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Woman's Club To Hear Lecture On China Collection

"News Flash in Old Blue" is the title of the topic selected by Mrs. Neal D. Howard of Evanston for discussion at the collectors study group of the Highland Park Woman's club at 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 1.

Old Staffordshire ware has been a source of specific interest to Mrs. Howard for several years. Extensive study has given her recognition as an authority on china. Her collection, which she has gathered throughout Europe and America, is regarded as one of the most noteworthy in the middle west.

One of the primary attractions at the collectors' study group antique show held at the Woman's club a few years ago was her collection of Staffordshire. She was actively interested in the launching of the Wilmette antique show.

Mrs. Howard brings with her many examples from her own collection of British and American historical pictures as well as colored slides with which she will trace Lafayette's journey of 1824 as depicted on this ware.

Elaine Kauffman, Leslie Rankin Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Kauffman of 2243 S. Sheridan road have announced the engagement of their daughter, Elaine, to Leslie A. Rankin Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Rankin of 627 Vine avenue.

Miss Kauffman and Mr. Rankin both attended the Highland Park high school and Northwestern university. Mr. Rankin, who was sworn into the naval air force on June 12, has taken his primary and secondary civilian pilot training and is awaiting assignment to a naval pre-flight school.

Women to Hold Christmas Party

The Woman's society of Christian Service, Highland Park Methodist church, will hold its monthly meeting Tuesday, Dec. 1, at the home of Mrs. Ray Suzzi, 46 Elm avenue. After the business session, a Christmas party will be held. Gifts will be exchanged among the members.



Perhaps some enterprising cigarette manufacturer will advertise "Blank Cigarettes generate more heat."

Over in England the British office has ordered heatless Sundays and Wednesdays for the eastern Command of the British Army. (Hospitals and Reception stations excepted.)

We are doing every thing possible to prevent heatless days on the North Shore. When sub zero weather arrives we'll need your help to conserve Fuel Gas so our Army and Navy load can be served adequately.

Another record-breaking printing job is under way now on OPA's new all-purpose ration book. The run will be approximately 140,000,000.

More about writing Men in the Service—

First Soldier: "What's up, Biff?"

Second Soldier: "I sent my girl two letters every day since I was drafted and now she's married the Postman."

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High School P.T.A. to Hear Prof. Corey December 33

Dr. Stephen M. Corey, professor of educational psychology and superintendent of the laboratory schools at the University of Chicago, will speak at a meeting of the Highland Park high school Parent-Teacher association Thursday evening, Dec. 3, at 3:45 p. m. in the English club room.

Dr. Corey's subject will be "The Idea High School." The school of education at the University of Chicago has been the center of studies and experiment carried on for the purpose of learning how the high school can most effectively fit boys and girls to take their places in the world of today. Dr. Corey is among the leaders in current thinking on secondary education.

He will discuss the findings of the recent research projects at the university and tell what they mean in terms of the activities of the school students.

Before he came to Chicago, Dr. Corey was professor of psychology at the University of Illinois, Nebraska and DePaul. He served as dean of the graduate school at the University of Wisconsin.

He is a member of many scientific and educational societies, on the editorial staff of the Journal of Educational Experimentation and the Journal of Educational Psychology; the author of "Remedial Reading in High School," "Standardized Tests in Secondary Education" and numerous articles in educational journals.

Due to the war, the serving of tea will be discontinued at the meetings.

Music Department Of High School Present Concert

Two weeks from Sunday marks the presentation of the Highland Park high school 13th Christmas concert in which the band, orchestra, and chorus will participate. The concert, which is to be held at 3:30 p. m. on Sunday, Dec. 13, in the auditorium, is characterized by a wide scope of orchestral and vocal selections.

The idea of having defense stamps as admission has been adopted in order to boost the school's total sales of war stamps. The minimum purchase has been set at one twenty-five cent stamp or three ten cent stamps. The stamps are bought and kept by the students and adults.

