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Womens News

Locals

Ravinia Woman's Club Plans Dancing Party For New Year's Eve

Resuming an old custom, the Ravinia Woman's club are again planning a New Year's eve dance this year, at the Village house. Dancing will be from 10 to 3, with music by Bob Peary and his orchestra, favorites at many of the recent club dances. Breakfast will be served at 12 midnight.

Reservations are limited to 275 and may be made with Mrs. Francis P. Linnemann, H.P. 4282, or Mrs. Carl Herbst, H.P. 2528. There will be a club table for small unit reservations.

A special New Year's eve dance committee, appointed from the board of directors, is handling the details of the party. Mrs. Linnemann is chairman, and the other members are Mrs. Herbst, Mrs. Robert Douglass, Mrs. Nathan Corwith, Jr., and Mrs. Harry J. Van Ornum. Decorations will be by the club's arts committee under Mrs. P. B. Garrett and Mrs. E. E. Kern.

Luise Haessler, Vassar Student, Home for Holidays

Miss Luise Haessler, a junior at Vassar, will spend the holidays with her mother at 1737 Rice St., Ravinia, and her brother, Ensign Eric Haessler, who will be home on furlough at that time. She will give a demonstration in Chicago of modern dance, which she is studying, during her vacation.

Marjorie Murray Home from Monticello for Holiday Vacation

Miss Marjorie Murray, a student at Monticello College, Dalton, Ill., is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Murray, 31 North Linden Avenue.

Miss Murray, who is one of over 300 students at Monticello, took part in the annual Doll Dinner last night at which nearly 500 dolls and toys were collected by Monticello students for distribution to charities. Miss Murray will be returning to college on January 5 when academic sessions will be resumed.

PLAN GIFTS FOR SHERIDAN MEN

Over 250 Christmas stockings for the soldiers at Fort Sheridan are being filled by Highland Park high school girls. The senior session has charge of distributing the empty stockings to the Girls' club session representatives, and when the stockings are filled they will be delivered to the Fort Sheridan

Legion Auxiliary To Sponsor Party

The Highwood American Legion Auxiliary will sponsor a bingo party Saturday evening, Dec. 18, at the Labor temple. Poultry will be awarded as prizes and there will be the usual bingo and door prizes.

Refreshments will be served. In charge of the party are Mrs. Ernest Ayers and the president, Mrs. Walter Smith and Mrs. Matt Maiman is refreshment chairman. The public is invited.

Art Exhibit At Woman's Club

A one-day Christmas exhibit of paintings by Highland Park artists will be held at the Highland Park Woman's club on Tuesday, Dec. 21.

Represented in the showing are the late Mrs. Clara Hatch Stephens, mother of Mrs. Percy Prior, Stephen J. Heiser, John H. Kies and Miss Phoebe Hansen.

Christmas Party At Labor Temple Dec. 22

The Construction and General Laborers union, local 152, will hold a Christmas party Wednesday evening, Dec. 22, at the Labor temple, starting

Christmas Program of Music Club Given December 22

The Highland Park Music club will present its Christmas program Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 22, at 2 o'clock in the Bethany Evangelical church at Laurel and McGovern avenues.

Carols will be presented by the club ensemble and there will be violin solos by Helen Mayer Mannings, accompanied by Olga Sandor. Virginia Bond Pardee will present vocal solos, accompanied by Clarence Zollicoffer and Miss Sandor will play organ solos.

Following the program, members and their guests will have tea, with the following serving as hostesses: Mrs. Baker Hamilton, chairman, Mrs. James E. Allen, Mrs. Fred Okey, Mrs. Henry Hawes, Mrs. Ernest Reed and Mrs. Edward Christenson.

Engagement of Jessie L. Montgomery Announced by Parents

Mr. and Mrs. James Murray Montgomery of 6928 Wayne avenue, Chicago, former residents of Highland Park, announce the engagement of their daughter, Jessie Lila, to Pfc. Robert Hayes Black, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Black of 345 Bloom street.

Miss Montgomery attended the Frederic Mizen and American Academies of Art in Chicago. Pfc. Black is a graduate of De Pauw university and is now a member of the army specialized training program at the Chicago College of Dental Surgery.

