

Local Committee Is Promoting Interest in School Music

Music and art are taking their rightful place in education these days as an integral part of each student's life, from kindergarten days through college. And the most vital elements in the musical life of the students are the singing groups, the school bands and the orchestras.

Feeling that the community should stand back of the high school music groups, an organization was started a few months ago, called "The Highland Park Music Boosters," whose members were the parents of the students in the chorus, the band and the orchestra. It was deemed wise, however, by the sponsors of this group, to transfer it from an independent organization to a committee in the High School P.T.A., where, as it concerns the activities of the music students' groups, it rightfully belongs.

Working on this committee, under the general leadership of the High School principal, Miss Buzard, and in conjunction with the directors of the chorus, band and orchestra, Mr. Finch and Mrs. Mannings, are the following citizens, interested in the development of the school music groups and of arousing the general interest of the community in them: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. George Lyman, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Hawes, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Raff and Mr. and Mrs. Karl Wagner.

At the present time there are about 250 students enrolled in the music department of the school, either as students in one or other of the music courses, the band, the chorus or the orchestra, and it is the hope of the teachers and of the Music committee that the day is not far distant when 90 per cent of the High School pupils will be enjoying the training and the satisfaction that participation in music gives!

It may not be well known, that besides the course in music history and appreciation, a new and stimulating music course has been added to the school curriculum, namely, Harmony, with classes held each day. This course is accepted for entrance credit by all colleges.

In the twelve schools from which the local High School draws its students, every school gives its students an opportunity to sing almost daily, and most of the schools have some sort of course in musical understanding. Many of the schools have some sort of course in musical understanding. Many of the schools have either bands or orchestras, or both, so that by the time the student enters high school he is ready for more advanced work along one of these lines, and has learned to want to take part in some musical activity each day. The grade school directors of music are doing a splendid job in fostering the love of music and of musical activity among grade school pupils. Are the parents doing their part in encouraging this interest? We think so and we hope so, for the love of music is a lasting one, which gives development of the radio and the improvement of radio musical programs, few youngsters can remain oblivious to music, and the great-

est enjoyment is usually felt by those who have participated in some form of musical activity.

Mrs. Jacob Bauer To Address Republican Club Next Monday

The Woman's Republican club will meet at the home of the president, Mrs. Florence T. Dingle, next Monday afternoon, Feb. 27, at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Jacob Bauer, Republican National committeewoman, will speak and give some of the latest news from Washington.

Mr. Bowen Schumacher and Mr. Dana will speak on the local issue confronting the voters at the primary election on Tuesday.

Mother E. Menke Passes on Tuesday

Mrs. Christoph Menke, mother of Edward Menke, district superintendent of the Public Service, company of Highland Park, died suddenly Tuesday evening at her home, 1032 Wesley avenue, Evanston.

Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Nicholas church in Evanston.

Mrs. Caroline Gerken Passes Away Feb. 19

Mrs. Caroline Clavey Gerken, wife of the late John Gerken, passed away Sunday at her home on McDaniels avenue. She was 86 years, 6 months and 9 days old.

Born in Germany, she came to Northfield at the age of 13. Sixty years ago she settled in Highland Park with her husband, who preceded his wife in death in 1905. Three children also preceded their mother in death. They were William, Caroline Larson and Henry.

Those surviving are John, Ernest, and George Gerken of this city, Minnie Dietz of Minneapolis. There are 17 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren. A sister, Mrs. Freda Jones of Florida, and a brother, John Clavey of Northbrook, also survive.

Funeral services were held at

the home at 1:30 followed by a service at St. John's Evangelical church. Burial was in Mooney's cemetery.

Noted Vienna Surgeon Visits Local Friends

Dr. Hans Brunner of Vienna, Germany, was the week end guest of the Victor H. Imigs of S. Deere Park drive.

Dr. Brunner is a famous doctor and surgeon, also writer and lecturer. He returned to Chicago where he is giving a series of lectures at the University of Illinois clinic.

J. M. Appel's Return from Southern Trip

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Appel returned this morning from a seventeen day trip to Florida. It was their first trip to America's playground and they found there not only the well-known and wonderful climate, but also tropical flowers, fruits and vegetation in profusion. They were impressed with the newness and cleanliness of the homes, hotels and business districts. The towns and cities visited appeared to them prosperous, due perhaps, in a measure, to the tourist crop which is now being harvested.

Missionary Service at First U. E. Church

A Missionary service will be conducted at the First United Evangelical church Sunday evening by Miss Gretchen Webster, who returned from China last October. She is a missionary of the South China Boat Mission and will speak in the evening service at 7:45. Miss Webster will speak to the Mission Band in the morning and to the Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p.m. The public is invited.

Infant Welfare Meets

The Highland Park-Ravinia center of the Infant Welfare will meet Monday, February 27, at the home of Mrs. John W. Newey, 260 Prospect avenue.

Winners of Value Days Announced

The committee on the Mid-Winter Value Days held a meeting Tuesday in the town hall at which time Mayor William Dooley picked the winner for the Phantom radio and the Scotty Puppy which were prizes of the Value Days events.

Sixty-three merchants participated in this event and 6700 purchase coupons were given out by these merchants during this big event. Only one ticket was given for each 25 cent purchase.

Lee W. Volmer, of 1549 S. St. Johns avenue, was given the phantom radio control, while Jack Quinlan of 2417 Valley road received the "Scotty."

The merchants are deeply grateful for the patronage of the local residents, which helped to make this first big sales event so successful.

Philathea Class Meets

The Philathea Class of the Bethany Evangelical church will meet at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Rightly, 489 Homewood avenue, Monday evening, Feb. 27.

