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SOCIAL ACTIVITY

A very delightful surprise party was given Mr. and Mrs. John Mooney last Sunday afternoon when fifty relatives and friends from Chicago and this city came to help them celebrate their thirty-fifth wedding anniversary. Supper was served on the lawn and a most delightful time was had by all. Mr. and Mrs. Mooney were presented with several lovely gifts.

Miss Hedwig Gieser was hostess on Tuesday evening to the Philathea class of the United Evangelical church.

Last Saturday evening a farewell party was given to Mrs. George Garrity, who will leave this week for her home in Pitts, Fla., at the home of her mother. There were twenty-four guests present.

Miss Emilie F. Brown was given a delightful farewell surprise last Saturday evening by the members of Sheridan Rebekkah Lodge, at the home of her brother, Mr. William J. Brown, of Ridgewood Drive. Miss Brown will leave next week for New York where she will sail a week from from Saturday for Ireland. A most delightful time was enjoyed by the forty guests who attended.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Bible School will meet at nine forty five next Sunday morning.

The regular morning service will begin at eleven o'clock.

Immediately after the service there will be a meeting of the service flag committee.

The Board of Trustees will hold a meeting in the Parish House at five o'clock.

The Young People's Society will meet at seven fifteen. Dorothy Laing will lead.

The prayer meeting will be held at eight o'clock next Wednesday night.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Hazel Avenue, near St. John's Ave. Subject for next Sunday's Lesson Sermon, "Christian Science."

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 387 Central Avenue, which is open every week day from nine o'clock in the morning until six o'clock in the evening.

The people who make fun of the graduating essays are about the same one who are unable to talk anything but neighborhood gossip.

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DEERFIELD NEWS ITEMS

Twenty ladies attended an alumni demonstration at the home of Mrs. Edward Bleimehl Thursday afternoon given by Roy Hutchinson of Chicago.

Rev. J. A. Buescher attended a convention in Chicago last week.

Mrs. Kate Nolan of Chicago is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. Knickerbocker.

Margaret Schneider of Chicago is spending her vacation at the home of Eva Ender.

Mrs. Alex Willman was the guest of Mrs. Edward Bingham of Irving Park recently.

Mrs. Irving Marshall of Chicago was the guest of Mrs. Ender Thursday.

Mrs. Edward Osterman spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. William Osterman of Rogers Park.

Mrs. Edward Meyer nee Helen Laser of West Deerfield died at Columbus hospital, Chicago, Thursday morning after an illness of about 10 days. Mrs. Meyer left her home Tuesday for the hospital for an operation and died the following Thursday. The funeral services were held at the Northfield United Evangelical church Sunday afternoon, with the Rev. Stierwald officiating and interment was in Northfield cemetery.

Mrs. Meyer leaves to survive her, a husband, two daughters, Elsie, Estella, two sons, Harvey and Roy, (the latter in France), five sisters, Mrs. Wm. Huhn, Mrs. Geo. Bentz, Mrs. Fred Dickman, Mrs. Geo. Antes, Mrs. Gieselbrick, a brother, William Laser, and an aged mother, Mrs. Philip Laser.

The June meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church was held at the home of Mrs. Goldring and the following program was presented:

Devotional Exercises
Mrs. McDowell
Solo — The Lost Chord —
Mrs. Frank Peterson with Mrs. R. E. L. Holmes at the piano

Reports of the River Forest Meeting
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Miss Jennie Vetter
Work of the Presbyterian Hospital at San Juan, Porto Rico

Mesdames Fred Haggie and Sherman
Training School Work
Mrs. Bert Easton

A Letter from a Cuban Girl
Dorothy Johnston
Solo — Lead Kindly Light

Mrs. Peterson
Bohemian Settlement House Report
Mrs. E. H. Johnson

Mesdames McDowell, Cutler and Reichelt, Sr., were appointed to prepare a mission study book program for the fall.

