

The Social Side of Life Local Affairs of the week

By the Observer

The ladies of the United Evangelical church gave a very pleasant surprise on Mrs. J. F. Van Evera on Tuesday afternoon in honor of her fiftieth birthday.

Mrs. Arthur Tillman entertained the members of the Philathea class of the United Evangelical church on Tuesday evening.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the United Evangelical church will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. Tillman of W. Park Ave.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Foster Van Evera were at home to the members of their congregation and friends on Thursday, April 10, from three to five and from eight to ten. The reception was in honor of their silver anniversary. The house was tastefully decorated in palms and ferns. A beautiful shower of bridal roses, the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Maechtle, was the centerpiece of the dining table. There were 105 present some of which were out of town guests. Mrs. F. C. Noerenberg and Mrs. H. F. Maechtle, Jr., poured and were assisted in the dining room by the Misses Alice Kurtz, Nettie Moon, Frances Fritsch, Katherine Grant, Hedwig Geiser, Ada Fritsch, Elizabeth Schultze, Bessie Rhinehart, and Annie Krueger. Many pretty and useful gifts were received, some of which were a coffee percolator, thirty-seven dollars in silver, creamer and sugar, bullion spoons, sherbet glasses, sugar tongs, pearl handled pickle and meat fork. Many remembrances and flowers were received from the members of their former congregations. A short program consisting of a piano solo by Nettie Moon, a sketch of the lives of Rev. and Mrs. Van Evera by Katherine Grant, and Mrs. Van Evera by Katherine Grant, a song by Miss Snyder, a reading by Frances Fritsch and a song by William Van Evera was rendered during the evening.

The Willing Helpers calendar party given in the Presbyterian church on Saturday evening was a great success both from the financial standpoint and the amount of pleasure afforded the good sized audience. The children taking part in the program were costumed to represent the different months of the calendar and presented tableaux accordingly. One of the prettiest scenes was a May pole dance when all of the little months appeared and danced including Father Time who was upon the stage during the whole entertainment. The dining room was especially attractive with its four tables decorated to represent the four seasons. There was spring with its apple blossoms, summer with its roses, autumn with fruit and leaves, winter with holly, mistletoe and the Christmas tree.

Miss Moss and Miss Betty Bacon entertained the Willing Helpers club at their home at 506 Sheridan Road on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Frederick W. Cushing was hostess at a dinner for ten at the Moraine on Tuesday evening in honor of her daughter, Miss Catherine Cushing.

Mrs. Walter H. Baldwin was a dinner hostess on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. George Allen Mason entertained at a dinner for six preceding the dance at the Highland Park club on Tuesday evening. Other dinner hostesses of the same evening were Mrs. John F. L. Curtis and Mrs. A. B. McCaughey.

The Sewing club was entertained on Tuesday at the home of Miss Fannie Ferguson of N. Green Bay Road.

Invitations were received last week to the marriage of Miss Ruth Shotwell Beebe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Worthington Beebe, and Roland Thomas Rankin Hastings, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Miles Hastings of Dale Ave., Highland Park. The wedding will take place on the evening of Saturday, April 19, at eight o'clock at the West End Collegiate church, New York City, to be followed by a reception at 8:30 o'clock in the evening at the home of the bride's parents, 262 West 86th street. Miss Beebe, who has acquaintances in this city, was one of the bridesmaids at the wedding of Miss Evangeline Wean to O. Dickinson Street of New York which took place last June, and Mr. Hastings was one of the ushers.

Miss Laura Kittredge Kennedy appeared in a benefit vaudeville entertainment given at the Evanston Country Club last week and gave a character sketch entitled "The Boarding House Keeper."

Miss Anna Morgan has sent out invitations for the graduation program of Miss Charlotte Sampson and Miss Frances Welton Smith on Monday evening, April 21 at 8 o'clock, in her studios in the Fine Arts Building. Mr. Elia W. Peattie will present the diplomas.

Mrs. H. B. Roberts entertained six of the friends of her mother, Mrs. Brown at tea on Saturday afternoon.

