

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NEWS

Mrs. C. E. Porter will return Friday from California where she spent the winter.

Miss Bernice Tucker returned yesterday from the Ravenswood hospital where she recently underwent an operation. She is very much improved.

The Lady Elks social club will entertain their friends next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Elks club on Laurel avenue and McGovern street. Bridge and Five Hundred will be played.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Kalbus were pleasantly surprised by a number of their friends last Saturday in their home on Skokie avenue. Five Hundred was played at six tables.

The Highland Park Music club choral will meet at the home of Mrs. George E. Bliss, 522 N. Linden avenue on Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. Special matters will be taken up at this meeting and all members are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Moran had as their week-end guests Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Goldsberry of Oak Park.

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Schelsky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schelsky of Evanston to Mr. Ervin Franklin Clow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Clow of this city took place Sunday afternoon, April 29 at four o'clock at the home of the bride parents. Rev. Paul W. Luecke read the service which was witnessed only by bridesmaid, Mr. Gilberties, Miss Louise Scheate was maid of honor and Miss Helen Betke was her only maid of honor.

Gilbert Schelsky gave his sister in marriage and Harold Reader served Mr. Clow as best man. After a delicious wedding supper the young couple left for Denver, Colo., where they will make their home. Among those entertaining were Miss Edith Kruse at a miscellaneous shower, Mrs. Erwin Esholz, who gave a miscellaneous shower entertaining the Bethlehem Young Ladies society, and a personal and farewell shower by the Bethlehem Lutheran choir.

Mrs. Theodore Schultz of Hubbard Woods gave a linen shower in honor of the marriage of her niece Miss LaVerne Young of Highwood, Tuesday evening, May 1. Miss Young is to marry Conrad Ring of Chicago. The wedding will take place at St. James Catholic church, Highwood, Saturday afternoon, June 2, the Rev. Father Holly performing the ceremony.

Miss Elizabeth Miller daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Miller of Glencoe and Mr. Cedric C. Gifford son of Mr. and Mrs. Gifford of the Moraine hotel will be married Saturday afternoon, May 12, at 4:30 o'clock in the Glencoe Union church. Miss Miller will be attended by her sister, Rebecca, who will serve as maid of honor and Miss Eugenia Moore and Miss Ruth Wilson of Wilmette who will be bridesmaids. Lewis Gifford of Oak Park will serve his brother as best man and the ushers will be William Miller of Glencoe, Stanley Bank, Merle Bank and R. V. Horner of Chicago, James Moore of Glencoe and Bradford Gill of Evanston.

Mrs. Alexander O. Mason who spent the winter in Milwaukee, Wis., has returned to Highland Park.

Mrs. Wilson Richardson will be hostess to her bridge club next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. W. P. Nevins and daughter Mary Alice of Oak Park, were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Nevins.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Udell and family have moved from their apartment on Vine avenue, to their new home on Lakeview Terrace which they recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mead and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Henderson and family were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mead.

Miss Jean C. Allan of N. Sheridan road, announces the marriage of her sister, Anne Randall Quinton Allan, to Mr. Robert L. Brooke of Chicago which took place at the Fourth Presbyterian church, Chicago, the Rev. Dr. Timothy Stone, officiating. Miss Edith Allan another sister was bridesmaid and Mr. James McGregor of Chicago was groomsmen. Only the immediate relatives and friends of the couple were present at the ceremony.

Mrs. Truman Metzler entertained at luncheon and a kitchen shower on Friday for Miss Winifred Metzler whose wedding takes place on June 2nd.

Mrs. Oliver Stowe Brown and her niece Miss Elena Fantoni who have been spending the winter at the Pearson hotel in Chicago have returned to their home in Ravinia.

Miss Collidge of Ridge road, who returned from California last week, had for week-end guests Miss Ruth Collidge and Miss Ruth Brown, both of Belmont College.

Miss Kathleen Cole entertained her bridge club on Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Vail and three children are sailing for France on May 5, to be gone for the summer.

Mrs. Isabelle Caswell Cole of S. St. Johns avenue, has returned home from a five months stay in St. Petersburg, Fla., and Chattanooga, Tenn. Mrs. Cole is the mother of Mrs. W. W. Reichardt.

The Baraca class of the Bethany Evangelical church met Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. Walter Meierhoff.

Mrs. Harry Sheahan spent the week-end in Oshkosh, Wis., visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vetter are very happy over the arrival of a baby boy who came to make his home with them.

Mr. O. S. Cavanaugh, violin teacher at the Deerfield-Shields and New Trier high schools has come to Ravinia to make his home.

Mrs. Charles Summers has moved from the Sheahan residence on W. Central avenue, to an apartment in Rogers Park.

Mrs. B. W. Helke entertained several friends at cards on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ernest Kealing of the Tone apartments is confined to her home with the flu this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome P. Bowes have returned to Highland Park from Florida where they spent the winter.

