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NOTABLE LECTURE FRIDAY EVENING

HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

Explorer McMillan to Tell of the Wonders of the North; Motion Pictures; Is Important Event

One of the most notable educational and entertaining events of the winter season in Highland Park will take place Friday evening of this week, when the famous arctic explorer Donald MacMillan lecturer in the high school auditorium, showing wonderful several thousand feet of thrilling motion pictures taken during his latest expedition to the frozen north. He will also speak during the day at high school assembly.

"North of the Arctic Circle" will be the subject of the MacMillan lecture, and Principal R. L. Sandwick of the high school, who has heard the lecture and seen the pictures, gives both high praise. Commander MacMillan was the leader of an Arctic expedition sent out in 1925 by the National Geographic society and the United States navy, and his lectures on the experiences of that voyage have been received everywhere with high praise.

Regarding the lecture and pictures a Washington newspaper says they proved of highest educational and historic value throughout, and the lecture also was sprinkled with lighter entertainment and features of human interest that time and again brought response from its audience, varying from chuckles of appreciation, sighs of sympathy, murmurs of admiration and peals of laughter.

Mosquitos were blamed by the explorer as the "curse" of the north. They provide one of the real reasons, he said, why Labrador has not been more thickly settled, and in proof thereof he showed motion pictures of some of his men fighting insects.

Eskimos' Homes Described
The Eskimo of the Far North does not live in a snow house, said the explorer, but he "camps" in one when hunting. Many entertaining pictures were shown of these natives who live in skin tents in the summer, and in rock caves underground in winter. They are very comfortable in winter in their own homes underground, the commander said, as the temperature varies from 60 to 80 degrees inside, while the thermometer is sliding far below zero.

CITY POLITICAL POT BEGINNING TO BOIL

City politics are reported beginning to simmer in preparation for the spring election, and already one or two meetings are reported to have been held at which the question of candidates for mayor and commissioners has been discussed tentatively. As no general notice of these meetings has been given, it is presumed they are public affairs. It is understood that another meeting is scheduled to be held Jan. 28 at the Moraine hotel at which city politics will be discussed at more length, and committee reports heard.

CHINDBLOM'S MOTHER IS TAKEN BY DEATH

Mrs. Christine Chindblom, 78 years old, mother of Congressman Carl R. Chindblom, of the Tenth district, died Monday at 3841 North Kenneth avenue, Chicago, after an illness of several months.

She and her husband, Carl P. Chindblom, would have celebrated their fifty-seventh wedding anniversary in April.

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Gethsemane Lutheran church, Oakdale and Lamont avenues, Chicago. Mrs. Chindblom was one of the original members of this congregation. Interment was in Rosehill cemetery.

OAK TERRACE PUPILS IN PATRIOTIC CANTATA

On Friday, Jan. 21, at 8 p. m. the pupils of the Oak Terrace school, Highwood, will give a patriotic cantata entitled "The Spirit of 1776."

Approximately one hundred and twenty-five children of the grammar grades will take part in this play, which depicts the history of our country from the time of its discovery in 1492 through the period of the Revolutionary war.

Boys and girls in appropriate costumes will take the part of such patriots as George Washington, Paul Revere, the Minute Men, the Colonial Dames, Betsy Ross, and many others.

You are cordially invited to come and enjoy this program. A small admission fee will be charged.

Plan Four Plays at Ravinia Jan. 28-29; Those Participating

The public program offered by the Drama Workshop of Ravinia on the evenings of January 28 and 29 at the Village House of the Ravinia school will be the following:
"The Way of a Play," by Mrs. Lulu Warrington, directed by Mr. Lionel Robertson.

Persons of the play:
Playwright..... Mrs. Carl Haessler
The Husband..... Beverly Person
Ken..... James Vail
"The Very Naked Boy," by Stewart Walker; directed by Mrs. J. D. Grinnell.

Persons of the Play:
The Boy..... Marshall Carqueville
The Girl..... Miss Serena Seymour
The Man..... Donald Burchard
"The Lost Silk Hat," by Lord Dunsany; directed by Dr. Henry E. Barackman.

Persons of the play:
The Caller..... Ross Marvin
The Laborer..... Frank Horn
The Clerk..... Godfrey Eyer
The Poet..... James Cady Ewell
The Policeman Harry E. Barackman
"The Birth of the Infanta," from the story by Oscar Wilde; adapted by Stewart Walker; directed by Mrs. J. D. Grinnell.