The music will be characteristic of our allies, with each department playing a special United Nations' selection. The orchestra, directed by Harold Finch, has decided tentatively upon a typical English piece by Delibes, "The Walk to the Paradise Garden," which captures the rustic, pre-war country life of England, and the first movement of Ludwig Von Beethoven's 5th symphony with the ever popular victory motif, which predominates throughout the movement.

A selected group of boys and girls from the chorus, under Mr. Ashenbrenner's direction, will sing a short program of Russian liturgical music consisting of folk songs and spirituals.

The band, under direction of Mr. Finch, will play two excerpts from the melodious 6th symphony by Tchaikowsky. A service medley also is being prepared by Mr. Finch. This will consist of such stirring selections as "The Army Air-Corp Song," "Anchors Aweigh," "The Marine Hymn," and others. The program will be concluded with the playing of "The Stars and Stripes Forever."

N. U. Settlement To Meet Dec. 2

The Highland Park board of Northwestern settlement will meet at the home of Mrs. Harold O. McLain, 639 Montgomery road, on Wednesday, Dec. 2, at 1 o'clock.

Members are reminded to bring completed mittens and sweaters which they have been knitting. At the time, stockings will be filled and knitted garments will be distributed for the children at the settlement.

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Nancy Coonsman Hahn, Sculptress, Will Give Demonstration

Nancy Coonsman Hahn, nationally known sculptress, will give demonstrations in modelling as the program for the Dec. 9 meeting of the Ravinia Woman's club a week from Wednesday at 2 o'clock in the Village house. The Ravinia-Brasside singers will give a short program of Christmas carols.

Mrs. Hahn, who lives in Winnetka, studied in St. Louis at the School of Fine Arts under George Julian Zolnay, and was later a pupil of Charles Grafely. Her work is exhibited in a permanent collection at the St. Louis Art museum, and also appears in such museums as that of Cleveland, Baltimore, Philadelphia and many others all over the United States.

She designed the Missouri State memorial in the Argonne Forest in France, the fountain in the Lucas gardens in St. Louis, the Mormon marker at Voree, Wis., the D. A. R. memorial in Memphis, Tenn., and numerous other public memorials, besides making portrait heads and garden figures for individual clients many of whom live on the North Shore.

For her program Wednesday, Mrs. Hahn will choose a subject from the audience and will model a portrait of that person. Her program is sponsored by the arts committee of the Ravinia Woman's club, which includes: Mrs. Woodward Burgert, chairman, Mrs. F. S. Mudge, co-chairman, Mrs. Edgar B. Carter, Mrs. J. S. Cross, Mrs. E. Lewis Dorrough, Mrs. Walter Fathauer, Mrs. C. Longford Felske, Mrs. P. B. Garrett, Mrs. Leon Harpole, Mrs. Lisle R. Hawley, Mrs. W. Lyle McDaniel and Mrs. Willard Medway.

Tea tables will be prepared and presided over by: Mrs. Vernon Mortimer, Mrs. H. J. Eberhart, Mrs. Richard Baughman and Mrs. John Carington.

Katherine Johnston To Become Bride Of Lt. A. C. Dewey

Miss Katharine Moore Johnston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Parker Johnston of Highland Park, and Allan Campbell Dewey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Dewey of Detroit, Mich., will be married Saturday evening, Dec. 5, in the Highland Park Presbyterian church at 8:30 o'clock.

Serving the bride as matron of honor will be her sister, Mrs. B. Morton Hair of Evanston, and bridesmaids will be another sister, Miss Margaret Johnston of Wellesley college; Mrs. Robert A. Johnston, the bride's sister-in-law; Mrs. Dean Vail Jr., of Evanston, Mrs. Lawrence Herman and Miss Marjorie McDonald of Highland Park.

Frederick Dewey of Detroit will be his brother's best man and another brother, Robert Dewey, who is attending Tower hall in Chicago, will usher.

Following the wedding, a reception will be held at the Johnston home.

Mr. Dewey is attending officer candidate school at Camp Davis, North Carolina. He will graduate as a second lieutenant on Dec. 3.

Former Residents Visit Here

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Nelson and children Barbara Louise and William Fred II will arrive this week end to visit their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Fred Nelson of Forest avenue and Mrs. E. Garling of North St. Johns avenue.

