



### How to Foil Wind and Weather on Washday

From now until spring a battle that endangers health must on washday be waged with rain and sleet.

That, or drying the washing in the cellar or attic, with its attendant inconvenience and sour smells.

Of course we can not order weather to our fancy, but if you would laugh at mud and water, save your health and keep your hands and face free from chapping and roughness, telephone us.

Next, bundle up your family washing and have our driver call for it.

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### SOCIAL ACTIVITY

The Luther League will meet this evening (Thursday) at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Shuman, 142 South Green Bay road for their regular meeting, instead of at the church, in order to conserve the coal supply.

The Baraca class of the U. E. church met Tuesday evening at the home of Dr. Fritsch.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert White have invitations out for a dinner dance to be given at the Moraine hotel, New Years Eve for their son, Robert White, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gallagher entertained a number of friends at their home on Central avenue, last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis N. Kimball will give a dinner to the "college set" for their son, Wallace, who is attending Dartmouth College, preceding the New Years masquerade at the Highland Park Club New Years Eve.

The Misses Olive and Faith Hae-fel entertained the Philathea class of the U. E. church Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schoeninger entertained eighteen guests at dinner last evening.

Mrs. Robert Smith has invitations out for a dinner dance to be given at the Moraine hotel December twenty-seventh for her daughter, Lenora Grace. Forty-six of the younger set have been invited.

### PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Highland Park public library will be open only from 1 to 6 every week day afternoon until after the crisis in the coal strike is past. The books may be taken home for reading in as large quantities as you desire for your pleasure and entertainment. Use these shortened hours of work to your own advantage. Do that reading which you have always intended to do, but have not yet had time to do. Start some course of study at home. The public library will help you. Reading courses of interest and profit will be gladly furnished. Get your books in the afternoon, before you go home for dinner. The public library is open only one to six each afternoon except Sunday.

The story hour will be as usual at half past three on Friday afternoons. Mrs. Leo has told some of her own stories lately, and they have been almost as well liked as her Uncle Remus stories. On Friday last, her brother's songs, Japanese and Chinese nursery rhymes set to music, added greatly to the charm of the Japanese and Chinese fairy stories which Mrs. Leo told. To hear such artists is a privilege, which many grown people go miles to hear. It was given for all the children in Highland Park to hear free at the public library. Mrs. Leo is planning special stories for the Christmas season. Be sure to hear them. Come next Friday afternoon at half past three, or as soon after as you can get here.

You may be interested to know the amount of people that use the library. For the three months of September, October and November of this year the total number of people using the library was 8,526. The number for the same months of last year was 4,786. This is smaller than would have been the case in normal times, because of the influenza epidemic. However, the number for these three months of the year before (1917) was 5,813. The total for the three months this year (1919) is nearly 3,000 more than that of two years ago (1917), and 3,740 more than last year (Sept.-Nov. 1918). This is a high record for a town of 7000 inhabitants, and is an index of the degree of culture, and appreciation of good books.

Margaret Ridlon, Librarian.

### Old Tradition Exploded.

Again that old stuff about "giants in those days" has been rudely punched out by the museum visitors inspecting suits of armor worn by doughty knights in the "fifteens." One of our regular doughboys of average proportions cannot get his arms into the leg pieces, and the average schoolboy of the present day would find the "suit" uncomfortably tight.—Florida Times-Union.

### Use of India Rubber.

India rubber was used for the first time as an eraser in 1770, when a very small piece was sold for three marks. It was, however, many years later before it was put into general use. Prior to this the crumb of bread was used for erasing purposes.

### "Y." of Course.

Before they were married she thought him a treasure, now she considers him a treasury.—Edinburgh Scotsman.

### DEERFIELD NEWS ITEMS

On Saturday afternoon Miss Augusta Cutter assisted by her nieces, the Misses Cutter, and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Dr. Cutter, proved a charming hostess when she delightfully entertained the ladies who took part in the "Steen Old Maids From Maine."

Among the interesting features of the afternoon was a story-writing contest at which Mrs. Jacobs of Youngstown, O., who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. McDowell, was awarded first prize. Each guest was given a miniature poke bonnet made out of card board, some more clever work of the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Clapper and son were the week end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Segert.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Willman were guests of Mrs. Louisa Osterman of Chicago Sunday.

The George Dieck family have moved to Lake Forest and Mrs. C. H. Johnston has taken their home.

Mrs. Grant West and Mrs. Laura Pettis Graver of Elgin were the guests of Mrs. George Pettis over the week end.

Miss Estabrook of Gary, Ind., is visiting her cousin, Mrs. McDowell.

Mr. George Karch, Sr., and George Karch, Jr., Mr. B. H. Kress and Miss Margaret Kress attended a euchre party at Morton Grove Saturday evening.

Officers elected at the meeting of the K. L. C. E. of the U. E. church at William Plagge's Friday evening, were as follows:

President, Arthur Merner; vice-president, Milton Frantz; secretary, Gladys Goodman; treasurer, Gwendolyn Dubert. Leaders in the K. L. C. E. contest are Arno, Laurel and Edna Fritsch and Gwendolyn Bubert.