Persons of the play:
The Infanta..... Miss Charlotte Robertson
The Duchess of Albuquerque..... Mrs. Ernest F. Nolting
The Chamberlain, Walter Shepherd
The Count of Tierra-Nueva..... Guy Bizet

Attendant..... Jerry Leaming
Fantastic..... Miss Mary Gehr
Dancers, sorcerer, cake bearer.
Mrs. Grinnell has added to this delicate and charming play some special features. The dancers are pupils of Mildred Haessler, and the incidental music will be provided by Mrs. Harvey Pardee and Mrs. Thomas Wilder. Tickets are obtainable from Mrs. Lee Supple, chairman of publicity.

AMERICAN LEGION TO HOLD BIG MEETING

All Ex-Service Men Invited to Attend January 27; Urge Payment of Dues

Here you are ex-service men. An opportunity to join the livest meeting of the Dumas Spencer post ever held. There is to be a big meeting for all ex-service men whether they are members or not Thursday evening, Jan. 27, at the Witten hall. An added attraction will be 3,000 feet of film of vital interest. Not a war story but news reels and convention activities. Scenes of the great doings at Philadelphia and also the convention at Springfield. This is the only opportunity of seeing these pictures and every one should attend. Besides this a very prominent man will give a short but interesting speech. The post has shown great activity in obtaining new members. 93 have paid up for 1927 and it will be only a few days before the mark of 115 will be reached.

At the last meeting much of interest and importance was discussed and carried on. It is planned that a show be given shortly at one of the moving picture houses in Highland Park, with pictures that would not be seen except through the Legion picture supply.

All those interested in attending the council meeting at Lake Bluff remember Friday, Jan. 21, Village hall.

On Monday morning Commander Cahn spoke before the assembly at the high school regarding the scholarship and athletic medals presented each year by the post. The students were very enthusiastic regarding Commander Cahn's remarks.

All ex-service men are again reminded of the fact that all war risk insurance must be converted before July 1, this year. This is absolutely the last that insurance may be reinstated or converted. Take advantage of this fact now. Get the dope for reinstatement or conversion from Adjutant Bowden.

Members who have not paid 1927 dues are asked to do so at once so that reports may be submitted to headquarters by February 1. Mail dues to Ben Stiegler, finance officer, 624 Chicago avenue, Highland Park, Illinois.

"THE LOST WORLD" IS BEING REPEATED HERE

The Community movies will be conducted as usual on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 21 and 22. The following program for the two days will be given:

Friday evening, Jan. 21, 8 o'clock, Captain Donald MacMillan with motion pictures of Arctic exploration at Deerfield-Shields high school.

Saturday afternoon, Jan. 22, Elm Place auditorium:
1:30 Comedy, two reels.
2:00 "The Lost World."
4:00 Comedy, repeated.

BUSINESS MEN PLAN FOR ANNUAL PARTY

IS HELD NEXT WEDNESDAY

Afternoon and Evening With Big Turkey Dinner at 6:30 and Vaudeville Program of 12 Acts Later

Staid business men, whose days are filled with business worries and whose nights are more or less disturbed with static of one kind and another, like to get away from the usual things now and then, and enjoy something different. Highland Park business men are like that, anyhow, and so they are planning for their annual stag party to be held in the Woman's club auditorium on Wednesday, Jan. 26.

Begins in Afternoon
Members of the Highland Park chamber of commerce will form the party, and the big affair will really start in the afternoon, when open house will be kept for the members at the Woman's club building, and a good get-together time will be enjoyed by those who are able to attend the afternoon session. Business pertaining to the organization will be discussed and there will be a general interchange of opinions and ideas on matter of common and community interest. This promises to be an interesting and profitable feature of the big dinner and program in the evening.

Turkey Dinner
The dinner will be an elaborate affair and is scheduled for 6:30 in the evening. It will be a turkey dinner with all the appropriate and seasonal accessories and promises to be one of the finest banquets ever.