Alpha Gamma Delta North Shore Group Will Meet Dec. 20

The North Shore afternoon group of Alpha Gamma Delta alumnae will be entertained at a Christmas party on Monday, Dec. 20, at the home of Mrs. George A. Stoll, 415 Ashland avenue, Evanston. Assisting Mrs. Stoll as co-hostess, is Mrs. Fred N. Iverson of Park Ridge. Dessert will be served at one o'clock and every guest has been asked to bring a gift for the Christmas grab bag.

Mrs. Edmond A. Siebert, chairman of the North Shore alumnae group, will conduct a brief business meeting. Mrs. Siebert is a director on the board of the Chicago club of Alpha Gamma Delta and will give a report on how the sorority is cooperating in the war effort. All members are again being solicited in an appeal for blood donors to the Red Cross, a project which Alpha Gamma Delta internationally adopted over a year ago in its drive to enroll every member in this vital cause.

The remainder of the afternoon will be an old-fashioned Christmas social with Christmas games and music.

Mrs. Chas. Werhane Paints Picture for Evangelical Church

A life-sized oil painting of Christ entitled "Behold, I Stand and Knock," has been given to the St. John's Evangelical church by the artist, Mrs. Charles Werhane of 115 Clifton avenue.

A well-known artist, Mrs. Werhane has done landscapes, figure and flower paintings and is a member of the Palette club of Rogers Park. The church is being redecorated this week and the painting will be placed in the front part of the church interior sometime before Christmas.

The Werhanes were in business in Highland Park for 23 years before moving to Chicago about 13 years ago.

Clara Olson of 718 Ridgewood drive spent last week-end at home. Miss Olson, a freshman student at the University of Illinois, had as a weekend guest, Phyllis Sharts of Schenectady, N.Y. She is also a freshman at Illinois.

at 7:30 o'clock. Santa Claus will arrive at 8 o'clock. There will be refreshments and dancing. All members and ex-members and their families are invited to attend.

Service Mothers' Club Elects New Officers For Coming Year

The principal business at the monthly meeting of the Service Mothers' Club last week was the election of officers. With a few exceptions, the term of office is two years. Mrs. Geo. Green was elected to succeed Mrs. Edgar A. Jenkins as president. Other officers elected are: 1st vice president, Mrs. Fred Moon; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Florence Schmidt; financial secretary, Mrs. Florence Schneider; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Louis Schultz; recording secretary, Mrs. John Lemmon. The treasure, Mrs. J. J. Peddle, has another year to serve. Chairmen of the following committees will be appointed by the president: Finance, ways and means, budget and publicity.

The Club, which has grown steadily since its organization two years ago, has been very active, and very successful in all its projects.

On December 19 the Service Mothers will cooperate with the Highland Park USO Club in giving a community Sing followed by a Christmas Party. On Dec. 22 they will assist the Highwood Service Mothers' Club in entertaining at the NCCS-USO in Highwood. December 25, Christmas morning, a small group of the Service Mothers will serve a Christmas breakfast to soldiers at the Highland Park USO.

Helen Knight And Lieut. Larhett Stuart Announce Engagement

The engagement has been announced of Miss Helen Knight, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis M. Knight, 411 Lake avenue, and Second Lieut. Larhett Livingston Stuart Jr., A.G.D., son of Gen. and Mrs. Stuart, formerly of Fort Sheridan and now stationed in California.

Miss Knight and Lieut. Stuart are planning to spend Christmas in California with Gen. and Mrs. Stuart. Lieut. Stuart, who has been on special detail for the Sixth Corps area, reports to Santa Ana, Calif., on Dec. 26.

Mrs. Stuart is the former Dorothy Clark, sister of Miss Mabel Clark who lives on Maple avenue in Highland Park.

Mary Ann Jones Honored At Michigan U.

Mary Ann Jones, 199 Roger Williams Ave., has been tapped for Wyvern, junior women's honorary society. She is one of seven University of Michigan juniors maintaining a high degree of scholarship to be chosen for this honor.

