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MME. PONAFLIDINE SPEAKS AT OSSOLI

DATE IS JANUARY 10TH

Members of Woman's Club and Ravinia Civic Club to Be Guests; "New Turkish Woman," Topic

Mme. Ponaflidine, noted traveler and lecturer, whose knowledge of political conditions and secret intrigues in every capital of Europe during recent years, coupled with her notable ability and keen observations, make her one of the most interesting of women platform speakers, will speak here Jan. 10, under the auspices of the Ossoli club.

Important Event
The return of Mme. Ponaflidine after an absence of several years, will be an event of outstanding importance to those of our readers who had the privilege of hearing her lecture on the subject of her fascinating adventures and thrilling escapes in Soviet Russia. Born in Persia of American parents and married to a Russian diplomat, Mme. Ponaflidine has lived in every center of political intrigue in Europe and Asia, and has been a keen observer of many of the most momentous upheavals that have recently taken place in the near east and in Europe.

Other Clubs Invited
Her lecture on "The New Turkish Woman" will be given here on Jan. 10 under the auspices of the Ossoli club and members of the Highland Park Woman's club and of Ravinia Civic club will be the guests of Ossoli on this occasion. After the lecture, tea will be served and we may surmise, though we resist the temptation to forecast, the terrific bombardment of searching and intimate questions that will be fired point-blank at the distinguished lecturer, as soon as she steps from the platform to the tea-table.

Over Tea Cups
When a high-spirited and courageous woman has not only escaped from the "land of the knout," but has also adventured almost incredibly in the "land of the bow-string and the scraggle," it would be strange indeed if she could not whisper many "chronicles scandaleuses" over the intimacy of the tea-cups that must perforce be deleted from public utterances. The Turkish woman of today is coming into her own at long last, but her tragic yesterdays were unspeakable. That being the case, her tragic yesterdays will no doubt form the exclusive subject of conversation over the pekee and the petit four.—Contributed.

CHILD STUDY GROUP TO MEET JANUARY 9

In this age of specialization when organizations are offering many attractive programs, people are compelled to select those most valuable to them. As mothers are most interested in their own children, the old-time P. T. A. meeting has evolved into individual study groups. Instead of attending large gatherings three general topics are discussed, the division into three groups, makes it possible for each mother to study her own child and to discuss the problems with the teachers. The next meeting will be Mrs. Lowe's group of 6th, 7th, 8th grade mothers and teachers.

The subject will be "The Mind of the Adolescent." Mrs. Porter will report on the Downers Grove Junior Elementary—the school about which much has been written in progressive education. These meetings are open to all who are interested.

RAVINIA GARDEN CLUB CHANGES MEETING DAY

Ravinia Garden club has changed their regular meeting date to the second Friday of each month. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George Wallace Carr on Wade street on Friday, Jan. 13. Mrs. Sidney Beech will speak on "Gardens and Markets of the Northwest." Mr. M. DeBree, who is a tree surgeon and gardener of Lake Forest will speak on "Our Sorrows in Gardening," and will be prepared to answer any questions pertaining to that subject.

MISS JENNIE STRUBEL DIES AT HIGHWOOD

Miss Jennie Strubel, a resident of Highwood for several years, died Sunday night. She was about 50 years of age and friends report that she was a descendant of a pioneer family and a woman of talent and education. She lived alone, and such relatives as she had are believed to reside at a distance. Arrangements for the funeral had not been completed yesterday.

Ossoli Club Holds Fashion Show Jan. 14; Open to Public

It is only a little more than a week now to the Ossoli club Fashion Show and dance to be held at the Highland Park club on Saturday, Jan. 14, and we feel it is time we told you something more about it. Rehearsals have begun under the direction of Mrs. Julia Hanks Mailer and the mannequins have had their costumes assigned to them. It is all decided now who is to wear the flannel nightgown with its high collar and long sleeves and who is to display all the crepe de chine and lace things. Oh, we aren't going to show off just dresses and wraps, that is we aren't unless some one appoints himself—or rather herself—censor, and says that the others are taboo. Of course may be someone will, but we hope not.

