

# Deep and Shallows

## The Last Word

I had been sent from New York to take charge of the Chicago Office for a period of about six months. Considering the housing condition, I felt very lucky to have two maiden aunts in Chicago, with whom I could live. But I found out the dinner meal was going to cause a hitch.

They always had their dinner at noon and were willing to change to 6:30 so I could have a nice hot meal, but I couldn't allow that because my office hours were from 10 a.m. to anywhere from 5 to 7:30 p.m. There was a restaurant within a ten minutes walk of the office, and I decided to take a noon dinner there.

When I arrived the first day at 12:45 the usher said, "If you can wait ten minutes I can give you a table to yourself." I answered that I couldn't wait and would be willing to sit anywhere.

Following the usher I was seated at a table for four. Opposite were two elderly gentlemen, who both looked up. To my right sat a young man. He moved his glass of water, against which he had propped his newspaper, to the other side. For a second our glances met. He had nice brown eyes.

After finishing his dessert he folded the paper and seemed to hesitate. I thought he might be going to give it to me, but he suddenly turned and went for his hat, taking the paper with him. He had to pass back of my chair in order to reach the aisle that led to the door.

The second day I was seated at the same table with the three men and the act was repeated. The third day, also, except that, after folding the paper, with out a word or nod, the young man laid it near my glass of water, then got his hat. I would have given him a nod of appreciation when he passed my chair, but he had his nose so far down in his hat he couldn't possibly see me.

The fourth noon when I was seated beside him, he grabbed his glass and paper, and turned his back to me. It was a nice looking back. The coat was of fine texture and well tailored. Clean white collar. Clean shaven neck and brown hair to match the eyes.

I noticed a worried expression in the eyes of the elderly gentlemen. But the folded paper was again laid by my glass as the young man hurried away.

I had a busy afternoon and didn't leave the office until 7:30, and while riding home in the street car, a sudden idea came into my mind. I was surprised that I hadn't thought of it before. The actions of the young man could be plainly understood. He was a deaf mute, of course. He didn't

want to embarrass me by having to talk with his fingers. I felt sorry for him.

Each noon during the following weeks, the elderly gentlemen smiled at me. The young man placed the paper by my glass without a look or sign and marched off for his hat.

Mr. Blanchard, of the New York Office, telephoned me one night that he would relieve me for two weeks so I could take my vacation. When I returned two weeks later to the restaurant, the usher, the two elderly gentlemen and even the waiter welcomed me back. But the young man simply moved his glass and paper to the other side.

When ready to leave, he folded his paper and went to get his hat, as usual. Astonishment showed in the eyes of the elderly gentlemen. I was somewhat puzzled myself. But of course I had no right to expect that paper. It was an easy way to break the habit and —

Just then a hand lightly touched my left shoulder and on my right side came a hand with a folded paper, which was laid by my glass, and a clear masculine voice said in my ear, "I'm glad to see you back, I thought you left to get married."

The eyes and the friendly smiles of the elderly gentlemen showed their approval. But the next day I got a full view of the "Don't speak to me" back, again. After that the routine of the former days continued.

My first appearance at the restaurant was April 15th, and with the exception of the two weeks of my vacation, I had sat next to that young man for five days of each week. It was now the 5th of September, and I had just received word that Capt. Saunders would be back the morning of the 7th. I knew I would have to go to lunch with him. Next day would be my last at the restaurant.

I was very busy but I wanted to say something to the young man, partly to thank him for the paper and also to let him know I was going back to New York and this would be my last dinner in Chicago. But really, I suppose it was the feminine in me that wanted the LAST WORD. I worked out a message in the fewest possible words. When I had the sentence ready, I repeated it over and over again so that it would slip glibly off my tongue. Only when seated in my usual place at lunch did I look up, only to find —

The young man's chair was unoccupied.

—A.C.O.  
(Ed.'s Note: Now, Mrs. O.L.O. — is this nice?)  
—R.B.O.

## CUPID'S CORNER

### Dennett-Gallagher Nuptials January 10 At St. James Church

On Thursday, January 10, Dorothy M. Dennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Dennett, 615 Homewood, was united in marriage to James F. Gallagher, son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Gallagher, 718 S. St. Johns, by Father James Gleason, at St. James church in Highwood.

The bride, in tailored white wool, with matching hat, wore a corsage of pink camellias, and was given in marriage by her father. She was attended by Mrs. Ejner Nielson, aunt of the bridegroom, who wore tailored aqua wool. Mr. Nielsen acted as best man.

