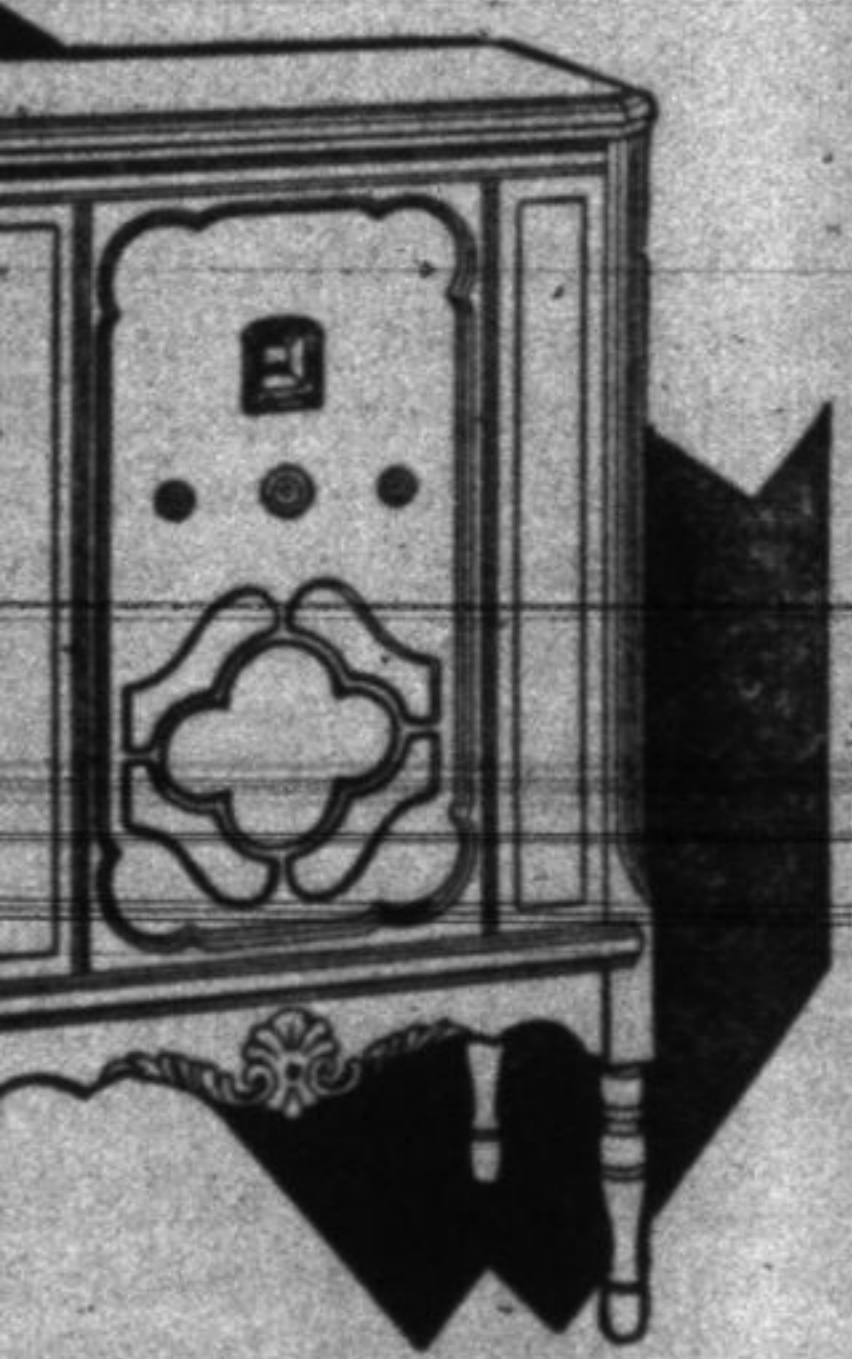


Village House Calendar  
 Nov. 20, 7 p.m. — Boy  
 Nov. 21, 7 p.m.—Girl  
 Nov. 23, 8 p.m.—Ravinia  
 Nov. 27, 7 p.m. — Boy  
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man to devise a method for transmitting speech by electricity, friends claim, and the description of this method, written in 1876 and deposited in the Patent office at Washington by himself on the 14th of February of that year, is so perfect that, with all of the present knowledge of the art of telephony, not a word can be taken away from, or added to the document, they say. Professor Bell's claim was, by an extraordinary coincidence, deposited with the patent examiner on the same day. The difference between the two documents, however, was, that while Professor Bell knew what he wanted, he did not know how to accomplish it. He knew that, in order to send vocal sounds over a wire, an undulatory current must be used, but he did not know how to produce such a current. Professor Gray, on the other hand, knew all of this, and, in addition he drew a picture of a device that produces just such a current, it is claimed.