Mrs. S. M. Jones of Kenosha, Wis., was the week-end guest of Mrs. James Collins.

Mr. Edward Sweitzer and Mr. Walker Flinn are at Miami, Fla., with the Shriners for a two weeks sojourn. They report fine weather and a delightful time.

Mrs. A. J. Nason left on Tuesday for a month's visit with her daughter Mrs. Horace Fishback, Jr.

The Missionary society of the Bethany Evangelical church will meet next Thursday at the home of Mrs. G. L. Brand.

Miss Elizabeth Wilder of Ravinia who is one of the 1928 graduates of Smith college is to receive a membership in Phi Beta Kappa. This is a great honor and her many friends are very happy to learn of her success.

Mrs. Margaret Sheahan of Oakfield, Wis., is the guest of Mrs. John Sheahan this week.

News of the sudden death of Mr. Walter G. McNeil of Elgin, a former resident of Ravinia which occurred last Thursday, was a great shock to his many friends here. The funeral was held Sunday in the Episcopal church in Elgin. He leaves to survive him his wife Mrs. Emily Ban McNeil and three sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Sheahan were delightedly surprised by twenty of their out of town friends last Saturday evening.

Mrs. E. A. Roach is acting as Industrial Chairman for the Arden Shore association for Highland Park. There is a need at the camp for discarded clothing of all kinds also toys and games. Call Mrs. Roach, 199 Ravine drive, phone H. P. 1461 and your articles will be called for and delivered to the camp.

Mrs. Thomas Wilder of Ravinia entertained the Gamma Chapter of the Sigma Alpha Iota sorority Saturday at her home. A delightful musical was given by the members followed by a buffet supper.

Mr. David R. Thomas returned to his home on Forest avenue for a few days after an extended business trip through the east. He left on Monday evening for Cleveland.

Mrs. Helena C. Brown of Indianapolis will be the guest of her niece, Mrs. H. B. Roberts for a few days.

Mr. Albert Nafe, Jr., is seriously ill at his home on Roslyn Lane.

Announcement is made of the wedding of Miss Esther Collen, 6530 Drexel Boulevard, Chicago, to Mr. Henry Chase, 223 Cary avenue, Highland Park, Illinois on Saturday, April 21, 1928. At home after May 1, at 102 East Chestnut street, Chicago, Illinois.

The marriage of Miss Dorothy Elizabeth Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hall to Mr. Samuel Marjan Drew of Highland Park, will take place Monday morning at 8 o'clock with high mass in the Immaculate Conception church on Deerfield avenue. Miss Evelyn Higgins of Chicago, a cousin of Dorothy's will be maid of honor while Micheal James Rafferty will be best man. After the services a breakfast will be served at the bride's home on McGovern street, to fifty relatives and intimate friends.

Mrs. Harry Paul entertained sixteen teachers of the high school faculty at bridge on last Thursday evening at her home on Ridgewood drive.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Peterson of Ravine Terrace entertained twenty-two guests at a juvenile party on Saturday evening. Most of the guests were out of town folks.

Among the social affairs given this week in compliment to Miss Priscilla Conrad whose marriage to Mr. Harold Fossom of Winnetka will take place next Monday evening in the German Lutheran church were a miscellaneous shower on Sunday evening by the Lindwall girls at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Julius Lindwall in Winnetka, on Monday evening Miss Bernice Pearl of S. Sheridan road entertained at bridge and a personal shower and on Tuesday Miss Helen Large of Waukegan entertained twenty-five guests at dinner followed by bridge and a miscellaneous shower.

Miss Violet Tholin of Downer's Grove was the guest on Monday of Miss Bernice Pearl.

The last meeting of the group reading "The Inner World of Childhood" by Frances G. Wickes was held on Monday afternoon in the school by the P.T.A. Mrs. Carl Pfanstiehl reported on Chapter IX, "Sex" and Mrs. Marc Law on Chapter X, "Dreams."

Mrs. Henry Fisher was pleasantly surprised last Friday evening by sixteen relatives who came to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary. Five Hundred was played.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Wells moved this week from the Elson Rice flat

to the Frank Lawrence home at 825 Ridgewood drive.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moore of Evanston will be happy to learn of the arrival of a daughter, Elizabeth Ann, last month. Mrs. Moore was formerly Miss Charity McKenzie of this city.

Mr. Clarence Shetley, Mr. W. N. Stafford and Miss Anna McKenzie attended the monthly Managers Meeting of the Illinois Life Insurance Co., at the home office on Lake Shore Drive, Chicago on Monday.

The Misses Helen Hill and Emma Gieser returned last week from a three months stay in California visiting many interesting points in the west.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cumings have moved from Central avenue into their new home on North Green Bay road.