Miss Jones has been an orientation adviser and has done publicity for numerous dances, and other projects, in addition to class work. She is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Tom Wilder, Noted Ravinia Artist, Married

The marriage of Tom M. Wilder, well-known Ravinia artist, to Mrs. Mary H. Burdick, was solemnized last week in the First Congregational church at Waukegan. Mr. and Mrs. Wilder will make their home at 1828 Rice Street.

Swing Club's Holiday Party Saturday, Dec. 18

A tinsel trimmed Christmas tree and other Yuletide decorations in the Highland Park Woman's club will supply holiday atmosphere for Swing club's annual Christmas dancing party scheduled for Saturday night, Dec. 18, from 9 to 12 o'clock.

The Christmas party is the first guest night in the series of ten dances. Inasmuch as Swing club is enjoying unprecedented popularity this season and the dancing capacity of the clubhouse is limited, the committee regrets that high school freshman students must be excluded from the guests list this year. A nominal fee for guests will be charged.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Leeping, Mr. and Mrs. Whitt Schultz, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young will serve with the Swing club committee as hosts and hostesses for the evening.

Roselma Roth Smith Given Bridal Shower And Farewell Party

Roselma Roth Smith, married on Thanksgiving Day to Sgt. George Smith of Ft. Sheridan, was honored last week with a bridal shower and farewell party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Roth of 118 Pleasant Ave. The party was given by the Pythian Sisters, whom Mrs. Smith has served for two years as most excellent chief.

Goodbyes were said with a bouquet of beautiful fall flowers. Mrs. Smith will join her husband shortly, at his

Will-Moon Wedding To Take Place During Holidays

Mr. and Mrs. Howard R. Will of 334 S. Linden avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Marilyn, to Robert Hunter Moon, ensign, U. S. naval air force, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hunter Moon of 720 Forest avenue.

Miss Will attended Northwestern university. Ensign Moon attended the University of Michigan until his enlistment in the air force. He received his commission at Corpus Christi, Tex., and is now stationed at Wildwood, N. J.

The wedding will take place during the Christmas week, depending upon Ensign Moon's leave, and the couple will then return to New Jersey.

At this time, it is expected that Pvt. Robert F. Will, who is in the air corps of the U. S. army, and now studying at Buckley field, Colo., will be home, as well as his brother, Pvt. Howard R. Will Jr., who will be coming from Camp Haan, Calif., where he has been serving with the anti-aircraft coast artillery.

Pvt. James O. Moon, who is in the A. S. T. P. at Ripon college, Wis., will serve his brother as best man.

Constance Bruce, E. E. Sutter Engaged

The engagement has been announced of Miss Georgina Constance Bruce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald S. Bruce, 841 Ridgewood drive, to Edward E. Sutter of Wilmette. The wedding is planned for this spring.

Ballet Theatre Opens Christmas Night In Chicago

With a trail of shattered attendance records reaching from New York to Hollywood, the Ballet theatre will bring its triumphantly successful Russian ballet repertoire to the Civic Opera house, Chicago, for a 12 performance engagement opening Christmas night. There will be nine evenings and three matinees of ballet—by the company called "the finest in America" by John Martin of the New York Times.

The Chicago repertory includes 21 ballets—six of them new to Chicago. Of the novelties, two will be contributed by Argentinia and her company of Spanish dancers, appearing as distinguished guest artists with Ballet theatre. The other four novelties are Ballet Theatre's own, and include Antony Tudor's two newest creations—"Romeo and Juliet," and "Dim Lustré;" Leonide Massine's comic "Mademoiselle Angot," and David Lichine's dramatic "Fair at Sorochinsk."

The box office sale for Ballet theatre, including the New Year's eve performance, opened at the Civic Opera house on Monday. Mail orders receive prompt attention at all times.

Judy Rutherford of U. of Arizona Home for Christmas

Miss Judy Rutherford, a sophomore at the University of Arizona, is home for the Christmas holidays. A member of Gamma Phi Beta sorority, she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Harold Rutherford of Maple avenue.

Royal Neighbors Hold Christmas Party At Masonic Temple

Royal Neighbors of Highland Park, No. 5126, will hold a birthday and Christmas party on Wednesday, Dec. 22, at the Masonic temple at 8 p. m.

Each member is asked to bring a 25 cent gift for the "fishing pond." Refreshments are served and all members are invited to attend.

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