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LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

Miss Charmion Watson of Chicago, visited friends here over the week-end.

Miss Eva Morton, who has been spending the past six weeks visiting relatives in California is expected home about the eighteenth.

Miss Helen Conrad will be the week-end guest of Miss Lillian Petersen of 809 Main Street, Evanston, this week.

Mr. Sewald Rebling who has been ill for the past week is improving.

Mrs. Powers of Chicago, was the week-end guest of her daughter, Mrs. Raymond Schneider of Glencoe, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer A. Montgomery, of North Sheridan Road, have gone east with their niece, Miss Major, who will sail for Panama on December 16th, to spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Le Roy Dickenson and children of Edison Park, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arch Abercromby of Lincoln Place.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Rothacher announce the birth of a baby girl, Monday, December twenty-ninth.

Mrs. W. J. Fyffe spent a part of last week at Decatur, Ill., where she attended the State Board meeting of the Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Carqueville have returned from Cincinnati where they spent a week.

Miss Edith Lobdell and Mr. Cyrus Hill of Chicago were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Atwater of Glencoe Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Erskine of Park Avenue, had as their guests over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Meyer of Chicago.

Mrs. Otis Beardsley was a week-end guest in Lombard, Illinois.

Mrs. E. E. Andrews is in Detroit this week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ward Knapp and tiny son, have returned from Minneapolis where they have spent nearly three months.

Mrs. McGregor Adams and Mrs. F. Wiegand left Tuesday for New York, where they will remain for six weeks, later going to Thomasville, Georgia, where they will spend the winter.

Mr. J. A. Gottschalk, of Covington, Kentucky, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. W. E. Bletsch, of Moraine Road.

Mrs. Clara J. Tremaine of Oakwood Avenue, had as her guest over the week-end, Miss Helen Mott, of Chicago.

Mrs. Thomas Clements spent a part of last week at Sulphur Springs, Missouri.

Miss Priscilla Carver played last evening at a recital in Chicago, and will play again next Wednesday evening.

Mrs. William Doherty of 113 Onwentsia Avenue, was taken to the Presbyterian Hospital Monday evening to be operated upon for appendicitis.

Miss Marie Udell of Wilmette was a guest of Mrs. Walter Cope of W. Vine Avenue, for a part of this week.

Mrs. David Jones was a week-end guest in Kenosha, visiting Mrs. William Russell formerly of this city.

Miss Doris Humphrey has started a dancing class in Library Hall for little children, meeting Saturday afternoons at two-thirty o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond E. Durham of Winnetka, announce the birth of a son, Monday, November twenty-ninth. Mrs. Durham is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Gregory, all of whom are well-known in this city.

Mrs. Anna Boal Wickes of the Moraine Hotel, who has been in California for some time, with Mrs. G. L. Fort of the Congress Hotel, Chicago, will return to the hotel this week.

Mr. George R. Nichols has returned from a several month's stay in Montana.

One of the baby girl twins at the Ben Southerton home died Monday. It was three weeks old.

Mr. and Mrs. Burrige Butler will leave the twentieth for New York, where they will spend Christmas.

Rev. Van'Evera left on Tuesday for South Dixon where he will assist Arthur Meierhoff in his Evangelistic meetings.

Harold Bamborough is confined to his home with an attack of the grippe.

Mrs. Isaac Goldberg, who has been ill in a Chicago Hospital for several months, has returned to her home on West Central Avenue.

Mr. Fritz Bahr, who was ill with the grippe this week, is improving.

The Mystic Workers will have their annual Christmas party Monday evening, December 20th.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Ebenezer church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. William Ernst of McGovern Street, next Thursday afternoon.

Miss Jessie Jane Chandler returned Tuesday from a month's visit with relatives in Aldie, Virginia.

Mrs. F. B. Williams and son Arthur, are on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Elmer Brown, who has been very ill for the past few weeks is improving.

Mr. Sidney Arno Dietch has returned from a concert tour of the south and east. Mr. Dietch accompanied Mrs. Chilson Ohman of Chicago, during his tour.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Alexander are in New York for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lichtwalt of North St. Johns Avenue, announce the birth of a daughter, December third.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gemmer entertained the members of the Concordia League at their home on Tuesday evening.

Miss Mary Sewing of this city, returned home last week from an extended visit to Oklahoma.

Mr. Edw. Eichler spent Sunday visiting friends at Arlington Heights.

An interesting program of dialogues, musical selections, piano and violin solos, is to be given tomorrow evening at the Evangelical Lutheran church, under the auspices of the Luther League. There will be a small charge of admission.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Haak and son August spent last week with relatives in Madison and Milwaukee, Wis. While in Milwaukee they went through the Cudahy plant, the firm of which Mr. Haak is an employee.