Miss Ada Johnson was the week-end guest of relatives in Stoughton, Wis.

Mr. Arthur Long of N. Green Bay road, spent the week-end visiting friends in Taylorville, Ill.

Mrs. Ralph Denn who has been the guest of her son Mr. Roy Howe for the past week returned to her home in Berrien Center, Michigan, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Bahr, Jr., were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meinhard of N. Green Bay road.

Mrs. Margaret Sheahan of Fond du Lac, Wis., is the guest this week of Mrs. Nellie Sheahan of Central avenue.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES LARGEST CLASS IN JUNE

133 Seniors to Receive Diplomas at Commencement; List Is Issued

Deerfield-Shields high school will graduate the largest senior class in its history in June, when 133 students will receive their diplomas from this institution. The complete list of students to be graduated, is reported as follows, in alphabetical order:

Guy Anderson, Helen Anderson, Isabelle Anderson, Oscar Anderson, Mildred Artis, Mary Atkinson, Carl Becker, Eleanor Becker, Page Beers, Harold Bloomfield, Marshall Blume, Lois Brigham, Warren Brownlee, Esther Buckner, Bryant Buckingham, Carl Buhl, Hilliker Burchard, Robert Burghart, Robert Burns, Adra Calkins.

Dorothy Clarke, Burton Colclasure, Jane Coulson, Dorothy Davidson, Frank Dewey, Wallace Dickinson, William Dickinson, Edward Dostalek, Helen Dostalek, Margaret Eisenstaedt, Herbert England, Adeline Evans, Helen Fellows, Jerome Forrest, Isabel Fusbender, Charlotte Foster, John Freeman, Calvin Gartley, Robert Gastfield, Iris Gaudin, Mary Gehr, Iva Gleason, Robert Gleason, Charles Gunn, Mary Guyot, Charles Hadlock, Josephine Hall, Richard Hammond, James Harris, Leo Hart, Douglas Hastings, William Heaney, Allan Henkel, Sidney Holland, John Jacoby, Esther Johnson, Helen Johnson, Jacqueline Keaster, Dorothy Keller, Ruth Keller, Jeanette Kendall, Phoebe King, Gordon Kress.

Carl Kriesant, Ellen Lake, Robert Larke, Mae Larson, Laura Letts, Sver Lindstrom, Jane Lowenthal, Mildred Long, Herman Lorenz, Dorothy Love, Arthur Lowrie, William Lutz, Leslie Maiman, Barret Mason, Eleanor Meeham, Vernon Meinster, Everett Mills, Merwin McGath, Paul McHugh, George McKeegan, Frank McLaughlin, Dudley Onderdonk, Elsa Parker, Fred Parker, James Peddie, Frances Plummer, Peter Prato.

Charles Rankin, Leona Rapp, Wallace Reichelt, Elizabeth Richards, Harry Richards, Ruth Robbins, Virginia Roberts, John Roberts, James Rogan, Donald Roskam, Joseph Ruwitch, Florence Schroeder, Elizabeth Seigele, Fred Silber, Dorothy Simpson, Cynthia Sims, Paul Sitz, Clifford Sloan, Isadore Smith, Albert Snite, Carroll Snyder, Leo Soukup, William Stieglitz, George Stryker, Wesley Stryker, Wesley Swan, Charles Therrien, Helen Thomas, Hester Ann Thomas, William Thomas, Kasimir Tritschler, Sylvia Trout, Robert Umbach, Verda Varner, John Waddell, Harrison Walther, Walter Ward, Elise Weisenberger, Vernetta Werhane, Ruth Wicklander, Marshall Williams, Genevieve Wolf.

McBRIDE AGAIN HEADS HIGH SCHOOL BOARD

At the meeting of the Deerfield-Shields high school board of education following the recent election, George J. McBride of Highland Park was re-elected president for the ensuing year, and Miss Lillian Tucker secretary. Miss Tucker is not a member of the board are C. W. Getty, Deerfield; George T. Rogers, Lake Forest; Frank W. Read, Lake Forest; John Benson, Highland Park.

LADY ELKS TO HOLD CARD PARTY MAY 9

The Lady Elks social club will hold a card party Wednesday afternoon, May 9, at the Elks club. Prizes will be awarded and refreshments will be served. A pleasant afternoon is assured those who attend.

WIDENED STREETS OF BENEFIT TO CITIES

WORTH MORE THAN COST

Writer Says Value of Abutting Property Increased; Other Reasons Why They Are Being Favored

When a city widens a street it is not a speculation in any sense of the word. Street widening in most instances has increased the value of abutting property to a point exceeding the cost of the project, according to a recent survey conducted by the magazine Roads and Streets.

Aside from the increased value of property along the improvement, widened streets have accomplished other noteworthy things, the survey shows. Business and residential growth has been stimulated on subdivided properties; low class residential property has been changed into high class business property and ordinary business frontage has been transformed into highly desirable property.

