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The Social Side of Life
Local Affairs of the week

By the Observer

The Highland Park Club was the gayest of scenes on Saturday evening when the officers and members gave a military and naval ball. The club house was filled to overflowing with ladies and uniformed men. Color was not lacking and the contrast between the softness of the ladies' gowns and the stern khaki of the "boys" gave the affair an attractive appearance. Many dinner parties preceded the dance, and about many dinner tables in Highland Park gathered a number of blue and khaki uniforms. Among those who entertained boys from the fort and the lakes were, Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Gardner, who had in their party, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Drun of Chicago, formerly of this city and Mrs. Raymond Turck of Chicago, whose husband has recently been made lieutenant-colonel in the medical corps, stationed at Camp Wheeler, Georgia. Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Schumacher also entertained a large company of young people, with a fair representation of Uncle Sam's army present. There were dinner parties at Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baldwin's home and at Mr. and Mrs. Roger Vail's home.

Mrs. Gustav Krueger will entertain a few friends on Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. A. L. Adams of Winnetka.

Mrs. Neis Nelson of Green Bay Road was hostess to the Euchre club last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Edward Huber was given a delightful surprise party last evening by the members of the Euchre Club.

Mrs. Charles Boehm entertained at dinner last Sunday in honor of Mr. Boehm's birthday anniversary. Christmasannumens were used as decorations. Covers were laid for thirty.

Last Saturday evening seventeen young ladies of this city entertained seventeen young men of the R. O. T. C. at an informal dancing party in the Y. W. C. A. rooms.

Rev. F. Holke of N. Green Bay Road was delightfully surprised last Tuesday afternoon when several of his Chicago friends came to help him celebrate his seventy-fifth birthday anniversary. In the evening the members of St. Johns Evangelical church gave a delightful party for him in the church parlors.

The annual meeting of the officers and members of the Ravinia Club will be held Friday, November twenty-third (tomorrow), at 10:45 a. m. at the Blackstone Hotel, Chicago.

Mrs. William Guyot was hostess on Monday evening to the Worth White Circle.

Mrs. Carl Kuist entertained the Sewing Club at her home last Thursday afternoon.

The Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian church met on Monday at the home of Mrs. Elisha Morgan on N. Linden Ave.

The Harmony Club meets this afternoon with Mrs. Samuel Levin.

HIGHLAND PARK CLUB

There will be no motion pictures at the club this week.

The Thanksgiving dance will take place on the 29th.

A Thanksgiving dinner will be given for one hundred jacks from the Great Lakes Naval Training Station on Thanksgiving day at 11:50 a. m.

EBENEZER EVANGELICAL

The services for next Sabbath will be held as follows:

Sunday school at 10 a. m. The lesson to be studied will be found in Psalms 103, "A Psalm of Thanksgiving."

Morning Worship at 11 o'clock. Rev. A. R. Kratz, a student at Northwestern University, will occupy the pulpit. The pastor is engaged in Evangelistic singing at a revival meeting at Ashton, Ill. He will be gone for two or three weeks.

FIRST UNITED EVAN.

Corner of Green Bay Road and Laurel Ave. C. G. Unangst, Pastor.

The anniversary service held on last Sunday evening was full of good things. Mr. Herman Drieske spoke impressively on the good influence of the church. Mr. John Christian told the people about the wonderful deliverance that had come to him through Christ during the past year. There were a number of inquirers and the service continued until 10:30, with unabated interest.

The pastor has gone to Chadwick, Ill., where he will conduct a Bible Conference from Nov. 20 to 28. In his absence the pulpit will be supplied on next Sunday by a representative of the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.

The Sunday school will meet at 9:30 a. m. Morning service at 10:45. Christian Endeavor, meeting at 6:30 p. m., and evening service at 7:30.

The Christian Endeavor Society will conduct a sunrise prayer meeting and praise service at 6:30 on Thanksgiving Day morning. All members and friends of the church are invited to attend.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

Hazel Ave., near St. John's Ave.

Subject for next Sunday's Lesson Sermon is "Soul and Body".

Services are held in this church every Sunday morning at 10:45. Sunday School meets immediately after the morning service, and is open to pupils up to the age of 20 years. The Wednesday evening meeting, which includes testimonies of Christian Science healing is at 8 o'clock.

You are cordially invited to make use of the reading room at 119 E. Central avenue, which is open every week day, from nine o'clock in the morning to 8 p. m.

A Thanksgiving Service will be held at the church on Thanksgiving Day at 10:45 a. m.

DEERFIELD NEWS ITEMS

Mr. Clarence Boek of Shumway, Illinois, was a guest at the Biederstadt home Wednesday.

