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George Mandel, 13 Electrocuted While Drying His Hair

George H. Mandel, 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene D. Mandel of 357 Moraine road was electrocuted late Saturday afternoon, while drying his hair under an electric dryer. He had been at the beach playing, earlier in the afternoon and had returned home to prepare to go to a Valentine party, being given by one of his class mates. While taking a bath one of the wires of the dryer fell into the bath tub, sending a high current through the boy's body.

George was a member of the 8th grade class of the Elm Place school. He was preparing to enter Deerfield-Shields high school in the fall.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Rosehill chapel. Interment was in Rosehill cemetery.

Mr. Mandel, the boy's father was former merchandise manager of the Mandel Brothers store in Chicago. Besides his parents, George leaves one brother, Eugene, to survive him.

"The Charge of the Light Brigade" Is Alcyon Attraction

The Dionne Quintuplets, so grown-up now, play the piano, dance, and accomplish a hundred engaging antics in their second picture, "Reunion," showing at the Alcyon on Saturday only of this week.

"The Charge of the Light Brigade" co-stars Errol Flynn and Olivia de Havilland and will be the attraction on the Alcyon screen for Sunday, Monday and Tuesday and every audience will stir to enthusiastic applause by the tremendous drama and humanity of the picture, the sincerity of the acting, and the picturesque beauty of the settings.

Wednesday and Thursday of next week are double attraction nights at the Alcyon with "Our Relations" being first on the bill. About as interesting and exciting a film as you may hope to view in many moons is the second attraction, "The Last Wilderness," which was photographed in the Tetons of Wyoming.

Music Group Plans Silver Tea Feb. 28

Music lovers and those who just enjoy good music are especially invited to a silver tea and musicale at the home of Mrs. J. H. Lambert, 2400 N. Deere Park drive on Sunday, Feb 28th at 4:00 in the afternoon. The program, sponsored by the music group of the Womens association of the Presbyterian church, and under the direction of Mrs. Ben Ball, promises a lovely afternoon. You are all, men as well as women, most cordially invited. Watch for a more detailed program announcement in next week's issue of the Press.

Lake Forest Men Hurt in Auto Crash

Two Lake Forest men were taken to the Highland Park hospital early Friday morning, following an accident in which their car crashed into a concrete bridge on Deerfield road.

James Bolger of the Deerpath inn, the driver and J. Allen, 465 E. Deerpath were driving east on Deerfield road when they skidded off the road striking the guard rail of the bridge. Frost on the pavement is said to have caused the car to skid.

Bolger received an injured right shoulder and Allen a bruised right hip. They were treated by Dr. H. B. Roberts. The car was badly damaged. The accident occured about 3 a.m.

Exhaust Fumes Overcome Driver

Overcome by carbon monoxide gas from the truck he was driving, Casimir Eichenseer, 213 N. 35th st., Milwaukee, was taken to the Highland Park police station late last Friday night and given treatment.

According to police, Eichenseer, an employe of the Advance Trucking Co., was pulled out of his transport on Prairie ave. in Highland Park suffering from exhaust gas. Police rushed him to the station where he was reported recovered by Dr. S. R. Banfield.

Legion Auxiliary Meets

The American Legion Auxiliary unit of Dumaresq Spencer post will meet Thursday evening, Feb. 18 at 8 p.m. in the Legion club room, Masonic temple. This will be a social meeting and all members are urged to attend.

Highwood Legion Plans Box Social

An old fashioned box social is to be held Tuesday evening (Feb. 23) by the members of Stupey Smith post No. 501 of the American Legion of Highwood, in the City hall. Charles La Duc is chairman for this affair. The auxiliary are assisting the Legion.

Perhaps there are some who do not know what a box social is. Each lady who attends brings a box luncheon which will feed two people. These boxes are then auctioned off during the evening to the highest bidder. It is needless to say that much effort is expended in making these boxes most attractive, for the prettier the boxes, the higher the price value. Not only is the box attractive, but the food is delicious. If you really want an enjoyable evening, be sure to attend this box social.

