

The Social Side of Life Local Affairs of the week

By the Observer

A number of informal teas are being planned to be given in compliment to Miss Elizabeth Ames of Westfield, N. J., who is the guest of Mrs. Charles Everett who entertained at dinner for Miss Ames preceding the Highland Park club Easter cotillion.

A number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Eichler gave a delightful surprise in their honor on Saturday evening.

The Luther League of the Evangelical church held its monthly meeting last Thursday evening at the home of Mr. Harry Eichler. A "hard times" party is being planned to be given at the library hall some time this month.

The Glee Club concert at the high school will take place Friday evening, April 25.

Mrs. Franklin B. Hussey entertained informally at a luncheon on Wednesday in compliment to Mrs. E. B. Pierce of the Moraine.

Miss Margaret Phillips entertained about twenty young people at her home on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Henry Martyn Bacon entertained the members of the faculty of the Elm Place Grammar school, informally at tea on Wednesday afternoon.

On Monday evening Miss Amelia Schwartz was hostess to about twenty-two guests in honor of her birthday. The party was held in the Y. W. C. A. rooms on Central Ave. Games and dancing were the features of the evening. Dainty refreshments were served. The tables were attractively decorated with pink shaded candles, primroses and Easter lilies.

Mrs. A. Larson entertained the members of the Sewing Society of the Swedish Lutheran church at her home on St. Johns Avenue on Friday evening.

A party of Highland Parkers enjoyed a dance and supper at Deerlick farm on Thursday evening. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Fred N. Baylies, Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Chittenden, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Boynton, Miss Carolyn Shields, Miss Viola Shields, Miss Dorothy Clark, Mr. Harry Townner, Mr. Ellis Faxon, and Mr. Culver Shields. This same party will have supper and a dance at Exmoor this evening.

Mrs. Frank B. Green entertained informally on Saturday afternoon, a number of the ladies who had been near neighbors of Mrs. Henry Sampson of San Diego, Cal., who formerly resided here and is now visiting Mrs. William Miller who also had as her guest, Mrs. Atwater, a former Highland Park, who left here thirty-nine years ago.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Mrs. Emily Symington, widow of E. Harrison Symington of Chicago, to Kervetten Kapitän Erich von Muller, naval attaché to the German embassy in London. The marriage will take place in Baden-Baden in July. Mrs. Symington was Miss Emily Taylor, a daughter of the late Lieut. Col. D. Morgan Taylor, U. S. A., who with his family, at one time lived in Chicago and spent the summers at the Moraine.

There have been since the close of the Lenten season, a number of dances both at private homes and in the clubs. Every place the one step and Tango prevail with a waltz interspersed and the two step is practically eliminated. It is quite clear to those who are onlookers at the entertainments, that there is no better time than the present to become familiar with the new dances when every one is learning and but few have the art so well learned as to be really graceful as yet. But whether one enjoys the Tango or not it has many devotees and is here to stay. Those who consider themselves terepichorean artists revel in it and the most particular of dancing masters have sanctioned the Tango as apparently have the Highland Park chaperones.

Mrs. P. Hahn of Highwood will entertain at a card party on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Stupey announce the marriage of their daughter, Pearl, to Mr. Frank Courson of Curtilsville, Pa. The marriage took place on Saturday.

There were numbers of Highland Parkers who attended and assisted in raising the fund to go to assist in paying of the debt for the new day nursery building which the Ogontz Association supports in Chicago at 1600 So. Allport Ave. To raise money a benefit was given on Wednesday, March 26, and through the courtesy of the Chicago Kennel club the association received the receipts for the first day of the dog show which amounted to \$2500. This sum fully came up to expectations and those interested were greatly pleased at the success of the whole affair. Among those who took a leading part were Mrs. George R. Nicols who is recording secretary of the association, Miss Edith Moss, Mrs. A. B. McCauley, and Mrs. Joseph Terbell. The following people from this city, assisted in raising the fund: Mr. and Mrs. A. Lawrence Mills, Mr. and Mrs. W. McMurtrie Rutter, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick M. Steele, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Morgan, Mr. Walter Hatley, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Goldsmith, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Corwith, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Louderback, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Kozminski, Mrs. G. H. Campbell, Miss Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Clinch, and Mrs. Linn Rutter.

Deerfield News Items

The March meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church was held at the home of Miss Josephine Woodman on Thursday afternoon. The subject was the New Immigration. The program committee submitted the following schedule: April 17, subject, Freedman, hostess, Mrs. George Pettis; May 15, subject, Siam and Laos, hostess, Mrs. T. Knaak; June 19, subject, Alaska, hostess, Mrs. R. Knickerbocker; July 17, subject, Review of Past Year, hostess, Mrs. John A. Reichelt; August 21, subject, Young People in Missions, hostess, Mrs. J. A. Reichelt, Jr.; September 18, subject, Japan, hostess, Mrs. Bert Easton.