Mr. Earl Clapper and Miss Myrtle Hill of Chicago, were guests of the former's aunt, Mrs. Tea Frost Sunday. Mrs. Frost also had in her guests, Mrs. Lloyd and son of Chicago.

Mrs. George Goodman is in Springfield this week as a delegate of the Rebecca Lodge of Highland Park.

Miss Isabel Biederstadt of Highland Park visited at the home of her parents Sunday.

Miss Margaret Kross entertained the newly organized Knitting Bee Saturday evening.

Miss Hermina Hauschild entertained the Knitting Club Tuesday evening.

John Schneider of Chicago spent the week end at the Eugene Ender home.

Mrs. Garity and children John and Marjory spent the week end with relatives in Highwood.

Miss Lela Glynn had as her week end guest her sister Miss Harriet Glynn of Chicago.

Miss Gladys Goodman spent the week end in Chicago.

Mrs. Eugene Ender was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bingham of Chicago a few days last week.

Miss Mary Hempstead of Evanston visited at the home of her brother Frane Hempstead last week.

Miss Elda Horenberger was the week end guest of Miss Effie Jacobson of Chicago.

Mr. Carl Rommel who is in the army stationed at Battle Creek, as chemist spent Sunday with his parents.

Miss Mildred Biederstadt was the week end guest of her sister Mrs. Haskin of Wilmette.

Between the reels of the moving picture show Friday evening Mr. Sedwick and Mrs. Spencer of Highland Park gave brief speeches on the work of the Y. M. C. A. in Europe and in America. They both urged the people to give as generously as possible. Mr. Spencer has four sons and one daughter already in the service and another daughter preparing to go into service. Mr. Fred Meyer as chairman of the Y. M. C. A. in West Deerfield also spoke to the people at that time.

The Deerfield Red Cross Auxiliary have to furnish five comfort kits. Mrs. Gordon the President of the organization urged the ladies to send in the materials for these kits not later than this week. The Lake County Chapter will supply all the fighting men who go from Lake County with knitted articles if they have not their own personal outfit already.

Mrs. Smetzer and son William of Chicago, J. M. Woodman and son Jim of Waukegan, Marie Kist and Miss Grace Winston of Wilmette were the guests of Mrs. L. P. Tood, Sunday.

The Lyceum course continues consisting of fifteen people met at the George Sherman's vacant store Monday evening.

Sixteen guests were entertained at a House Warming party at the Middlebranch farm, the home of Charles and Miss Jewett Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Antes and children Dorothy and Lillian, Mrs. Amelia Pyle, and Mrs. Sallie Antes were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bingham of Chicago Sunday.

Mrs. Bert Easton and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gall of Highland Park Sunday.

Mr. Bruce Blaine who is in training at Rockford was home over the week end.

The United Evangelical church will have a public missionary Thanksgiving meeting Sunday evening, November 25, and Thursday evening of this week will give a play, Mrs. Smith's Mite Box, in the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Serman announce the birth of a daughter Saturday.

The Red Cross society wishes to announce that anyone who wishes to knit sweaters, scarfs, or socks for the soldiers will be furnished with the necessary yarns and needles free of charge.

Christ Mentzer had his under lip torn off in an accident on the break-water last week.

The first concert of this year's Lyceum course will be given in the school assembly hall Saturday by the Chicago Festival Quintette. Course tickets will admit holders to both afternoon and evening performances at 2:30 and 8 o'clock, when different programs will be given. The tickets sell for \$1.50 and entitle holder to attend twelve entertainments, six in Deerfield and six in Shermerville. The matinee tickets Saturday will be sold for ten cents to those who do not have season tickets.

The next moving picture show will be given in the school Friday evening December seventh, with Marguerite Clark in "Snow White".

Mr. Gahrke and family have moved to Deerfield from Libertyville and will live in one of the houses owned by Mr. Bishop of Libertyville.

Deerfield Presbyterian Church Sunday morning, November 25, Professor Scott of Olivet Institute will preside at the communion service in the Presbyterian church, all who wish to join the church on the confession of their faith are asked to meet the session at 10:20 Sunday morning in the lobby of the church.

The Woman's Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. Otto Khaak Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Reichelt, the president presided and had charge of the devotional exercises. Extracts from the book of Robert E. Spier on the Philippine Islands were read by Mesdames Reichelt Sr., Goldring, Fred Haggie and S. P. Hutchinson and Miss Woodman. The society is packing a barrel for the Bohemian Settlement home and clothing is desired to complete it.

The Dorcas Society held an all day meeting in the Community House Thursday to sew for the blisnar

which will be held Thursday, December 8. The money obtained will be used to defray the debt on the church.

