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TELEPHONE SINNERS

The following from the Cairo Bulletin describes a condition that is true of many communities, urban as well as rural:

Have you ever, in the course of a conversation on a rural telephone line, heard a funny little click now and then as though a receiver were being surreptitiously raised or lowered? So has Miss Marjorie Sims of the University of Illinois. "The average woman wastes a large part of her life visiting on the telephone," says Miss Sims. "Women should observe business hours as men do," she adds. And there are at least a few thousand overworked telephone operators in the country who will rise up and call her blessed for the remark.

In some communities the party line telephone serves as an illicit sort of newspaper. When the three rings that are supposed to summon only someone in the Jones Household are sounded, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Smith and all the other neighbors, from the school house to the crossroads' grocery, fly in immodest and unseemly haste to listen in.

There is no such community, we are proud to state, nearer than seven or eight counties away from here. It is a nice thing to realize that we are a little more careful about this form of eavesdropping than the folk upstate and the folk downstate. It gives us a superior feeling, enables us to face the minister on Sunday without blushing and gives us the assurance that our children are being brought up in the sort of homes of which they may well be proud.

STAND BY YOUR GOVERNMENT

The strength of foreign propaganda in the United States is again indicated by the echoes in the American press and on the floor of congress of the outcry of alien elements against the protection of American rights and just interests in Nicaragua.

The Monroe doctrine stands in the way of the Balkanizing of Central and South America by the European powers. If the Monroe doctrine is to be maintained, the United States must continue to take an interest in the maintenance of orderly constitutional government in the republics of this hemisphere. Failure to do this would mean failure of the Monroe doctrine. Hence every newspaper in the United States which customarily stands for European as opposed to American interests is today joining in the European chorus of detraction against the United States.

In their efforts to uphold American rights, defend just American interests, and thwart the unfriendly designs of anti-American elements in this hemisphere, President Coolidge and Secretary Kellogg deserve and will receive the undivided support of genuine Americans, declares the National Republic, despite the outcry of elements and interests naturally disloyal to the American government or naturally loyal to some foreign interest of group of interests. The extent to which this opposition has been able to get its propaganda before the American people is astonishing, but as the dust kicked up by these pseudo-American interests has lifted, and the people have begun to see the real situation clearly, American patriotism is again rallying to the support of an executive who has the wisdom to see his duty and the courage to do it.



Father James Garrity, who was assistant pastor in Davenport, Ia., for the past four and a half years, has been made pastor of St. Mary's church of Weller, Ia. His sister, Miss Ella Garrity, of Winnetka, is leaving to make her home with him.

Mr. Robert DeLong of N. Green Bay road left Thursday for Canada where he will visit his father for about ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hilton of Prairie avenue are spending the week in Milwaukee, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lencioni of Waukegan avenue announce the birth of a baby boy on Tuesday, Jan. 25, at the Highland Park hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Harmon of Laurel avenue will entertain at dinner on Saturday evening preceding the military ball at the Highland Park club.

Father James Garrity of Davenport, Ia., and his sister, Ella, of Winnetka, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Garrity of McDaniels avenue.

Miss Janet McCaffrey of Elmwood drive was hostess to twenty young people Friday night. Following skating the boys and girls came to Janet's home where they had refreshments and played games.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Armstrong of Rice street, Ravinia, are the happy parents of a baby boy born Thursday, Jan. 20, at the Highland Park hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cameron of N. Central avenue, Highwood, were most pleasantly surprised by thirty-five friends on Saturday evening. The occasion was a house warming as Mr. and Mrs. Cameron just recently moved into their new home. The evening was spent in dancing. A lap lunch was served. The out-of-town guests were from Chicago and Lake Bluff.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bauer of 306 N. Green Bay road announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Margaret, to Mr. Nels William Johnson of this city. The engagement was announced at a dinner party given by Mr. and Mrs. Bauer on Saturday evening, Jan. 22. Mr. Johnson left Wednesday for California.

Mrs. Henry Boon of Clavey road entertained the women of the West Ridge Community club at a one o'clock luncheon at her home on Thursday, Jan. 20. The occasion was to work on the quilt which the members intend to sell by chance, the money going to the fund of the West Ridge Community club.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Olson of Pleasant

avenue announce the birth of a girl on Sunday, January 23, at the Highland Park hospital.

Jane Holmes of N. Sheridan road is entertaining tonight, (Thursday) at dinner in celebration of her birthday. After dinner they will attend "The Black Pirate" at the Aleyon theater.

Mr. John W. Rhinesmith of Roslyn lane is confined to her bed with a case of the flu.

Harold Vetter of McDaniels avenue has returned from a two months trip through California. He reports a very pleasant journey.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Theroux of Northbrook are receiving congratulations on the birth of a boy, born Thursday, Jan. 20, at the Highland Park hospital.