The annual meeting of the Presbyterian church was held Wednesday.

Rev. Fred Black of Aurora, Ill., has been assigned by the conference to the United Evangelical church of Deerfield. Mr. Ludwig will continue his studies at McCormick.

Miss Mildred Whiting is confined to her home on account of serious injury to her knee. Miss Whiting expects to be out in about three weeks.

Mrs. M. J. Clark was the guest of her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Clark of Irving Park, Chicago, last week.

As charming hostesses, the Mu Sigma Chi girls have set the standard for entertaining. Their Easter Monday dance was a delightful social function. Streamers of blue and gold, the club colors, were suspended from the corners of the room to the center chandelier from which hung a basket of daisies. Showers of primroses were the other decorations used and the walls were covered with pennants. Schiela's orchestra furnished the music. The chaperones were Mesdames Whiting, Reichelt, Kress and Horenberger. Mrs. W. A. Whiting whom the girls have to thank for a good part of their good time, acted as floor manager. Refreshments were served by Miss Martha Karch, Miss Edith Anderson, Misses Mabel and Eida Horenberger, Miss Irene Hutchison, Miss Clara Pyle and Misses Marie, Loretta and Ruth Kress.

Miss Winifred Supple attended the annual Easter concert and dance given by the Illinois club at the La Salle hotel Monday evening.

Misses Joy and Louise Reichelt of Danver, Col., are visiting their father, Mr. John A. Reichelt.

Miss Ruth Reichelt spent her vacation with Miss Gladys Cowlin of Elgin, who is now visiting in Deerfield.

The Parent-Teacher Association met Friday afternoon in the grammar school. The pupils in Miss Duffy's room dramatized the "Story of King Midas" and those from Miss Supple's class gave "The Sleeping Princess." Mrs. J. A. Reichelt, Jr., read the chapter "Right and Wrong Punishments," in Elizabeth Harrison's book. The president appointed the following nominating committee: Miss Duffy and Mesdames Knaak and Hutchison. The attendance far exceeded that of any previous meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Stryker were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Rehm of Chicago, Sunday.

Rev. Fred Black of Aurora preached his first sermon as pastor of the Deerfield U. E. church, Sunday.

Mrs. Troot entertained Sunday in honor of her birthday anniversary at a dinner party.

Miss Marian Jackson of Waukegan, was the guest of Miss Irene Hutchison on Monday.

Saturday evening in the United Evangelical church Mr. Frank Nathan, the son of a Russian Jewish Rabbi and who was dedicated in his youth to the same service, and who is now a student at the McCormick Theological Seminary, gave an unusually interesting account of the manners and customs of his people. He wore the phylacteries and robe, and illustrated their meaning when telling of their prayers. As the Jews have a continuous service from 5 a. m. till sundown on New Year's Day and the day of Atonement, he said the Americans did not appreciate their religious liberty, and short services. For nearly three hours he held the attention of his audience whose interest never waned a second while telling of his conversion to the Christian faith.

Mrs. Lord of Chicago was the weekend guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Pettis.

Miss Clara Ender had as her guest over Sunday Miss Mary Bleimehl of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Schneider of Chicago were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wolf on Monday.

The Altar and Rosary society of the Holy Cross church held their monthly meeting at the home of Miss Clara Ender on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. M. J. Clark is visiting with her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Clark of Irving Park, Chicago.

Miss Viola Graves of Forest Glenn and Miss Vera Wilcox of Chicago spent a few days of last week with Miss Marie Kress. They were entertained at the home of Miss Mildred Whiting on Tuesday evening.

On Saturday evening a concert and dance was given by Mr. Frank Anderson. Mr. L. Burky's orchestra of Chicago furnished the music. Although the attendance was not very large a very delightful evening was enjoyed by all who attended.

Miss Mary Hotta entertained the five hundred club on Tuesday afternoon. The first prize was awarded to Mrs. O. Beecham; second prize to Mrs. B. H. Kress and the consolation prize to Miss Josephine Woodman.

Mrs. L. P. Todd, who has been visiting in Chicago for the past month returned Monday.

Miss Josephine Woodman had as her guest on Monday Algene Woodman of Waukegan, Miss Elizabeth Kist and Mr. Elmer Kist of Wilmette.

Miss Eida Horenberger was the weekend guest of Miss Ruth Collins of Chicago.

A ticket for the independent progressives was filed with the village clerk Monday, March 31. Mr. W. A. Whiting, as president of the board of trustees; Theodore J. Knaak, as village clerk; S. P. Hutchison, as police magistrate; W. C. Pettis and James Fritsch, trustees for reelection; B. H. Kress, as new member for trustee.

A thirty foot subway has been granted to the people of Deerfield by the Chicago Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad. Work will begin as soon as the weather will permit.

Racial Differences as to Humor.

