mr. and Mrs. Chester J. Winter and other relatives and friends here Wednesday and Thursday.

The heroine in "The Winning Girl" which will be shown at the Dicke Theatre, Tuesday, April 8th, is a real, honest-to-goodness, wide-awake, peppy American Girl. One of the kind everybody likes—You'll like her too. Come and get acquainted. adv.

Mrs. James P. Mitchell and children returned on Saturday from their winter home at DeLand, Florida. Mr. Mitchell has returned from Washington D. C. where he has been working for Uncle Sam for some months.

The Polish people of East Grove

are instrumental in a tag day for next Saturday, April 5th, for the benefit of the starving children of Poland. M. F. Pozdol is chairman of the committee which has charge of the work here.

Be sure and keep an extra couple of hours at your disposal, either in the afternoon or evening, of Saturday, April 12th. Why? Because the Dicke Theatre has an extra special show booked for that date—Wm. S. Hart in "Breed of Men" and Fatty Arbuckle in "Love." Don't forget. adv.

Edward D. Otto has been awarded the contract for two miles of concrete road in the north part of the county. The road is to be the extension of the 12th St. concrete and will run thru the Forest Preserve tract and connect with the improved Wheaton road. It is to be eighteen feet wide and of the best approved construction.

The little cottage on North Forest Ave. which was Mrs. Hoffert's home for many years is being moved to Prince Avenue by the new owners, Mrs. J. C. Parker and her daughter, Miss Gertrude. They have purchased a lot just south of their present home and the cottage will be placed there and remodeled.

Nearly everyone likes a story that is unusual and out of the ordinary. To tell those who would like to see such a story, enacted before their very eyes, and amid beautiful scenery, we suggest that they see "A Romance of Happy Valley" at the Dicke Theatre Saturday, April 5th.

F. D. Lindley has sold his home on Highland Avenue, one of the prettiest places in the village, to Geo. R. Smith, of Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Smith will again make their home in the Grove. They sold their Forest Ave. property last summer but the call of Downers Grove was too strong and we will be glad to welcome them back.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. F. Hecht, 113 W. Maple Ave. had the pleasure of entertaining his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Scherrer, of Tarrytown, N. W. Mr. Scherrer left for Omaha the same day while Mrs. Scherrer remained four days until his return, then leaving to reopen their home at Tarrytown having spent the last three months in New York City at the McAlpin Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Lawrence entertained friends most delightfully at their home on Gilbert Ave., Saturday evening, Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Gourley, Messrs. and Mesdames L. E. Jones, H. D. Wylie, E. H. Huntington, G. L. Bush, J. B. Jenkins, C. W. Hughes, E. J. Matson, N. C. Pearce, A. B. Snow, H. P. Jones, N. J. Perron, C. F. Davis, W. H. Blodgett and M. K. Bush.

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Wednesday evening occurred the annual supper and business meeting of the Baptist Church. After business session a good program was enjoyed. Music was furnished by Miss Green Griffiths, Vernon Fuller and the Male Quartette. The speakers were Mr. F. G. Wells, of the Y. M. C. A. at Great Lakes and Dr. George Wheaton Taft, President of Northern Baptist Theological Seminary, of Chicago. Officers were elected as follows: Trustees: L. Singletary, Mrs. Caldwell, Deacons: W. H. Baker and W. C. Cooper. Deaconesses: Mrs. Barr.

Mrs. Marshall and Mrs. Hanchett. Clerk; Miss Irene Tiffany. Assistant Clerk; Miss Alice Johnson.

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## WOMANS CLUB GIVES THANKS FOR HELPERS

The Art and Literature Department of the Womans Club would like special mention made of the local residents who helped so much toward making the art exhibit the wonderful success it was.

Those they wish to thank are: The Trustees of the Congregational church Charles Baker, Jules Zindt, D. H. Uhlhorn, The Library Board, Mr. Peck, Emrich Bros., Owen Griffiths, Hugh Brown, Lehmann & Michel, The Community Welfare League, F. C. Lancaster, Mrs. W. J. Staats, L. P. Naramore, Morris Shoe Store, J. L. Swearingen and the Puffer Pharmacy.

Three names were omitted from the list of exhibitors last week. They are: Fancy Work, Mrs. H. S. Sturman. Basketry, Mrs. George Timke. War Relics, Mrs. O. J. Dewey.

The annual meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 9th at Library Hall. Officers will be elected and reports of the year's work will be given.

This will be an important meeting and every member is urged to be present. The meeting will open at 11 o'clock. A cafeteria luncheon will be served at one o'clock. Members will please bring their own forks and napkins.

Mrs. T. F. Kelly entertained the members of the board at a most delightful luncheon on Wednesday, April 2nd.

## ENSIGN DAN DIENER HOME ON SHORT LEAVE

Dan Diener, Ensign in Uncle Sam's Navy, returned yesterday after a short stay with relatives and friends here.

Dan enlisted in the Navy on November 15, 1917 at the Ensign School, Municipal Pier, Chicago and since that time has been stationed at various lake ports. He was quartermaster instructor aboard the Gopher and cruised around the lakes for almost ten months.

Later he was stationed as an instructor in signalling at Cleveland and from there went to the officer school at Pelham Bay, New York. He finished his course there last week and was commissioned Friday.

He has gone back to New York to await orders to go to sea.

## WARREN WELLS OUT OF SERVICE AND GLAD OF IT

Warren Wells of the 108th Engineers, was discharged at Camp Grant April 1st, and says he is very glad to get back to civil life again.

Enlisting November 1, 1917, he was sent to Camp Logan, Texas for training and went over with the "Prairie" division; landing in France May 8th.

It was about the first of June that this outfit, brigaded with the British on the Somme front, got its first taste of action. Apparently they liked it, for they were "in" almost without rest from then until the signing of the armistice.

On October 29th Wells was taken sick from eating food which is supposed to have been poisoned by the gas from shells. He was sent to base 70 at Allery, France and as soon as possible was returned to the States.

Saturday, April 5



Does she know he's looking?

## D.W. GRIFFITH'S 'A Romance of Happy Valley'

A PAGE FROM THE BOOK OF LIFE  
 An ADUCRAFT Drama

Sure, the boy's sweet on her. So is a bad, bad man! True love certainly runs up against it hard in "A Romance of Happy Valley"—But the kids win out and the Bad Man gets his!

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 EVENING — 7:30 Continuous Admission 15 and 20c including war tax.

Tuesday, April 8



Full of Pep!

## Jesse L. Lasky Presents SHIRLEY MASON

Supported by Niles Welch in "The Winning Girl" A Paramount Picture

Winning "Stanley" was one thing. Winning his haughty, aristocratic old mother was another. She did it, all right, though! How? Elope? Talk her around to it? Nope! Spunk! Lots and lots of spunk!

CRYSTAL COMEDY

EVENING — 7:30 Continuous Admission 15 and 20c including war tax.

COMING APRIL 12th, WM. S. HART in "BREED OF MEN" and "FATTY" ARBUCKLE in "LOVE" IT WILL BE SOME SHOW. DON'T MISS IT!

Thursday, April 10



A three hundred foot drop!

Henry Walthall  
 "THE FALSE FACER"

All aboard for "False Faces" the story of a secret service man, known as "The Lone Wolf," and whose life is just one narrow escape after another. He cleans up a whole band of crooks and spies single handed. Come and see him do it.

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## EASTER

is April 20, 1919

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## Easter Clothing

Along with nature women and men "dress up" for the Easter "parade." New clothing is the order of the day.

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