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AMERICAN PAINTERS SUBJECT NEXT SUNDAY

Lionel Robertson Will Be Speaker at Sunday Evening Club, Jan. 23

The speaker for the Sunday Evening club on January 23 will be Lionel Robertson, the well known interior decorator, a resident of Ravinia. "American Painters" is his subject, and the talk will be illustrated. Mr. Robertson believes that the contribution of American painters to the art world is not understood or appreciated by their own countrymen. With a characteristic picture on the screen, qualities of the artist's work which were essentially his own, will be pointed out. Whistler, Sargent, Innes, Blakeleek, Tryon, Charles Hawthorne, W. D. Alexander, and Robert Henri will be among those discussed.

Mr. Robertson, because of his long experience in the selecting of pictures for the home, is well qualified to record the usual reactions to an artist's work. The Sunday Evening club is fortunate in being able to present this pleasing speaker on so interesting a subject.

James Cady Ewell, the sculptor whose war memorial is an object of pride for all Highland Park residents, will introduce the speaker. This meeting of the club will be held as usual at the Woman's club at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Dinkeloop will have charge of the music.

The last meeting of the Sunday Evening club was attended by an interested audience which listened to Miss Mildred Chamberlain tell of the life of an art student in Paris and London.

COMMUNITY SERVICE IN ANNUAL MEETING

At a meeting of the Community Service organization of Highland Park, held Monday evening, officers were elected for the ensuing year and directors were chosen for two years; committees were appointed and other business received attention.

Directors elected for 1927-28 are W. H. Bowden, William Witten, E. W. Gsell, George Allen Mason, F. D. Silber, Rev. Frank Pitt, F. B. Boynton, P. A. Robbins, F. J. Fox, Mrs. T. R. Wyles, Mrs. W. A. Alexander, Mrs. H. B. Roberts, Rev. George S. Keller, R. C. Jacobson, Mrs. George R. Jones.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are: F. P. Boynton, president; F. D. Silber, vice-president; Albert Larson, Secretary; Mrs. E. J. Grundy, treasurer.

The executive committee chosen consists of the president, secretary and treasurer and George A. Mason and J. B. Garnett.

The building and house committee includes William Witten, William Guyot, Mrs. T. R. Wyles, Miss Adele Everett, Mrs. E. J. Grundy, F. P. Boynton and Albert Larson.

MRS. W. E. BRAND DIES IN CHICAGO

LIVED HERE FIFTY YEARS

Came to Highland Park in 1869 and Was Well Known; Many Friends Mourn; Funeral Held Today

On Tuesday evening Mrs. Mary Steers Brand died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lucille Brand Russell, 7510 Parnell avenue, Chicago.

Mrs. Brand lived in Highland Park fifty-eight years, coming here with her parents when she was eight years old. In these years she has endeared herself to a host of friends who deeply mourn her loss and who are sincerely thankful for having known a beautiful character filled with kindly cheerfulness, one who brought happiness to those about her by her goodness and silent kindness and who left an example that will bear fruit for years to come.

Mrs. Brand had been ill for some time. On Halloween she had a paralytic stroke and since had failed rapidly.

Services Today
After services at her daughter's house in Chicago, the funeral will be held in the chapel at Rose Hill, this afternoon at one o'clock.

Mrs. Mary Steers Brand was born in Chicago October 9, 1861. She was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Jonas Steers who came to Chicago from Devonshire, England. In 1869 the family moved to Highland Park where her father started the first butcher shop, which in later years was bought by Mr. Mill and then by Mr. Bowden. She attended the Elm Place school and studied music. Some will remember her father singing to her accompaniment.

The Family
In 1887 she married William E. Brand who shortly after built the house now owned by George Greene at 22 North Linden avenue.

She leaves her husband, one daughter, Lucille, and two sons, Roland and George. There are two grand children, Doras Loraine Brand, aged three years, and Robert Steers Brand a month old.

Mrs. Brand was a devoted member of the Baptist church, being the organist throughout the church's history. She was a member of the Highland Park Woman's club, and was interested in all movements for the betterment of our schools and city.

HIGHWOOD WOMAN HELD FOR BIGAMY

Marie Elliott Hickson, of Highwood, the mother of two children and charged with being wife to two Fort Sheridan soldiers, was arrested Friday morning in Highwood by Chief of Police J. C. Frame on a charge of bigamy and was held over to the grand jury on this charge by Judge Santi. Her bond was fixed at \$4,000, and because of inability to furnish this bond she was removed to the county jail that night. Unless she succeeded in getting the necessary bond she would have to remain in the county jail, at least until the grand jury probe is completed in March, it was stated by officials.