The comparative seriousness of the English and French races is illustrated by their mental attitude toward their respective instruments of capital execution. Sometimes during the Christmas season in Paris little crowds may be seen gathered in the streets around a toy which seems to amuse them very much. This is a miniature guillotine. In complete imitation of the real thing, and it is caused by the men who are venting it to decapitate a manikin of lead to the great delight of the crowds.

The guillotine is not a new toy in France. During the reign of terror little copper guillotines were worn as charms, and during the last century, delicate women in the cities of France wore the same strange ornaments.

So far as known, the English speaking race has never converted its guillotine into a toy.—Boston Post.

Conventionalities of Speech.

Nothing is easier than to fall into conventionalities of speech, and nothing so impoverishes conversation. A generation ago it was customary to thank a person for a service rendered. Now we thank him "very much," although the service be no more than picking up a pencil. Also it is "awfully good" of him to hold the door open for us or to give up his seat in a car. An amusing story is sure to be applauded by the laudate "Oh, that's lovely!" At least let us pray that we may never be the party of the second part in "How's your mother?" "Nicely, thanks."—Youth's Companion.

The Charles Dickens Train.

A friend of mine who was connected with the London and Northwestern railway for over forty years was traveling to London on the "Charles Dickens" train. Before starting he strolled up the platform as usual to have a look at the engine. "Well, driver," he said, "how much of the original engine have you three today?" "I trap the whistle, sir," said the driver.—Manchester Guardian.

Burma Pagodas Are Reminders.

Eight or nine miles below Mandalay, in Burma, the right bank of the Irrawaddy is hilly, and in the neighborhood of the old Burmese town of Sagaya the hills are dotted all over with pagodas. These are not temples, but are built by pious people as offerings to the supreme power, it being generally believed that such acts of devotion count to the builders' credit in the next world. The pagodas are of all kinds, according to the means of the builders, from primitive white-washed structures to ornate erections with grotesque gilded lions. The lions have various meanings, but stand chiefly as a reminder of unselfish devotion. An ancient Burmese legend, taught to all Burmese children, is that of a lioness who nursed and guarded the baby son of a king and who died of a broken heart when the prince grew up and went away.—Wide World Magazine.

The Marching Song.

No one knows the inspiration of a tramping song better than the soldier, and most regiments have their favorite air, which they love to yell when on march. The men of the Manchester regiment have a fine reputation for singing on the march, and two of their favorite songs are "Killaloe" and "Bring Born," both of which give opportunity for some hearty shouts at intervals. Similarly the Yorkshiremen, when route marching, sing the way with "Dan Tucker," a song in which the words are of no account and the tune a series of dissonant yells.—London Chronicle.

Seen in a Menagerie.

"I have heard of naughty strides and graceful glides, but the heroine of this melodrama has a sort of zoological walk."

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SHE WANTED A MASTER.

The Way a Woman of Montenegro Selected a Husband.

The Montenegrin woman wishes not only to be the mother of men, but the wife of a man. She holds to a high handed husband, to one who will be master in his own house.

Here is the story of the wooing of Gordanne:

Gordanne was the beautiful daughter of an innkeeper. Her suitors were many, and it was time for her to wed. She promised to make her choice among three suitors and summoned them all to her father's house.

First it was a youth gloved and cravat-ed during a week end at Cattaro had acquired the elegancies of city life. "Excuse me," he said, with a polite doffing of his hat as she met him at the doorway. "Will you let me pass?" Gordanne stepped aside, but as she did so she murmured, "You will never be my husband."

The second, a comfortable farmer, was less polite. "Let me in," he said, pushing past the girl. "Neither shall you ever call me wife," said the girl to herself.

Then came the third, who said nothing, but, seizing Gordanne by the arm, flung her aside and entered the house as if already its master. "That," sighed the innkeeper's daughter, "is a true Montenegrin. He is the husband for me." Of such stuff, after all, are the mothers of heroes made.—Paris Letter in London Telegraph.

The Domestic Economist.

There are other housewives who are as calculating as she who is celebrated in the Manchester Guardian, but not many of them have the daring to carry off their frugality so triumphantly.

An excellent Manchester lady frequently invites her friends to tea, but she does not furnish her table lavishly. When her guests have eaten all the bread and butter and cookies and realize that the meal is over, she looks brightly at the empty dishes.

"Well, now," she says, in triumphant tones, "haven't I judged your appetites exactly?"

Left Handed Drinkers.

A commercial traveler says that he can identify members of his profession in the hotel dining rooms by their habit of drinking their coffee "left handed." He says that many traveling men have adopted this habit because when they drink "left handed" they drink from the side of the cup that isn't generally used. This is one of those customs the value of which will lessen as it becomes more general—or as dishwashing becomes more of a fine art.—Exchange.

Student in Physics—Could you get a shock by holding on to the receiver of a telephone? Professor—It depends upon who is talking.—Judge.



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