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Deerfield News Items

Miss Marie Kress whose marriage to Mr. Elmer Clavey of Highland Park will take place Thursday afternoon was the guest of honor at the seven o'clock dinner party and linen shower, at which Miss Mildred Whiting was the delightful hostess. Thursday evening. Covers were laid for twelve on a table daintily decorated in pink and white June flowers, the center piece being a beautiful bouquet of peonies. Many toasts and good wishes were given to the bride to be. The guest list included the Misses Marie, Loretta, Ruth Kress, Mabel and Elda Horenberger, Arline Blumehel, Hermina Haunschild, Clara Pyle, Vila Graves of Forest Glenn, and Mrs. R. E. Pettis.

Mrs. Sarah E. Adams and granddaughter Lois Adams are visiting Mrs. Fred Kimbark of Ravenswood.

William Smelzer Jr. of Chicago is visiting at the home of Mrs. E. A. Todd.

Mr. Claude Knigge is in Fargo, N. D.

Miss Winifred Plagge is the guest of her aunt Mrs. D. Wessling of Grand Junction, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Franz and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Antes and family, motored to Arlington Heights Sunday party.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Carnell and family are the guests of Mrs. Carnell's sister Mrs. M. Nichols of Stillwell, Ind.

Last Thursday afternoon Mrs. Wm. Hahn entertained a number of her friends at a farewell party in honor of Mrs. J. Antes who with her family left for Seattle, Wash. Tuesday morning.

Miss Clara Ender entertained a number of her friends at a miscellaneous shower in compliment to Miss Marie Kress, Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Winifred Supple is attending the University at Madison.

Miss Edna Bosold of Mokena is visiting Miss Ruth Lidgerwood.

Miss Elizabeth Reichet is the guest of Mrs. J. William Elliott.

A picnic will be given by the Parent Teacher Association in the Knickerbocker Grove, July 4th. An all day affair in which the entire population of the village with the host of guests who usually visit this delightful country community on summer holidays, are invited to make the day a success. The school house will be open in the evening, and an orchestra will be provided for dancing.

The Kreh children are confined to their home with the measles.

Mr. W. A. Whiting is in Smithville, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horenberger had as their guest Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Chris Bent, Mr. Wm. Eggert, Mr. and Mrs. George Eggert and Dr. Miller of Chicago.

Mrs. Wm. A. Whiting and Miss Elizabeth Clark, were the guests of Mrs. J. P. Schneider of Chicago Sunday.

Miss Esther Peterson of Rock Island is visiting at the home of her brother Mr. Frank Peterson.

Mrs. P. Monahan of Minneapolis, Minn., is visiting at the home of her sister Mrs. B. H. Kress.

Mr. and Mrs. August Schopp, of Glencoe, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Pfister of Highland Park, Mr. and Mrs. Hillshoff of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lesser of Northfield, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Antes, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lange, Sunday afternoon at a "Bon Voyage" party.

Mrs. Jennie Smicer of Lexington, Mass., announces the marriage of her daughter Edna Smicer, to Charles George Pettis, Thursday June 22.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Osterman of Chicago were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Willman, Sunday.

The newly organized Deerfield baseball team played their initial game at Morton Grove, Sunday, trimming the Morton Grove team to the tune of 15 to 6. The local exponents of our national pastime, showed exceptional ability and altho never pressed, played as if the score was tie. The feature of the combat was the batting of Arts, the 3d sacker, who got single, a double, then a triple and finally clouting the sphere for the whole circuit, never having any trouble getting the required amount of bases either. Pitcher Therrien was not at his best at the beginning of the game but he improved wonderfully and had no trouble in keeping the opposing batters from placing the pill in safe territory. The batting order was as follows:

Coulon, ss; Johnston, c; Sacks, lf; Therrien, p; Johnston, rf; Willman, cf; Arts, 3b; Berts, 2b; Kress, 1b.

North End M. E. Church.

The services in the church are as follows: Sunday School at 9:45; Junior League at 2:30; Epworth League at 6:45; evening service at 8:00; Tuesday evenings, S. M. B. Club; Wednesday services, prayer meeting at 7:45, teachers' training class 8:15, choir rehearsal at 8:45; Thursday evening, Girls' Sewing Club at 7:30.

The Dixie Glee, under the auspices of the Epworth League will give a program of instrumental music, and impersonating readings. There will be vocal selections in addition to the piano, flute, piano, and drum. There will be a small charge for this entertainment. Due to a change in plans, the cantata will not be given.

