

## COMMERCE CHAMBER FEBRUARY MEETING

### Fine Dinner and Interesting Program Tuesday Evening; Business Matters

The February dinner session of the Highland Park Chamber of Commerce which was held Tuesday evening at the Green Tea Pot was well attended, and following a splendid dinner, an interesting program was enjoyed and matters of business routine received attention. In the absence of President J. W. Simons, Vice-President H. F. Kelley presided.

#### Good Talks

Mr. Harold A. Wallace, president of the Illinois Credit Bureaus and manager of the Credit Bureau of Will county, delivered an interesting and instructive address on the "Benefits of a credit bureau membership." Mr. Wallace's address was supplemented by Mr. J. C. Reis, manager of the Chicago Credit Bureau, who described various fraudulent schemes that had come to his attention at the Chicago bureau. The addresses were educational and heard with considerable profit by those present.

A communication from General Robert E. Wood, general chairman of the Boy Scouts drive, asking for a liberal donation was read. After some discussion was heard, motion

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### General McCloskey Is Speaker at H. P. Rotary Club Meeting Monday

General McCloskey, commandant at Fort Sheridan, was the guest speaker at the weekly luncheon session of the Highland Park Rotary club, held Monday noon in the Moraine hotel. The general gave a very interesting and illuminating review of some of his experiences in army life, and his talk was headed with marked expressions of appreciation on the part of the club members attending.

In presenting the general to the meeting, the president, Dr. C. B. Nichols outlined briefly the distinguished career of their guest in his long service in the United States army.

### Willard Andelin Will Give Program Feb. 18

The Sisterhood of North Shore Congregation Israel will hold its next regular meeting on Wednesday, Feb. 19 at the temple in Glencoe, beginning as usual with its sewing at 9:30 followed by a box luncheon at 1:00, a business meeting at 1:30 and a program at 2:30.

On account of the death of Rabbi Kopold the dancing program by Helen S. Aaron, scheduled for this meeting, will be postponed to a later date. The program instead will consist of Mr. Willard Andelin, leading basso of the Royal Opera house in Hanover, Germany, who will render a program of songs by Schubert and Schuman.

### H. P. Youth, Student at Dartmouth, Is Hero of College Fire Department

Brett Osborne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Livingston E. Osborne of 360 Woodlawn avenue, Highland Park, and a junior at Dartmouth college in Hanover, N. H., Saturday night proved himself the hero of the college fire department in fighting the flames that destroyed a residence in Norwich, Vermont and helping to save the members of the family of Cummings Murdock who were trapped in the burning building, says a report from Hanover in the Waukegan News-Sun.

Osborne, with another junior, Craig Thorn of Hudson, N. Y., both members of the volunteer fire department, were attending a fraternity house dance marking the end of the "Moritz" midwinter carnival at the college. The party was at its height when the fire alarm sounded and the two youths jumped onto the fire truck, donning firemen's clothing over their formal wear as the truck roared over to the Vermont side of the Connecticut river.

When the department arrived, trailed by most of the 7,000 students and co-eds, Osborne and Thorn rushed into the flaming building and led to safety three of the members of the Murdock family. The others had already rushed from the burning building and were shivering in below zero weather.

The college firemen battled the flames valiently and were able to get the fire under control, but not until the home had been damaged almost beyond repair.

### Local Artists Exhibit at Shawnee Club

Mrs. James Cady Ewell, Mrs. Everett Millard and Mrs. Frank Peyraud are among the eight women artists of the North Shore, now exhibiting at the Shawnee club.

The exhibit opened Sunday with a twilight musical by Madame Surkower and a reception tea. The exhibit will continue until the twenty-third of this month. Friends of exhibitors are invited to view the pictures.

### Recreation Director Attends Conference

Harry L. Allen, director of Community Recreation in Highland Park attended an executives luncheon on Tuesday at Harriet Hammond-McCormick memorial. The occasion was the mid-winter meeting of the Art Extension committee of the University of Illinois under the leadership of Lorado Taft, and Dr. R. E. Hieronymus, community adviser of the university. Many executives of various state groups were present. Mr. Allen spoke on the subject community recreation and represented the National Recreation association.

#### Dance Saturday Night

Saturday evening, Feb. 14, a Valentine dance will be held at the Oak Terrace school. Good music has been procured and all who attend are assured a pleasant evening.

### Interesting Series of Sunday Evening Services Planned

A series of very interesting Sunday evening services have been planned at the Bethany Evangelical church. The people of this community who do not attend some other evening church service, will find these services interesting, helpful, inspiring and spiritually uplifting. The following is a schedule of the various services:

Feb. 15—Rev. W. B. Doble of the M. E. Church will speak.