Both social and musical circles are interested in the meeting of the National Federation of Musical Clubs to be held in Chicago next week at the Congress Hotel. Mrs. A. O. Mason is one of the box holders and among the patronesses from here are Mrs. Charles T. Boynton, Miss Anna Morgan and Mrs. Julius Rosenwald.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. John F. L. Curtis and two guests occupied a box at the Saturday performance of "Broadway" Jones.

Mrs. T. M. Gilkinson of Railroad Ave. was hostess at a card party on Wednesday afternoon.

On Saturday evening about seventeen friends of Glenn Larson of W. Central Ave. gave him a very pleasant surprise in honor of his nineteenth birthday. Games were played and dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. J. Grenville Mott entertained at dinner followed by auction bridge on Thursday.

Mrs. Henry E. Mason entertained at a party for the Little Helpers, which is the baby branch of the Junior Auxiliary on Monday afternoon at the Trinity Parish House.

Mrs. Samuel B. Chittenden entertained as her guests at dinner preceding the dance at the Highland Park club on Tuesday evening, Miss Viola Shields, Miss Dorothy Clark, Mr. Roy Bard and Mr. Ellis Faxon.

Miss Carolyn Shields was a dinner hostess on Tuesday evening. She took her guests to the Highland Park club dance.

An exhibit and tea for which elaborate plans are being made, will take place at the Trinity Parish House on Saturday afternoon, April 26, from two-thirty until five o'clock and will be under the auspices of the Junior Auxiliary of which Mrs. Edwin Armstrong has charge. For the past winter the young people have been working diligently and devoting their energy and thought to building and completely furnishing a doll house to be given to the Charity Children's Ward at St. Luke's hospital. Such a wonderful creation and exhibit of fine hand sewing in the artistic linens, draperies, rugs, book bindings, bed clothes, and hand-made furniture of this house, of which the carpentry was partially the work of the girls, is to be on display at the tea. What joy and interest this little doll house will create in the children at St. Luke's only those who are acquainted with the monotonous life of the little patients can begin to realize and appreciate. Among the attractions on Saturday will be a grab bag in charge of Miss Elizabeth Louderback and vice chairman, Miss Marion Norcross, assisted by Mrs. Henry E. Mason; tea table, Miss Margaret Phillips, vice chairman, Miss Elizabeth Scarborough, assisted by Mrs. James Watson, Mrs. C. G. Phillips, and Mrs. Henry Scarborough; candy table, Miss Edith Fyffe, vice chairman, Miss Sarah Kerfoot assisted by Mrs. George Allen Mason; cake table, Miss Marjorie Merritt, vice chairman, Miss Dorothy Cutler, assisted by Mrs. William Louderback; doll house exhibit in charge of Miss Barbara Burgess; general management committee, Miss Eveline Taylor and Miss Charlotte Bergman. The little waitresses of the afternoon will be the members of the Sunshine branch of the auxiliary. The members of the Junior branch are the Misses Edith Fyffe, Marjorie Merritt, Marion Norcross, Grace Andrews, Florence Nichols, Margaret Merryweather, Charlotte Bergman, Eveline Taylor, Margaret Phillips, Elizabeth Scarborough, Elizabeth Louderback, Barbara Burgess, Sarah Kerfoot, and Dorothy Cutler. Mrs. Howard Wrenn and Mrs. Buchanan also assisted.

Mr. and Mrs. Morse of No. Green Bay Road announce the marriage of their daughter, Rae Elaine to Mr. Clarence J. Shetzley of this city. The marriage took place Wednesday, April 9 in Chicago. Mr. and Mrs. Shetzley took a short honeymoon trip in the southern part of the state and will reside in a new residence on Skokie Ave.

The Chafing Dish club of the Y. W. C. A. entertained the Lake Forest Y. W. C. A. Chafing Dish club at supper on Monday evening, April 14. Twenty-one girls were served. The guests from Lake Forest were the Misses Lillian Smith, Myrtle Wenban, Ruth Wenban, Ethel Reese, Gertrude Bloominhaus, Martha Schaefer, Mrs. George Withers, and Miss Glynn of Lake Bluff. The tables were attractively decorated in pink.