KING OF URBAN TREES.

Qualities That Adopt the Elm to Architectural Surroundings.

The elm is essentially a self sufficient tree. It does not thrive in groves. It has a standard type of its own, and it either attains this type or is lost to view. The elm which comes to maturity is usually the one which has lodged in a favored spot where there is no competition, such as a river meadow, where the spring freshets have dropped the seed on fertile soil and the roots can get down to water.

We all know the type, the noble trunk of massive girth tapering very gradually upward to the first spring of branches and then dissolving into those branches as a water jet might dissolve in many upward and out curving streams till the whole is lost in the spray of the foliage. Like many other trees that grow alone, it develops an exquisite symmetry. But with the elm this symmetry is not only one of general contour, but of individual limbs. Not only is the silhouette symmetrical, but the skeleton also, branch balancing branch.

That is what gives it its remarkable fitness to comport with architectural lines, with geometrically designed vistas. It has a formal structure and a consequent dignity which make it the logical shade for a village street, a chapel, a library, the scholarly procession in cap and gown. Add to that dignity its arched and airy lightness and its splendid size and you have the king of urban trees.—Walter Prichard Eaton in Century

A LUCKY STONE.

Maybe the Part It Played Was Merely That of Coincidence.

In his book, "The Magic of Jewels and Charms," George F. Kunz relates this little story of a lucky stone and the adventures of its owners:

"Some years ago a meteorite was given to Edward Heron Allen, the famous writer on palmistry and the violin, and this gifted man always wore it about him. One morning he awakened to find that the entire roof above him had fallen in, except just that portion over his bed.

"He told the story to one of the best known ladies in Boston, one who is known for her public spirit, her love of art and her faultless manner of entertaining. This lady successfully urged Allen to give her the meteorite.

"A few days later, while out driving, a great truck with two runaway horses attached to it struck her carriage. Instinctively she raised her muff to protect her face. The muff was almost cut in two, but the lady was not hurt. A few days later, while she was walking under some scaffolding, it fell, and the open part where the bolts went up proved to be just where she stood. Although surrounded by ruin, she remained unharmred."

Whether the stone was a factor in averting disaster to its owners in their moments of peril is, however, a matter apart from the facts in the case.

Origin of a Japanese Dance.

The origin of the Kume-mai, the dance performed at the coronation of the mikado, is traced to Jimmu Tennu, an early hero, who while on his eastern expedition found a certain chief-tain called Tso-hi-mu-mo most obstinate in his resistance and unsatisfactory. Thereupon he ordered a Kume Nushino Mikoto to entice out the chief-tain, to whom sake was offered and dances were shown, with the result that finally he was overcome and slain. The descendants of O Kume Nushino Mikoto put this fact into songs and music, from which sprang the dance—Argonaut

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BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF HIGHLAND PARK:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that bids will be received for the grading, draining, curbing with combined concrete curb and gutter, providing with catch basins, paving with an asphaltic macadam pavement, and otherwise improving Michigan Avenue, from the west corporate limits of the City of Highland Park, east to the westerly line of the paved roadway in Green Bay Road, all in the City of Highland Park, County of Lake and State of Illinois, as a whole in accordance with the ordinance therefor. Said bids will be opened on the 10th day of July, A. D. 1916, at the hour of 5:45 o'clock p. m. at the office of the Board of Local Improvements in the City Hall of the City of Highland Park.

The specifications and blank proposals will be furnished at the office of the Board of Local Improvements in the City Hall in said city.

The contractor will be paid in bonds, which bonds will draw interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

All proposals or bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the President of the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Highland Park for the sum of not less than ten (10) per cent. of the aggregate of the proposal.

Said proposal must be delivered to the President of Board of the Local Improvements in open session of said Board at the time and place fixed herein for the opening of the same.

No proposal or bid will be considered unless accompanied by check as herein provided.

The Board of Local Improvements reserves the right to reject any or all bids if they deem it best for the public good.

SAMUEL M. HASTINGS,
President of the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Highland Park. Dated at Highland Park, Illinois this 29th day of June, A. D. 1916. 18-19

NOTICE:

A meeting of the stockholders of the Harbaugh-Miller Lumber Co. will be held July 20th, 1916, at the office of the Charles Harbaugh Lumber Co., room one, Sheridan Building, Highland Park, Ill., for the purpose of voting on a resolution to dissolve the above named, Harbaugh-Miller Lumber Co. corporation.

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