Feb. 22—Radio singers, Lindmuller Brothers.

March 1—4:30 Vesper, by the Bethany choir.

March 8—A congregational sing, led by Prof. O. S. Beltz of N.W.U.

March 15—Easter play, "Follow Thou Me" by young people of the Austin church.

March 22—Sacred concert, by Mr. He-ketsweiler's orchestra.

March 29—Easter pageant, by young people of Bethany.

March 29-April 5—Passion Week services.

April 5—Vesper, Easter cantata, Bethany choir.

April 12—Possibility of having one of the bishops of the church present.

April 19—A visiting minister from the conference at Barrington, Illinois.

With the exception of one or two of these services, the pastor, Rev. H. F. Siemsen will bring a gospel message at each occasion.

### Mason's Hear Talk by Donald Bruce

A very interesting lecture was given last evening following the regular meeting of Highland Park Chapter No. 226, R. A. M. by Donald Bruce, a member of the lodge. His talk was on his recent travels in Scotland, England and France. He has a very interesting personality, and cleverly related numerous incidents in connection with the trip which were most entertaining.

### Is Local Agent for Fuel Saving Device

A. G. Briggs of Highland Park has established an agency for the North Shore Fuel Saver Co. at 21 North Sheridan road. This device with between five and six thousand installations in the Chicago district, has proved to be highly efficient and economical. Mr. Briggs has had seven years of experience in the oil burner business with leading companies and is fully prepared to take care of all requirements in the fuel saver line.

### Series of Lectures at Baha'i Temple

On Sunday afternoons, at 3:30 o'clock, Rev. Albert Vail is giving in the Foundation hall of the Baha'i temple, Wilmette, a series of lectures upon the ideals of the independent search for truth, the oneness of mankind, universal language to which the Baha'i temple will be dedicated. Special topics will be: February 15, "The Union of Science and Divine Religion"; February 22, "Religion Made Social, Social Service Spiritualized."

## NOTED WOMAN WILL SPEAK HERE FEB. 17

### Mrs. Beatrice Hale, Niece of Famous English Actor, to Address Woman's Club

At the next meeting of the Highland Park Woman's club, Tuesday, Feb. 17, at 2:30 p. m., a well-known speaker will address the members on an interesting and timely subject. The speaker, who is a niece of the famous English actor, Sir Johnston Forbes-Robertson, and the granddaughter of one of the best known dramatic critics of his day, Joseph Knight, S. P. A., was also an actress of note before her marriage to an American, in the company of Sir Henry Irving and Sir Herbert Tree.

For the past twenty years, Mrs. Beatrice Forbes-Robertson Hale has lectured widely both in America and in Europe, and the charm of her personality, her breadth of view and understanding of human nature and the problems of every day life, have made her famous. She is also known as an author both of fiction and of essays, and has written some successful plays.

#### Newspaper Comment

To quote the Springfield Republican, one of the leading newspapers in the East, "There is not a woman in the country who speaks with more authority . . . and at the same time with so much grace and fascination, and those who have heard her once are invariably eager to seize a second opportunity."

Mrs. Hale will speak to the club members on "Why We Live Beyond Our Means," and the talk should be unusually interesting.

The program committee is happy to announce that the program at the annual meeting, Tuesday, April 21, will be given by Mrs. Arthur Byfield, a Highland Park resident, who is a singer of rare ability.

#### Exhibit of Etchings

Beginning next Tuesday, Feb. 17, and continuing through February, an exhibit of the etchings of Mr. Charles Vilvosmosky, well known instructor at the Chicago Art Institute, will occupy the gallery of the H. P. Woman's club.

### Priest Killed in Crash Shortly After Talking to Deerfield Boy Scouts

The Rev. R. J. Ashenden, head of the Catholic Youth Organization of Chicago, was killed Tuesday evening in an automobile accident when his car was hit by another auto near Northbrook.

Father Ashenden spoke at a meeting of the Boy Scouts of the Holy Cross church of Deerfield at 8:30 Tuesday evening and was on his way to speak at Techny, when he was killed. His companions, Casey Jones 5430 Crystal street, and William Campbell, an attorney at 175 West Jackson boulevard, both of Chicago, escaped with minor injuries.

Father Ashenden, who was thirty years old, resided at 2060 Roosevelt road, Chicago. He received a skull fracture and internal injuries and died at St. Francis hospital in Evanston.