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Highland Park NEWS

On Friday evening the guests of the Moraine will enjoy a Christmas tree. Following the tree celebration the remainder of the evening will be spent in dancing.

William and Hambleton Patten are home from the East, where they are at college. They will spend the holidays with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Patten of Circle avenue.

The annual Christmas party of the Woman's Club will take place on the 28th. The young people will dance and have refreshments, and each child will be given a box of candy, which is given by Mrs. George Campbell. The hostesses are Mrs. John Bell, Misses Anna Holabird, Mildred Coale and Florence Shelton. Mrs. V. Garnett has charge of the party this year.

Dr. Hamilton left Tuesday for Toronto, Canada, where he will spend the holidays.

A wedding of interest to Highland Park people was that of Miss Sarah Watson, of Lake Forest, to Harry V. Vincent, of New York, which took place on Tuesday afternoon. Dr. T. D. McClure of the McCormick Seminary officiated. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Elizabeth Watson. The groom had as his best man his brother, Fred Vincent. Mr. and Mrs. Vincent will reside in the East.

We are very glad that Mr. Samuel Parliament, who has been confined to the house for several weeks is much improved and is able to be out again.

Arthur R. Williams, teacher in the Commercial Department of the High School, has left for his home at Saint Sault Marie.

John Conrad has returned from the University of Illinois Law School to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Conrad, of McGovern Street.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Miller of East Central avenue have had as their guests during the past week Mrs. Richard W. White of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Mrs. M. C. Myers and Miss Mary Tarr of Chicago.

Mrs. A. A. Putnam and her son John A. Putnam have gone to Washington to attend the military funeral at Arlington of Mrs. Putnam's brother, General W. W. Dudley. The funeral took place on Saturday last.

John De Muth is home from Culver Military Academy, Culver, Indiana, for the holidays.

Miss Mildred Coale had as her guest for the week-end Miss Grace Johnson of Chicago.

We regret to hear that Mrs. M. B. A. Pratt is ill with la grippe.

Miss Lillian Russel will spend the Christmas holidays with her parents Prof. and Mrs. W. H. Russell at Arlington Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Roberts are home from their wedding trip. Mrs. Roberts was Miss Catherine Marsh before her marriage last month to Mr. Roberts.

John Knapp of Chicago, spent Sunday with Highland Park friends.

George Baldwin and Frank Wyman, two Highland Park boys who attend the Academy will spend their holiday vacation here.

The Academy and Russell Hall have closed for their vacations; the majority of the cadets going to their homes.

Mrs. H. Thayer has issued cards for New Year's afternoon.

Harry Bock has come home from the University of Illinois for the holidays.

Miss Annie Moffit is home from the University of Chicago for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Alice Garnett who is attending the University of Chicago will spend the holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs. V. Garnett of Park avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Millard and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Erskine will spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Peisch of Ravenswood.

The Highland Park Post-office will be open on Christmas day during the hours of 9 to 12 a. m., and from 2 to 6 p. m. Post master Fletcher is not obliged to open practically a whole day, but he wishes all to get the gifts that come through the mail on Christmas day. The carriers will make one delivery in the morning.

Mr. R. L. Sandwick has been ill for several days, but is now able to be up.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Knapp are visiting during the holidays, Mrs. Lorell.

The Lota Phi Sorority will give their annual dance at the Moraine Hotel this evening.

Mr. James Van Ryper is expected home for Christmas.

The home of Miss Elizabeth Sullivan of Hazel avenue, was broken into on Saturday, and the thieves departed with several hundred dollars worth of jewelry, so far no trace of the thieves has been found.

A meeting of the various officers and ex-presidents of the Alumni of the Deerfield High School, took place at the High School last Friday morning. The annual dance of the High School was taken up and will take place some time the first of January, at the Ravinia Park Casino.

Last Thursday the Ossoli club met and Mrs. Marshall Sampson, Mrs. Knowles Hobbins and Miss Anna Morgan gave the programme "Impressions of Artistic Holland."

Most of the teachers have left for their homes to spend the holidays. Miss Bliss will spend part of her holidays at Oak Park, Miss Flory Robinson has gone to her home in Anderson, Indiana, and A. R. Williams to Michigan.

George Moseley is spending the holidays here from Hill School in the East.

Paul Rudolph is spending his Christmas holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rudolph. He is attending Boston School of Technology.

The many friends of Ella Fossbender were surprised to hear of her marriage to John Haack which took place last week in Chicago so quietly that none of the Fossbender family were aware of the wedding until Mrs. Haack informed her mother over the phone that she was married.

