

# Terse Tales of the Town

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GLADYS UDELL, Society Editor

### KAPPA DELTA ELECTS

Mrs. Albert Tangora, 926 Judson avenue, Evanston, has been elected to serve as president of the North Shore Alumnae association of Kappa Delta for the 1940-41 term. The annual election was held at a recent luncheon meeting at the home of Mrs. H. E. Mueller, 2806 Lincoln street, Evanston.

Mrs. Tangora succeeds in the presidency Mrs. Wilfred E. Resseguie. Also chosen to serve the following year were Mrs. Raymond H. Giesecke, vice president and program chairman; Mrs. Duane B. Wolf, treasurer; and Mrs. Earl A. Bronson, secretary.

The annual rally for Kappa Delta in the Wisconsin-Northern Illinois area will be held in Beloit next Saturday, May 4. Many alumnae from the North Shore cities are making plans to attend; most of them will make the short trip by auto. Pauline Reynolds, National house chairman, will be the principal speaker. The program also includes Anne Wilkerson, Delta Province president.

### SYLVIA DRAKE'S ANNOUNCEMENT MADE

Mr. and Mrs. William Drake of Laurel avenue announce the engagement of their daughter Sylvia to Mr. Gordon Strub, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Strub of Prairie View. No date has been set for the wedding.

### JANE NEUMANN'S ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Neumann of West road, Short Hills, New Jersey, formerly of Highland Park, announced the engagement of their daughter, Jane Lucille, to James N. Robertson son of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Robertson of Darby, Pennsylvania, at a reception at their home on Sunday, April 28.

Miss Neumann attended the Roycemore school in Evanston, Northwestern university and Connecticut College for Women. Miss Neumann also studied at the Art Students League in New York. She is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority.

Mr. Robertson attended Mercersburg Academy and was graduated in 1935 from Princeton, where he was a member of Dial Lodge. He graduated from the Law School of the University of Pennsylvania and is now associated with William J. MacCarter Jr. Esq., in Chester, Pennsylvania.

Miss Florence Bawman of Burlington, Ia., was a house guest last week of Mrs. Helen C. Guelst.

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### EMERSON-VAIL WEDDING SATURDAY

Miss Barbara Emerson, daughter of Mr. Arthur H. Emerson, will become the bride of J. Dean Vail Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dean Vail of Kenilworth on Saturday evening at 8:30 in the Highland Park Presbyterian church.

Miss Emerson will have Miss Katharine Johnston as maid of honor. The bridesmaids will be Miss Jeanne Kuhl of Chicago, Miss Ethel Bybee of Evanston, Miss Carolyn Sherman, the bride's cousin, who arrived on May 1 from her home in Providence, R. I., Miss Francigene Sheridan of Highland Park, and Mrs. Nettleton Payne, who came on April 28 from Kansas City, Kans.

James Alder of Wilmette will be best man. The ushers will be J. Webster Stanford Jr. of Plainfield, N. J., C. Ives Waldo Jr. and George H. Pattison Jr., both of Winnetka; Arthur H. Emerson Jr., Stoddard Small of Wilmette, and Robert Webster of Chicago.

After a wedding trip Mr. Vail and his bride will reside in Evanston.

There have been innumerable parties in the past two weeks for the young couple. Mrs. William G. Sage is giving a luncheon today (Thursday) for Miss Emerson at the Woman's Athletic club and this evening the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vail, will be hosts at a buffet supper. Friday evening the bride's aunt and uncle, Dr. and Mrs. Grant H. Laing, will give the bridal dinner at the Saddle and Cycle club in Chicago and on the afternoon of May 4th Dr. and Mrs. William McMillan will give a luncheon for the bridal party at their home on E. Central avenue. The bride's father will give the wedding reception at the Exmoor Country Club.

### MANY PARTIES FOR BRIDE-TO-BE

Among the parties for Antoinette Donnersberger who will be married to Hubert M. Coles May 11th are a surprise tea for her and her friends given recently by her sister, Mrs. Charles Cretors, and a joint dinner given by Mrs. Donnersberger at Exmoor for her and the former Miss Martha Guerin, who became Mrs. William Egan April 27th.

In addition to family parties given by her various aunts Antoinette was given a handkerchief shower by the Irmingarde Club of Lake Forest Saturday evening. Miss Patricia McKinley gave a shower May 1st and Mrs. Frederick W. Fix will entertain at a luncheon today, May 2nd. The spinster dinner will be at the residence May 3rd and will also be a game shower.

Miss Gertrude Shine is entertaining the Donnersberger and Coles families and the visiting relatives at a buffet supper May 5th in her home on Lakeview avenue, Chicago.

Mr. Rudolf Laub of Milwaukee, the former Ella Donnersberger, will have a dinner and sewing shower Thursday, May 7th. The bridal dinner will be given by the parents of the bride-to-be, Mr. and Mrs. George

Donnersberger, at the Palmer House Thursday evening, May 9th. Mrs. Charles Cretors is having all the house guests from out of town to a buffet supper Friday night before the wedding.

Miss Genevieve Donnersberger, who is specializing in landscape architecture in Groton, Mass., will arrive by plane Thursday evening in order to share the festivities.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon McMahon left Tuesday for a ten day motor trip to Flemington, N. J., and Cortland, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rossi of Highwood are the proud parents of a daughter born Monday, April 29, at the Highland Park hospital.

Mr. Francis Brown, formerly of Highland Park, who now makes his home with his daughter, Miss Margaretta Brown in Winnetka, celebrated his 98th birthday anniversary on the 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. David Kerr, N. Second street, were given a surprise dinner party Tuesday evening at the home of the Albert Butterworths on W. Park avenue in honor of their silver wedding anniversary. Present were 30 friends and members of the D.B.E.