Public Library Notes

The librarians are anxious to hear from the public in regard to the three musical magazines which are on file at the library. The magazines are: Musical Leader, Music News, and Musical America. If enough demand for any one of these three magazines is made, one will be subscribed for. Let the librarians know your choice in this matter. In any of the magazines are to be found very interesting reading, and often names of musicians, with which the Ravinia Park goers are familiar, are mentioned.

North End M. E. Church

Services are held at the church as follows: Mid-week service, Wednesday evening, at seven forty-five; Sunday services are, Sunday School at nine forty-five; Junior League at two-thirty; Epworth League at six forty-five; Public Worship at eight o'clock.

This afternoon at two-thirty, at Mrs. Charles Boyd's home, the Ladies' Aid Society will hold a Birthday Social. The Epworth League will hold its regular monthly meeting tomorrow evening, at the parsonage, after business is transacted, there will be a social hour. On Sunday the subject for the evening will be along the lines of the history of the development of women's influence in the church.

High School Notes

Over three hundred people attended the very interesting Dickens' recital Saturday evening at the high school, given by Mr. Frank Speaight, of London, England. Surely Mr. Speaight is a true Dickens actor and the way in which he called forth the numerous Dickens' characters, and made them live before his audience was wonderful to see. His excellent facial expressions were a great help to his very good delivery.

Tuesday mornings, the swimming pool will be open from ten to eleven o'clock, for all ladies of the community, with Miss Ried in charge.

On Thursday afternoon the members of the Forum met for a debate on the question: "Resolved, that the soldier is of more benefit to the country than the student." Oscar Meyers, on the affirmative and Mary Marshall on the negative, both gave interesting and well delivered speeches, that of Mr. Meyers bringing out every detail and making a well thought out review of the history of war. Following this debate, a general discussion was indulged in by the members of the club. The idea of forming a Junior Debating Club was talked of, and probably will be realized. This club will be a preparatory to the Forum. This afternoon the Garrick Club is giving a program in the English Club room. On Friday nearly all of the boys from the high school with Mr. Taylor in Chicago, visited the Naval Training Station. On Friday evening the boys' gymnasium was a gala scene of beautiful colors, when the Athletic Association gave the annual football dance. The lights were dimmed by blue and white decoration while the school blue and white, and pennants were much in evidence everywhere. Spotlights with different lights made the dancers very pretty and added much to the color of the party. Music of "just the right sort" was furnished by a student orchestra from Northwestern University. A large number of dancers enjoyed the evening.

Next Tuesday morning, in general assembly, three of the four musical organizations will appear for a short musical program. The organizations are: girls' and boys' glee clubs, and the school orchestra. The military band is meeting for rehearsals twice every week, and is showing much progress, and promises to be a musical organization of which the town may be justly proud. On Tuesday the students of the cadet corps were measured for their khaki uniforms for military drill; the suits will be here in ten days. Over one hundred boys are in the corps. Rifles and other arms are to be procured through the influence of Mr. William Mather Lewis of Lake Forest. Heretofore the drill has been in charge of a volunteer officer from Fort Sheridan, whose duties often interfered with the hour of drill; at the present time an officer has been procured who can use most of his time in drilling.

On Monday afternoon Mr. Sandwick spoke to the Parent-Teacher Association of the high school in the English Club room, on the subject, "New Movements in High School Education." He spoke of the reorganizing of the high school work, into senior high school, and junior college work, which movement has behind it the support of the larger universities. He then spoke of the idea of enlarging the scope of high school work, by more vocational and recreational lines, and of the high schools which keep open seven days, and seven evenings in the week, for the benefit of the public in general, citing as an example the La Salle Township High School.

The third part of his talk was given over to the discussing of the standardizing of the high school work, by determining the average cost in each department of the school, and through measurement scales to tell the efficiency of the instruction. He ended his talk by telling that this was the work of the school survey, which he recommended the way to bring about better standards in education. There was a good attendance. Mr. White, a tenor, of Northwestern University, sang to the students in assembly, Tuesday morning. There is an epidemic of colds in the community and an effort is being made to determine whether or not the school is at fault, so far no evidence has been found. The enlarged use of the school plant is such that now, over one thousand people make use of the school every week. The total registration in the day school is four hundred and twenty-two.

Advised Letters

Mrs. W. C. Edgar, Mr. Giuseppe Fondrato, Mr. Frank Johnson, Mrs. Frank O. Lowler, Mrs. Tilda Leppimaki, Mr. R. McLaren, Mr. Joe Marcus, Mrs. M. Martin, Mr. F. H. Nesurs, Mrs. S. Ojane, Rev. W. F. Parsons, Mrs. Pauline D. Rudolph.

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