W.C.T.U. Meets March 2

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will meet on Thursday, March 2, at the home of Mrs. Harry Thomas, 603 Glenview avenue, at 2 p.m.

Retired School Nurse Honored by Teachers

Tuesday evening, February 14, the teachers of Lincoln, West Ridge, Ravinia, and Braeside schools gave a dinner to honor Miss Emily Brymer. The dinner attended, by nearly sixty persons, was at the Vera McGovern Tea Room.

For the past twenty years Miss Brymer, who severed her Highland Park connection last June, served as school nurse of School District 108. Her cheerful, pleasant personality, together with her very efficient service, has endeared her to teachers, children and parents alike. She raised the standard of health and hygiene to a practically perfect score in the schools of the district.

To commemorate her years in their midst the teachers presented Miss Brymer with a beautiful solid gold 19-jewel Lady Elgin wrist watch.

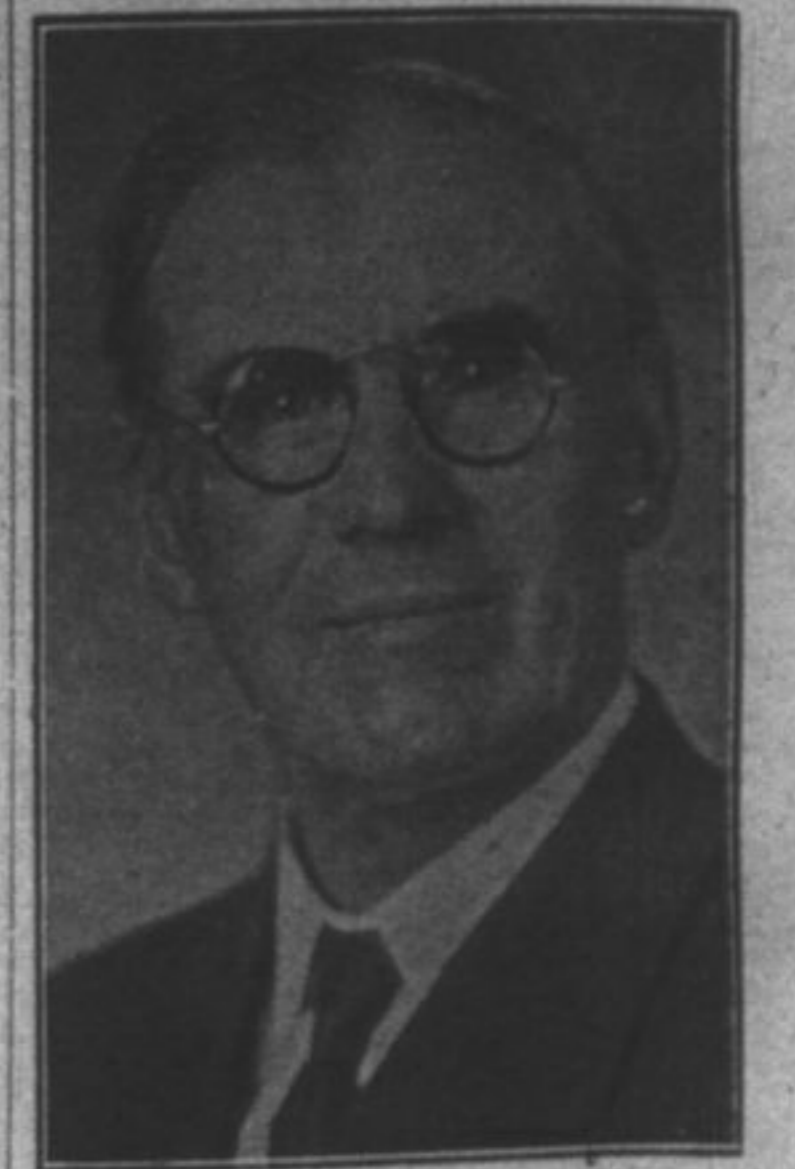
Miss Brymer for many years lived with the W. D. N. Moores at the foot of Edgewood road and bordering on the Bobolink golf course. Mrs. Moore and Miss Brymer are now residing in Hubbard Woods.

Leslie Goddie Gets Share of Estate

Leslie Goddie, 93 Clifton avenue, is one of five nephews and nieces of the late Marie Duer, who died in Forest Park, Nov. 4, to whom she left equal shares in half of her \$5,000 estate. The other half she gave to a sister in Chicago. Her will has just been admitted to probate in Chicago.



Postpone P.T.A. Meeting
The regular meeting of the Lincoln School P.T.A. has been postponed to the evening of March 8

at which time Dr. Helen Shacter of Northwestern university will be the speaker.



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To the Voters of Highland Park

It has come to my attention that a report is being circulated that I have withdrawn as a candidate for Mayor of Highland Park. **THIS IS NOT TRUE.** I entered the race at the request of many who are disgusted with the do-nothing policy of recent administrations and I am staying in to the finish.

As for this so-called "Caucus" group— It is plainly evident that this ticket was PRE-SELECTED. It is certainly apparent that many of the other candidates for Commissioner are better qualified than the two "Caucus" candidates, neither of whom is well acquainted with local conditions and one of whom has only lived here 3 years.

LET'S KEEP CLIQUES OUT OF HIGHLAND PARK'S CITY HALL.

I am well qualified for the office of Mayor. I have owned property and lived in Highland Park for forty-five years, the entire time at 547 South Sheridan Road. I am not allied with any group or faction and will treat all citizens alike. I have had definite experience in Municipal Government, am a lawyer and was City Attorney of Highland Park. I am prepared to give my entire time to the city.

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