Mrs. Herman Newman entertained at a card party on Wednesday evening in honor of the fourth wedding anniversary of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Lemm of Half Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy McMamara of S. Greenbay road are the happy parents of a daughter born Tuesday, April 30, at the Highland Park hospital.

Miss Mary Ellen Okey is entertaining her sewing club this evening (Thursday).

Miriam Wichman, 627 St. Johns street, Highland Park, has been named as an attendant of the annual May Fete at Frances Shimer college, Mount Carroll, Ill. The May Fete and pageant will be held at Frances Shimer, Saturday afternoon, May 18.

Following the crowning of the May queen and procession of the queen and court to the throne in the natural amphitheater on the Shimer campus, Miriam and other members of the queen's court will watch a pageant presented in honor of the queen. The theme will be "Bookshelf Ballet," a presentation of famous children's books in dance form. Among those depicted will be "Mother Goose," "Peter Pan," "Little Black Sambo," "Alice in Wonderland," and "Wizard of Oz." The program will conclude with European folk dances in costume.

Miriam Wichman has been selected as a member of the queen's court because of her activities on the Shimer campus. She has been on the hockey team, on the honor roll, publicity manager of the Athletic Board, and Art editor of the Record.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Bahr returned Tuesday from a four day trip to Oshkosh, Wis.

Mrs. Pat Cawley is in the Evanston hospital for observation.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitt Schultz left Saturday for a two weeks motor trip through the South.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Mead of Chicago, the former Doris Kleinschmidt of Highland Park, are rejoicing over the arrival of a son born Monday, April 29, at the Evanston hospital.

Mrs. Earl Purdy is motoring East with friends from Wilmette for a ten day vacation. They expect to stop in New York City and New Jersey.

Mrs. Hoyt Roush entertained a group of Chicago women at luncheon Wednesday.

The Arden Shore Committee is giving a bridge-tea at the home of Mrs. Gilbert S. Haggerty in Deerfield on Monday.

Miss Mary Liske is being feted with two showers this week. On Sunday Mrs. Raymond Unbehaun gave a pantry shower for her and on Thursday (today) Mrs. Raymond Russell and Mrs. Tom Russell will be hostesses at a miscellaneous shower for the bride-to-be. Miss Liske will become the bride of Mr. Frederick Meierhoff on May 14.

The John I. Dennehys moved last Saturday from their home at 680 Carol court to a house at 382 Ridge road, Winnetka, that they purchased and remodeled.

Gen. Robert E. Wood and Charles Hunter are the Highland Parkers among the 30 Chicago area men who will fly to Santa Barbara, Calif., on Friday to attend the Los Rancheros Visitadores. This trip, the 11th annual trek that starts on May 5, is a pack trip into the oak-flecked hills of southern California.

Byron Howes Jr. spent the week end in Elmhurst, Ill., visiting friends.

The Northwestern Settlement met on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Kellogg Patterson on Maple avenue.

Lee Randall, who has been with his parents, the Irving Randalls in Los Altos, Calif., is visiting his brother, Irving Randall, Jr., on Linden Park place before leaving next week for Marseilles, France. In France he will act as secretary in the diplomatic service and a vice counsellor in the foreign service.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Otis and their daughter, Nathalie, moved on April 30 from Hubbard Woods to Highland Park. They will probably go east in May to see their other daughter, Nancy, receive her diploma at the Rhode Island School of Design, in Providence. She expects to spend some time at home, and then return to Providence for the summer.

Marriage licenses were taken out recently by: Edward C. Erickson, N. Second street, and Edith Jarvis of Vine avenue, Highland Park; Raymond P. Parker and Barbara Schrickler of Highland Park.

Mr. Frank Evans celebrated his 70th birthday on Sunday with a dinner at 4:30. Those present were the four daughters and their husbands: Mrs. Walter Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ledlie; 9 grandchildren, 1 great granddaughter and Mr. Monroe Hall. Mr. Smith was unable to attend as he is in Georgia.

Dr. and Mrs. N. S. Mayo of Sheridan place returned last week from Mt. Dora, Florida, where they spent the winter.

Mr. A. J. Young and daughter, Ebba, residents of W. Central avenue for a great number of years, left Friday for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will make their home.

Mrs. Julia Tonns is entertaining at bridge this evening.

Michael S. Palermo addressed the Presbyterian Young People's society on Sunday evening and spoke on "Mission Work in Chicago's Teeming Tenement District."

### D.A.R. Meets May 9 In Lake Forest

Mrs. Ellis H. Ebbotson, 947 Oakwood avenue, Lake Forest, assisted by Mrs. S. P. Williams and Mrs. J. C. McNichol, will be hostess to the North Shore chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution on Thursday, May 9, at 2 o'clock.

Reports of the Illinois State Conference by Mrs. Mawry, and of the Continental Congress by Mrs. Warren Danley, Regent, and Mrs. L. B. Sinclair, delegate, will be given. A regent and other officers will be elected for 1940-42.

Members wishing transportation please call Mrs. Warren Danley, 1270, or Mrs. E. E. Mellinger, 3471.

### Garden Class Will Elect Officers May 7

Under the chairmanship of Mrs. Percy Prior, a business meeting has been arranged by the Garden class of the Highland Park Women's club for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year. This meeting will take place at the club house Tuesday, May 7, at 2 p.m.

If the weather is favorable the class will make a tour of the Ryeson garden in Lake Forest.

### Clear Over \$3,000 on Benefit Broadcast

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