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PERSONALS

Mr. L. B. Gesner is spending the winter at Galveston, Texas.

Earl Prince went to Madison, Wis. on Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Nellie Reynolds has had a long siege of the influenza.

Mrs. J. Hanchett was on the sick list the past week.

For Sale — A pair of fancy bred bantams at the White Elephant sale.

It is reported that the youngest son of Mr. Schindler has gone to Iowa to be married.

Lieut. E. R. Strong arrived safely from overseas at Newport News last Saturday.

An extra large, perfectly good, hand-powder washing machine at the White Elephant sale.

Mrs. Henry Witte and son, of Naperville, visited Mrs. Lester Gerwig Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Matson and daughters have returned from New Orleans, La.

Mr. J. Maher, of Springfield, Ill., was called here by the serious illness of his son who is recovering.

Everett White is back from overseas and is at the Olsen home on Oakwood Avenue.

Little Louis Scheutz had his tonsils removed at the Hinsdale Sanitarium last Sunday.

Edwin Sucher and Ed. Hagerman were visitors at the tractor show at Naperville Tuesday.

Geo. Klein received word from his son, Albert J. Klein yesterday that he expects to sail from France soon.

Mrs. E. G. Barrett has gone to the Naval Hospital at Charleston, S. C. to see her son, Walter, who has been very ill.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Little entertained the young people of the Baptist church Thursday evening at the parsonage.

We expect to announce the showing date of the "Common Cause" in the next issue of the Reporter. Watch for it.

Martin J. Riedy who left for overseas service with the Black Hawk division, reached home last week.

Query — Is the High School only filled with Mother Goose rhymes? Is "Bobbie's Little Red Car" the only item of interest? Alumni.

Mr. J. M. Burns and sister and Miss Fanny Stewart attended a memorial for the 149th F. A. at the 4th

Presbyterian Church in Chicago.

Rain, with thunder and lightning last week and the sap running from the trees seems to promise that winter, what there was of it, is past.

All kinds of meats, canned goods, vegetables and butterine at special prices. Klein's Sanitary Cash Market. adv.

Mrs. Andre Doelsaere attended a birthday party in honor of her mother Mrs. P. D'Hollander in Chicago last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Cooper are rejoicing over the arrival of a seven and one half pound daughter born February 19th, 1919.

Miss Elsie Pischel and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gerwig and daughter visited friends and relatives in Naperville Sunday.

Don't miss the White Elephant sale next week Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, afternoons and evenings at the Dicke corner store.

Miss Dorothy Gardiner was taken to the West Suburban Hospital last week Friday where she was operated on for appendicitis. She is getting along nicely.

All those who haven't paid their 50 cents toward the flag for the boys in the service are requested to do so within the next ten days, that our flag may be paid for speedily.

Rev. C. S. Bucher will preach in the Congregational church next Sunday morning on the text, "Failure," and in the evening on "The Modern View of the Bible."

Snow which started falling soon after noon yesterday, soon covered the ground with a mantle of white. As we go to press it looks like the hardest fall of the winter.

The Woman's Guild of S. Andrew's church will meet Thursday, February 27, at 2:00 p. m. at the residence of Mrs. William Vaughn, on Linscott avenue. A good attendance is urgently requested.

Don't trust a thief. He will double-cross you everytime. This is what happens to Princess "Ted", alias No. 477, in "The Mystery Girl" which will be shown at the Dicke Theatre, Saturday, February 22nd. adv.

A rainy, stormy evening always makes a person feel blue and the best cure we can recommend is to go to the Dicke Theatre. A good, clean, peppy picture absolutely guaranteed to put those blues on the "blink." adv.

Three children, Helen and Melvin Kehler and Olive Statton walked to Naperville and return last Wednesday. They left at 9 a. m. and again reached Downers Grove's friendly boundaries at 4:30 in the afternoon.

Hawkins & Hawkins, Agricultural and implement dealers, received two carloads of supplies yesterday. One was a full car of binder twine and the other a car load of farm machinery.

Willis S. Sherman, who has been serving Uncle Sam at the Great Lakes station, was discharged from the navy on February 18th and is now enjoying home cooking, a real bed etc., at his home on Saratoga avenue.

The members of the Semper Paratus Class entertained their friends with a Valentine Party on last Saturday night at the home of Miss Fairweather. Games were followed with music by budding artists and then light refreshments were served.

Coming to the Curtiss Saturday, Washington's birthday, an all star triple attraction. Bessie Barriscale in "All of a Sudden, Norma" the New Big V 2 reel comedies. The Pathe News and three acts of vaudeville. adv.

