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The Social Side of Life

Local Affairs of the week

By the Observer

Miss Margaret Wilhelm will be hostess to the Friday Night club tomorrow evening.

An informal dinner dance will be given Saturday evening at Exmoor club. A number of officers from Ft. Sheridan will be entertained.

The Ladies of Bob O Link club met Wednesday afternoon for luncheon. The North Shore was well represented as there were forty eight ladies present. Following the luncheon Patriotic bridge, for which Thrift Stamps prizes were awarded was enjoyed.

The North Shore Chapter, D. A. R. will observe flag day tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Richmond Nichols. The speaker of the afternoon will be Mr. Elmer D. Brothers of Chicago, who will speak on "Our First War With Germany". The time is set for three o'clock.

The Misses Hazel and Myrtle Nelson entertained the Luther League of the Swedish Lutheran Church in the church parlors Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Fred Rubly entertained twenty-four guests last Saturday evening. Cards were the feature of the evening. Pink and white daisies were used as decorations.

FIRST UNITED EVAN.

Corner of Green Bay Road and Laurel Ave., C. G. Unangst, Pastor. Announcements for Sunday, June 16th.

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. The lesson theme is "Jesus on the Cross". Mark 15:22-39. The Children's Day program of last Sunday was most interesting, the graduating exercises being the main feature.

At 10:45 a. m. the pastor will speak about "A Great Prophetic Conference". The conference was held in Philadelphia, May 28th, to 30th, when more than 23 states were represented by men and women in attendance. The general theme of the conference was "The Return of Our Lord". Rev. Unangst will give a report of this at the morning service.

At 8:45 the Christian Endeavor will meet. The topic is "Cooperation with the Sunday school".

The pastor will speak at 7:45 p. m. on "The Sad Story of a Family that was Separated from the House of God".

A mid-week prayer service is held every Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock, to which everyone is invited.

Monday evening, June 17th, the Mission Band will hold a missionary oratorical contest, at 7:45 p. m. Miss Francis Fritsch is in charge.

Council of National Defense WOMAN'S COMMITTEE

Official News Notes on all War Work

American Fund for French Wounded

The work of the American Fund for French Wounded goes on as usual. The committee announces that each knitted article sent carries with it a personal note from the maker and the answers that have come in reply to these notes have been many and various. Also the committee announces that, if you are the possessor of any picture postal card or other picture card that has not been written upon and that you do not look upon as a necessity to yourself, it will be glad to receive the same as a donation to be used as a medium for other such notes. Of course a postal picturing the city of Highland Park, all done up in bright colors, would be particularly nice. But any postal, whether it be of the Panama Pacific Exposition or Pinesapples growing in Japan, will be equally gladly received. Donations to the American Fund for French Wounded should be sent to the Parish House of Trinity Church on Wednesdays or at any time to Miss Genevieve Mott, Y. M. C. A.

On Monday night Miss Mary Wood Hinman of the Recreation Board of the State Council of Defense will lecture to the Y. W. C. A.

Last Saturday evening the girls of the Y. W. C. A. assisted at a very successful dancing party, one of the regular Saturday evening series, given for soldiers and sailors at the Highland Park club. The invitations to these parties come to the men thru the chaplain and the Y. M. C. A. and are limited, for each occasion, to sixty men. On Sunday afternoons, however, the Highland Park Club is open to all men in uniform.

RED CROSS SHOP

The work of the Red Cross shop is going on nicely and the quota is being disposed of in the usual efficient way.

The Chicago unit requests that all yarns that have not been made up be returned to the shop at the earliest possible moment as there is a serious shortage of wool.

Army and Navy Center

An oven—a very valuable addition to the culinary appliances of the Center—was donated this week by Mrs. Sedgwick. Also very fetching blue curtains for the writing room were donated by Mrs. Robert Carr, Mrs. Robert Gregory presented the Center with the two white benches which stand so decoratively on either side of the Center's front door and Mr. Fritz Bahr loaned the two handsome flower boxes that stand also on the sidewalk—and filled them with flowers without charge. Thus is the Center beautified by its friends. The decorative effect of the benches and the boxes is great and when, of a Sunday afternoon, a dozen or so navy men in white uniforms group themselves about on those benches behind the flowers and with the bright Army and Navy Center flags as a background the effect is so charming and so reminiscent of the Italian Riviera or Nice or something, that all Highland Parkers of sensibility should certainly make it a point to stroll by and enjoy the ensemble.

