

Y.W.C.A.'S PLACE IN THE COMMUNITY

**Brief History of Organization
and Growth of Association;
Here 21 Years**

To gain a perspective on the place of the Young Women's Christian association in the nation today we must review briefly the road over which we have traveled.

Earliest Days to 1906

In England, prayer circles with a practical service to meet definite immediate needs, merged into a Young Women's Christian association. These ideas were mirrored and repeated in this country, for in 1857-58 in the United States there was also a religious revival, and an urge toward the beginnings of women's organizations for social and political reform.

To meet the needs of young women under the changing industrial conditions, 30 women met in Boston in 1866 "to organize on the plan of the Young Men's Christian association" a work for "the temporal, moral and religious welfare of young women who are dependent on their own exertions for support."

First Student Group

The first student association was organized by the students of Normal of the Young Women's Christian association was opened in New York.

In 1894, American representatives participated in the formation of the World's Young Women's Christian university, Normal, Illinois, in 1873. The city Association of Boston and the student Association of Normal each united with other associations subsequently formed, and two national organizations resulted, one known as the American committee, the other as the International board.

Secretarial training was begun in the summer of 1891 in connection with the first summer conference at Bay View, Michigan, and in September, 1898, the present National School

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Urge Co-Operation of Citizens in Round-Up of Clothing for Needy

To the people of Highwood and Fort Sheridan:

The Boy Scouts will make a house to house canvass on Oct. 10 to gather clothing which will be turned over to the local Board of Relief for distribution among the needy of the district. It would be greatly appreciated if such clothing be put in bundles to facilitate handling and that it be ready for collection Saturday morning of the 10th.

Paul Muzik, Highwood District Commissioner.

Bakery Sale October 3

The ladies of the Bethany church are holding another bake sale Saturday, Oct. 3, at the A & P Self Service store on Central avenue, beginning at 9 o'clock. There will be a varied assortment of home baked foods for sale. This will be a splendid opportunity for the busy housewife to purchase home cooked foods for the Sunday dinner.

What Girl Reserves Movement Is Defined; Striving for the Best

The Girl Reserves is not a plan; it is a movement. It is not a set of ways of doing things, neither is it a tool; it is an understanding.

This understanding has grown out of the experience of younger girls who have responded to encouragement to initiate and to create; in other words, to think for themselves and to make for themselves.

The Girl Reserve Movement is a way of living which is effective in its appeal. It brings to girls an understanding and appreciation not only of themselves but of others, and of God as creator and director of their world.

Freedom, interest, tolerance, faith, health, are some of the precious things girls have in common in their striving to live.

Through discussing the "why" in choosing certain things to think and do, through practising plays, and through singing, Girl Reserves, in the very aspiration of their simple, loving effort, "find and give their best."

Thus Girl Reserves everywhere say that to live in the spirit of Girl Reserves means living today with dreams of tomorrow. Dreams come from believing in belief; from believing in love and loveliness; from a spirit which hates wrong and injustice, which strives for a "best" that has God for its goal.

"To face life squarely" in the daily tests which come at home, in school, at work, at play; to be a friend to all and strive to show love in every deed; to give the best of self in service to God and fellowship with girls everywhere—these are golden threads woven through the every day fabric out of which a Girl Reserve fashions her thoughts and actions.

H. P. PRESS STARS DEFEAT BULLDOGS

**More Than 1,000 Fans See Local
Gridders Defeat Vistors
Last Sunday**

Playing before a crowd of more than 1,000 last Sunday afternoon, at Sunset park field, the Highland Park Press All-Stars defeated the Jefferson Park Bulldogs, 34 to 0, in a hard-fought battle which was replete with plenty of thrills for the delighted fans.

The Bulldogs showed plenty of flash, especially in the first ten minutes of the game, but the Press All-Stars had the edge on the visitors, and while the Bulldogs were beaten decisively, they were fine sportsmen and offered worthwhile opposition to the fast All-Star aggregation.

Perfect teamwork on the part of every member of the All-Stars team was responsible in a large measure for the score. Touchdowns were made by Herb Bartleman, Tom Rogan, B. Berube and Parker.

Paul Stipe kicked three goals after touchdown, and the fourth point was made by Tillie Martin who carried the ball over the line after touchdown. Two new members have been added to the squad, E. Juhrend, who plays guard, and Bud Soper, an excellent half-back.

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Ravinia Garden Club October Meeting To Be Held On The 9th.

