

PERSONALS

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"Boob" Olson and "Babe" Fenner staged an automobile race up Main street last Saturday afternoon which set them back each five and costs. They must have been under the impression that they were running down the main street of Westmont or Belmont.

The monthly business meeting of the Young Peoples Alliance of First Evangelical Church was held last Tuesday evening at the tent home on East Rogers. A large company of young people were present and enjoyed a social hour and refreshments after the business session.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Bluel entertained the following guests from Aurora last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. C. Walt, Hattie Powlowski, Mary Groesch, Margaret Hartman, Frederick Klueber, Joseph Groesch, Lloyd Jones and Teddy Wittgen, the occasion being Mrs. Bluel's birthday.

The Missionary meeting of the Women's Society of the Baptist Church will be held Thursday afternoon, Feb. 17th, at 2:30, at the home of Mrs. F. D. Lempke, 143 E. Maple avenue. She will be assisted by Mrs. W. W. Henderson and Mrs. Hanchett will have charge of the program.

There will be a social at the Baptist parsonage Friday evening, Feb. 11th, under the auspices of the Women's Society. Pumpkin pie, doughnuts and coffee will be served, and aprons and other articles will be on sale. A good program will also be given. All are invited.

The new subdivision west of Oakwood avenue is a busy place these days, the trees that are in the streets are being cut and you can hear the sound of building. Numerous parties are out every Sunday and this continued mild weather is a great help.

All members of the Royal Neighbor Camp are urged to be present at the next meeting to be held on Thursday, Feb. 17th, at 8:00 o'clock sharp. After the meeting there will be a short entertainment. Refreshments served. Every one is cordially invited and may also bring a guest with them.

Mrs. F. B. Tapley entertained at a Valentine party last Tuesday afternoon the following ladies: Mesdames Fred and Al. Wolf of Hinsdale, R. C. Briggs, Geo. Barry, C. H. Staats, Joseph Sherman, J. J. Ralston, Fred Schultz, E. Mochel, C. J. Winter and Ed. Landorf. Games appropriate to the occasion were played and luncheon served.

Miss Evelyn Brown very delightfully entertained at a "500" party at her home last Thursday evening. Miss Pauline Reiner won the prize and Miss Mildred May of Chicago, was awarded the consolation prize. Delicious refreshments were served. The guests were Miss Mildred May of Chicago and the Misses Marie and Alice Olsen, Winnifred Hemphill, Marie Reed, Pauline Reiner, Ruth Hughes, Charlotte Bateman, Lillian Washburn, Beatrice Anthony, Lucille Bush, Kathryn Heckman, Lorraine Tope, Grace Peterson and Mrs. Don Eastman.

All business men know that if they are to build up trade they must have their patron's confidence. To get that they must give full value for money received. They must have what is called REPEAT ORDERS. It is also true with all lines of trades. From my patrons of last year I am getting REPEAT ORDERS showing that my work WAS SATISFACTORY. For the time being I am doing it in extra hours but expect to put in all my time soon. My aim is to give you an A No. 1 job and the prices reasonable. Hunt up those DULL knives and shears that need sharpening. Then you may have FATHER'S OR MOTHER'S old clock that refuses to go. They are seldom worn out and a good over-hauling puts them in good condition again. That is my specialty. Write your name and street address with what you have and address FINZEL, DOWNERS GROVE, and he will call.

Possible Explanation. "Mother" said the sweet girl, "George told me solemnly that that pretty hairpin holder he gave me cost \$5; yet today I saw exactly the same kind on sale for ten cents." "You know, my dear, that George is very religious," replied mother. "Ma! Please be bought that at a charitable bazaar."

Placing Blame. A vulgar man, in any ill that happens to him, blames others; a novice in philosophy blames himself, and a philosopher blames neither the one nor the other.—Epictetus.

HUNDREDS SEE DEMONSTRATION OF FIRE TRUCK

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adopted by the infantry and marines in Mexico and the work it did there caused its adoption in the great war.

The equipment consists of a hose body to carry 1,200 feet of two and a half inch hose. A 35 gallon chemical for medium size fires and two small hand chemicals for small fires. A water pump that will pump 500 gallons a minute from a fire hydrant cistern, pond or any water supply, under 250 pounds pressure if required. The large quantity of water and high pressure are only used at large fires. When the city pressure is low, such as we often experience, the pump will almost immediately increase the pressure to what is required. If we had this part of the equipment at the Chilver's fire the damage from fire and water would not have been one-tenth what it was.

