

Society

Womens News

Locals

Ravinia Garden Club To Discuss Work Accomplished

The next meeting of the Ravinia Garden club will be held Friday, Nov. 12, at the home of Mrs. C. Ray Phillips, 250 N. Deere Park drive. Mrs. George Parker of Winnetka will give a brief resume of work done by the Gardens Clubs of Illinois at Great Lakes, Fort Sheridan and Glenview.

Mrs. Maurice Hirsch of Ravinia will speak on "Flower Arranging." Mrs. Hirsch has been conducting classes and lecturing on flower arrangements for the home. Mrs. Robert Prosser, Mrs. L. F. Harza, Mrs. Theodore Uehling and Mrs. Remy Hudson will assist Mrs. Phillips.

The last meeting of the Garden club was held Oct. 8 at the home of Mrs. Roy Nereid. Mrs. Hans Bahr discussed "Bulb Forcing for Indoor Bloom." Mrs. Hugo Riddle announced the board for the year 1943-44.

In addition to Mrs. Riddle, president, board members are: Mrs. V. E. Laurence, first vice president; Mrs. A. J. Baldauf, second vice president; Mrs. John Wilbur, treasurer; Mrs. John Meyer, recording secretary; Mrs. J. A. Bailey, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Theodore Uehling, past president; Mrs. Remy Hudson, social; Mrs. L. F. Harza, rose garden; Mrs. A. G. List, Plant, Flower and Fruit guild; Mrs. Robert Hartog, assistant; Mrs. Robert Prosser, Ravinia station; Mrs. Robert Douglas, civic; Mrs. Robert Glasgow, publicity; Mrs. Arthur Strubel, war service co-ordinator; Mrs. J. D. Dickinson, Mrs. Arthur Fathauer, Mrs. P. D. Stokes, Mrs. Dudley Crafts Watson, directors.

The program committee consists of Mrs. C. Ray Phillips, Mrs. Dudley Crafts Watson, Mrs. James A. Lytle and Mrs. V. E. Laurence.

Former H. P. Teacher Now WAC Lieutenant Speaks At High School

Speaking before the girls' gymnasium class at the Highland Park high school during the past week was one of the class' former teachers, Lieut. Madeline Bushman of the United States Women's Army Corps.

Lieut. Bushman, who was one of the first WACs to return to a duty in Africa, told the students of the athletics participated in by the WACs overseas. Baseball, she related, was popular with the WACs in North Africa, and the women played teams made up of soldiers.

The WACs were rationed on almost all articles, two candy bars having to last two weeks, and one cake of soap having to last the same length of time, even though the soap was used for washing clothes. Water was scarce also, and when it was cut off, they would wait from one hour to two or three days for it to be turned on again.

Another sport participated in by the WACs was swimming, which could be carried on only in the dry season.

In regard to the beauty of the country, she said that the Mediterranean was the bluest water she had ever seen, and that the country was comfortably warm, although they slept under blankets. Algiers was the prettiest of the cities she saw; it was green with many types of cactus and flowers, which cannot be found in the United States.

The natives, she pointed out, were undernourished and grimy. People were happy to sleep in the streets, and it was not unusual to step over numerous figures as the made-her way through the city. The people slept a lot, opening their shops when they awoke. One habit of the people which she thought was peculiar, was the fact that although they slept, they kept up a constant, rhythmic flicking of flies away from their faces.

More Local Girls Needed To Serve In WAC for Air Force

Many army air force ground jobs can be taken over by women of Highland Park, who enlist in the Women's Army Corps, Mrs. Harry Pertz, WAC recruiter chairman here, pointed out today.

Asserting that the air forces can use almost unlimited numbers of trained women, Mrs. Pertz said that communications, weather photography, mechanics, instruction and other duties can be handled by women to keep air force men in flying occupations. Training Given Free

"Training of varied types is given free to those selected for Air Force duty," Mrs. Pertz said.

"Jobs that WACs can fill at army air bases include those of Link trainer instructors in instrument flying, mechanics, weather observers, aerial photographers and technicians, control tower workers and administrative assistants. I urge women of Highland Park to come today for an interview. Address, 704 Ridgewood drive. Vital jobs in the WAC need them now!"

Use of Woman's Club Offered for Many Patriotic Activities

"The members of the Highland Park Woman's club feel it is wartime obligation and privilege," said Mrs. Claburn E. Jones, president of the club, "to offer the use of their club house and facilities as often as possible to those agencies seeking to lessen the sufferings of war, or to hasten the day of final victory."

This year's activities of the club are in charge of the Victory committee, of which Mrs. Harry G. Pertz is chairman, and Mrs. Paul R. Smith, co-chairman. They have divided their workers into three sub-committees, and plans are now being formulated for the additional war work.