We plan to display modern gowns, wraps and so forth which are being shown in the smartest shops in and around Chicago, and then to furnish a contrast and a laugh, we have dug into our attics and pulled forth the chic costumes of from fifteen to fifty years ago, and we are going to show you these too.

There are to be two performances, one in the afternoon at two o'clock at which tea will be served and another at eight in the evening. This second performance will be followed by a dance for which a special orchestra has been engaged, and also by refreshments which will be served around the fire in the lounge of the club house. The entrance fee includes the show, the dance and the refreshments. Both performances are open to the general public, and everyone is cordially invited to attend. Tickets may be purchased at the door prior to each performance. They will also be on sale during the next ten days at Gsell's, Pease's and Sweetland's. The proceeds from the show will be used to augment Ossoli's philanthropy fund and to purchase stage equipment for the club.—(Contributed).

MR. R. E. KLINE TO GIVE ANOTHER SERIES

Lecture Course Sponsored by Woman's Club to Open January 18th

Many people are looking forward with the greatest interest to Mr. R. E. Pattison Kline's course on current events. No one could cover a subject more comprehensively or give one a better understanding of existing conditions in world affairs than Mr. Kline. His large audiences year after year are very evident testimonials to his popularity.

The lectures are open to everyone whether a member of the club or not. Following is a list of the subjects discussed and the dates:

- Jan. 18—"Economic Conditions in Europe and Their Relation to the United States."
- Feb. 1—"Changing Conceptions in American Life."
- Feb. 15—"The Challenge of Fascism."
- Feb. 29—"What is Coming in China."
- March 14—"The Onward March of Science."

Tickets may be procured by telephoning Mrs. C. C. Whinery 1307.

SKATING POND IN PARK POPULAR THIS SEASON

The fine skating pond maintained by the Park board in Sunset Park is being well patronized these winter days and ice was never better, the skaters report. Over the Christmas week-end 503 persons registered at the waiting room in the park and over the New Year's week-end 365 were counted. The rink is well lighted and warm separate waiting rooms are provided for men and women. It is one of the best places of the kind on the north shore, skaters declare, and they are taking advantage of the opportunity while the weather is favorable for their favorite winter sport.

DEERFIELD R. N. A. TO HOLD CARD PARTY

The Royal Neighbors of Deerfield are giving a card party for the benefit of one of their members who is seriously ill, on Saturday evening, Jan. 7. Cards and bunco will be played for which prizes will be awarded. The party will be held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Johnson. During the evening refreshments will be served.

MASQUERADE DANCE IS PLANNED FOR JAN. 21

The annual masquerade dance given by the Societa Modenesa will be held at the Highland Park Woman's club Saturday, Jan. 21, at 8 o'clock. Two prizes will be given for the best costumes. There will be good music. The public is invited to attend.

YEGG WITH A HEART LOOTS ALCYON SAFE

ESTIMATE LOSS AT \$2,000.00

Forces Combination from Asst. Mgr. Greenberg and Locks Him Up; Provides Pillow, Blanket

Armed with a gun, and keys that seemed to fit every door he wished to enter, yet apparently actuated by humane principles withal, a new type of yegg locked Saul Greenberg, assistant manager of the Alcyon theater in a wash room in the house early Tuesday morning, after providing him with a pillow and a blanket, and proceeded leisurely to open the safe in the office, the combination of which he had extracted from Greenberg at the point of the gun, and escaped with probably \$2,000 to \$2,200, according to the manager's estimate. The robbery is being investigated by the police and agents for the company with which the theater carried burglary insurance.

According to Greenberg, the burglar trapped him in his sleeping room on the second floor of the building, sometime after midnight, he thinks, although he had no way of determining the exact time.

"I had gone to a restaurant on the west side of the tracks to get something to eat after the show Monday night," Greenberg said. "Returning I stopped a moment or two on the first floor of the theater and then went up to my room and went to bed. The next thing I heard was somebody at the door.