Included on the truck also are all necessary ladders for residence fires, thus doing away with the serious delay of waiting for ladders when the old hook and ladder truck might arrive. Then all necessary small tools, such as lanterns, pike poles, axes, crow bars and door openers are included, in fact everything needed to fight any fire is combined in the one unit—small chemical for small fires; large chemical for larger fires and the hose and pump for the more serious blazes with ladders which can easily be handled by one man for roof work.

The Chief of the Aurora Fire Department pronounced it the best to be had at any price—not too small and not large enough to be awkward.

The Chief says—"Tickets are now on sale for a Ford touring car with starter, profits so obtained are to pay part of the balance due on the fire truck. The firemen will canvass the North side of town and the Legion boys have kindly consented to canvass the south side of town.

It is hoped that no one, now that they see what a wonderful piece of fire apparatus we have, will purchase less than five tickets. Help the boys sell these tickets, put them in your window—show your neighbor

you are a booster for your home town—then when that demon fire visits your home you can say, "I did my share to get the fire engine that saved my home."

You might be able to say, "I never had a fire, but you cannot truthfully say, "I never will have a fire." People that had fires are the biggest boosters for the truck.

In telephoning a fire alarm remember ask Central for number 0 and answer any questions asked so the fire department get the proper location.

Two things to remember—buy at least five tickets for the benefit of the fire truck and remember WHEN YOU NEED US FONE US.

Simple Filter to Clean Oil

As a means of separating dirt, metal dust, etc., from used oil, the filter which may be made in the following manner will be found very efficient: Fasten a piece of muslin or cotton cloth to a metal or wooden ring large enough to fit over the top of a can, drum or other vessel. The cloth should be left a little slack and into the shallow bag so formed a quantity of sawdust is placed. The oil to be filtered is poured through and leaves its foreign matter behind in the sawdust.

Little Law in Albania.

Except in a few communities in the South, the Albanians live in tribal organizations, in scattered communities in the mountains, where each man defends his home and his rights with his rifle, which he never lays down when out of doors. They are governed by a sort of common law, which is known as the Law of Lek. Lek was a more or less traditional law giver of the once powerful family of Dukadajni.

Iodine Dangerous Drug.

Fumes of iodine have recently been urged as a method of administering that drug preferable to the usual tincture. It has been shown by experiments that fumes are absorbed through the skin, and when inhaled are absorbed by the lungs, but it was shown also that inhalation is very dangerous even in small quantities, especially when there is any disease of the respiratory passages.

Horse Chestnut.

It is said that the name horse chestnut was derived from the fact that when the leaves of the tree fall there is a scar left on the twig in the shape of a horse shoe that bears marks resembling the nails of a shoe.

SAINT JOSEPH'S DRAMATIC CLUB SCORED BIG HIT

Gave Excellent Exhibition at Dicke Theatre on Monday Night of This Week.

The Dramatic Club of St. Joseph's Church gave an excellent exhibition of dramatic skill and elocutionary ability last Monday evening in the Dicke Theatre. The large audience enjoyed and applauded the various numbers on the program in a way that is encouraging to the members of the club. Much of the success of the entertainment was due to the painstaking direction of Miss Norpel. The program was as follows.

Romeo and Juliet, a burlesque—Miss Edith Denny and Miss Twohey. Recitation, Little Birds Must Fly Away—Mr. Towhey. Dialogue, The Twins—Mr. Riedy and Mr. Pelling. Negro Sketch—Mr. Holloway, Mr. Twohey, Mr. Rieff.



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Femininity's Advantage.

Another thing about femininity is that under favorable conditions it can look fragile, delicate and even spirituelle white overeating.

Blessed Quality of Mercy.

"Blessed are the merciful; for they shall obtain mercy." Does not that refer to one's mental judgments as well as to one's outward acts, to the spirit with which we view our neighbors as well as to our conduct toward them?

Proposing Made Easy.

In Siam a declaration of marriage is very simple. It is considered a proposal merely to offer a lady a flower; or to take a light from a cigaret if she is holding it in her mouth, so that even the most timid youths need not fear the ordeal.

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