Girls Club Holds Scholarship Fund Benefit Performance

"Our Relations" and "The Last Wilderness" is the double feature that the Girls club of Highland Park high school will give at the Alcyon theater on Wednesday and Thursday evening, Feb. 24 and 25.

This is the annual money-making event of the Girls club for the scholarship fund. Tickets may be obtained from any girl in attendance at the high school. The Girls club will receive fifty per cent of the money from the tickets that they sell.

"The Last Wilderness" is a beautifully colored picture of the Yellowstone region and Cody, Wyo., by Howard Hill, the nationally known archer.

"Our Relations" is based on the short story, "The Money Box" by W. W. Jacobs.

The Girls club hopes for the usual co-operation they have received on their annual scholarship benefit.

Deerfield P.O. Will Be Closed Monday

The Deerfield post office will be closed on Washington's Birthday, Monday, Feb. 22, this being a national holiday. For the convenience of the public the stamp and general delivery windows will be open from 10 to 11:30 a.m. No money orders will be sold.

Homework To Be Discussed Mar., 4 At P. T. A. Meeting

The March meeting of the High School P. T. A. should be of value to every mother of a high school student. Following the usual conferences with the teachers and the monthly informal tea, on Thursday, March 4, there will be a continuation of the panel discussion of student problems, begun last October. This time, both the faculty and mothers of students will be represented, so that perplexing problems can be ironed out in a friendly and co-operative spirit.

One reason why the high school has acquired its fine reputation among local residents, in addition to its high scholastic standing, is the progressive educational attitude and deep personal interest shown in every student by the members of the well-chosen faculty.

The panel discussion will concern itself with the moot problem of homework, its why and wherefore, and the ways in which parents and faculty can co-operate in its performance. The leader of the panel discussion will be Mrs. George Gaidzik, with two other mothers of students, Mrs. Warren Danley and Mrs. A. M. Rosenthal, while Mr. Edward Burwell and Mr. Arthur (Solly) Thurston will represent the faculty. Other perplexing problems will be briefly dealt with my someone competent to do so. This discussion will, without doubt, be of inestimable value to the mothers who attend.

Rebekah Lodge Holds Card Party March 1

Following their regular meeting on Monday, March 1, Sheridan Rebekah lodge will hold a card party in Masonic temple. This affair will be open to the public. Prizes are to be awarded and refreshments will be served.

Sheridan Rebeka sewing circle will meet Thursday evening, Feb. 25th at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Freida Roscher, 1045 Deerfield road. Cards will be the feature of the evening.

Community Talent Show Try-Outs Are Scheduled for Feb. 27

Tryouts for the Big Prairie Farmer—WLS Community Talent Show will be held at St. James parish hall, 146 North avenue, Highwood, on February 27, at 7:00 p.m. The tryouts will be conducted by Miss Nell Adams, a skilled and talented director from Prairie Farmer-WLS Community Service department.

This show is being given for the benefit of the Highwood Boy Scouts and will be presented March 4, 5, and 6 in the Oak Terrace school auditorium.

A cordial invitation is extended to all community talent in Highwood Highland Park and all surrounding cities and towns to be present at the tryouts.

Those interested in appearing in the show can register or secure further information at the Ermine Cleaners, Inc., phone Highland Park 3710.

Remember the tryout date, Feb. 27 in St. James parish hall at 7 p.m.

Paul A. Blum Is Highwood Candidate Justice of Peace

Paul A. Blum of Highwood, is announcing his candidacy on an independent ticket for Justice of the Peace in Deerfield Township, in the election to be held April 6th.

In announcing his candidacy Mr. Blum states, "that he has no axe to grind and that he is not running in opposition to any one of the candidates listed on the Citizen's ticket. He has no interest in any other Highwood politics."

