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HIGHLAND PARK LOCAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. Katherine Boehmer, 321 Bloom Street was called to St. Louis early this week by the death of her brother-in-law Mr. Otto J. Boehmer.

Mrs. J. J. Berube, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dewey, Mrs. Ann Zahnie and Mrs. Mart Zahnie visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Zahnie of Kewanee, Ill., over the week-end.

Mrs. H. E. Witt of Evanston was the guest of Mrs. Charles Brace of Bloom Street last Thursday.

Mrs. W. E. Bliesch of Moraine Road entertained at luncheon followed by three tables of bridge last Wednesday in compliment to Mrs. J. D. McDougall who was celebrating her birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Marc Law spoke to the B. Y. Club of the Y.W.C.A. Tuesday evening on her travels abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mercer and family of Hazel Avenue are moving to 421 Melrose Avenue Chicago the latter part of the week where they will make their home.

Mrs. Edward Strenger is entertaining the Eastern Star Guild at bridge and 500 Friday afternoon. Mrs. George Green is assisting.

Major E. C. Seaman and family of Ft. Sheridan have gone to Allentown, Pa., to make their future home.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gibbs of Winnetka, at the Highland Park Hospital on Saturday, March 3.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Mason have returned from Florida where they spent the past month.

Mrs. M. Smith left yesterday for her home in Des Moines, Iowa, after spending a month with her daughter Mrs. L. F. Hoppe of Elm Place.

Mr. and Mrs. James Carlson of Onwenta Avenue, are the happy parents of a son, born Thursday, March 1 at the Highland Park Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ives of Lake Bluff have purchased the E. E. Andrews home at 201 Laurel Avenue and are moving there very soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Martin and son, who have been in the south for the past few months are now in Nashville, Tenn., with Mrs. Martin's brother, R. P. Barry. They will be in Chicago about March 15.

An Advertiser's dinner, better known as The Plunkett's will be given at the Zion Lutheran Church, Highland, Tuesday evening, March 13 at 6:30 p.m. The public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Piacenza are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born Sunday at the Highland Park Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boynton, Jr., have gone to Delray, Fla. to visit their parents Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Boynton.

A marriage license was recently issued to William Corrigan of Elburn, Ill., and Mary O'Brien of this city, in Waukegan.

Don't forget the Fireman's Ball to be held Saturday evening, March 17, at Deerfield-Shields High School.

Gordon Hal Reeder of Los Angeles, Calif., recently won an honorary piano scholarship with the Los Angeles Conservatory of Music and Arts for his singing in the Talent Division of the annual Evening Herald and Express better babies contest. Ronald Clow Reeder received honorable mention in the physical division. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Reeder (Florence Clow) formerly of Highland Park.

Mr. and Mrs. James Collins spent Sunday in Kenosha, Wis., visiting relatives.

Mrs. Helen C. Golden is entertaining the members of her luncheon bridge club at luncheon today at the Chimney's Tavern in Winnetka, followed by bridge at her home.

Mrs. Goodman is entertaining the members of her bridge club today at her home in Deerfield.

Mrs. Arthur Swanson of Orchard Lane is entertaining at bridge next Monday evening for the Sororis Amicae.

The Lenten Musicales given by Miss Priscilla Carver each year are being given again this year on Wednesday mornings at the home of Mrs. Robert E. Wood.

Mrs. Lester Williams and two daughters, Constance and Jean, left Saturday for a sojourn in Bermuda.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bard, who have been in Bermuda the past two weeks expect to return home the latter part of the week.

Mr. F. L. Griffith of Sumac Road, former secretary-treasurer of the People Gas, Light and Coke Co., of Chicago was elected vice-president of that company on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sterling of St. Louis, Mo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Clow of this city.

Mrs. Diana Volpentesta of Highland is announcing the engagement of her daughter, Frances, to Mr. Anton Harris of Lake Forest. No date has been set for the wedding.

George Kelly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kelly of Vine Avenue, has returned to his home from the Highland Park Hospital where he underwent an appendectomy last week.

Mrs. Lee Vollmer of Ravinia was hostess to the members of her five hundred club Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wesley Conrad and son Jackie, George F. Conrad and Robert Helm are leaving Saturday for Forest Hills, N. Y.