Dickie Balz of N. Green Bay road entertained fourteen of his little friends Wednesday afternoon from three to five o'clock at his home, the occasion being his fifth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cabonargi of Wade street announce the birth of a baby girl on Monday, Jan. 24, at the Highland Park hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ludwig and small daughter, Patsy, of S. Green Bay road, will leave Sunday, Jan. 30, for California where they expect to remain for two months.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Wieder of Wheeling announce the birth of a girl, on Thursday, Jan. 25, at the Highland Park hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Duncan of Burr avenue, Hubbard Woods are receiving congratulations on the birth of a boy, born Monday, Jan. 24, at the Highland Park hospital.

Miss Billy Bell will return home Tuesday from Madison, Wis., to spend a short time between semesters with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Grow of Antioch, Ill., were the guests a few days of this week of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fisher.

Mrs. Wm. Macdonald entertained sixteen guests at bridge on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Charlotte Yoe of the Wincanton Shop has returned from a three weeks stay in New York where she has been selecting spring and summer models which are arriving daily.

Miss Helen Bell was the week-end guest of her sister, Miss Billy Bell, who attends school at Madison, Wis.

Mrs. Ossel F. Shear who was operated on at the Queen of Angels hospital in Los Angeles, Calif., is doing very nicely and is expected to be taken home in a few more days.

Mrs. A. F. Byfield entertained at dinner Monday evening preceding the North Shore Theatre gild play at the Highland Park Woman's club.

Mr. V. A. Michener of Adrian, Mich., who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Robert B. Schreffler of 217 Belle avenue, the past week has gone to Florida to spend the rest of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Haeefe of Highland Park, Calif., announce the birth of a daughter born Saturday, Jan. 22. Mr. and Mrs. Haeefe were former residents of this city. Mrs. Haeefe being formerly Miss Frances Fritsch.

Mrs. E. A. Wood and Mrs. Allan Wolf and sons Hugh and Peter left today for Pas Christiana and Biloxi, Miss., where they will spend several weeks.

Mrs. Mary Boomer Page and Miss Janet Hoffman of 18 North Dale avenue have extended invitations to friends for an at-home in honor of Mrs. Enos M. Barton of Hubbard Woods. The invitations are issued for Thursday afternoon, Feb. 3. Mrs. Barton sails for Italy about the middle of the month for the balance of the winter season.

The Signet club and their friends enjoyed a sleigh ride party held last Saturday evening, later being entertained at the home of the Misses Margaret and Ethel Erickson. All who attended report a most delightful evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mead celebrated their forty-second wedding anniversary, and their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Henderson, celebrated their fourth anniversary with a dinner at their home January 21. The out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Williams of Waukegan, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mead of North Chicago, Miss Pearl Schumacher of Englewood, Mr. and Mrs. Van Dyke of Rogers Park, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mead of Rogers Park, Mr. and Mrs. George Henderson and grandson of Lake Forest. Cards were the feature of the evening and the successful prize winners were Mrs. George Henderson, Mrs. R. Roth, Mr. Ray Roth and Mr. H. L. Mead.

Miss Mable Ernst will be hostess to the Bridge club tonight (Thursday).

Mrs. Walter S. Lincoln of Milwaukee who has been the guest of her sister Mrs. Edwin L. Kemp for the past two months returned to her home Monday.

Mr. T. H. Decker has returned from Florida where he spent the past three weeks.

Mr. Leslie Reeder of Mississippi has been visiting his brother, Mr. Hal Reeder for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark who have been visiting in the south for the past month have returned to their home on McGovern street.

Mrs. Robert Schreffler is in Grand Rapids this week attending the furniture convention.

Arthur Wood and McPherson Thomas are entertaining at dinner February 5 preceding the dance at the Highland Park club.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Murphy of Lake Forest are the happy parents of a son born January 15.

The classes in Religious Education and their parents were delightfully entertained Wednesday afternoon at Masonic hall.

A special meeting of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary society will be held at the home of Mrs. William Guyot Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Schultz of Wilmette will have charge of the meeting.

Mr. Peter Hansen of Washington avenue, Highwood was seriously injured while at work in Lake Forest last week when a pick went through his foot. He was taken to the Highland Park hospital where an X-ray of his foot was taken and it was found that several bones were broken and crushed. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Ervin Clow has arrived home from Denver, Colo., for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Clow.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin J. Buckingham with their son, Bryant, and Mrs. Buckingham's mother, Mrs. Randolph J. Bryant, are some of the newcomers to Highland Park who after a thorough search selected this community as most desirable for a suburban home.

Mr. Charles J. Cary of this city has left for Pocatello, Idaho, where he will remain about three weeks. He will go from there to Salt Lake City, Utah, to be gone for an indefinite length of time.

Dr. and Mrs. Earl Fritsch entertained the members of the Missionary society of the Bethany Evangelical church at a box social Tuesday evening.

Mr. Ferdinand Humer has arrived home from Wels, Austria, where he was called by the serious illness of his mother who passed away the day before he arrived. Mr. Humer was gone about six weeks.

Mrs. Elmer Brown entertained the Past Matron's club last Friday evening.