Slams Door in Yegg's Face

"I inquired who was there and was told that it was the night watchman and that the door of the theater had been left open. Believing it was the merchant's night policeman I got up and opened the door, and came face to face with a masked man holding a gun in his hand. I slammed the door in his face and sprang to the telephone to call for help. The man unlocked the door, evidently having a key to fit the lock, and came in telling me at the same time that it was Yegg." (Continued on page 7)

MRS. MAURICE LIEBER IN LECTURE COURSE

Series to Open Jan. 26; to Be Held Consecutive Thursday Mornings

Another popular lecturer coming to Highland Park is Mrs. Maurice Lieber. Having heard her before is all the more reason why one wishes to hear her again, for she always has something new to say on parliamentary procedure.

This year she is to specialize on committee organization work as well as proper procedure in relation to by-laws. The discussions following are always very helpful.

This course of lectures will be given consecutive Thursday mornings beginning January 26, 10:30 to 11:30. For further information call Mrs. C. C. Whinery, Tel. 1307.

ELKS BOXING CARD GIVEN ON JAN. 11

The next boxing card to be staged by the Highland Park Elks club will be presented Wednesday, Jan. 11, at 8:30. Ten bouts are scheduled, including the following: Bud Newman vs. Harry Garbel, at 120 pounds, a return match; also Art Kress of Deerfield vs. Herb Simons of Lake Forest at 147 pounds, and Bobbie Juhnd of Deerfield vs. Red Mullane of Chicago at 115 pounds. Other bouts also between Chicago boxing experts will be included in the bill which promises to be of the same high class as the previous shows. All sport fans are urged to attend.

LARGE ADDITION TO THE KOON GARAGE

The George Koon garage and sales room building is being enlarged by the erection of an L-shaped addition at the north end of the service station portion of the structure. The extensive addition is to increase the scope and facilities of the service station and when completed will provide commodious quarters for this branch of the business. The addition extends to Laurel avenue on the north.

MRS. LAMAR FEARING PASSES AWAY JAN. 2

On Monday, Jan. 2, Mrs. Lamar Fearing, wife of Mr. Lamar Fearing, former resident of Ravinia, passed away in Ticonderoga, New York. She leaves to survive her husband, Mr. Lamar Fearing, and a month old baby. The sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. Fearing in his bereavement.

NOTED EDUCATOR TO SPEAK HERE JAN. 11

PRESBY. PARISH HOUSE

President Bayard Dodge of American University at Beirut, To Deliver Address; Details

Next Wednesday evening, at seven forty-five, President Bayard Dodge, L.L. D., of the American university of Beirut, will speak at the parish house of the Presbyterian church on Laurel avenue. He will open the 1928 Church Night program, speaking on the educational needs of the Near East.

President Bayard Dodge is a son of the late Cleveland Dodge of New York City and is the fifth in line of a remarkable American family of philanthropists. After graduating from Princeton in 1909 he spent a year traveling around the world. In 1913 he graduated from Union Theo-



BAYARD DODGE

logical seminary, New York City, also receiving a graduate degree from Columbia. In 1911 he was appointed to the staff of the American University of Beirut and married Mary Williams Bliss, Vassar, 1913, daughter of the president of (Continued on page 7)

CIVIC CLUB TO HEAR ALEXANDER JACKSON

"How It Feels to Be a Problem" Is Subject of Talk on January 11th

"How It Feels to Be a Problem," is the subject of a talk to be given by Mr. Alexander Jackson, a negro, before the Woman's Civic club of Ravinia, on Wednesday, Jan. 11, at 2:30.

Mr. Jackson is a graduate of Harvard college and was orator of his class. Since graduation most of his time has been taken up with social welfare work and Y. M. C. A. work among negroes.

During the World War Alexander Jackson served as chairman of Negro committees for the "Hoover Food Administration," the "Liberty Loan committee" and the "Four Minute Men."