At the present time the City of Highwood has no representation on either the town board or the Board of Supervisors and Blum feels that the city should have some representation.

Friends of Mr. Blum urged him to enter the campaign and it was not until they circulated petitions that he consented to run for the office of Justice of the Peace.

Music Club Presents Chorus and Pianist

The Highland Park Music club will meet on February 24, 1937 at 5:15 p.m. in the music room of the Ravinia school. The club is fortunate in having a very fine chorus of womens voices, under the able direction of Jessie Wood Sincere, formerly of New York City, who will present a new work for womens voices with baritone solo. Mr. Howard Will whose splendid voice has numberless admirers along the North Shore, has consented to sing the special solo part.

One of the new members of the club is a fine pianist, June Whitworth, of North Deer Park, a pupil of Wanieck of Northwestern University School of Music and American Conservatory of Chicago. Miss Whitworth is an active member of Phi Beta, national music and dramatic organization, and will appear in her senior recital at Northwestern in the early spring.

Mrs. Erastus Phelps and Mrs. Mansell are hostesses for the social hour following the program.

Cuore Arte Club Presents Financial Report of Dance

Cuore Arte club of Highwood have submitted the following financial report of the Birthday ball given Tuesday evening, January 30th, in Highwood. As a portion of the local gift work done Harold Wilson and Ernest Rabattini were each awarded $29 and Angelo Belletttini was given $10. Following is the report:

Herewith is a report of the Birthday Ball given January 30, 1937 in Highwood:

RECEIPTS:	
From sale of tickets, 35c	$120.05
Other Sources:	
Kitchen	40.69
Flowers	10.00
Check room	9.05
Birthday cake	30.00
Total Receipts	$209.79
EXPENSES:	
Music	$ 20.00
Rent of hall	25.00
Refreshments and groceries	31.57
Cake and flowers	36.25
Total Expenses	$112.82
Net Profit	$ 96.97
Sent to National committee, 30%	$ 29.07
Retained by local committee, 70%	67.90

We wish to thank all who cooperated in making this ball a success.

Cuore Arte Club,
Highwood, Ill.

Highwood Firemen Get Dutch Band for Annual Dance

The twelfth annual Fireman's Dance given by the Highwood Fire department will be held Saturday night, Feb. 20, at the Oak Terrace school auditorium.

Admission to the dance will be nominal and all proceeds will go towards the upkeep of the fire department. The dance will start at 8 p. m. and continue until 1 a.m. Refreshments will be sold in the basement.

The music will be furnished by Lela Schmidt's Dutch Girls Band. This is a six-piece, all girls orchestra from Milwaukee.

They have played in all of the leading ballrooms throughout Wisconsin and Iowa and through the western and northern parts of Illinois. They play both modern and old time music so both young and old will enjoy themselves. They do trio singing and play the Swiss chimes, which is the only set of its kind in the country, and they will put on a short floor show of wooden shoe dancing.

The band members dress in blue silk Dutch costumes and wear wooden shoes. Their music stands are of Dutch wind mills which make a very attractive setting.

Any one caring to attend this dance can buy tickets from any of the Highwood firemen, or admission can be paid at the door as you enter.

Hilander Club Will Hear Health Talk

The February meeting of the Hilander club will be held Sunday evening, February 21st at 8 p.m. in the Parish house.

Dr. James O. Clarke, one of the chief executives having the responsibility for enforcement of the Pure Food and Drugs Act, will address us on the subject: "Safeguarding the Nation's Health."

PRE-LENTEN SERVICE

by Henry G. Hedlund, B.D.

Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful. But his delight is in the law of the Lord; and in his law doth he meditate day and night. Ps. 1:1-2.

And they took council together that they might take Jesus by subtilty, and kill him. Matt 26:4.

Especially in this Lenten season we as Christians, would again review the passion and suffering of our Lord, Jesus. He, the Son of God, came that we might have Life and have it more abundantly. Yet in the ministration of His purpose and duty, He was the object of scorn, hatred and abuse. He who served mankind in all their needs with the service of goodness, with a sympathetic understanding, was doomed to die.

