

War Mothers

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SOCIAL ACTIVITY

Miss Mildred Shultis entertained a number of her girl friends at a St. Patrick's Party on Monday evening. The decorations and games were in keeping with the occasion until the guests were invited to the dining room where they could readily see that the St. Patrick decorations were a camouflage for the announcement of her engagement to Mr. Brand, the table being prettily decorated in purple and white with a miniature bride as the center piece.

Mrs. R. K. Buckman, Jr. entertained twenty guests at dinner and Mrs. Rolland T. R. Hastings was hostess to twelve guests at dinner preceding the dance at the Highland Park Club on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Ruth Mowers entertained at Luncheon Tuesday in honor of Miss Mildred Shultis, whose engagement to Mr. Ray C. Brand, has recently been announced.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Highland Park M. E. church celebrated its twenty-first anniversary with a dinner and a very pleasant evening at the home of Mrs. Katherine Kelly Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Lillian Shultis of North Avenue announces the engagement of her daughter, Mildred Lois, to Mr. Ray C. Brand, son of Mr. J. J. Brand of this city.

Twelve little folks gathered at the home of Harry Skidmore last Wednesday afternoon to help him celebrate his second birthday. Ice cream, cake and candy was served.

Sheridan Rebecca Lodge celebrated its second anniversary Monday evening. A program followed by dancing were features of the evening.

Mrs. Gordon Buchanan entertained the members of the High School Faculty at tea last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Thomas Wilder entertained at tea on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Nels Nelson will be hostess to the Five Hundred Club this afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Wicks of Ravinia entertained a number of friends at luncheon on Monday.

Mrs. Albert Yager entertained ten friends last Thursday afternoon in honor of her birthday anniversary.

Miss Ruth Benson was hostess to the Friday evening Club last Friday evening.

Mrs. Robert McKinley of Pleasant Place entertained a few friends Saturday evening in honor of her

birthday anniversary. Bunco proved to be the feature of the evening, the successful prize winners being Miss Fannie Webster and Mrs. Vencel Muzik.

Miss Gertrude Witten entertained a number of friends last Saturday evening. Dancing furnished the evening's entertainment.

On Monday evening a very successful dance was given by the St. James Catholic Club at Sant's Hall. There was a large attendance and everyone enjoyed a good time.

PUBLIC LIBRARY

At the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Highland Park Public Library the following resolution was unanimously passed:

Dr. Haskin has for two years served as an efficient and helpful member of the Highland Park Public Library Board and his death is deeply deplored by the members of the Board, not alone for the friendly and active service which he gave to the support of the library, but also because of the fine qualities which for many years have benefitted the people of this city.

The present members of the Board are: Rev. P. C. Wolcott, R. W. Hawkins, Mrs. D. M. Erskine, Mrs. F. D. Everett, J. Oliver, R. F. Seymour, and J. V. Norcross.

The number of books issued in the twenty-two open days of February was slightly more than twenty-two hundred. This does not include the books which were reissued from our deposits in schools and other community centers such as Ravinia and Ridge.

Now that March has rushed in like a lion what are you going to do about a garden? The Public Library has an assortment of seed catalogues for inspection on the table in the northeast room, together with books on gardening and poultry raising. Eggs are lower in price and while the cold weather lasts this will be the best time to "put down" eggs in water-glass for next winter. Come to the Public Library and find out how to do it. Live better next year for less money. Conserve for yourself as we have learned to conserve for the economy of the nation. The Public Library has books on how to do it. Come to the Public Library and get the information FREE!

With this month comes the problem of the income tax. If you earn one thousand a year, you will have to pay an income tax. What do you know about it? You can't know too much. The Library has just received "The Standard Manual of the Income Tax" which gives the whole law completely in a simple and understandable manner as anyone could wish. The information contained has been carefully compiled, and is believed to be correct according to the latest revenue bill. It contains also a list of great value: stocks and bonds with high and low prices by date from which the tax must be computed. This book will not circulate outside the Public Library but will be kept here for reference, so that anyone may have access to it at all times.

