

**Deerfield News**

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tended the surprise party on Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Klomp in Highland Park, Saturday evening.

On Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Clavey were given a surprise party by fourteen of their friends at their home on Deerfield avenue.

Miss Rose O'Connor has returned from a two weeks visit with her aunt in Chicago.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Mary Ellen Smit, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Smit of 7216 Ridge boulevard, to Raymond F. LaFak, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. LaFak of Deerfield, Ill., according to a notice in the Chicago Sunday Tribune.

Mrs. J. A. Reichelt, Jr., was the luncheon guest of Mrs. Joseph Robert Noel, of Oake Park, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Willman entertained at dinner on Wednesday evening in celebration of their son Kress' fourth birthday anniversary. Twenty-one guests attended.

The Northbrook school was closed Friday morning for sixty people from Northbrook, including the five teachers in the school, forty-five students, and members of the Parent-Teacher association chartered a special bus to attend the lecture by Captain Donald MacMillan in the Deerfield-Shields high school, last Friday morning. Just before reaching the Gastfield bridge, over the Skokie, a large truck "hogged" the road and forced the bus into the ditch. No one was injured and another bus and passing motorists took the students to the high school in time for the lecture. Deerfield sent a small delegation to the morning lecture, and a large one in the evening, when the auditorium was filled a second time.

Mrs. Smicer, mother of Mrs. C. G. Pettis, has returned from Massachusetts, where she has spent several months.

Mrs. Gladys Easton Page entertained the Young Ladies' club of the Presbyterian church, Friday evening. They are planning a progressive dinner party.

Shirley Clark was hostess to the Friendly Five club Saturday afternoon. Jean Pettis will entertain next Saturday.

Mrs. R. B. Patterson, of Rosemary terrace, is convalescing from a two weeks' illness.

Misses Jane and Martha Karch attended a bridge luncheon at the home of Miss Martha Preston of Chicago, Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Labahn was a guest of her sister, Mrs. James Daugherty, of Chicago, Monday.

Twenty-eight young people of St. Paul's Evangelical church gave Rev. and Mrs. F. Piepenbrock a pleasant surprise party at their home on Waukegan road, Friday evening.

The January meeting of the Missionary society of the Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. Fred Meyer last Thursday afternoon. "China" was the subject of the afternoon's discussion.

Circle number three of Dorcas society of the Presbyterian church is planning to present a play, which is being coached by Miss Mary Page, in the near future.

About thirty friends and relatives of Mr. F. D. Clavey gave him a surprise party at his home Saturday evening. The occasion was in honor of his birthday anniversary. Cards and dancing were the features of the evening.

Attractive new linoleum purchased by different departments of the Presbyterian Sunday school has been laid on the floors of the church and new cushions have been purchased for the few by the Dorcas society.

A group of ladies, assisted Mrs. Frank Russo with the marking of books for the Deerfield public library at the library on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Knaak were hosts to a bridge party at their home on Grand avenue, Saturday evening. Twelve guests attended.

Misses Nellie Knapp and Beatrice Corson will be hostesses to the Wilmet Progressive club, which will meet in the school house on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 2.

The Ladies' Aid society of St. Paul's Evangelical church will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Horenberger on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 3.

Mr. E. P. Osterman, Mrs. Annie Willman, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Willman and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Osterman in Chicago, Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Seyle of Everett was given a surprise party on Friday evening in honor of her birthday anniversary. Thirty guests attended, including Mrs. S. S. Love, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gunckel and family, Messrs. Sam Lane, Andy Mortan, Berry Devine and Miss Arline Roggow of Deerfield.

The Deerfield Men's club held their regular meeting at the home of the president, Mr. Jesse Strong, Monday evening.

The Children's Theater association, which had such attractive ribbons marked C. T. A. on the prize posters for "The Bubble Peddler" and "Twenty Minutes by the Clock" will meet at the home of Mrs. Nathan Klee Tuesday morning, Feb. 1, to make plans for the next play which will be "Treasure Island," produced under the direction of Miss Winifred Ward, in March, in the Elm Place school.