There were two council meetings, the one group gathered to lay plans in the celberation of the Feast of the Passover, to recall and review the loving kindness of God and their miraculous delivery from the enemy and death. This meeting was to become most noteworthy. In the same city another council meeting takes place. They also want to lay plans for the Passover, but a greater matter troubled them. How shall we take Jesus in a subtle manner, put him out of the way and yet not stain our hands.

There are many chambers like these today. Banded together are those who wish to give God thanks with grateful hearts. They have tasted of the living water, they have feasted upon His gifts of love and mercy, they have been led safely thru on many a dangerous path; thus they would adore and worship Him. The good shall prevail, though it may be severely tested, but triumph it shall.

Not every good deed shall be allowed to go unchallenged. The forces of evil, the jealousy of man, the proud of heart, must show forth his power. Man has a heart which he protects with care for it is the power, the dynamo, of his life. But the Breath of God which made him a living soul, which soul finds no peace nor rest until it comes back to God, its nurture is neglected. There are too many bickering over small things, non-essentials in life; wrestling with problems without respect to man or God; conniving with forces and powers for selfish aggrandizement, for getting the good of all. Why all this, you ask?

The reason is that they have not chosen the thing needful and that is to sit at the feet of Jesus and learn of Him that which pertains to the happiness of this life and the joy and glory of His Kingdom that is to come. Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness and all other things shall be added unto you.

Y. W. C. A. Will Celebrate Its Twenty-fifth Anniversary

The Highland Park Y.W.C.A. is inviting its 250 members and others who are interested in the work of the organization to celebrate its 25th anniversary on February 25. Mrs. O. L. Olesen and Mrs. Lee Gatewood are co-chairmen of the Anniversary committee composed of representatives of all the clubs within the Young Women's Christian association.

Mrs. Olesen, known as the "mother of the Mothers club" because it was during her presidency that this 22 year old club was founded will give the history of the association from its first beginning when Highland Park and Lake Forest formed the Lake county Y. and Mrs. H. E. Mason was president. Then follow the events of the presidency of Mrs. W. A. Alexander, first president of the Highland Park Y. W. C. A. Through the years Mrs. Alexander's interest in the Y.W.C.A. has grown to national and international proportions and last year as a national committee member she attended the 80th birthday celebration of the Y.W.C.A. of Great Britain. Mrs. E. T. R. Murfey, now president of the Highland Park Woman's club, followed Mrs. Olesen in the presidency and will be among the guests of honor. Mrs. Theodore Osborn, the fourth president of the Highland Park association will preside. Among the invited guests are 50 former board members and it is hoped they will all be able to attend to join the reminiscing.

Following the general history five minute stories of the clubs within the Y will be presented by Mrs. E. E. Paulsen, speaking for the 100 members of the Mothers club. Estel Buser telling of the Friendship club, Mrs. Emily Marks and Miss Mae Hansen will tell of the Pi Delta and BY's clubs. Janet Leonard will represent the Emanon league, the new club of younger business girls. Ethel Gartley will review the activities of the grade school clubs. These talks will be dramatized with exhibits and amusing episodes of the past.

The newly organized Community Chorus will sing several times during the program. A social hour will follow the program with the members of the board of directors acting as hostesses.

Firemen to Hold Annual Dance Mar. 17

Members of the Highland Park firemen are planning for their annual dance to be held Wednesday evening, March 17th at the Highland Park high school gymnasium. A Dutch Girl's orchestra from Milwaukee has been secured to furnish the music for the evening. Tickets are being mailed this week to all residents of Highland Park, and it is hoped that the public will respond promptly.

Lake Forest College Founded 80 Years Ago, Celebrate

Lake Forest college celebrated its 80th birthday anniversary last Saturday.

Eighty years ago a charter was obtained for the school under the name of Lind university, a title which was changed in 1865 to Lake Forest university, the present corporate title of the school.