Deerfield News Items

A permit has been granted to J. C. Wolff, William A. Reay, and William A. Whitney to organize the First State bank of Deerfield, Lake County, capital stock of \$25,000. This will be the first bank for the town of Deerfield.

The pupils of Miss Ida Knaak gave an interesting piano recital at the home of Dr. Knaak, Saturday afternoon. In addition to the solos and duets by the members of the class, a song, "The Pussy Willows" was given by Laurel Stryker and a reading, "Whose Afraid" was given by Miss Elfrieda Knaak. The Hungarian Rhapsody, by Liszt, was the concluding number of the program, played by Miss Ida Knaak.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hutchison spent a few days of last week with Mrs. H. Zehler of Waukegan.

Miss Elizabeth Reichelt entertained the Jewel club Saturday afternoon. Miss Mildred Biederstadt was the successful prize winner in a guessing game.

Miss Loretta Kress entertained a number of friends on Tuesday evening.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. George C. Pettis Thursday afternoon. The subject which they will discuss is Freedmen.

Mrs. F. H. Carrol of Chicago was the week-end guest of Mrs. R. Knickerbocker.

Miss Louise Reichelt returned to the Frances Shinner school at Mt. Carrol, Illinois Thursday.

The Mu Sigma Chi girls held their April meeting at the home of Miss Ruth Reichelt Friday evening. Plans were made for a theatre party to be given in a couple of weeks. Miss Martha Karch won a prize for forming the most words with the prefix can.

Mr. S. D. Nelson and Misses Marian Craig, Winifred Supple, Beatrice Duffy, Bessie Carolan, Nellie Keough and Ruth Reichelt attended the Lake County teachers meeting in Libertyville Saturday. Miss Grace Carolan's fine school in Glenview received great praise from Mr. Farr of Cook County, one of the speakers.

The twelve ladies who are members of the 500 club were entertained at the home of Mrs. B. H. Kress, Tuesday afternoon. The first prize was awarded to Mrs. W. A. Whiting, the second to Mrs. J. C. Wolf, and the consolation prize to Miss Clara Ender.

On Saturday evening the Shermerville Pleasure club held its first grand ball in Anderson's hall. There were about one hundred young people in attendance who were from Highland Park, Glenview, Shermerville, Chicago and Deerfield. About eleven o'clock a prize waitz was announced and only those people who were trying for the prize could enter. The first ladies prize, a beautiful cut glass bowl was awarded to Mrs. Walter Lang and the first gentlemen's prize a fountain pen was won by Mr. Walter Lang. Mr. Henry Meyer acted as floor manager.

Mrs. E. R. Carnell was hostess at a delightful luncheon on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Eugene Ender was on the sick list last week.

The young men of Deerfield have organized a baseball team and they will play their first game with the Deerfield-Shields high school on Saturday, April twenty-sixth.

Miss Florence Johnson had as her week-end guests, Misses Martha and Dora Waterman of Chicago.

Miss Gertrude and Eva Lundgren of Highland Park were the week-end guests of Miss Edith Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Jacobs had as their guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Widemeyer and their son Elmer, and Miss Dora Wilkening of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Rammel had as their guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Allardt, Mr. Henry Allardt, Miss Lively, and Miss Steel of Chicago.

Miss Florence Carolan was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. McCaffery of Highland Park for the past three weeks.

The Young Men's club of Deerfield will give their third informal dance on Saturday evening in Anderson's hall.

Miss Eleanor McChesney of Chicago was the week-end guest of Miss Grace Carolan.

ILLINOIS PARAGRAPHS

SPRINGFIELD — Professor L. M. von Hoorebeke, who is a poet, and styles himself a leader in Illinois politics, was discharged in the county court after being arraigned on a petition alleging he was insane. A physician named by the court reported von Hoorebeke was in sound mind. The petition was filed by J. E. Bretz, a contractor, who alleged von Hoorebeke had annoyed his wife. Von Hoorebeke delivered addresses to the house and senate during the senatorial deadlock. He has been a resident of Springfield twenty years.

