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Report of Mayor's Committee
to Dec. 7 Announced; Work-
ers Kept Busy

According to reports of Mayor E. B. Metzger's committee on Social Service up to Dec. 7, the campaign for funds had resulted in subscriptions totaling \$17,638.15, and it is expected that a total of \$20,000 or more will be obtained in a short time.

Herewith are given the amounts secured by the committees of workers in the eleven districts covered, accompanied by the name of the district captain in each instance. These captains appointed their lieutenants and it was through the careful and painstaking efforts of the members of these committees that the drive has been carried forward so successfully, it is explained. The amounts (Continued on Page 44)

Christmas Party For Foreign Born

Mrs. Arthur Raff, chairman of the Foreign Born committee of the Y. W. C. A. board, assisted by members of her committee, composed of representatives from the D.A.R., Woman's club and League of Women Voters, are giving a Christmas party at the Y.W.C.A. Sunday, Dec. 13, from 8 to 10 for the foreign born people of the community. Invitations have not been sent out but all are most cordially invited to attend.

There will be a short program of music, group singing of Christmas carols and patriotic songs and a Christmas surprise for all. Mrs. Harold Richardson has arranged some special music with some of the group.

HIGHLAND PARK SOCIAL SERVICE

Old City Hall
Tel. H. P. 4000.

Over 150 new registrations in the past ten days. Instead of a Christmas basket, won't you create a day's work for a man or woman?

Bakery Sales

Home-made bakery goods for sale every Saturday morning at headquarters.

Wood for Sale

Excellent firewood delivered at reasonable prices.

Sewing Room

Plain sewing at 40c. an hour. We have a woman who will darn stockings at 35c per hour.

Needs

Two burner gas plate. Material for dolls clothes.

— trade at home this christmas

More than ever before the Highland Park merchants this year merit the consideration of local holiday shoppers. The merchants have responded liberally to the call for aid for the local unemployed. They, as usual when there is demand for community welfare support, were among the first to be called upon, and to their everlasting credit it may be said that they also were among the first to contribute, and they did it willingly and generously. Always the business men are asked to get behind such movements for local charity or local improvement, and always they can be depended upon to do their part.

Therefore, it is only right and just, that the community should remember them when buying, not only on special occasions like the Christmas holiday season now at hand, but whenever there is opportunity to support local enterprise by trading at home. Stocks of local merchants were never more complete nor more varied and attractive in all lines than at this time, and the holiday shopper will find here at home everything possibly desirable for Christmas gifts—and think how much more convenient and satisfactory it is to deal with business people you know and trust, to say nothing of avoiding the jam and noise and interminable delays attendant upon Christmas shopping in a big city.

On another page of this issue of the Press appears an advertisement in which the Chamber of Commerce, the Rotary club and the Lions club of Highland Park unite in urging Highland Park residents to—

Trade at Home this Christmas.

H. P. Woman's Club Christmas Dance To Be Held Dec. 26

The annual Christmas dance of the Social Service department of the Highland Park Woman's club will be held on Saturday, Dec. 26 at 9 o'clock at the club house. Mrs. Theodore L. Osborn is chairman of the department and the following members of her department, Mrs. George H. Koon, Mrs. R. N. Ball, Mrs. Albert P. Snite, Mrs. Joseph Deibler, Mrs. Arthur Raff, Mrs. Kent Wonnell, Mrs. Joseph B. Garnett, Mrs. Frank Horn are working with her to make this annual dance a very attractive affair.

Mrs. Albert P. Snite as chairman of the music will have the very best dance orchestra available, Mrs. Arthur Raff and her committee will have charge of the refreshments, Mrs. George H. Koon with Mrs. Kent Wonnell will be in charge of an attractive scheme of decoration and Mrs. R. N. Ball will have charge of the tickets.

This dance will be the only project of the Social Service department that will be given for the purpose of raising funds for the work of the department. It is the hope of the committee that the club members and their friends will support the dance as generously as possible. It will be a fine evening's entertainment as well as a most worth-while contribution to the social service work of the Highland Park Woman's club.

P. T. A. Stunt Night To Be Held Friday

The stage is all set for lots of fun on next Friday night, Dec. 11, at 8 p.m. when the mothers, fathers, and teachers of the Green Bay road school are going to amuse their audience with what is hoped is the first annual P.T.A. Stunt Night. There will be music, skits, and a one-act comedy, and afterwards — eats!

Two swell tea rooms, with a long list of goodies to tempt you, and waitresses to serve it. Everything is included in the admission price so don't miss this gala performance. Bring the family — there's nothing to shock the children!

Twilight Christmas Cantata Next Sunday

A special Christmas program will be given at the Y.W.C.A. Sunday, Dec. 13 at 4 o'clock. The program will be in two parts. Part I "When the Christ Child Came" by Clousey, will be given by the North Shore Community chorus, composed of men and women; soloist soprano, Mrs. Harold Richardson, contralto, Mrs. F. J. Spalding, tenor, Howard R. Will, basso, Benjman F. Lewis. Directed by Mrs. Lawrence Meyer, accompanists, Mrs. Paul Downing.

Part II. Pageant, "Nativity of the Manger" in five tableaux, music and two narrators will tell the never old loved by all Christmas story. The program will be directed by Mrs. H. G. Boltz. Public is invited.

CHILDREN'S PLAY TO BE GIVEN SATURDAY

"Peter Pan" Is First of Series,
at Elm Place Auditorium,
at 2:00 p.m.

"Peter Pan", J. M. Barrie's classic for children from 6:00 to 6:30, will be given this Saturday, Dec. 12 at 2:00 p.m. at the Elm Place school auditorium on Sheridan road, Highland Park. This is the first in a series of three plays to be given under the auspices of the literature committee of the Highland Park Woman's club. The January play will be "Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves," given by the Deerfield-Shield's dramatic classes under the direction of Miss Elise Rinkenberger, and in February the Goodman theatre will bring their production of "A Kiss for Cinderella."

"Peter Pan"

"Peter Pan," as all children know, is the boy who wanted never to grow old. The play about him opens in the night nursery of the Darling home in London where Nana the (Continued on Page 49)

Girl Reserves Will Sing Carols Dec. 23

Attention is again asked of the public: The Girl Reserves of the Y.W.C.A. are very anxious to spread the Christmas spirit through songs to the shut-in and old people of Highland Park. Everyone is asked to call the Highland Park Y.W.C.A., 675, if a name can be given of some one, who would enjoy having a group of young voices to sing at their home Wednesday, Dec. 23, at 4 o'clock.

Stores Open Nights Beginning Next Week

Business houses in Highland Park will be open night until Christmas starting Saturday night of this week. This will give opportunity for Christmas shopping to those whose work or business prevents them from visiting the stores during the daytime.

Holiday Ball Dec. 19 at Moraine Hotel

Invitations have been sent out for a holiday ball to be given on the evening of December 19 at the Moraine hotel.

It is under the auspices of the Highland Park-Ravinia branch of the Infant Welfare society. As this is the only party for the grown-ups during the holidays, it is hoped everyone will come.

Good music is assured as Cope Harvey's orchestra has been engaged. A mid-night supper will be served.