The Sunday School will have a parcel post sale Tuesday evening, November 27, in the Community House.

Delbert Meyer led the Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday evening, the subject of which was Foreign Mission Movements and Leaders.

Council of National Defense WOMAN'S COMMITTEE

Official News Notes on all War Work

Red Cross Shop

A letter signed by Florence M. Marshall, National Director, Woman's Bureau at Washington, dealing with knitting, was received by the Chicago Chapter office early this week. In part, it is as follows:

"May I say that the knitted goods which the good women of the country are knitting for the Red Cross are urgently needed right at this moment in France. You may be assured that the Red Cross would not make a request of the women of the country unless the need existed and we knew that it existed from our own representatives in the war zone. Last week we received the report of two representatives of the Woman's Bureau who have been in France for the past two months making observations and studies. Their report indicates that warm clothing and garments are badly needed. We are asking all persons making garments to see that warm flannels, flannellettes, etc., are used. Warm sweaters, scarfs, and quantities of socks are desperately needed. Please accept my assurance that the knitted garments are needed despite the fact that the price of wool is high. Our boys must be kept as warm as it is humanly possible for us to do so in the unusual climate in which they will fight the Nation's battles for us."

I believe that knitters should ultimately settle down to the manufacture of the four classes of greatly needed articles, which are, in order—socks, sweaters, mitts, helmets.

Last week a large shipment of knitted garments was sent in and the report was that all the work was excellently knitted.

Early in the summer the Red Cross Shop in Highland Park was criticised for not coming up to the standard in quantity for surgical dressings, however this criticism no longer holds good as last Monday over 1600 dressings were turned out and on last Thursday over 3000 dressings were made. These figures show for themselves that the Highland Park Shop is coming up to the standard and filling a good part of the great quantities of the needed dressings. Every day ought to show an equal amount of work done, and then the women of Highland Park can feel that they are doing their share of the work in this war.

It was gratifying to the Red Cross Shop to receive last week 300 pairs and 300 packages of tobacco to forward to the men in active service in France. This donation was made by the men of Co. 2 R. O. T. C. now at Fort Sheridan.

Y. W. C. A.

On Saturday of this week, November 24th, the Young Women's Christian Association will produce a patriotic pageant—The Drawing of the Sword—in the assembly room of the Grammar School. All Highland Parkers who feel the slightest interest in swords, or—let us say—bayonets, should make a serious effort to be present at the drawing of this one, particularly as some hundred and fifty young women are going to assist at the affair, and the proceeds from the sale of tickets will help the Y. W. C. A. to struggle on with its extraordinary war work, without outside pecuniary aid.

Army and Navy Center

On Saturday of this week the Center plans to feed its lady a buffet Thanksgiving supper—informal but profuse. All plans have been made and donations are more numerous than ever before. It is rumored that turkeys have been donated by local merchants. However, this amazing bit of gossip—now likely to be credited will be further discussed in a future issue of the column. But be that as it may, the Center Thanksgiving supper is going to be a thing of solemn gloriousness. Mrs. A. W. Fletcher, Tel. 399, is in charge of it.

On Thanksgiving day there will be a few men, lonely, at Fort Sheridan. And in Highland Park a few heads of families would like to see one or two neat and shining khaki figures punctuating the family circle as it appears behind the crest of that staid brown bird. Well, the Army and Navy Center has provided a sealed box wherein soldiers who suspect themselves of being in the "few lonely soldiers" class are going to put their names. If you belong to the second "Highland Park head of a family wanting a soldier, etc." class please communicate with Mrs. B. C. Jacobson who will try to put you into communication with a soldier.

The General Chairman of the Army and Navy Center, also Editor of this column, is about to leave Highland Park, where she has resigned both of the above offices. In the future the column will be edited by Mrs. Carl Pfanzagl. As for the Center, Mrs. George E. Jones, Treasurer, is at present acting as Chairman until further arrangements can be made. The departing incumbent wishes to thank everyone for contributing so liberally to the success of the Center—and for reading the column.

LINCOLN SCHOOL

The Thanksgiving festival program will be held next Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock in the assembly hall. This program will be symbolic of the Greek harvest festival. All of the children of the school will take part in the singing. All are cordially invited to attend this affair.

The regular Thanksgiving holidays will be observed on Thursday and Friday of next week.

At present the children are interested in the planting of bulbs for winter and spring bloom.

ALBERT LARSON STATIONER

Announces that because of the change of business location, it is necessary to reduce the stock. As an inducement for early Christmas buying, before December 1st, a discount of 20% will be made for all purchases of \$1.00 or more of Books, Box Paper and Christmas Cards.

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