Although a man couldn't run a peanut stand successfully, he may undertake to get forth how the Y. M. C. A. made mistakes in handling the \$100,000.00 proposition.

SONS-IN SERVICE

Word has been received by his family that Dan Cobb was seriously injured in an accident and is now in the American Woman's Hospital at Suzancy Seine et Marne) near Chateau Thierry.

The last news received says that he is more comfortable and that there is hope of saving his hand which at first it was thought necessary to amputate.

The following letters are from Harry Stuppel, U. S. S. Carola, Brest, France.

U. S. S. Carola, Brest, France.

Dear Sister Alice:—

I got your letter and am writing a few lines to let you know that I am having a fine time and also thank you for writing to me.

Brest is a place where it rains most of the time. Since I have been here there have been only three days that it hasn't rained. Still it's a beautiful place and we are right on the shore of the bay. The sea used to come up where we are years ago, and to go to the town of Brest we have to climb a pretty steep cliff.

You would laugh if you could hear the little French children trying to sing, "Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here." They can't pronounce the American language very well so it is a lot of fun. Then we give them pennies and they try to sing, "Katy" and "Tipperary."

Well, sister, I must close. With all good wishes.

Your brother, HARRY STUPPEL.

Dear Mother:—

We are having some fine weather now. It is just cold enough to freeze and that's all. I've got a nice present for you but I'm not going to give it to you until I get back home so don't worry about it. It is well worth having and just the thing I have always tried to get for you.

We had a little excitement today—fire broke out on the ship I was on. A smoke screen caught on fire in the hold in which we were loading ammunition six inch shells, and believe me, there was some hot work there for a little while. You can't put these smoke screens out with water so we had to smother it in a hurry because it wouldn't be the nicest thing in the world to have six inch shells bursting in the hold of a ship. The battleship New Mexico sent out a couple of hundred men to help us.

With lots of love, HARRY.

Another letter to his mother from the same.

February 5, 1918

Dearest Mother and All:—

Just a few lines to let you know that I am still on top. We are having rotten weather now—raining all day long, and we sure have a lot of work just now.

Yesterday and day before we were unloading the Leviathan, formerly the Vaterland, the biggest ship afloat. And we had to go up the sides with a ladder, not a wooden ladder but a rope ladder, a hundred and fifty feet high. It is just like climbing up the side of a fourteen story building, because it is a ship with fourteen decks on it. It carries a crew of 2200 men, and started out last night with 9,000 men on board.

Today is pay-day and I am drawing fifty francs or ten dollars. You see we are paid in the money of the country in which we happen to be, and we often have a hard time trying to figure out what is due us, and then it is surprising how fast the money goes when we get it. Everything here is so many francs, and we don't quite realize how much a franc is.

I strained my back the other day and I'm on what they call the "Binnacle" list and have it pretty soft for a few days. I will try to write a letter to each member of the family including Stewart.

February 6, 1918.

Dear Mother:—

Received your letter and papers today. I am sorry to hear that you didn't receive my letter but I suppose you will get it later. I don't always have much time to write but I try to send you a few lines at every opportunity.

I have a German helmet that I picked up. It came from Chateau Thierry but I don't get time to send it home. We get shore leave from 5:30 until 9:00 but that does not give me time to do hardly anything. By the time I get up into Brest it is about 6:30 and the postoffice and the American Express Company office is closed.

It is still raining here but we do get a few days of nice weather once in a great while.

Brest is a great town. When I arrived there after that tiresome train ride I was surprised to see that all the streets were so narrow and dirty. It is quite different from the city of Bordeaux. Bordeaux is so big and

and the streets are wider and cleaner, but just the same, Brest is pretty when you look at it from the harbor. The other Sunday I took a walk through what is now a Portuguese camp. It used to be an old fort and every thing is about the same as it used to be with the moats and walls. Of course, the moats are dry now. I also slipped a fellow a couple of francs to let me go through the prisons, and it was worth it. They are the same as you read about in books. Although I don't like the country, I wouldn't miss seeing it for all the money in the world.