Mrs. Whitt Schultz as Red Cross chairman for the Woman's club, has the following members on her committee: Mrs. G. F. Bichler, Mrs. Paul E. Fischer, Mrs. Sidney Frisch, Mrs. Fred C. Henning, Mrs. Byron K. Martin, Mrs. William C. Melohn, and Mrs. Hoyt L. Roush.

The Blood Donor committee includes Mrs. Herbert R. Smith, chairman, Mrs. Charles G. Mason, vice-chairman, Mrs. Albert L. Arenberg, Mrs. Robert Black, Mrs. William Blessing, Mrs. Walter M. Buchroeder, Mrs. W. Fred Gallagher, Mrs. Earl W. Gaell, Mrs. Dudley Hall Jr., Mrs. Wilson L. Kline, Mrs. Lyle W. Maley, Mrs. C. Ray Phillips, Mrs. Carol Baker Summers, and Mrs. Ernest Volwiler.

The general activities division is headed by Mrs. J. S. Bracken, chairman, Mrs. C. E. Bietach, Mrs. Tom Leeming, Mrs. Adolph Lundin, Mrs. H. H. Markell, Mrs. Martin D. Murphy, Mrs. C. Vigo Nichols, and Mrs. George C. Strecker.

The Woman's club continues as a busy center for local war work along several lines. The production unit of the Red Cross has been housed there for a year, and the surgical dressing group will continue to use the club lounge for some time, according to a recent decision by the board of managers. Dressings are made there four days and one evening each week.

The mobile unit of the Blood Donor service of the American Red Cross has visited Highland Park five times, and the club has offered their building for this vital phase of war work. Two thousand sixty-seven (2,067) pints of blood have been donated here for the use of our wounded. The unit is scheduled to return in November, February, and April.

The club ballroom has been used for dances and parties for both army officers and for W.A.C.s who are stationed at Fort Sheridan, and for preliminary meetings of the workers for such causes as the Lake County Stamp and Bond Sales committee, and the Highland Park Community Chest drive.

A Service Men's Scrap Book committee worked two days a week last winter at the club house, and turned out more than 400 books for soldiers and sailors.

Woman's Association To Hear Noted Radio Commentator

The Woman's Association of the Highland Park Presbyterian church will present Dr. Gerhard Schacher, well-known speaker and commentator on world affairs, in a lecture open to the public, at 4 p.m., Sunday, Nov. 21, at the Highland Park Woman's club, Sheridan road and Elm place. The topic of his talk will be "History in Our Headlines."

Dr. Schacher ranks among the foremost interpreters of the European scene in America today. He is intimately acquainted with all European countries, their intricacies, their problems and their power politics. He was born in Czechoslovakia in 1896 and has been correspondent for the London News Chronicle, the Economist, the Financial News and the Manchester Guardian Commercial, as well as Economic Expert for Lloyd's Bank of London.

Three books have been written by Dr. Schacher, "Central Europe and the Western World," "Germany Pushes Southeast" and "Germany Pushes West," which have become best sellers. His last book, "He Wanted to Sleep in the Kremlin," has become overnight a best seller. Tickets for the lecture may be obtained from the following sources: Gsell's Drug stores in Highland Park and Ravinia; Presbyterian church office; group leaders of the Woman's Association, or at the door of the Highland Park Woman's club on Nov. 21.

Alpha Alpha Chapter Plan 'Turkey Bridge'

Alpha Alpha chapter of the Delta Zeta sorority of Northwestern university will give a "turkey bridge" for the new pledges on Friday evening, Nov. 12, at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. S. Willison, 1229 Hinman avenue, Evanston.

Highland Park members may call Miss Katherine Block, H.P. 1370, before Sunday for reservations.

D.A.R. to Exhibit Heirlooms And Historic Treasures

The North Shore chapter of the D.A.R. will meet on Tuesday, Nov. 9 at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Roy Olson, 231 South Deere Park drive. The speaker for the day is Mrs. E. A. Brittenham who has chosen for her subject, "Bobbin and Needle Point Lace." The members of the chapter are asked to bring heirlooms, and articles of historic interest.

Assisting hostesses for the afternoon are Mrs. Remy Hudson, Mrs. E. O. Sessions and Mrs. V. E. Lawrence. This day also marks the annual celebration of Ellis Island day. The D.A.R. continues to carry on the work there, and the state chairman, who was a guest at the October meeting, told of the great value of the work, and the constant need of materials and money to keep the hundreds who are detained there, busy with useful pursuits. As usual, yarn, needles and materials are desired, but the most appreciated gifts are those of money, which enables those in charge to purchase in large quantities, thus assuring finished products.

The board of directors will hold their monthly meeting at 1:15 o'clock that day, previous to the program, and it will be held at the home of Mrs. Olson as an economy transportation plan. On Friday of this week, members will meet at the home of the regent to cut out "Buddy Bags," working all day, and bringing a box luncheon. Mrs. Jared Johnson is regent, Mrs. N. H. Lenington, pro-

Cameron's Hold Open House on 60th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin T. Cameron held open house at their home, 112 Elm street, Highwood, Sunday afternoon in honor of their 60th wedding anniversary.