Eighty years of progress have brought about many changes, but many of the old landmarks are still standing on the grounds known as the "campus beautiful."

Among these historic spots are venerable College hall, built in 1878; North hall, built in 1880; and the gymnasium, built in 1890. To supplement these and other ivy-covered buildings, a group of new apartments to house the faculty are being planned.

The annual midwinter banquet this year will commemorate the founding of the college. The banquet, which is under the direction of R. C. Tomlinson, head of the Lake Forest college speech department, will be held this year at the Edgewater Beach hotel in Chicago on March 16.

Benefit Dance, March 6

A benefit dance is to be held at Masonic Temple, Saturday evening, March 6, at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to attend.

Miss Helen Cook To Review Books At Twilight Meet

Miss Helen Cook, of the Elm Place school faculty has established an enviable reputation in the community as a book reviewer of especial charm and vitality. Those who have heard her at the local library and at the Highland Park Woman's club will be eager to hear her again, when under the auspices of the Arts committee of the Ravinia Woman's club, she will review two of the outstanding biographies of the past two years, "The Exile" and "Fighting Angel," by Pearl Buck. Mrs. Buck's reputation as a novelist who understands the Chinese character was acknowledged long ago with the publication of "Good Earth," and these vivid but remarkably objective portrayals of the lives and characters of her characterful parents, show her to be as great a biographer as she is a novelist. Miss Cook, with her sparkling personality, her fine literary judgment and keen intuition into character portrayal, will give a most entertaining description of this American missionary and his wife transplanted to the alien soil of China.

A local musician, Miss Dorothy Clark, who was recently a student in the Department of Music at Northwestern university, will render a few piano solos, including selections from classic and modern composers.

On the walls of the charming Music room of the Ravinia school, where this twilight gathering will be held, Sunday, February 28th, at 4 o'clock, are hung for the entire month of February some fine examples of the beautiful work of two local artists of national renown, Frank Peyraud and his wife, Elizabeth Krysher Peyraud. The Highland Park Music club which is holding its February meeting Wednesday, February 24th in this Music room will have the opportunity of viewing these vivid landscapes, artistic portraits and still life pictures, while the school children are able to view them daily.

The Arts committee will welcome any interested resident in Highland Park to this twilight gathering, which will conclude with a pleasant social hour.

Bruised and Cut When Hit by Auto

Margaret Bernardoni, 22, of 410 Railway ave., Highwood, was cut and bruised about the face and head when she was struck by an automobile last Thursday, as she was crossing Onwentsia ave., on Green Bay road. She was taken to the Highland Park hospital for treatment.

The car which struck Miss Bernardoni was driven by Mrs. M. Engels, 642 Onwentsia ave. She was attempting to make a left hand turn off Green Bay road to Onwentsia ave., when the accident occured.

Ann Lindbergh's Book to Be Reviewed at Friendship Club

The Friendship club will hold its regular meeting at 7:30 Thursday evening and is to be favored with a review of Anne Lindberg's fascinating book "North to the Orient" given by Miss Helen Boyce. Following the review recreation and refreshments will feature the evening. This club is open to all household employees and strangers are given a most cordial invitation to attend this meeting.

Youth Forum at Y.W.C.A. Wednesday

The Leadership council of the Y. W.C.A. at its meeting on Wednesday evening will hold a Youth Forum with members of the council presenting the points of view of the business girl, the working married woman, the teacher, the household employe and the daughter of foreign parents. Mrs. Bogardus of Evanston will conduct the discussion.

Masonic Groups Hold Party Feb. 22

A. O. Fay Lodge No. 676 A. F. & A. M. and Campbell Chapter No. 712 O.E.S. will hold an entertainment and dance Monday evening, February 22 in Masonic hall. All members of both organizations and their friends are invited to attend.

Murial McEwen of Naida terrace has gone to Florida where she will spend a month.