Boost Property Value

Property values in progressive cities of course grow greater with passing years, yet the survey indicates that widened streets have appreciated a great deal more rapidly than those unimproved. Property on Summers Street, Charleston, W. Va., widened to 76 feet, was valued for tax purposes at \$325 a front foot in 1919. After the widening the evaluation rose to \$1000 a front foot, an increase of about 207 per cent. Property along a comparable street in the same city, and which has not been improved, rose a scant third in value.

A similar case is that in Baltimore. Property on Hillen Road, widened from 33 feet to 120 feet in 1923, changed in value from \$523 a front foot to \$1,895 in 1927, an increase of 254 per cent. Property along a similar street, which was not widened, increased but 68 per cent in value.

Pay For Themselves

Investigations in Cleveland, Milwaukee, New Haven, St. Louis and Akron further substantiated the theory that street improvements really pay for themselves, not only through freer movement of automobile traffic but through this increased value of abutting land.

Two year old Wacker Drive, Chicago's two-level street, has already expressed in dollars and cents the wisdom of widening streets and of double-decking them where traffic warrants. Wacker drive has added considerably more to the value of downtown Chicago than its actual cost of about \$22,000,000. The augmented value of abutting property and not including the sharpened value of adjacent property is conservatively estimated at \$65,000,000. Before the street was improved the square foot value ranged from \$8 to \$16. Unimproved property, of which there is very little, is now held at from \$150 to \$200 a square foot.

Such progressive steps as street widening and double-decking will ultimately conquer traffic congestion, which, say highway authorities, should yield to the highway doctor in much the same degree of success that measles and small pox have succumbed to the ministrations of the physician.

SUMMER CAMP FOR GIRLS ON DRUCE LAKE

The Highland Park Y.W.C.A. has recently completed arrangements for a summer camp for girls to be held from July 21 until August 11, at Druce Lake, Illinois, west of Waukegan. The camp will be operated in conjunction with the Lake Forest Y.W.C.A. The property which is being rented from the Episcopal church of Waukegan, is situated at the east end of Druce Lake, and will accommodate about forty people. It is a very desirable camp site, having a large lake frontage, and a wide expanse of ground surrounding the buildings.

The camp will run for ten days beginning July 22 for grade school girls, and for ten days beginning August 1, for high school girls.

The price will be ten dollars for a ten day period plus one dollar registration fee.

Highland Park may send twenty girls to the camp and Lake Forest the same number. Girl Reserves of the Y.W.C.A. will be given the first opportunity to register for the camp, but registrations from other girls will be accepted if there is room after Girl Reserves have registered. Miss Laura E. Cranehead, associate secretary of the Highland Park Y.W.C.A. and Miss Marguerite Creamer, associate secretary of the Lake Forest Y. W. C. A. will be camp directors. They will be assisted by a staff of councillors.

DOG CATCHER BITTEN BY DOG HE PURSUES

Daniel Hayes, who has been assisting the police in the corralling of stray dogs of late, was bitten by one of the canines he was trying to catch about a week ago, the animal seizing his hand and arm and causing painful wounds. The dog was killed and the head sent to Chicago for examination, with the result that positive indication of rabies was found. Hayes is taking the anti-rabies serum treatment as a precautionary measure and continuing his work.

Advertisement for 'Free!' Dainty Powder Sifter. Includes an image of a hand holding a sifter and a tin of 'Three Flowers Face Powder' with a '75¢' price tag. Text: 'With every purchase of THREE FLOWERS FACE POWDER... EARL W. GSELL & CO. PHARMACISTS. 389 Central Avenue Phone 2600, 389 Roger Williams Avenue Phone 2300.'

Advertisement for 'A Special Feature' at The Loretta Shop. Includes an image of a woman in a dress. Text: 'WE ARE featuring some of the newest and smartest of prints, duplicates of dresses which have found great favor in the high class shops of New York... \$25 to \$42.50... \$19.75... New KNOX HATS... STRAW HATS... The Loretta Shop, Highland Park, Illinois, 10 North Sheridan Road, Tel. Highland Park 463.'

Advertisement for 'WOMAN NEWSPAPER PHOTOGRAPHER NOW' and 'MANY CERTIFICATES FROM READING CIRCLE'. Text: 'Virginia Edwards Successful In Daring Assignments In Indianapolis... Miss Virginia Edwards, one of the few women of newspaper photography, won a permanent place on the Indianapolis Times by climbing the side of the Soldiers' and Sailors' monument... SOUTH DAKOTA P. T. A. AIDS WORTHY STUDENTS... Any high-school graduate in South Dakota who desires to attend an institution of higher education in the State and can obtain the indorsement of three responsible persons, may borrow money from a student loan fund sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Association of the State.'