**Knew Commercial Value**

There was another difference in the minds of these two men. Professor Bell had been advised by prominent business men of vision that a plan for transmitting speech electrically would have a tremendous commercial value and such an invention would be one of the greatest of the age, while professor Gray had been advised by, possibly, the leading electrical experts of the country at that time, the president of the Western Electric company and the president of the Western Union Telegraph company, that such a device would have no commercial value, but it would make an interesting scientific toy. Consequently Professor Bell was keenly alive to the importance of such an invention, while Professor Gray, who was busy on other things, did not attach much value to it and did not push his claim. He can perhaps be charged with negligence. Still the undisputed fact remains that he was the first to show the world how to talk over a wire, and if he had not lived the telephone might never have been invented.

**Settled Out of Court**

In a lawsuit over the question of priority of invention between the interests that controlled the two claims, in 1880, the question never reached a judicial decision, but was settled out of court by a compromise, Gray's friends state. The Encyclopedia Britannica and the American Encyclopedia both state, in their articles on the telephone, that the Supreme court of the United States decided this question in favor of Professor Bell. According to friends of Professor Gray this is erroneous.

Both Professor Gray and Professor Bell have long since passed out of this world and neither can benefit from this discussion, however it may end, but considering the enormous importance of the invention of the telephone, which makes the radio possible, it would seem only proper that the credit should be given to the meritorious inventor for historical reasons.

**"Holiday" to Be  
 Presented Dec. 18  
 by Ravinia Players**

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Linda Seton, the modern member of the family, is being played by Miss Mayo, while Mr. Gunnison enacts the part of Johnny Case, the young man with the seemingly eccentric ideas about a worthwhile life. Julia Seton, Linda's older sister and the fiancée of Johnny, is of her father's opinion in this matter of success — a bit too conventional. Miss Enid Philips, Ravinia, plays the part of Julia. On account of the variance of opinions, complications develop which tend to make the Seton-Case marriage a somewhat difficult situation and the solution of the question a real problem.

Others in the cast include Robert Sellery as Edward Seton, the great financier and cotillion leader; Winston Long in the character of Ned Seton, Edward's only son, a morose person with an affinity for liquor. Laura and Seton Cram, the annoying cousins of the Seton family, are played by Miss Mary Lou McClerman and Harold Browning, respectively. Miss Tevis Gibson as Susan Potter, Theodore Osborn, Jr., in the role of Nick, her husband, are the ideal couple in the eyes of the young moderns. The part of Delia, the maid, is taken by Miss Nancy Craig, and that of Henry, the butler, by Geoffrey Baker of Chicago.

**Fine Tributes To Worth  
 Of The Late E. M. Laing  
 Tendered by Colleagues**

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ands who played on the links which he literally made with tireless effort and enthusiastic devotion.

He seemed to have had a magic touch when it came to making grass grow—as witness the velvety greens of Sunset Valley when many a course had brown patches to show last summer.

"But this is not a summary of the work and achievements of Mr. Laing. It is only an effort to express on behalf of the organization our appreciation of what Mr. Laing meant to us and our sorrow at his passing.

He was the friend of everyone who played Sunset Valley. He raised it from a commonplace public playground to a golf course of such excellence that residents of Highland Park have said that the opportunity for such play at nominal cost actually enhanced the value of their residence property here.

"Certainly his presence enhanced the pleasure of playing golf at Sunset Valley and his work there will be an appropriate and enduring memorial to him.

"H. L. Kennicott, Vice-Pres. Sunset Valley Golf Club."

Mrs. Fred Schweiger was the luncheon guest of Mrs. Alex Sullivan on Wednesday at her home in Waukegan.

Mr. Robert J. Gerken of Detroit, Michigan is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gerken of Deerfield avenue.

Don't forget the charity dance to be given by the Federation Girls of the Highland Park Telephone Co., on Friday night, Nov. 20, at 8:30 at the Masonic temple.

Mrs. A. T. Fisher who underwent an appendectomy at the Highland Park hospital yesterday afternoon is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Everett L. Millard is returning home today from an extended European trip. Miss Elizabeth Millard who went abroad with her mother is attending school in London this year, while Everett Millard, Jr., who graduated from Harvard in June is studying on the continent.

Campbell Chapter guild is meeting tomorrow afternoon at Masonic temple. Mrs. Emma Brown as hostess will be assisted by Mrs. G. L. Vetter, Mrs. George Tucker and Mrs. George Marshall.

Miss Zita Fehrenbeck entertained her 500 Club at the home of Mrs. Charles Lehmkuhl of 390 North avenue on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Fred LaBahn spent Thursday with her sister, Mrs. James Doherty of Chicago.

**Inter Club Council  
 Is Being Organized**

A new organization composed of a few members from each of the Business and Industrial clubs are forming the Inter Club council. The number from each to be determined by the club membership. The purpose of the council is to extend friendship, to set high standards in leadership, promote education and to be a united force in helping to fulfill the purpose of the Y.W.C.A. The group will plan all joint activities. The first joint affair will be a Christmas party, Thursday, Dec. 10.

The officers elected for the Inter Club council for the year are Alvinia Culver, president, Carolyn Saathoff, vice president, and Dorothy Simpson, secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. George Duchane of Clay street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a baby girl, born at the Highland Park hospital on Wednesday, November 11.

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