Miss Elizabeth Reichelt and Miss Bernice Tucker of Highland Park are attending the De Kalb Normal school summer session and are staying at Whilston Hall.

Mrs. John A. Reichelt and daughter are visiting relatives in Fort Madison, Ia., and will spend some time in Kansas City, Denver and Boulder, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Gantz of St. Louis, Mo., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Granger.

Presiding Elder Thoren of Chicago will preach in the United Evangelical church Thursday evening. Rev. J. H. Keagle of Highland Park vice in the Deerfield church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Beam and daughter, Mona, of Gardner, Ill., are visiting their cousins, Misses Ethel and Edna Fritsch.

Irene Gehrke has the measles.

The Deerfield baseball team defeated the Shermerville team on the grounds of the latter Sunday afternoon with a score of 12-8.

John Vetter and family spent the week end with relatives in Downers Grove.

Mrs. George Pfister, Mrs. A. Schupp and daughter, Lillian, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Pfister and son of Highland Park were the guests at the Ender home Sunday.

Winifred Supple, who has been teaching for the past year in Springfield, Ill., is spending her vacation at her home at Suppledale Farm.

Adrian and Graeme Supple left last week for Norfolk, Va., to visit their brother, Frank Supple.

M. E. CHURCH

The Centenary Exhibition at Columbus, Ohio

We are receiving daily the Ohio State Journal which has a Centenary section of four full pages devoted to the Centenary news. We wish it might be possible to bring this most inspiring news to all readers of The Press. But as this is impossible we may give only a very slight idea of what the celebration is. The following quotation is of interest concerning the opening day:

"Mayor George J. Karb will turn the key of the city over to the officials of the Methodist Centenary celebration when he delivers the address of welcome at the opening of the festivities tomorrow (20th). The mayor will be introduced by Municipal Judge Frank Ruth and will speak at the Coliseum.

"A great parade will precede the opening. The procession will leave the City Hall at 11 o'clock a. m. according to announcement by Chairman James A. Maddox of the Columbus day arrangements committee. It is timed to reach the grounds at 10:30, just as the gates are opened by electric impulse from Washington.

Acting Secretary of State Frank L. Polk, representing President Wilson, will send the message to Columbus declaring the celebration open." When one stops to think that every nation under the sun will be there with an exhibit both of the work done by the church and of the heathen practices of the country they represent; that the islands of the sea will also be there, etc., there is abundant reason for rejoicing that united Methodism has raised \$60,000,000 for the extension of the kingdom throughout the world and for war-reconstruction work at home and abroad.

Then there is another phase of the celebration that will interest Highland Park people. At the exposition there will be a screen 115 feet square and on this screen will be thrown moving pictures and slides showing the work the church is doing and with which she is associated. Several weeks ago the field secretary of the war work commission wrote the pastor for pictures of the base hospital at Ft. Sheridan and of the work we are doing in connection with the hospital. Two thousand feet of film and between 40 and 50 slides

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have been booked for this purpose at Columbus. Also several group pictures of hospital patients and a large group of medical corps men and officers with the pastor were taken last week and slides will be prepared. In addition we had a photographer in the auditorium and basement. These will show several things not the least interesting of which, from a local point of view, the inadequate facilities we have for dealing with the immense task at the hospital. The request for these pictures came unexpectedly and as a distinct surprise. The cooperation of the hospital authorities has been most cordial and finest.

The Sunday Services

The attendance at S. S. last Sunday was very encouraging. The attendance at all the services was good. This week the mid-week service will be resumed. The lesson will be John 11:45 to the close of the chapter. The services for next Lord's Day will come at the usual hours. We hope to have the unusual in the way of gatherings become the usual. There are many people in the city who are not actively identified with any church. These must by all means be gathered into the church and set at some task in the building of a new and better world and a more joyous community.

We invite you to our church services. We challenge you to a task worthy of you. The world is God's vineyard. You have no business being idle in it. If you really desire to invest your life somewhere and do not know where to go let us show you. We shall be glad to talk matters over with you.

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