HARRY OSTRANDER IN ILLUSTRATED TALK

The program for the next meeting of the Ossoli club, on January 25 is to be a streepticon lecture by Harry Ostrander, on "Java—An Enchanted Garden." Mr. Ostrander's lectures on the far east, perhaps fascinate the most; the palm-trees, the scent of tropical jungles, the beat of waves upon a coral-sanded beach—all seem to dominate you, and soon you are far away from this quaint explorer of old places.

An artist by inclination and early training, Mr. Ostrander brings to you his own great sympathy and love for the oriental world and possesses the happy faculty of so presenting the interesting phases of far off lands that you seem to be transported by the magic of photography across the seas to look upon these wonders for yourself.

LEGION AUXILIARY HELD FIRST MEET THURSDAY

Last Thursday afternoon the American Legion auxiliary met in Witten hall for its first meeting of the year and at which the new officers presided. The officers for the year 1927 are, Mrs. W. F. Roberts, president; Mrs. W. W. Reichardt, treasurer, and Mrs. L. B. Gray, secretary.

The meeting was entirely a business meeting. All meetings in the future will be held at Witten hall, the second and fourth Thursday afternoons, at two-thirty o'clock.

High School Band to Give Big Concert on Feb. 4th; 52 Members

With a personnel of fifty-two members, the Deerfield-Shields high school band under the direction of Harry E. Bolle, will present a concert in the high school auditorium on February 4.

This will be the band's first major public appearance of the year and will be the first program ever given by this organization in the high school auditorium. Most of the boys playing have had at least one year's experience in band playing.

Practice for the concert is held every Tuesday night from seven o'clock until ten. This is in addition to the regular rehearsals held during school hours the last period of the day on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

When asked about the band this year, Mr. Bolle said, "As a whole, the band this year is the best it has been in the six years I have been at Deerfield-Shields."

Proceeds of the concert are to be used to buy more instruments for the band. In this way the size of this organization can be increased and, in addition, the opportunities for students in school to get a musical education.

Some of the money will also be used to send the band to the band contest at the Northwestern University circus and, possibly, the entering into the Illinois State Band contest at Champaign.

The band has not attempted a concert similar to this since two years ago. It was during this year that the band entered the band contest at Champaign, took first prize at the Northwestern University circus, and broadcasted over the radio station WMAQ.

Very little was done last year in the way of concert work although the band took second prize at the circus at Northwestern.

Tickets went on sale yesterday and are being sold by the band boys who are canvassing the various towns in this township. Tickets also will be on sale in the box office of the auditorium on the night of the concert. Gaell's drug stores in Highland Park and Ravinia and Kraft's drug store in Lake Forest will also sell tickets.

MANY ATTEND MEETING IN SPITE OF STORM

In spite of the stormy weather of last Thursday evening, about one hundred members and friends ventured out to witness the joint installation of the Highland Park lodges of the Knights of Pythias and the Pythian Sisters. The officers of the Pythian Sisters installed were:

Miss Alice Zabel, most excellent chief; Mrs. Myrtle Montgomery, excellent senior; Mrs. Mary White, excellent junior; Mrs. Rebecca Griesmeyer, manager; Mrs. Hulda Lantz, protector; Mrs. Elsie Lantz, guard; Mrs. Ellen Schifflert, mistress of finance; Mrs. Anna Roth, captain of staff; Mrs. Harry Friebele, mistress of records and correspondence; Catherine Radcliffe, pianist; Mrs. Ed. Larson, installing officer. Other installing officers were Mrs. Corine Throppe, Mrs. Gerke of Chicago and Mrs. Miller of Chicago.

Mrs. Allen, the retiring chief, was presented with a beautiful ring, the gift of her officers, and Mrs. Kuehne received a past chief's pin.

The officers installed for the Knights of Pythias were as follows:

Alfred Stuppel, retiring chancellor commander; Richard Hansen, chancellor commander; Wm. G. Davis, vice chancellor commander; William Bailey, keeper of records and seals; Arthur Crandall, prelate; Al Stratford, master of finance; H. Friebele, master of exchequer; Morris G. Lantz, master of work; Wm. Thomas, inside guard; Alvin Johnson, outer guard; Carl Root, trustee.