Mr. Jackson, as Booker T. Washington, has become a leader among his people and is a man very well versed on the subject which he is to discuss.

OPEN GYMNASIUM TO GRAMMAR STUDENTS

A new feature at the Deerfield-Shields high school is the opening of the high school gymnasium each Saturday morning to grammar school students between the hours of 9 and 12 under the charge of a student appointed by the high school.

From 1 until 4 o'clock the gym is open for high school students. All those who did not know of this and are eligible to the gym are welcome to appear there at the specified time.

BAKERY ON CENTRAL AVENUE IS CLOSED

The Central pastry shop, which was operated by Gus Meister during the past year or so, has been closed. It is understood that this is the second time within recent years that a bakery at this place has ceased operations. However, it is reported that there is prospect of another starting in a short time.

ITALO-AMERICAN CLUB TO HOLD DANCE JAN. 14

The first annual dance given by the Italo American society of Deerfield township, a political club will be held Saturday evening, Jan. 14 at Witten hall. The dance will start at eight-thirty o'clock.

Dr. Clark Killed By Street Car In Chicago; Lived here

Dr. Solomon H. Clark, 65, professor emeritus of public speaking at Chicago university, father of Robert E. Clark, 547 South St. Johns avenue, with whom he made his home, was struck and fatally injured by a southbound State street car at Washington street, Chicago, last Thursday. He was hurried to the Froquois hospital by a passing motorist and there died without regaining consciousness.

Dr. Clark had gone down town on a shopping trip. According to witnesses, he stepped squarely in front of the street car, apparently unaware of his danger.

Officials of the Chicago Surface lines declared the car's crew aided in taking the victim to the hospital. Jas. Morris, motorman, said he applied his brakes but could not avoid striking the professor.

Since his retirement in 1921, Dr. Clark had lived with his son and daughter-in-law, in Highland Park. For many years he was well known as a public speaker, author, and lecturer. He came to the University of Chicago in 1892 from Trinity college.

Dr. Clark received his Ph.D. degree from the University of Chicago in 1897. He was dean of the department of speech at the time of his retirement. He had given several talks at Deerfield-Shields high school since he came here.

Funeral services were held Saturday at Chautauqua, N. Y. Dr. Clark is survived by four sons, Harold, Coleman, Robert and Barret Clark.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH HONORS PETER JOHNSON

Sexton of Local Church Praised at Service Sunday for 21 Years of Service

Last Sunday morning, during the period of the announcement, the Rev. Frank Pitt called the attention of the congregation to a fact of unusual significance. It was just twenty-one years before, on New Year's day, 1906, that Mr. Peter Johnson began his service as sexton of the church. He took up his official duties at five o'clock in the morning and that same hour last Sunday found him actively at work, making sure that the boilers in the engine room would heat the church auditorium through a night with sub-zero temperature. The pastor alluded to Mr. Johnson's great devotion to the church, his pride in making sure that the building was kept in proper order and his interest in all activities that went on within its walls. During the years of Mr. Johnson's service he has been associated with four pastors, and in the entire history of the church no pastor has remained even half as long as he has. It is doubtful if any other church sexton in the Chicago district can point to such a long and faithful connection.

HENRY TURNER BAILEY TO SPEAK HERE JAN. 11

De Forest School Sponsors Lecture to Be Held Next Week Wednesday

Dean Henry Turner Bailey of Cleveland, who has been lecturing extensively in California in the last month, will speak at the Highland Park Woman's club at four o'clock on Wednesday, January 11, 1928. The lecture is sponsored by the De Forest School Round Table. Dean Bailey is more than an educator. He is a civic leader. He heads the Boy Scout court of honor of Cleveland, conducts a men's bible class, is an inveterate outdoor leader and hiker, and not only directs the Cleveland School of Art, but has the rare gift of using his art knowledge so that those who hear him or work with him have a growing appreciation of the elements of beauty in life.