They were married in West Point, Ga., and lived in Texas before moving to Highland Park in 1912. When they moved north, Mr. Cameron gave up farming to become a gateman for the Chicago and North Shore railroad. He retired 10 years ago.

The Camerons are the parents of eight children: Eugene of Northbrook, Joseph of Highland Park, Clyde of Highwood, Benjamin of Maywood, William of the navy, a former Highland Park fireman and now in the Great Lakes fire department, Mrs. Anna Sullivan of Chicago, Camilla Mildred Cameron and Mrs. Betty Rich of Highwood. They have 25 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren. Grandchildren in the service include Louis, Pat and Daniel Sullivan of Chicago, Joe, Tom and Donald Cameron of Highland Park, Earl Cameron of Northbrook and Benjamin of Maywood.

ORT to Sponsor Antique Sale

North Shore chapter of the Women's ORT will hold a "white elephant" sale Wednesday, Nov. 10, in the studios of Mrs. Harry Kahn, 1162 Scott avenue, Hubbard Woods. Hours are from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Included in the sale will be antiques, laces and bric-a-brac. Mrs. Sidney Wilner, 1015 Lincoln avenue, is chairman of the sale.

Pi Delta Club Holds Supper Meeting At 'Y' on Nov 10

The Pi Delta club for business and professional women will hold supper meeting at the Y.W.C.A. on Wednesday Nov. 10, at 6:30.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bredin, who gave the group a book review last year, will present her interpretation of an outstanding book. To carry out the book party idea, members and their guests will have a book title guessing contest.

Alice Dorick Chosen For 'Who's Who'

At a recent election held by the student body of Knox college, Alice Dorick was chosen as one of the twelve students to be included in this year's "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."

The book, published each year, contains the names of those students in colleges who have played outstanding roles on their respective campuses. Alice is the first junior at Knox to have received this honor for many years, the selections being limited for the most part to seniors.

Chief Hoskins Honored For 20 Years of Faithful Service

A banquet was given on Wednesday night in honor of Fire Chief Edward C. Hoskins, who has given Highland Park 20 years of fine service. He was presented with a reading lamp by Commissioner Edward Moroney. Among those present was the former assistant chief, W. J. Cummings.

Discuss Health In Lake County At League Meeting

"Health in Lake County" is the subject on which Dr. Fred O. Tonney, state district health officer of Lake, McHenry and Boone counties, will speak to the Highland Park League of Women Voters Wednesday afternoon at the Community center. Mrs. Elwood Hansmann, chairman of the department of government and economic welfare, is in charge of the meeting. Several members of her committee on health will give reports on Lake County health conditions. Committee members include Mrs. George Gaidzik, Mrs. Louis Robertson, Mrs. John Innes, Mrs. Albert Elliott and Mrs. Vail Lawrence.

In preparation for this meeting, Mrs. Hansmann and her committee joined a discussion Friday morning at the library concerning the possible need of founding a county health unit. Those who took part were Mrs. Clarence Balke, county supervisor, W. W. Steele, township supervisor, Emmett Moroney, assistant supervisor, Dr. Tonney, and representatives of the Lake Forest, Lake Bluff and Waukegan Leagues.

North Shore Catholic Woman's League Meets Tuesday, Nov. 9

Reciprocity Day, with presidents from the various North Shore Woman's Clubs as guests, is a feature of the North Shore Catholic Woman's League at the regular meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 9, at the Community House, Winnetka.

Katherine Kirchberg, dramatic reader, graduate of Northwestern University School of Speech, member of the Winnetka Drama Club, and of the "Threshold Players" of Glencoe, will give a play reading. Mrs. Albert Mahone, president of the League, has resigned her office in order to join her husband, Lt. Mahone, now stationed at Ft. Schuyler, N. Y. Mrs. Michael McNulty, first vice-president, will preside at the meeting Nov. 9.

Install Officers Of Catholic Daughters At Last Meeting

Catholic Daughters of America held their business and social meeting Tuesday, Oct. 26, at St. James hall, Highwood. The following officers were installed by Mrs. Mae Jans of Evanston:

Marge Innocenti, grand regent; Mrs. T. Minorini, vice regent; Mrs. T. Wysock, historian; Pat Alviani, financial secretary; Mrs. S. Bernardi, treasurer; Lydia Zannotti, monitor; Mrs. J. Reber, sentinel; Anne Benassi, prophet; Mrs. Amedei, lecturer; and Mrs. E. Phillips and Ann Bertolini, trustees.

On the refreshment committee for the evening were Ann Bertolini, Mrs. E. Phillips and Mary Zahnle.