The installing officers were, Raymond Roth of Highwood and Stephen A. Roberts was master at arms. A musical program and refreshments followed the meeting.

The next meeting of the Knights of Pythias will be held January 27. All members are urged to attend.

DANCE TO BE HELD AT H. P. WOMAN'S CLUB

The T. R. Y.'s of Highland Park will give a dance at the Highland Park Woman's club, Thursday evening, Jan. 27. Hal Reader's Iowa orchestra will furnish the music. The support of the public will be greatly appreciated.

H. P. ATHLETIC CLUB GIVE DANCE JAN. 22

The Highland Park Athletic club will give its first dance of the year, Saturday, Jan. 22, at Witten hall. Music will be furnished by the well trained orchestra of the club.

MARIONETTES TODAY, ELM PLACE SCHOOL

SHOW MATINEE AND NIGHT

"All Baba and Forty Thieves" To Be Depicted by Puppet Cast; Spectacular and Entertaining

Carried here on Aladdin's Magic Carpet, Tony Sarg's Marionettes flew into town today through the early morning mists. All Baba himself, Abou, his faithful donkey, Danhaich, leader of the forty thieves, Agib, his fiery steed, Cassim the Wicked, Morgiana, the beautiful dancing girl, and all the other characters familiar to every lover of the "Arabian Nights," have unfolded their tents, so to speak, at the Elm Place auditorium, in readiness for the gala performance of "All Baba and the Forty Thieves" tonight at 8:00 o'clock and the special afternoon program at 4:00 o'clock.

Elaborate and Wonderful
This year's Marionettes production promises to be the most-elaborate and wonderful spectacle ever staged by Tony Sarg, famous puppet wizard and well known magazine illustrator. The rich oriental scenic decorations to which the story lends itself, the colorful lighting effects, the special musical settings and all the other details of the performance are said to surpass anything ever before attempted on the Marionette stage.

Mr. Sarg and his staff of experts have devoted almost two years to the preparation of this new show and even greater success is predicted for it than was enjoyed by the previous Marionette plays, "Don Quixote" and "Treasure Island." Some of the astonishing magical effects that take place during the course of the performance required weeks of experimenting to perfect. For instance, one of the new effects which Charles E. Searle, Mr. Sarg's technical director, is most proud of, is a puppet that can instantly, completely change its face before the very eyes of the spectators. Just how this is achieved is one of Mr. Sarg's most closely guarded secrets.

Afternoon Performance
The afternoon program of the Marionettes is especially designed to please those youngsters who want to take to bed early and dream long about what they have seen on the fascinating miniature puppet stage. The evening bill is for "children of all ages from six to sixty," as Mr. Sarg puts it.

If you have never seen Tony Sarg's Marionettes, you have missed one of the greatest treats of your life. If you were thrilled by their earlier productions, this new show, "All Baba and the Forty Thieves," will give you a thousand added joys.

A writer in The Outlook recently put it rather aptly: "If Mr. Sarg comes within the field of possible observation, anyone who fails to see his puppet show will be depriving himself of a real and stimulating pleasure."

COUNCIL RETURNS BOND ISSUE BIDS

Decided to Take No Action at Last Meeting; Board Gets Bids for Paving

At the regular meeting of the city council last Friday evening it was decided to return to the bidders unopened the bids on the several bond issues authorized at the special election Dec. 18.

At the meeting of the board of local improvements it was decided to re-advertise for bids on the Ravinia Highlands system of paving, the first batch of bids on which was rejected recently.

Bids were received on the Ravinia Hills paving contract and filed for public inspection. They were: I. D. Lain, \$15,991.20; Paul Roehke, \$15,894.85; E. A. Meyer Construction Co., \$16,399.50; Highways Construction Co., 17,261.

INFANT WELFARE WILL HOLD MONTHLY MEETING

The Infant Welfare Society of Ravinia and Highland Park will hold their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. R. Paul, 500 Bob O'Link road at one o'clock, Tuesday, Jan. 25. There will be a good speaker and plenty of sewing. Everyone interested in this work is cordially invited to attend this meeting.

CARD PARTY TO BE HELD JANUARY 24

Mrs. John Tether will hold a card and bunco party under the auspices of the Daughters of the British Empire at her home 145 South Green Bay road, Monday, Jan. 24, at 8 p. m. The proceeds will benefit the British Old Peoples Home. All interested friends are invited.



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