

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grundal of Peoria visited their brother, Mr. W. H. Bartel, of Clifton avenue, Sunday.

Mrs. Carleton Mosely has returned from Pasadena, Calif., where she spent the past month with her daughter, Mrs. Marion Sniffen.

Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Suhr and daughter Gloria are spending a few days this week in Fort Wayne, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jaeger are moving to 382 Woodland road.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Merrell and their mother, Mrs. Luther, have moved to Evanston.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Jencks of Buenos Aires, Argentina, announce the birth of a daughter April 19. Mrs. Jencks, the former Miriam Smith of Highland Park, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert N. Smith.

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Delightful Musical Program Finale For Years Activities

Prettily decorated tables, a big crowd of women in gay Spring attire and a general air of festivity marked the annual luncheon and meeting of the Highland Park Woman's club on Tuesday. A daintily served luncheon preceded the short but interesting business meeting, at which reports from all the officers and chairmen were read showing a particularly successful year's work.

The program was delightful, and Mrs. Goodkind's sweet soprano voice, Mrs. Lawrence Meyer's vibrant contralto and the attractive two-piano playing of Mrs. Clarence Schaaf and Mrs. Irving Schur was much enjoyed.

The slate presented by the Nominating committee for officers and directors for 1938-9 was elected, as follows: 1st vice-president, Mrs. Harry L. Pertz; recording secretary, Mrs. Tom Leeming; treasurer, Mrs. Karl E. Wagner; chairman, Home and Education department, Mrs. Leonard W. Keaster; chairman, Social Service department, Mrs. Marvin W. Wallach; director to serve as chairman of House and Grounds committee, Mrs. George O. Strecker; and director to serve as chairman of Social committee, Mrs. Frank M. Sturtevant. Mrs. Herbert R. Smith, the president, and other officers and directors hold office for another year.

Legion Auxiliary Concentrates Effort On Child Welfare

Efforts of the American Legion Auxiliary are being concentrated this month on child welfare activities, according to Mrs. Linda Stanley, child welfare chairman of Stupey-Smith Unit No. 501, Highwood. Plans for the continuance of the Auxiliary's vast work for unfortunate American children will be developed and placed in operation by Auxiliary Units throughout the country, she said.

"Child welfare work of the Auxiliary is closely coordinated with that of the American Legion," stated Mrs. Stanley. "The two organizations, working together, brought aid to 381,274 children last year, expending more than \$1,600,000 in the work. This year the work is being further expanded to meet an increasing need among children of veterans.

"The first concern of the Legion and Auxiliary is the children of World War Veterans, hundreds of thousands of whom are thrown into need by the death or disability of their fathers. For these children the full resources of the two great organizations are called into action. Emergency relief is given and efforts made to place the children permanently in satisfactory situation. Keeping the family together and maintaining the home is always the first aim.

"The child welfare program is not confined to aiding children of veterans but includes a wide range of activities for the benefit of all children. Prevention of juvenile delinquency is work now receiving much attention from the Legion and Auxiliary. Positive Health work is another important part of the child welfare program, clinics being sponsored, public health nurses supported, immunization campaigns conducted and weakened children sent to health camps.

"The April child welfare activities will reach their climax with the ob-

servance of Child Health Day, May 1, when Mrs. Malcolm Douglas, National President, will speak to the nation on child health over the Red Network of the National Broadcasting Company."

Highwood Kiddies Enter Marble Tourney

A city-wide marble tournament is to be held on the Oak Terrace school grounds, Highwood, Saturday, April 23, at 1 p.m. The object of the tournament is to establish a city champion, who in turn will compete with the marble champions of other communities in the county at some future date.

The tournament is open to boys and girls of 16 years of age and under. Any boy and girl who is interested and has not already signed up, please see Mr. Setterlund, at the Oak Terrace school grounds any time from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. before Saturday. The tournament will be conducted according to official marble tournament rules.

Last week the Highwood Project conducted a successful Kite Tournament. First prize blue ribbons went to Francis Fiore Peter Elena, Frank Spano, Jerry and Jimmy Muzik. Principal events were high flying box kites, plain kites and bow kites. Many varieties of box kites were seen as well as dragon kites, star kites, frog and other figure kites. Most of the kites entered in the tournament were made in the project craft classes.

Boys Legs Bruised When He Dashes Into Path of Car

Thomas Parsons, small son of the Bruce Parsons, 914 Ridgewood drive, suffered severe bruises on both his legs, shortly after noon yesterday (Wednesday) when he was struck by a south bound automobile in front of his home.

The child darted out from the driveway of his home which was flanked with shrubbery, into the path of the approaching car which was driven by Carl Erickson, 1437 Pleasant avenue.

The boy was taken to the Highland Park hospital where he was attended by Dr. Boyd.

Former Resident Commits Suicide

Henrietta Bemus, 23, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bemus, former residents of Highland Park, shot and killed herself in the home of her sister, Mrs. John Walker, 727 Oakton street, Evanston, Monday.

The girl, whose parents now reside in Corpus Christi, Texas, had been visiting her sister for a week. She had attempted suicide twice before in Texas.

Mrs. Walker found her sister lying in a bedroom when she returned from a shopping trip, a bullet wound in her temple. A revolver belonging to Mrs. Walker's husband was found beside her.

Mystery Blast Shakes Homes Here Friday

Homes in Highland Park and Highwood received a severe jolting last Friday afternoon, when a mysterious explosion occurred somewhere in the western part of the cities.

Police received numerous calls from apprehensive households after the detonation which occurred at 4:15 p.m.

Investigation failed to reveal the source of the explosion but it is thought that it may have been caused by a blasting of trees or possibly by a falling meteor. Some months ago, a meteor falling to the ground in Waukegan caused a similar sensation.

Mrs. Eve Cobb Is Prize Winner Again

Mrs. Eva B. Cobb, 284 E. Park avenue, was the winner early this week of a \$50 prize for the most interesting radio contest letter on I like Royal Crown Cola best because." This program is broadcast every Friday evening as the Royal Crown Review over an N.B.C. hook-up.

This is only one of the many contests that Mrs. Cobb has been a prize winner. Last summer she received a \$5 award in a similar contest. Mrs. Cobb is the wife of Postmaster Daniel Cobb.

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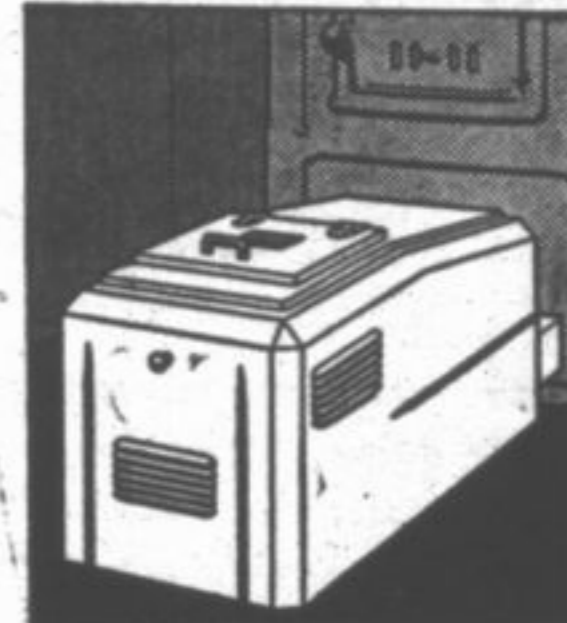
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