And people can say all they want about the pretty French girls but they can't begin to compare with the good old American girls. It makes me laugh every time I go out to eat and while I wait for my meal to be served, to hear the women walking in their wooden shoes.

When you go into a place to eat you might as well sit down because they have only got one stove no matter generally how big a crowd they've got. And you get your soup and wait half an hour for the next course.

"Chow" just blew so I will have to close.

With love to all,

Your loving son, HARRY.

DEERFIELD NEWS ITEMS

Mrs. A. H. Muhke, who has been suffering with nervous breakdown for the past month, was taken to St. Luke's hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. August Winter will be hostess to the Ladies' Aid society of St. Paul's Evangelical church at her home Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Whiting and daughter, Mrs. Almon Powers of Irving Park visited friends in Deerfield Sunday.

Raymond Claver, who has just returned from the Dunwoody Naval School in Minneapolis, was given a very pleasant surprise by many of his friends from Deerfield and Highland Park. A most enjoyable evening was spent in playing cards and dancing.

Mr. Friend of Chicago has purchased the Reichelt Sr. farm on the county line. Mr. Reichelt has disposed of his stock and all farm implements and he and his family will move into the Stanger apartment for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Pettis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Frederick of Arlington Heights Monday.

Mrs. Fred Hockney and daughter, Winifred of Waukegan were the week end guests of Mrs. Robert MacWade.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Holmes have returned from California and are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peterson.

Friday was visiting day for the teachers of the Deerfield Grammar school. Misses Grace Marsh and M. McNamara attended the N. E. A. convention at the Auditorium in Chicago. Miss McWilliams visited Lake Forest School and Mrs. Olendorf visited the North Chicago School.

William Herrman, son of Mr. Edward Herrman of Battery D, 332nd Field Artillery, has returned from France and is now at his home in Deerfield.

Mr. Will Osterman of Chicago visited his sister, Mrs. Edward Willman Sunday.

Peter Juhrend was operated upon for appendicitis at the Highland Park hospital Tuesday.

Mr. George Yore has accepted a position with the Standard Oil Co. in Deerfield and he and his family will move here from Everett where they now live into the house occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Merriman, who have rented a house in Highland Park.

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Missionary society of the Presbyterian church: President, Mrs. F. H. Meyer; vice-president, Mrs. James Goldring; secretary, Miss Jennie Vetter; treasurer, Mrs. E. H. Johnson. Mrs. Reichelt Sr., who has served as president for three years, refused to consider the office for another year on account of her contemplated removal from the vicinity. The program of the afternoon was as follows:

War Service of the Indians—Mrs. Reichelt.
The Navajos—Mrs. Goldring.
Glimpses of our Work among the Pimas and Papagos—Mrs. Ida Gardner.

A Legend of the Origin of the Hopis—Mrs. F. Haggie.
How the Mono Indians Make Their Baskets—Miss Jennie Vetter.

The weather man again disappointed the people desirous of attending the basket social and dance last Friday evening. It has been postponed indefinitely until the weather becomes more settled.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Kress will attend the funeral Wednesday of a well known friend, Mr. William

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Kirkwood, who died after an attack of heart trouble.

Mrs. Irwin Stryker and daughter, Sarah, visited Mrs. Stryker's sons, Harvey and Ellsworth, in Brownsville, Wis., over the week end.

There will be Lenten devotions in the Holy Cross church every Wednesday evening followed by mass at eight o'clock every Thursday morning.

Mr. McDowell preached on "Those Who are Called into Service" at the morning service in the Presbyterian Church Sunday. After the evening services a business meeting was held to extend a call to Mr. McDowell, as Mr. Kelly will go to Indiana as soon as he graduates from the McCormack Seminary. Mr. McDowell was assistant minister of the Fourth Presbyterian Church of Chicago at the outbreak of the war, when he left for Y. M. C. A. service. He will continue his studies at the seminary during his ministry in Deerfield.

Work has been received of the arrival of Clarence Huhn from France. He is now at Camp Dix awaiting his discharge.

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