The Grammar school P. T. A. voted to buy a scale to continue the monthly weighing of pupils started by Mrs. Kedeffer. Only 16 per cent were found to be underweight, a condition equalled only by the best schools in Chicago examinations which was the Seward school back of the stockyards over which Dr. Carolyn Hedger was supervisor. The school having the largest percentage of pupils underweight was in Englewood with a percentage of 57.

Morris Reichelt and Cassius Easton gave reports of the Aurora conference in the Presbyterian Sunday school last Sunday morning.

C. E. Society will have a business meeting and social Friday evening.

Plans are being formulated for a Christmas entertainment to be held Sunday evening, December 21st, at which time reproductions of famous paintings on stereopticon slides will be shown by Mr. McDowell, accompanied by Christmas hymns by the Sunday school. The assembly hall of the Grammar school will probably be utilized for the occasion as no church furnishes seating accommodations great enough for the usual Christmas crowds.

Mrs. Anna Culter Hall, wife of Dr. E. A. Hall, died at the Augustana hospital, last Saturday, following the amputation of her arm which had been preceded by an operation for cancer of the breast. The funeral was held Monday in Coal City where the family has lived since Dr. Hall moved from Deerfield. Mrs. Hall is survived by her husband, a daughter, Rosalind, and a son, John Hardin Hall.

The Cheerful Workers, an organized Teacher Training class of young girls, taught by Miss Amelia Petersen, has received recognition from the State Sunday School association for the unusual activities of the class. The girls contributed two-thirds of the amount given by the Deerfield Presbyterian Sunday school for the support of the Deerfield Dispensary in Santiago, Chile.

Mrs. Fred Horenberger entertained her cousin, Mrs. Hertzberg of Park Ridge and Mrs. A. Grieger of Shermerville, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Jordan entertained the Grammar school teachers and a few friends at dinner Saturday evening.

Mrs. Elmer Clavey was hostess to the Ladies' Aid at her home Thursday afternoon.

### Grammar School Notes

By Marjorie Ludwig  
The losers in the spelling contest of the fifth and sixth grades entertained the victors at a party Friday afternoon.

Maurice Hall has withdrawn from the sixth grade as his folks have moved to Wisconsin.

The class of 1920 received their class rings engraved with "D. G. S. '20" on the seal and on the inside of the ring in script are the initials of the owner.



## Christmas Gifts

BUY JUDICIOUSLY

FOR Christmas presents you can spend large sums of money and perhaps your choice is not the one most appreciated.

A COAT FOR THE MOTHER, OR PERHAPS A SUIT FOR THE FATHER

or the same for both heads of the family. Also the daughter or son perhaps prefer for a Christmas present a nice garment.

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Four bird houses have been placed by upper grade boys in the trees in the school yard.

Morris Reichelt was one of the delegates chosen to represent the Presbyterian Older Boys to the Sixth Annual Older Boys' conference held at Aurora, Ill., during Thanksgiving week.

In a recent letter from Adrian Supple, Class of '19, who is working with a government construction company at Newport News, Va., he tells of seeing the King and Queen of Belgium embarking on the George Washington for their homeward voyage. He also tells of the number of mine sweepers that have returned from the North sea as their work there is now finished. Adrian finds their experiences very interesting.

There has been an unusually good attendance in the school during the month of November, there being a large number of pupils who have been neither tardy nor absent. In the first and second grades there were twenty-three pupils, in the third and fourth nineteen pupils, fifth and sixth, fourteen pupils and seventh and eighth sixteen pupils.

### ARE YOU A MUSIC LOVER?

If you like the compositions of Bach, Grieg, Liszt, Beethoven, Thomas, Handel, Verdi or perhaps Offenbach, you should make a bird garden. There is lots of good music in a bird garden; it makes a fellow get up before sunlight to watch and listen to the birds—incidentally seeing Old Sol rise above the lake. I am trying to naturalize birds, especially song birds, in Melody Woods, but I also like to do these things for my clients.

You always catch two birds with one stone when planting a bird garden since the way to attract birds necessitates the planting of a lot of berryed shrubs and trees which are things of beauty in themselves. Place hollow Indian stones or even a common saucer under your faucets, have a bird fountain, provide shelter and feed the birds and you cannot help but attract them. And do not forget to instruct that dear boy of yours not to shoot at every bird that comes along, or, like some foreigners do, snare them.

By writing to Box 314 I will explain more in detail how to make your back yard an Aviary.

Yours truly,  
O. C. DOERRIER  
Landscape Architect and Forester  
Box 314, Melody Woods

Train robbers are still at it. Now why don't they go into some real money making business like food speculation, plumbing or automobile repairing?

It isn't necessary to build any automobile race tracks, as the speeders prefer the public streets, particularly near the center of crowded towns.

The Textile workers who have secured an increase of pay will soon be striking again to pay for the higher cost of clothing.

### Auto Accessories

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### TAM AND SCARF SHAWL

HERE TO STAY



The tam and scarf shawl has been gaining in popularity for the school miss or outdoor girl and this year exclusive sets are retailing in many shops at prices which formerly were paid for furs. The rich deep nap on the camelhair sets in plaids and even oriental patterns—give all the warmth and "that comfy feeling" obtainable in a heavy wrap. These sets are of the newest pattern.