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MEN'S FELLOWSHIP CLUB MEETS JAN. 7

At Parish House of Presbyterian Church; Dr. Sherwin to Talk; Picture

The next meeting and dinner of the Mens Fellowship club will be held in the parish house of the Presbyterian church on Thursday, Jan. 7. The usual get-together and reception will be at 6:30 and the dinner will be served promptly at 7:00. Reservations should be made promptly and in advance by telephoning Highland Park 2176 or 683.

Dr. Sherwin to Speak

Dr. Louis W. Sherwin, who has been recently installed as pastor of the Highland Park church will be the speaker of the evening. He will discuss European conditions as he saw them during a two years residence there and will consider them as effecting our own country, especially as with regard to the value of treaties and agreements of various forms. This promises to be one of the most interesting meetings and addresses of the year. In the short time he has been in Highland Park, Dr. Sherwin has won a reputation as a thinker and orator of more than usual ability.

Those who have heard him speak of conditions abroad as compared with this country, have been impressed with his knowledge and fitness to deliver such a talk.

In addition to the address, which will be an outstanding one, there will be a motion picture entitled the Story of Brookhill Farm. Mr. Russell E. Gage of Chicago will show this picture depicting a model dairy and the manner in which the milk supply of a great city is secured and delivered.

All men are invited to attend this meeting.

Firemen Express Thanks to Public

The Fire Department wishes to express their thanks to the citizens of Highland Park for their generosity in helping at Christmas with their donations of toys, candy, etc. The members of the department also wish to thank their friends for their remembrances to them.

Highland Park Social Service Old City Hall H. P. 4000
The Highland Park Social Service office will be closed all day Friday and Saturday of this week.

No Bakery Sales this week. As a matter of economy in time and postage, notices will be sent only to those who have not paid their monthly pledge by the 15th of the month.

Highwood Man, Hit By Auto Christmas, Dies in Hospital

William McLeran, 24, of Highwood, was fatally injured Friday afternoon as he walked across Prairie avenue with Jacob Kline, 23, Highland Park, and Frank Curly, 1120 Prairie avenue, Highland Park.

An automobile, driven by Sercno Leoni, 27, Highwood mail carrier, struck McLeran knocking him to the pavement and fatally injuring him. The machine also struck Kline who narrowly escaped death. McLeran and Kline were rushed to the Highland Park hospital where McLeran succumbed to his injuries. Kline sustained a compound leg fracture and serious lacerations and bruises but is expected to recover. Leoni was arrested by Highland Park police after the accident and charged with assault with a deadly weapon. He was released on \$10,000 bonds by Magistrate Herman Schwery of Highland Park.

An open verdict was returned by the Coroner's jury at an inquest held Saturday.

The funeral service was held Monday morning at St. James church and burial was in St. Mary's cemetery.

McLeran was born in Highwood where he has resided with his parents ever since. Besides his parents he leaves three sisters Catharine, Margaret and Marian, and two brothers, John and James, to survive him.

Car Badly Damaged in Crash Here Saturday

A Buick auto owned by George Hutchison, 606 S. Linden avenue, was almost totally wrecked Saturday evening at Sheridan and Park avenue when it was struck, while going south on Sheridan, by a Packard car, driven by F. G. Simpson of Fifield, Wis., the police report. Hutchison's son received a few cuts and bruises and was given surgical treatment. The front of the Packard was damaged.

Ladies Aid Hold Bakery Sale Today

The Ladies Aid of the Redeemer Lutheran church are holding a bakery sale today (Thursday), Dec. 30 at the Lincoln Market beginning at 9 o'clock. Home made cakes, cookies, pies and other foods will be offered for the New Year's spread. Why not start the new year right by buying your pastry at this sale.

No Council Meeting

Because of the holiday season, the regular meeting of the city council was not held Monday evening of this week.