Mr. Harold Hansen of Thorp, Wis., who is en route to Detroit, Mich., and his sister, Miss Margaret Hansen, who teaches in the Northbrook school, spent the week-end at the home of their brother, Mr. Magnus Hansen, of Hammond, Ind.

On Monday morning the high school bus which transports the high school pupils from Northbrook went into the ditch, the second time during the week, near the Werhane farms on Waukegan road. Bus service was much delayed, making the Deerfield pupils late also.

Mrs. Nell Thormeyer, of Northbrook, is the new teacher for the beginning class of primary pupils in the Deerfield school. Half year promotions were made Monday, an innovation in this school, which will be closed Monday so that the teachers may have a visiting day.

A sixteen piece orchestra, composed of students who attend Deerfield-Shields high school, in which Russell Patterson plays the cornets and Wallace Reichelt the piano, will make its first public appearance in the Alcyon theater Monday and Tuesday evenings, Feb. 7 and 8.

Miss Keller, the girls' gym teacher in the high school, has started a class of social dancing for adults in the Ravinia village house, which meets Monday evenings.

Joseph Lincoln Gibson, who formerly lived in Deerfield in the house owned by Fred Stryker, on Waukegan road, played the part of Henry Percy, surnamed Hotspur in the production "Henry IV" with the North Shore Theatre guild, in the Highland Park Woman's club, Monday evening. He gave a really brilliant performance, and was one of the four outstanding characters in the play, second only to that of Basil Sydney, the professional actor who played Prince Hal. Sir John Falstaff (Samuel Otis) was a rare character, and Mrs. Cecil Barnes as "Mistress Quickly" had a lovely cultured voice and took her part with charm and understanding, and an entrancing smile.

The evening audience at the performance of Tony Sarg's Marionettes in the Elm Place school last Thursday was largely an adult one, but no keener enjoyment could have been experienced by those privileged to view the wonderful production of "Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves." It seems almost incredible that mere puppets could perform so agilely, and the voices of those who pulled the strings were so well trained, and had accents so well suited to the parts, that the voices seemed to come from the little wooden headed dolls. Four of the forty thieves were negroes of the different types of Congo natives—a Kaffir was plainly distinguishable among them. The flock of sheep, camel, elephant, and almost human donkeys of Ali Baba all added to the thrills of the play. Real smoke came from the water pipe of the Sultan. As tickets were being sold in the high school for six different entertainments of various natures, besides the checks for the Annual, and as Captain MacMillan's talk on the arctic came the following day, the audience in the Elm Place for the Marionettes was not nearly so large as last year for "Treasure Island," although Ali Baba surpassed it.

**FORMER GLENCOE PASTOR HONORED**  
**Cross of Legion of Honor Is Conferred on Him by the French Govt.**

Glencoe and north shore friends of Dr. Samuel N. Watson, who was for nearly five years rector of St. Elisabeth church, will be pleased to hear of added recognition for him by the French government.

Dr. and Mrs. Watson went to Santa Barbara, Cal., received word recently that, by Decree of November 19, 1926, the President of the Republic of France had conferred on him the Cross of officer of the Legion of Honor.

Dr. and Mrs. Watson went to Santa Barbara in 1924, after he had been forced to retire from the rectorship he held here for five years, because of failing health. They have built a home in the California city where they were recently visited by Henry H. Brigham of Glencoe who found Dr. Watson in much improved health.

Dr. Watson, formerly rector of the American Church of Paris, and who still holds the title of rector emeritus of that church, is a thorough French enthusiast. He spent several years

in Paris and knows intimately the French viewpoint and consciousness. His services in relief work during and immediately following the World war won for him numerous citations including the Cross of Chevalier of the Legion of Honor.

Mrs. Watson is a well known author.

Girls are studying household arts. The boys better look out if they get more artful than now.