The hour of the lecture in Highland Park has been set for four o'clock in order that teachers on the North Shore can find it possible to attend, with the many other people who are interested in hearing Mr. Bailey.

MONTHLY MEETING OF WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Highland Park hospital will be held in Trinity church parish house on Wednesday, January 11, at 10 o'clock. Luncheon will be served at 12:30.

ANNOUNCE SCHEDULE FOR BASKETBALL GAMES

The basketball game scheduled for Friday at the Deerfield-Shields high school has been cancelled by Maine for reasons of their own. There will be a game played on Tuesday, Jan. 10, at 7:30, with the University high school and will be played at the Deerfield Shields high school gymnasium.

PRESIDENT MORGAN LECTURES TONIGHT

AT DEERFIELD-SHIELDS

Noted Head of Famous Antioch Ohio College Comes Under P. T. A. Auspices; Some Features

Arthur E. Morgan, president of Antioch college at Yellow Springs, Ohio, will speak at the Deerfield-Shields auditorium tonight at 8:15 on "What College Should Do for Life." The talk will take place of the regular monthly meeting of the high school P. T. A. and will be open free to anyone who cares to attend.

Parents who are sending, or planning to send their children to college, as well as the students themselves, should be interested in hearing Mr. Morgan's talk.

Mr. Morgan is an outstanding educator, made famous largely by his work at Antioch, which is probably the most unique college in this or any country.

Sketch of Career
Before he became president of Antioch, Mr. Morgan was famous throughout the country as a civil engineer in charge of various flood prevention projects. One of his biggest interests was in the Dayton flood of 1913. His company, the Dayton Morgan Engineering company, had interests in various parts of the United States, as well as in China.

He has been president of Antioch for seven years, and each year he is seeing his dreams, of a perfect school system, materialize more fully.

When Mr. Morgan became president of Antioch in 1920, the buildings were old-worn-down, and neglected, and the sanitation was very poor. Within a comparatively short time, and through the unflinching efforts of the new president, the college buildings and grounds were greatly improved.

Co-operation Factor
The co-operation program which Mr. Morgan has successfully developed at Antioch has furnished one of the greatest contributions to the solution of the educational problems confronting the world at this time.

Each student works five weeks and studies for the same length of time, thus enabling him to work his way through school.

The school finds the job for the student and assigns it to him.

Most of the jobs are found in nearby cities, but some are as far away as Philadelphia, Detroit, New York, and Chicago. Everything from managing farms to translating Chinese is practiced by Antiochians.

POSTPONE MEETING OF LINCOLN P. T. A.

Mrs. John Lind to Speak Here January 11 on "Today's Problems"

The Lincoln School Parent-Teacher association meeting has been postponed to Wednesday, Jan. 11, at 3:00 o'clock. Mrs. John Lind of Kenilworth will speak on "Today's Problems in Conduct and Training." Mrs. Lind has had valuable and extensive experience in her contact with parents. She is a product of Smith college and two kindergarten training schools. She was a director of a kindergarten for seven years and later associate principal of the Savannah Lind Preparatory school for boys in Georgia. Her message and suggestions as to the solution of today's problems in conduct and training are sure to be most interesting and helpful and all who are interested are invited to attend this meeting.

SPONSOR ART EXHIBIT AT H. P. WOMAN'S CLUB

The art committee of the Highland Park Woman's club are sponsoring an exhibition of paintings at the club rooms on January 17 preceding the program for the day which is to be a lecture on Art, by Antonin Sterbin and several musical numbers by Mrs. Sterbin, who is a harpist of unusual merit. Mr. Sterbin is connected with the Art Institute in Chicago and he will explain some of the high lights and symbols in his vocation which are but confusing to the uninitiated.

CHANGE DATE OF CARD PARTY TO JAN. 31

The date of the annual Woman's club card party has been changed from that of the year book. Instead of being held on February 15 it will be held on the last Tuesday of the month, January 31 at 2 o'clock at the club. The social committee members whose auspices it is to be given, asks that the members please keep this date in mind and give their support to this affair.