Clifton P. Fadiman To Speak at Congregation Of Israel January 8th

The fourth lecture in the series sponsored by the Sisterhood of North Shore Congregation Israel will take place Tuesday, Jan. 8, at 8 o'clock at the temple, Lincoln and Vernon avenues, Glencoe.

Clifton P. Fadiman will present a lecture on "The latest generation of American novelists."

Mr. Fadiman, as editor of Simon and Schuster (publishers), lecturer on literature, and radio book-reviewer, has seen the book business from more angles than almost anybody else of his generation. He is particularly interested in the rapid changes through which American culture is now going and in the part that literature has played in these changes. He brings to this problem the fruit of years' of practical observation as experienced editor and publicist as well as the intellectual background that has made him, as a comparatively young man, one of New York's most respected critics.

Mr. Fadiman was born in New York City and educated at Columbia university. He is a regular contributor of critical articles and reviews to the better known journals, including the Menorah Journal, The Nation, Scribners, The Bookman, The New York Evening Post, The Forum, etc. At present he is engaged on a book of literary appreciations to be known as Men of Letters.

New Year's Eve Fiesta to Be Full of Gaiety

A Fiesta of the southwest to be given New Year's Eve at the Ravinia Village house, will recall the glorious, romantic days of the past. The auditorium will be transformed into a little Mexican town. There will be a quaint street scene with lovely old Spanish balconies on either side. Gay music, colorful costumes and dancing will complete the picture.

The committees in charge met Monday night of this week to prepare the highly unusual favors which will be given. The supper, at first planned, has been changed to the more popular breakfast, at a little later hour.

An invitation is cordially extended to residents of Highland Park as well as to Ravinians and their friends and those interested in having a rousing good time New Year's Eve, are urged to get their reservations in, just as soon as possible so that the breakfast arrangements may be completed. Reservations accompanied by check should be sent to Mrs. Frank Venning, Ravinia, Ill.

The Fiesta will start at 10 o'clock, and every minute of it will be crowded with gaiety.

WOMAN'S CLUB TO HAVE DUO UNIQUE

Rare Musical Treat Jan. 5; Art Exhibit Opens Jan. 6th; Want Xmas Cards

On Tuesday, Jan. 5, the members of the Highland Park Woman's club will meet at 2:30 o'clock and enjoy a rare musical treat in listening to the Duo Unique. Mr. Robert Long, tenor, and Mr. William Pfeiffer, baritone, will give an afternoon of songs.

Art Exhibits Open Jan. 6

The Art department of the Highland Park Woman's club will have the first exhibit of the year on Wednesday, Jan. 6, when the work of Frances Buell Mullen will be on display. The club members and their friends are cordially invited to view this collection of paintings. On Sunday, Jan. 10, from 3-6, the Art department will be hostesses to the club members and their friends at a tea in the club house.

Want Christmas Cards

Mrs. Albert P. Snite of the Social Service department of the Highland Park Woman's club is asking for your Christmas cards—the ones that you have received and enjoyed and intend to discard. The cards will be sent to the various hospitals in which this department takes a friendly and practical interest. Won't you take one last look at your cards and then either deliver them to Mrs. Snite at her home 201 Central avenue, Highland Park, or telephone Highland Park 1716 and they will be called for.

If it is not too late, please send the gayly lined envelopes that so often accompany holiday cards. These too are forwarded to the schools in the community and afford the teachers of art and their pupils a great deal of pleasure and inspiration in their art work.

Schumacher Talks on Zoning at the Rotary Club Meet

Attorney Bowen Schumacher was the principal speaker at the regular weekly luncheon session of the Highland Park Rotary club Monday noon at the Moraine hotel. Mr. Schumacher talked on city zoning and quoted a number of rulings in cases before both the state supreme court and the Supreme court of the U. S., some of which are conflicting under certain conditions. His contention was that in Highland Park there should be co-operation so that the zoning ordinances to be adopted should be for the best interests of both the residence and the business sections. He was introduced by Mr. William Dooley.