Announcement is made of the approaching marriage of Miss Lillian Knowles of Chicago, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Knowles, of Kalamazoo, Mich., to Mr. Edwin L. Kemp, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Kemp, Edgecliffe drive, which is to take place next Monday at two o'clock in Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. William Damaske announce the marriage of their daughter, Mercedes, to G. L. Dabe of Glencoe, which took place on November 9. The marriage was kept a secret up to this time. The young couple are taking a wedding trip to New Orleans. Mr. Damaske is connected

with the Dabe Nevitt Motor Sales. Twenty-four members of the Junior Star club attended Monday evening's performance of "Yes, Yes, Yvette" at Cohan's Grand theatre, Chicago.

The children of the De Forest school have invited their parents and a number of friends to see a small exhibit of their work on Thursday, Jan. 27 at eleven o'clock. The refreshments to be served will be made and served by the children themselves in the lovely hall at 374 Laurel avenue.

Messrs. William, Fred and Ben Booth of Chicago spent Sunday with their parents Mr. and Mrs. William Booth of North Second street.

While feeding nuts to a squirrel yesterday morning "Aunt Ella" one of our subscribers saw two blue-birds steal up and take the nuts away. The appearance of blue birds on a cold winter day helps to cheer us up and make us think that "spring is here."

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rhinehart are announcing the birth of a son, born Friday at Lake Worth, Fla.

The board of directors and alumnae of Chicago Teachers college will be hostesses at a tea, given at Gertrude house, Tuesday, Jan. 25, from four until six. The guest of honor will be an alumna of the college, Eleanor Sawyer, now singing with the Chicago Civic opera.

Sunday Evening club - Duncan Clark "A Neighboring World".

Dr. Ralph H. Kuhns, Moraine hotel, has been appointed a member of the staff of the Children's Memorial hospital, Chicago. This appointment carries with it an appointment on the Faculty of Medicine of the University of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. George Kees, Jr. of Evanston, Ill., are enjoying a two weeks trip to New Mexico, Arizona and Los Angeles, Calif.

The regular meeting of Campbell chapter, O. E. S., will be held next Wednesday evening. Initiation will be held.

Mrs. Harry E. Wightman who underwent an operation for goitre at Wesley Memorial hospital a week ago, returned home last evening, very much improved.

Miss Tessie Sheahan had a rib broken and her leg bruised when the bob-sleigh on which she was riding with three other girl friends was run into in Lake Bluff by an auto owned by Mr. Harris of that city a week ago Monday. Miss McConnell of Lake Forest was also slightly injured while Miss Elizabeth Repholz and Miss Gertrude Martin escaped uninjured. Miss Sheahan is getting along nicely.

Mr. Claude Mitchell entertained several friends Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Beere. Five hundred was the feature of the evening.

Mrs. Moses Shire entertained twenty guests at bridge on Wednesday afternoon at her home on North St. Johns avenue.

Mrs. C. N. Kimball of "Ridgewood" entertained at a small bridge party on Wednesday for Mrs. W. C. Winton of Duluth, Minn.

Carl Vail of Lincoln avenue, will entertain a number of young people Friday night; for the first part of the evening they will enjoy a sleigh ride party after which they will come back to the Highland Park club where they will have dinner and dance.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Kimball of "Ridgewood" will entertain at dinner on Sunday for Dr. and Mrs. John Paul Goode of Chicago.

In last week's issue of the Press it was stated that Mrs. Roth was captain of the drill team at the Pythian Sisters lodge in Highland Park. Mrs. Rebecca Griemeyer is captain of the organization here.

Martin Richard Miller died at the Highland Park hospital on Wednesday of meningitis after an illness of short duration. Little Martin was one year, three months and fourteen days of age at the time of his death. The remains were taken to Graceland cemetery this morning for burial. Mr. and Mrs. Miller, the parents of the child, live in the new addition at the south edge of Lake Forest.

Mrs. Moses Shire and children are leaving Monday for Santa Barbara, California, where they will spend six weeks.

HORACE J. BRIDGES LECTURE WEDNESDAY

The next lecture in the course being given by Horace J. Bridges at the Highland Park Woman's club will be next Wednesday, Feb. 2, at 10:30 a. m.; the subject is "The Picture of Life in Eugene O'Neill's Plays." This should be a very interesting one as there has been so much discussion pro and con about these plays.

ANNUAL STAG PARTY GIVEN LAST EVENING

Members Commerce Chamber Enjoy Annual Affair; Fine Program

Perhaps never in the history of the local business men's association have its members enjoyed a finer entertainment under its auspices than the annual chamber of commerce stag party for members given last evening at the Highland Park Woman's club building.

Attendance was large and the program features were especially good. The turkey dinner served by the Green Tea Pot was all that could be enjoyed, as all of the large assemblage of guests are willing to testify today. It was a splendid banquet and it was done full justice. Motion pictures of Highland Park day scenes presented by Mr. Ten-



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nant and which were taken by himself on the day in question caused much interest and were excellent pictures.

The evening program included about a dozen vaudeville features, all of which were of unusual excellence and the committee which procured them was given due credit for judgment and choice in their selections. It was throughout a most enjoyable

party and all who attended are greatly pleased with every phase of it. The freedom with which many all are breaking the laws shows they are making rapid progress in Americanization. So far the makers of snowshoes have not complained of the many snowstorms through the northern districts.