SPRINGFIELD — Governor E. F. Dunne is considering whether the tax amendment and the initiative and referendum may both be submitted to a vote of the people as constitutional changes at the same time. He has asked for legal light on the subject. The governor wants to know if it is possible to propose these two amendments to the state constitution at the same time under the articles dealing with "powers of the legislature."

SPRINGFIELD — The house of representatives adopted Butte joint resolution ordering an investigation of the \$1,000,000 voting machines in Chicago and the Chicago election board. The house also speeded up the work of legislation by passing a resolution calling for sessions on Mondays and Fridays. The intent of the legislators right now is to rush bills along as fast as possible.

JOLIET — The sanitary district of the city of Chicago must operate its bear trap and butterfly dam gates daily to make sure they will act properly. The Ohio floods caused a scare in Joliet and an examination by experts was demanded. It was found that the bear trap dam at Lockport did not work as it should. It then developed that the dams seldom were operated.

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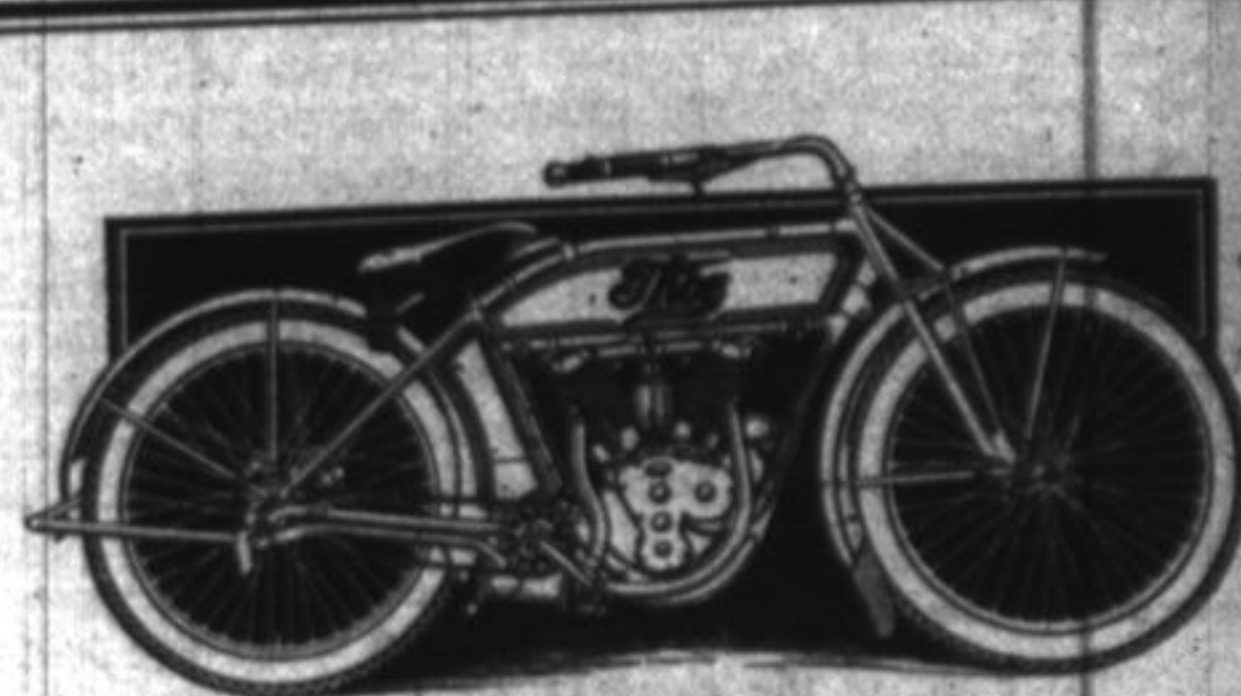
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