The regular October meeting of the Ravinia Garden club will be held Friday, Oct. 9, at the home of Mrs. James C. Ewell at 1 o'clock. Members are asked to bring a box luncheon and, weather permitting, the meeting will be held in the garden.

Mrs. P. D. Stokes, newly appointed program chairman, announces the following program for the afternoon:

A Book Review, of "The Little Garden for Little Money" by Kate L. Brewster, will be given by Mrs. Arthur Raff. Mrs. F. C. Atwill will read a paper on a timely subject, "Putting the Garden to Bed," and there will be a short talk on "Soil" by Mrs. F. L. Gault, after which there will be open discussion.

The meeting promises to be intimate and interesting and it is hoped that every member will be present.

Dr. John Timothy Stone at H. P. Presbyterian Church Sunday Morning

On Sunday, Oct. 4, the Rev. John Timothy Stone, D.D., president of the Presbyterian Theological seminary, Chicago, will conduct the 11 o'clock service at the Highland Park Presbyterian church. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, together with the reception of new members, will be observed.

Dr. Stone was for many years pastor of the Fourth Presbyterian church, Chicago, and is widely known not only as an outstanding preacher in the Presbyterian church but as a writer and as educator. The Highland Park Presbyterian church extends a cordial welcome to all those who have no church home.

DESCRIBE WELFARE CLINIC AT HOSPITAL

**Dr. McNeal Tells Rotary Club of
Benefits of Infant Feed-
ing Service**

At the regular weekly luncheon of the Highland Park Rotary club on Monday at noon, in the Moraine hotel, Dr. Morley D. McNeal was the speaker, his topic being the Children's Welfare Clinic at the Highland Park hospital. He told how this valuable project was begun in 1925 and how it has grown to be one of the most important welfare factors in the health of babies and young children in the community.

In the last year, October, 1930, to October, 1931, the attendance of babies has been 1,310, and 346 babies are registered with the clinic at present. Because of the large number being cared for it has been necessary to have the feeding clinic two days instead of one each week, and the clinics are now held on Monday and Thursdays from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. In the last year 213 new babies were registered. The marked increase in the number of babies treated is shown when it is remembered that in the first year of the clinic but 95 babies were registered.

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LEAGUE OF VOTERS LUNCHEON MEETING

**To Be Held Oct. 21 at Y. W.
Rooms Report of Meeting
of Lake County Council**

The Highland Park League of Women Voters announces its first luncheon meeting this fall for Wednesday, Oct. 21, at 12:30 at the Y. W. C. A. All those interested in the work of the league are cordially invited to be present.

On Tuesday, Sept. 29, Mrs. Constant C. Hopkins of Highland Park was hostess for the meeting of the Lake County Council of the League of Women Voters. An attractive luncheon was served at her home to the members of the council. This organization, which is formed of delegates from the four Lake County leagues, Waukegan, Lake Bluff, Lake Forest, and Highland Park, meets twice a year to plan for matters of common interest and welfare throughout the country. Mrs. D. M. Courson of Waukegan is the president of the council.

Interesting Discussion

After making some necessary revisions in the by-laws, they heard a

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Tea for Sponsors of Girl Scouts Wednesday

The Highland Park Girl Scout Community committee were hostesses at a tea given Wednesday afternoon for the sponsors, captains and workers of the Girl Scouts. It was given at the home of Mrs. Benedict F. Goodman, 306 Hazel avenue. Miss Mildred Petherbridge, counsiler in the Girl Scout camp "Timber Trail" at Mumsing, Mich. and acting captain of a Chicago Girl Scout troop gave a very entertaining and instructive talk on "What Girl Scouting has meant to me." The affair proved to be most interesting to all who attended.

Dudley Crafts Watson to Speak October 3

Dudley Crafts Watson of the Art Institute of Chicago will speak at the opening meeting of the Central Council of Childhood Education at 11 o'clock Saturday morning, Oct. 3. His subject will be "Creative work with children." The meeting will be in the Central Eleanor club rooms, Stevens building, 1 No. Wabash avenue, Chicago. Teachers in and about Chicago are eligible for membership in the council and are cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Laura Oftedal,
Publicity Chairman.

Seeking Burglars Who Robbed Highwood Store

Highwood police under Chief Emil Lauridsen are seeking burglars who Friday night entered the hardware store of Sam Bernardi at 408 Waukegan avenue. Bernardi discovered the theft when he opened the store Saturday morning, and told police only \$40 in change and bill had been taken.

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