The Nelsons now make their home in Pittsburg and will have a months vacation.

Landscape Paintings By Peyraud On Exhibit At Club

Frank C. Peyraud, an artist who needs no introduction to older residents of Highland Park, has an exhibition of twenty landscape paintings on display at the Highland Park Woman's club.

The pure light of early morning — the quietness of evening — the dying glory of the autumn — the stately grandeur of the trees — the ever changing beauty of the clouds — all have been captured and translated to these canvases by this famed artist.



FRANK PEYRAUD

A native of French Switzerland, Peyraud received his classical and technological training at the College of Fribourg in Switzerland, after which he attended the Beaux Arts in Paris.

Coming to America as a young man, he began early to reveal special genius for landscapes, altho he devoted some attention to murals and theatrical work in Chicago and New York. After painting for many years in several sections of the United States and Europe — the last few years his work has been concentrated on interpretations of the landscape along the Des Plaines River valley.

Eighty-five years old, Peyraud, who still picks up his palette and brushes daily, is one of the few surviving members of the group of artists who contributed to Chicago's early reputation as an art center. A room in the Chicago Art Institute is hung with his paintings.

Dedicating his life to sharing through the medium of his canvas the beauty of the world as he saw it, Peyraud has been honored with prizes in America and Europe, and his paintings are the permanent possessions of art museums at home and abroad.

Advance Date of Hadassah Luncheon

The Hadassah Jewish National fund luncheon has been advanced to Wednesday, Dec. 2, at 12:30 o'clock. The luncheon will take place as scheduled at the home of Mrs. H. Kahn, 580 Longwood avenue, Glencoe.

Children will be taken care of at the home of Mrs. J. Becker, 635 Longwood avenue, Glencoe.

Legion Auxiliary To Meet Dec. 2

Stupey-Smith unit, No. 501, American Legion auxiliary will meet Wednesday evening, Dec. 2, at the city hall at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Walter Smith, president, will preside. Members are urged to attend.

Lectures to Be Given at Temple By Helen Adams

"Adventure in Washington" is the subject of the opening lecture in a series of five to be given under the auspices of the Council of Jewish Women by Helen R. Adams. The lectures are to be held at the North Shore temple, the first to be on Dec. 2, at 10:30 a. m.

This series of lectures is to deal largely with personalities who are making current history in the United States. The first lecture is to be a discussion of newspaper men and women in the national capitol, who they are, how they get the news and what influence they have on national opinion.

The other four lectures include: "Powerful Personalities in the House of Representatives;" "Those Who Wear the Senatorial Robes;" "Makers of History in Washington," and "Beneath the Surface in Illinois."

Mrs. Adams has worked with the large press associations and newspaper syndicates as a reporter and feature writer. Her activities have included coverage in Washington, various other sections of the United States and Europe.

No fee of admission will be charged and all are welcome.

East's Announce Birth of Daughter

Aviation Cadet and Mrs. Lee Edward East announce the birth of a daughter, Catherine Ann, at the Highland Park hospital on Monday, Nov. 23. Mrs. East is the daughter of Lt. Comm. and Mrs. Edwin L. Gilroy. Cadet East, who is stationed at Santa Ana, Calif., is the son of Mrs. Mary B. East, postmistress in Highwood, and the late Major Herbert East.

AIR CADETS TO MEET

The Air Cadets will meet at the Highland Park high school, Wednesday, December 2nd, at 8 o'clock. Each cadet is requested to bring a guest.

Helen Jean Abercromby Is Married to Lieut. Donald Fitzgerald

Miss Helen Jean Abercromby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Abercromby of Highland Park, and Lieutenant Donald R. Fitzgerald, son of Dr. and Mrs. David Fitzgerald of Northfield, were married Wednesday afternoon in Trinity Episcopal church. Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the Highland Park Woman's club.

Attending the bride was her sister, Miss Bernice (Babe) Abercromby and Thomas Gannon Fitzgerald of Detroit attended his brother as best man.

Lieut. Fitzgerald received his commission last week at Camp Davis, North Carolina, and is awaiting orders for his new station.

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