Mr. Roy Andersen of Norway is

visiting his aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Anderson of Skokie Avenue a few days this week while he is enroute to China.

Lest you forget—we are still looking for news. Our telephone is H. P. 557. We can't call everyone, and we know that you enjoy this column or you wouldn't read it. Why don't you call us and tell us about your party, your trip, or whatever else is good authentic news. Someone else enjoys this column as much as you. Don't blame the paper for its lack of news if you're not willing to contribute.

Mrs. H. H. Sellery, Mrs. W. S. Rankin and Mrs. Ralph Fletcher Seymour have left on a several weeks motor trip in the south.

Mrs. Robert F. Timm of DeTamble Avenue entertained at a dessert bridge party last Friday afternoon for the Sororis Amicae. There were ten tables.

Mr. Thomas Creigh, who has been on a business trip in Washington, D. C., will return home tomorrow.

Bernice Brown and Frank Wright of this city recently took out a marriage license in Waukegan.

The Young Woman's Club of the Presbyterian Church are meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Bernice Tucker, 515 Oakwood Avenue.

Mrs. Viola Conrad returned Monday from Fisk, Wis., where she spent the past three weeks visiting her parents.

Mrs. C. L. Berry entertained the members of her bridge club on Tuesday.

The annual Fireman's Dance is to be held Saturday evening, March 17 in the High School Gymnasium. The support of Highland Park residents is requested.

Mrs. A. J. Noerenberg, Local Pioneer, Dies Here Sunday, Aged 83

Mrs. A. J. Noerenberg, widow of the late prominent Highland Park pioneer, died Sunday morning at the age of 83.

She was Miss Luricha Bublitz, daughter of John and Wilhelmina Bublitz, and was born a Romann, Germany, on the 18th day of April, 1850. As a young woman she united in marriage with A. J. Noerenberg. The young couple soon afterward started for America, locating in Chicago, where they lived for ten years.

In 1879 they became interested in the developments of the North Shore and came to Highland Park, which at that time was in its infancy.

They built for themselves a home

in this suburb, and it was their privilege not only to see Highland Park grow from that of a mere village to our present beautiful city, but it was their great joy to help shape and mould many of the high principles and policies of this community. They also had a very vital part in helping to develop

the beauties of our suburb. Mr. Noerenberg, being a contractor, built many of the homes and business houses that now grace our streets.

Mrs. Noerenberg was privileged to see many changes take place in our city during the 55 years that she lived here. She maintained a vital interest in community affairs even up to the last few weeks of her life.

In the passing of Mrs. Noerenberg, Bethany Evangelical Church lost its oldest charter member. Mrs. Noerenberg and her husband were some of the first converts to the Christian faith in the services that were conducted by the Rev. J. Forkel in the old Brand Brothers Paint Store on Second Street. They were among a group of forty who united with the Evangelical Church during the first year of its activity in this

community. They, with others, worked loyally and sacrificially in the erection of the first Bethany Evangelical Church in the year 1883.

Mrs. Noerenberg was also a pioneer member of the Woman's Missionary Society of Bethany Church, having united with this organization at the time of its formation in the local church. She maintained a very loyal interest in her church to the very last days of her life. During the past few years when physical inability prevented her from attending the services she gained much satisfaction in carefully reading the church bulletin and the Bethany Beacon, and in having members of the family relate details of the Sunday Services and the activities of the Church. Mrs. Noerenberg was able to be up and about up to June, 1932, when she fell and broke her hip. Since that time she had been confined to the home of her son, F. C. Noerenberg, of this city.

Mrs. Noerenberg was preceded in death by her husband in 1924, also by her son William, who passed away in June, 1932. The children left to mourn are: Mrs. Minna Gehrety of Wilmette, F. C. Noerenberg, of Highland Park, Mrs. Hedwig Roth of San Diego, Cal., and August

R. Noerenberg of Seattle, Wash.; also 12 grandchildren, 4 great grand children, other relatives and a great host of friends. Tuesday afternoon at the Bethany Church. Burial was at North Northfield Cemetery.—Contributed.

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