


# Announcement

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#### Highland Park Club

The regular weekly photoplays will be given Friday evening, Jan. 30th, beginning promptly at 8 o'clock.

Saturday evening the 31st, there will be a dance at 8:30 o'clock.

The next regular meeting of the Ossoli Study class will be held Thursday morning, Feb. 12th, at 10:00 a. m. General subject, "Schools." Deerfield Township High School, speaker, Rev. P. C. Wolcott; Grammar School, Mr. John V. Norcross; Lincoln Avenue School, Mr. Ward W. Willets.

#### Woman's Club

"Bonnie Scotland" was the subject of the play at the Woman's Club last Tuesday afternoon in charge of Mrs. Charles H. Baker, president of the club. The program opened with a reading by Mrs. Baker, entitled, "A Window in Thrums," by James Carry. Mrs. Frank R. Cain of Ravinia, in costume, sang delightfully several of the good old fashioned Scotch songs such as "Annie Laurie," "Comin' Thru the Rye" and "Love May Go Home". Mr. David M. Erskine gave a very interesting account of his trip to Scotland Miss McElrath with Miss Elizabeth McCrystal as accompanist gave a musical prologue, "Money Musk" and as an encore "Heart of Mine". The Highland Flieg was danced gracefully by several young ladies of our city dressed in the "Highland Lassie" costume. Those taking part were the Misses Miriam and Mary French, Gladys Tucker and Lillian Mitchell, Mrs. James Watson at the piano. In closing all the members stood while they sang "Auld Lang Syne". The hostesses for the afternoon were Mesdames Joseph L. Fearing, James Watson, F. M. Terry, William Grant, Halsey C. Gavitt and August Jonansson.

The next regular meeting will be held February 10th. This will be "Daughter's Day" and a very interesting program is being planned to which all our young people are most cordially invited. Further announcements will be given later.

#### Notice

During the first week in February a class for children entering school for the first time will be organized at the Elm Place school. The age requirement is six years but children under age will be admitted to this class provided their sixth birthday does not occur later than the first of next May.

Board of Education, Dist. 107,  
Per, Fred Greenslade, Sec.

#### A NATIONAL BALLAD SEARCH

U. S. Bureau of Education Trying to Keep Old Songs Alive

A national search for old ballads has been inaugurated by the United States Bureau of Education. Convinced that many of the English and Scottish popular ballads of olden times still survive in the United States, and that immediate steps are necessary to rescue them from oblivion, the Bureau has commissioned Prof. C. Alphonso Smith, of the University of Virginia, a prominent folk-lore investigator, to institute a nation-wide search for versions of these old ballads that once helped to mold the character of the men and women who made up the larger part of the Colonial population of this country.

"If our American versions are not collected immediately they can never be collected at all," Prof. Smith asserts. "Many influences are tending to obliterate them. Catchy but empty songs not worthy of comparison with them, the decadence of communal singing, the growing diversity of interests, the appeal to what is divisive and separative in our national life, the presence of the artificial and self-conscious in modern writing are depriving our homes and schoolrooms of a kind of literature which, for community of feeling, for vigor of narrative, for vividness of portraiture, and for utter simplicity of style and content, is not surpassed in the whole history of English or American song."

A list of 305 of the ballads, all that are known to exist, has been distributed to teachers and others by the Bureau of Education. Those who receive them are asked to indicate whether or not their friends know any of the ballads. The plan is to start a ballad collection for each State, so that State societies may be encouraged to keep up the work and preserve a body of valuable popular literature that threatens to become extinct.

Among the ballads for which survivals are sought are: Robin Hood, The Beggar-Laddie, Bonny Barbara Allan, The Crafty Farmer, Durham Field, The Earl of Mar's Daughter, Fair Annie, Johnie Armstrong's Last Goodnight, Ladie Isabel and the Elf Knight, Child Maurice, The Lass "Roch Royal, The Mermaid, Rob Roy, The Three Ravens, Trooper and Maid, and The Wife of Usher's Well.

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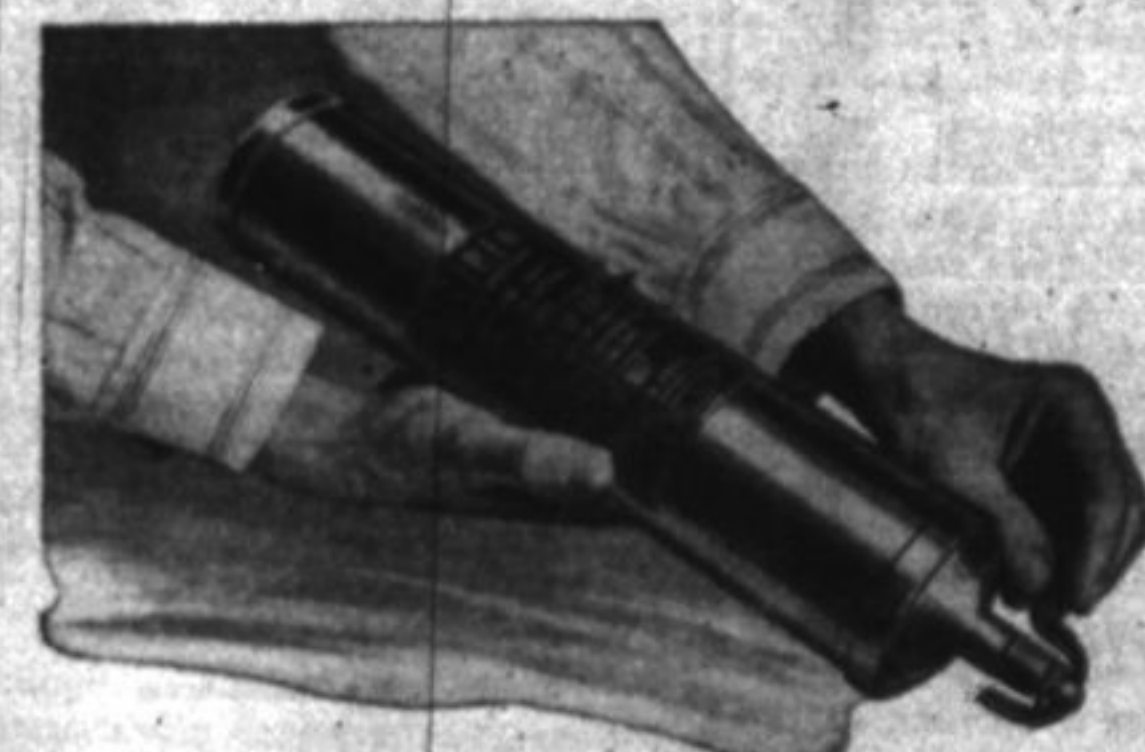
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