The open air vespers, which were last year conducted in the lake shore park under the auspices of the Center, have been taken over, for this year, by the churches, and will be very dignified and, it is hoped, very well attended.

The hostess for Saturday evening is Mrs. C. A. Stonehill of Braeside and for Sunday afternoon at the Center will be the Luther League of the Zion Lutheran Church.

HIGHLAND PARK M. E. CHURCH

Services for Sunday June 16th are: Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Mens' Bible Class at 2:00 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Worship at 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday prayer meeting at 7:45 p. m.

Thursday choir rehearsal at 7:45 p. m.

Friday Boy Scouts at 7:15 p. m.

The Rev. Tetreau has been called into the service of the army and leaves on Saturday for Louisville Kentucky where he will take a five weeks training for chaplaincy. The church has given him a leave of absence covering the term of training.

EBENEZER EVAN. CHURCH

Second Street near Laurel Ave. John G. Schwab, Pastor.

The annual Children's day program will be rendered by the Sunday School at 10:00 a. m., and a missionary offering taken. These exercises will merge into the hour of the regular preaching service, at which time a short, appropriate address will be given by the pastor. Preaching services at 8:00 p. m.

Prayer meeting and study of the Sunday school lesson every Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock.

Bishop Lawrence H. Seager, D. D., delivered a masterful sermon last Sunday evening at this church, which was received with rapt attention by of the pastor and congregation of a large audience. The participation of the First United Evangelical church in these services added greatly to the success and enjoyment of the occasion. The special songs rendered by a quartette of Y. M. C. A. secretaries from the Great Lakes Station were very much appreciated. Altogether the occasion was one of spiritual profit and inspirations.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school will meet at 9:30, next Sunday morning.

The subject of the Children's sermon is "The Engine that Could".

The subject of the sermon at the regular morning service at 11:00 o'clock is "The effect of the War upon our Christianity".

On Sunday afternoon at 5:30 the Church will provide a community vesper service on the Lake Front, the Rev. Frank Pitt speaking on "The Faith that Means Most to Us in Wartime". Mr. Louis Kreidler will lead the singing.

After the services there will be a free supper at the church for all men in uniform. They are cordially invited.

The prayer meeting will be held at the usual time on Wednesday.

CAMP GRANT NEWS

Company "D"

1st Sgt. Monty Rasmussen of Lake Forest got all sun-burned last Sunday. He says he was driving his red and black Hudson but we think it was a bathing suit.

Pvt. Geo. Karch of Deersfield, Ill. had an awful time repeating his serial number. It's tough to remember your serial number, rifle number, girls phone number and company number.

Discontinuance of Credit

IN order to meet conditions brought about by the war, we are forced to change our policy in extending credit. We very much appreciate the courtesy extended to us by the majority of our customers in meeting their bills with a reasonable promptness in the past. However, having laundry work charged and carried on our books for a period of thirty days entails a considerable expense in keeping up the office detail. The large number of customers we have, each owing a small amount of money, requires us to carry many thousands of dollars in open accounts.

In order to meet the abnormal conditions, over which we have no control, we shall be obliged on and after July 1, 1918, to place all of our business on a strictly cash on delivery basis.

This is not to be construed as a reflection on your credit or financial standing, but actual necessity compels this course which is in accord with the request of the Government in its conservation policy. We are relying on your cooperation.

For your convenience, we are issuing coupon books in denominations of \$3.00, \$5.00 and \$10.00, which may be purchased from our representatives or at our main offices.

- Evanston Hand Laundry, Evanston
- French Laundry, Evanston
- Nelson Brothers Laundry Co., Evanston
- Nelson Brothers Laundry Co., Wilmette
- North Shore Laundry, Winnetka
- Quality Laundry Co. Evanston
- Reliable Laundry, Highland Park
- Washington Laundry, Evanston
- Lake Forest Laundry, Lake Forest

To Our Patrons:

IN order to assist in the national conservation plan this store will hereafter be open on Sundays only from 4:00 to 6:00 p. m., beginning Sunday, June 16th. We trust that our patrons will avail themselves, as far as possible, of the opportunity of getting bakery goods on Saturday.

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