Dinner Dance Planned At Villa Moderne By Cradle Auxiliary

Highland Park auxiliary of the Cradle will hold its annual dinner-dance Wednesday evening, Nov. 24, Thanksgiving eve, at the Villa Moderne. All proceeds will go to the Cradle in Evanston.

The Cradle is a nursery equipped to give infants who, for some reason, are deprived of the care of their natural parents, as nearly perfect care as science has learned to give the newly born.

About 40 young women in Highland Park comprise the auxiliary which works the year round raising money for the Cradle, through dues, Cradle banks distributed along the North Shore, and the major project, the dinner-dance. They sew on layettes, finishing an average of 40 garments per month. Mrs. John T. Spite is the president of the Highland Park auxiliary.

Lorraine Uedelhofen And Raymond Phillips Wed In Libertyville

On Tuesday, Oct. 26, at 8:30 p.m., Miss Lorraine Theresa Uedelhofen, Walter Ave., Northbrook, was united in marriage to Raymond C. Phillips, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray L. Phillips of 358 Vine Avenue. The ceremony was performed at St. John's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Libertyville, and witnessed by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boone, Washington St., Waukegan.

S. L. Phillips recently received his basic training at Camp Farragut, Idaho, to which base he has returned to await advanced training orders.

Oak Terrace School Activities

The Oak Terrace School P.T.A. will hold a carnival Tuesday evening, Nov. 9 beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium. Mrs. Norman Bell is general chairman. All comers will find entertainment. Bingo, dancing, fortune telling and other amusements will make up the program. Hot dogs and similar refreshments will be served. A special surprise entertainment is in store for all!

Parents should plan to do part of their Christmas shopping here, as there will be a special booth with a fine collection of books selected by the teachers for each age group.

The regular meeting of the P.T.A. was held with a large attendance on Tuesday evening, Nov. 2, with Mrs. George Kenry, president, presiding. After a short business meeting open house was held by each teacher in her room, at which time she explained her program for the year, and parents became acquainted with the textbooks now in use. After a tour of the school, everyone met in the auditorium and enjoyed several rounds of square dances with Mr. Thomas acting as caller and director. Refreshments were served by the 8th grade mothers.

Supper-Dance To Be Given At Ravinia Woman's Club

Plans for a fall supper-dance on Saturday evening, Nov. 20, the first to be given this season by the Ravinia Woman's club, were announced yesterday by Mrs. A. J. McMaster, social committee chairman.

Reservations may be made with Mrs. John Wilbur, H.P. 4215, or Mrs. Robert Glasgow, H.P. 3220.

Music will be by Bob Perry and his orchestra, who played at last year's dances. They will play from 9 to 12:30 and a buffet supper will be served at 9 o'clock. The social committee met on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Bertram Weber to arrange details.

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"Fair? What fair? Why, haven't you heard? The Elm Place Book Fair! This Book Fair will be held in the Elm Place Hall of Pictures on Nov. 8, 9, 10 and 12. This gives you a very good chance to get your Christmas shopping done early.

You will find a large selection of books at the Fair, including adventure stories, fairy tales, hobby books, etc. for young and old. All of these books are moderately priced, some of them less than one dollar.

The books you buy may be paid for in cash and carry, or may be charged, if you have an account at an Evanston or Chicago department store. Magazine subscriptions will also be taken. A certain percentage of all sales provides funds for the school library.

Mrs. Ruth Tooze of the Evanston Book Box, where these books come from, will talk on books Tuesday, November 9th at 8 p.m., in the Elm Place auditorium, to teachers, parents and anyone else interested. So set aside a day to roam around in the Book Fair. You won't disappoint us, will you?

Mrs. John W. Newey is chairman of the Book Fair committee. Other members are: Mrs. Kenneth Anderson, Mrs. Tom Leaming, Mrs. LeRoy Clemence, Mrs. Eleanor Patton, Mrs. Herman Zischke, Mrs. Elias Perlman, Mrs. Harold Spears, Mrs. Graham Marks and Mrs. Robert Koretz.

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American industry has proved its superiority during the past two years. Not only has it delivered over 13,000 ships to our Navy, but it has provided hundreds of merchant ships, better armament, built plane production up to 8,000 planes per month, and delivered the goods to our Army and Navy and our Allies.

Mary walked up to the bank clerk's window and said: "I would like to buy some War Bonds." The clerk asked: "What denomination, please?" Mary replied: "Methodist."

Our forefathers did without sugar until the 13th century, without coal fires until the 14th century, without buttered bread until the 17th century, without potatoes until the 16th century, without coffee and tea and soup until the 17th century, without pudding until the 18th century, without gas and matches and electricity until the 19th century, without canned goods until the 20th, and we have had automobiles for only a few years. ... Now what was it you were complaining about? Inland Tips.

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