On Saturday evening the men of the Club entertained their friends with a surprise minstrel show. There was the rumor that it would be "extra fine" and it truly was. The men were cleverly gotten up and with their songs and local hits the evening passed only too quickly. Frank P. McMullin, A. R. Williams, Fred Page, Fred Baylies, James Shields, Norman Mason, Rodger Vail, Dwight Smith, Charles Everett, C. E. Schaffler, J. V. Norcross, Ray Lovell, Walter Egan and A. W. Andrews are some of those who took part.

Harriet Leaming, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leaming, is home from Madison, Wisconsin, where she has been attending the University of Wisconsin.

Miss Edith MacKenzie is spending her holidays with her parents. She has been teaching at Antioch, Illinois.

Miss Cecile Vail is home from Miss Somer's School at Washington, D. C., to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents Major and Mrs. Vail of Laurel avenue.

Ted Wallace who is attending Washington Jefferson Academy at Pittsburgh, Pa., is spending his Christmas vacation with his aunt, Mrs. John Bell of North St. John's Place.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Drum have as their guest for the holidays Mrs. Drums' sister, Mrs. J. P. Clark, of Michigan.

Miss Jessica Cliver leaves today for her home at Terre Haute, Indiana, where she will spend the Christmas holidays.

Different members of the Women's club have had charge of the sale of Christmas Stamps at the post-office. Each penny helps to stamp out the Tuberculosis. The proceeds derived from the sale of the stamps here are for the benefit of the Lake County Tuberculosis Camp at Waukegan.

On Tuesday morning of last week, the members of the Highland Park Club had the pleasure of listening to Miss Ellen Van Volkenburg in imitative interpretation of Miss Maud Adams in "What Every Woman Knows."

The employees of the Post Office were all smiles Tuesday afternoon when they each received a letter from Post Master Fletcher wishing them a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year in a very substantial way. When the letters, seventeen in number, were opened they were found to contain an order for a good-sized turkey. Mr. Fletcher also thought he would protect the city by keeping the police from falling into temptation and consequently each officer is to receive a turkey.

A large cotillion will be given on Xmas night at the club, and on Friday night a watch costume watch will be given.

Mildred Schultis was hostess on Saturday morning when her many friends joined her in celebration of her birthday.

Mr. George Bowden has returned from an extended tour in the west.

Mrs. R. S. Kirchberger of South Green Bay Road, entertained at dinner last Sunday, covers were laid for seven. Decoration, red Carnations.

Mrs. A. P. Van Schaick will entertain Chicago friends at dinner on Christmas day.

Mrs. P. J. Culkins is on the sick list,

Henry Ritter is home from Lome Institute for the holidays.

Larey Small arrived Tuesday from the East where he is attending Lome Institute, to spend the holidays here.

Mrs. Green who has been spending a few weeks in Highland Park, left for her home in Arkansas accompanied by her son, W. E. Green, who is a student at the Northwestern Military Academy.

December 23rd, a dance was given at the Moraine by the Iota Pi Sorority. The patronesses were Mrs. F. C. Cushing, Mrs. C. G. Phillips, Mrs. A. O. Mason and Mrs. H. S. Vail.

Mrs. Carleton Vail is giving a buffet supper Christmas evening in honor of her sisters, Misses Case of Chicago, later they will attend the dances at the Highland Park club.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Clow have gone to Crystal Lake for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Pierce of Laurel avenue, are spending the holidays out of town.

Mrs. Anson Morgan of Sheridan Road will entertain at dinner Xmas day. Mrs. Carver, and Miss Pricilla Carver are among the invited guests.

Mrs. A. L. Renning of North Second street will entertain out of town guests for the week end.

Mr. Walter C. Hateley will have a house party over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Sheahan are spending the holidays with relatives in Fondulac, Wisconsin.

The many Highland Park friends of Attorney William F. Wiemers were shocked to hear of his death which occurred on Tuesday morning at the McAllister hospital at Waukegan. Mr. Wiemers died of heart trouble and although he has been ill for several weeks his illness was not considered so serious until a few days ago. The funeral will take place from the Wiemers home on Laurel avenue Thursday at one o'clock; burial at Waukegan Cemetery. Mr. Wiemers was a well-known Chicago attorney and for a great many years Master in Chancery. His offices were in the Chicago Opera House block. Mr. Wiemers is survived by his wife and three sons, Herbert, 14 years old, William, 8 years old and Jack six years old.

Advertised Letters

The following unclaimed letters remain at the Highland Park Post Office:
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If that esteemed western contemporary guilty of mixing up William Watson and Alfred Austin is not above taking a little wholesome advice, we suggest that it let them stay mixing up.

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