The monthly meeting of the "Jolly Jays Club" was held at the home of Matilda Bender last week. Two new members, Carolina Blaha and Helen Krugly, were admitted. All had a delightful time and refreshments were served.

An alarm of fire was turned in Thursday morning at 7:45. The village employees took the fire extinguisher and put out the blaze which had started on the roof, thereby saving the Village an expense of about \$25.00.

Don't forget to watch for the advertisement in this paper of "Little Women" which will be shown at the Dicke Theatre in the near future. You must arrange to see this picture when it comes. It will be well worth your while. adv.

A truck load of friends from Hinsdale visited with Charles Mochel and family on the farm near Lacey last Sunday. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. John Horstman and Mr and Mrs. Ed. Kessel and families.

Hugh Jylle, devil dog marine, is home on an indefinite furlough and he is hoping that this means his discharge from the service. Hugh has undergone some training since he left Downers for Paris Island and he has a way of describing it that make some appreciate the marine's fighting.

The regular monthly business and social meeting of the Congregational Philatheas will be held Friday evening, February 28th at the home of Mrs. Jules Zindt, corner of Middaugh and Prairie avenues. All of the members and their friends are cordially invited to be present.

Good season to have your upholstery and repairing done during January and February. On account of dull period we allow 10 per cent reduction in regular price on orders of \$5.00 or more. We also have on hand nice bargains in velours and tapestries, all colors. Hinsdale Upholstering Shop, Phone 635. adv.

Harvey Littleford, who is a member of the Q. M. C. stationed at Camp Grant came home on a week end pass Saturday afternoon and is still here. His throat feeling sore he visited a doctor on his way home and the verdict was, "mumps." Harvey is not at all sore that he can have home nursing in his present affliction instead of the brand handed out by the hospital orderlies at camp.

The Iota Tau Class of the Methodist Sunday School attended a Colonial party given at the home of Miss Adelaide Walters, on West Maple Avenue, Monday evening, February 17th. George and Martha Washington were represented by the Misses Mabel and Florence White. A number of games were participated in and favors awarded to the winners. Miss Mildred Potter was the "Prize Winner" as being the best costumed young lady present. Refreshments were served and a very delightful evening enjoyed by everyone.

Dr. Myron J. Umbach is establishing his dental office above the Curtiss theatre this week. He has been caring for the extensive dental practice of Dr. White at Naperville during the latter's service in the army. Dr. Umbach's father was the late famous botanist, Levi M. Umbach of North Western College, who had the reputation in European universities as well as in the leading schools of the United States of being able to name more plants at sight than any one else.

Last Sunday evening the special "Uniform Service" in the First Evangelical church was well attended. The Boy Scouts were there about 30 in number with their scout master's W. W. Heintz and W. J. O'Neill. A good number of Co. H men were present and several of the men from national service. The sermon on "Our Christian Warfare" was a strong exhortation to "Fight the Good Fight." The men's choir and a men's quartette composed of Messrs. Calvin Austin, A. H. VanValen, Carl J. Stone and J. L. Lehmann, rendered several excellent selections. The families of those on the service flag of the church were all represented in the congregation.

Dicke Theatre

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 22nd



"You too a thief!!"

JESSE L. LASKY PRESENTS

Ethel Clayton

IN "The Mystery Girl"

A Paramount Picture

Adopted from George Barr McCutcheon's story "Green Fancy." A Princess turns soldier and is a mighty pretty, clever soldier in the bargain — but, see the picture for yourself, it just sizzles with excitement!

PARAMOUNT-BURTON HOLMES TRAVEL PICTURE — Very Interesting

CHRISTY COMEDY — "BOBBY HOW COULD YOU?"

MATINEE — 3:30 Admission 10 and 15c including war tax.
EVENING — 7:30 Continuous Admission 15 and 20c including war tax.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25th



"I'll take the cash — you take the girl!"

The "Dub" was not so much of a dub after all. At any rate, he gets the best of two "shark" brokers, a crooked lawyer and a burglar — and quits the game a thousand dollars and one heiress to the good. Come and see how he does it!

MUSTY SUFFERER COMEDY "WET and DRY"

Jesse L. Lasky, Presents

WALLACE REID

IN "The Dub"

A Paramount Picture

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

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27th

"GOOD-BYE BILL"

A Paramount Picture Starring

SHIRLEY MASON and ERNEST TRUOX

A humorous travesty on how the Great War was started and carried on, based on information obtained from Herr Tonic, the Kaiser's barber. It ends with American soldiers in Berlin and then —

PARAMOUNT BRAY-PICTOGRAPH FORD EDUCATIONAL WEEKLY

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

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