**WINNETKA GARDEN CLUB OFFICERS**  
**Annual Meeting is Held and Other Business Receives Attention**

The Winnetka Garden club met at the home of Mrs. Rush C. Butler on Locust road Wednesday afternoon, January 19, and elected officers for the coming year. Mrs. C. Colton Daughaday was elected president.

Others officers chosen are: Mrs. Stephen A. Foster, first vice-president; Mrs. A. Ballard Bradley, second vice-president; Mrs. Richard W. Walsh, secretary; Mrs. George Stanley Parker, treasurer; Mrs. Rudolph Matz, Mrs. Heyliger deWindt, members at large; Mrs. A. C. Maynard,

chairman of membership committee; Mrs. C. D. Dallas, chairman of program committee.

Mrs. Eddy, president of the Garden club of Evanston, gave a talk on civic work in Evanston during the afternoon.

The girls who have pretty teeth seem always ready to smile.

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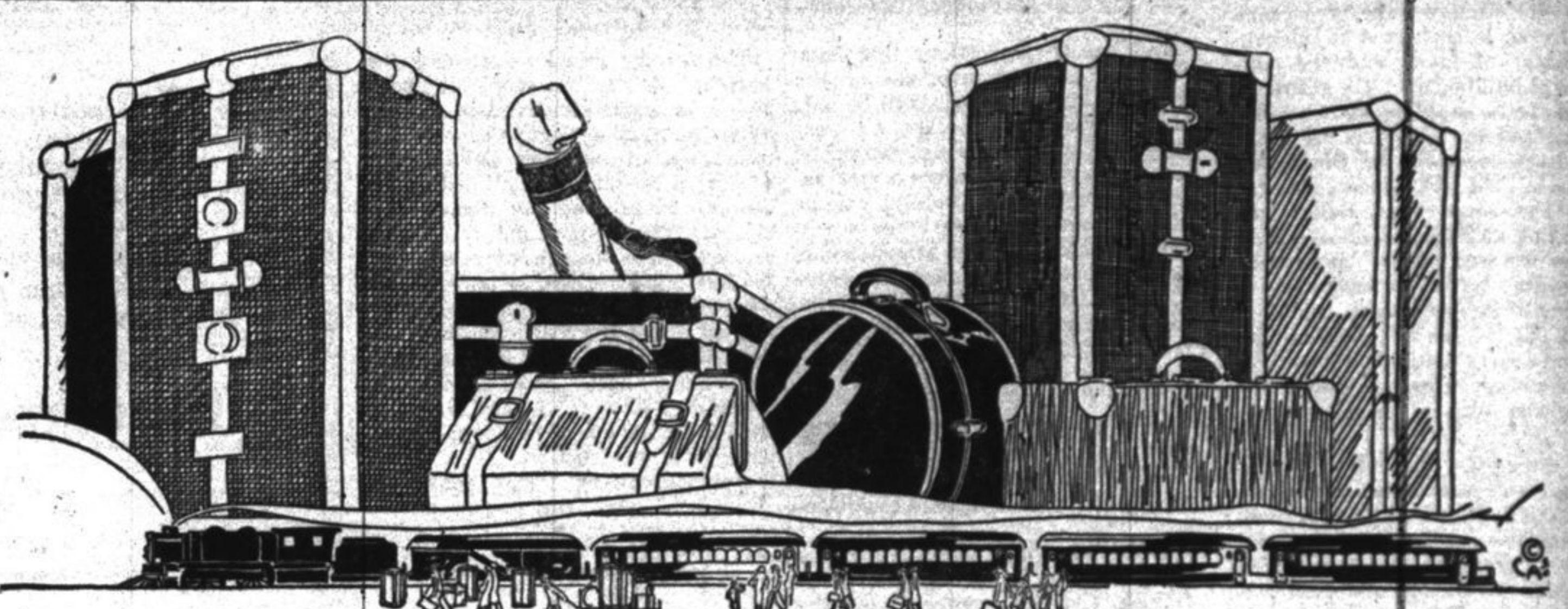
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