A wedding breakfast at the Moraine hotel followed the ceremony. Mr. Gallagher, former sergeant of the AAF, was released from service after being stationed for 30 months in the South Pacific.

### December Wedding For Tina Ferrari and Cecil Notagiacomio

Announcements had been made of the wedding, on Dec. 29, of Miss Tina Ferrari, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mazzetti, 235 North, Highwood, and Cecil A. Notagiacomio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Notagiacomio, also of Highwood, at St. James church. Father James D. Gleason officiated.

Attired in white lace with finger-tip veil, and carrying a bouquet of white roses and chrysanthemums, the bride was given in marriage by her father, and attended by Miss Gloria Linari, in green satin, as maid of honor, and the Misses Mary Casorio and Lillian Biaza, bridesmaids, who wore yellow. The attendants carried red roses.

A reception for 350 guests followed the ceremony.

### Announce December Wedding of the Former Florence Carlson

Mr. and Mrs. Gunnar Carlson, 725 Ridgewood, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Florence, to Lt. (j.g.) Harry A. Jacobson, of Northbrook. The wedding took place in Seattle, where the couple will remain as long as the lieutenant is stationed there.

### Ohio Girl Is December Bride of Robert H. Adler

On December 21, the former Peggy Morledge, of Akron, Ohio, was married to Robert H. Adler, son of Mrs. Harry Adler, 866 Sheridan road. The wedding was attended by Mrs. Adler and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Straus Jr., 1040 Lincoln.

### Mrs. Maren Welch Is Married to Army Corporal

In Waukegan, on Saturday, January 5, Maren Welch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huehl, 1206 Prairie, was married to T/5 Richard A. Miller, of Golden Valley, N. D., now stationed at Fort Sheridan.

The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Harvey J. Hall, of the above address, sister and brother-in-law of the bride.

### Presbyterian Woman's Association Meeting

The regular all-day meeting of the Woman's association of the Presbyterian church will be held on Monday, January 21, beginning at 10 a.m.

At 2 p.m. Katherine Harbison, contralto, will present a program of folk songs from Europe, Latin America and the Far East and the United States. Her program is titled "Musical Flying Carpet."

Miss Harbison brings to the lecture recital field a broad background both of education and of experience. Her bachelor's degree from Wellesley college was in History and English Literature, her master's degree from the University of Chicago was in music. She has sung in opera, recitals and churches as well as for radio broadcasts in several parts of the country. The American Book Co. has published her children's stories based on various aspects of American folk lore and folk lore magazines have accepted her articles.

While holding an Encyclopedia Britannica fellowship at the University of Chicago, she did editorial work on technical and historical articles on music now in the Britannica. Being a native of Kentucky, her earliest musical heritage was the folk music of that region. This she has supplemented with song catching trips into the southern highlands for British and American ballads and into the hills of New Mexico for the songs of Spanish tradition.

The program for the day is as follows: 10 a.m., sewing and hospital dressings; 12, chancel service conducted by Mrs. Arthur Tylee; 12:30 p.m., luncheon served by Mrs. R. C. Johnson's group. Mrs. Varner's group is in charge of the bake sale.

### E. B. Carter Honored By Indiana University

Edgar B. Carter, assistant director of research of Abbott Laboratories, Waukegan, has been honored by Indiana university, his alma mater, through election to membership in Sigma Xi, national honorary science research society.

Mr. Carter, who resides at 2092 S. Sheridan road, Highland Park, was graduated in chemistry from Indiana in 1911. His election to Sigma Xi is in accordance with the society's custom of recognizing each year outstanding scientific research by an alumnus of the university.

### Swing Club to Dance To Sonny Gray's Music Saturday, January 19

The Swing club will meet at the Woman's club on Saturday evening, Jan. 19, for an informal party. Sonny Gray's orchestra will furnish the music.

### Elliot Norrilen Released From Service After Three Years' Service

Nineteen months with the medical corps of the AAF in Europe, Elliott Norrilen has been released from service and is now home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Norrilen, 615 Skokie.

Formerly a corporal, and 3 years with the army, he served overseas in England and France. He holds among other awards, the Meritorious Unit award and the World War II Victory medal.

### Highland Parkers Are Honored at Purdue University

Rema V. Stone, freshman in the School of Home Economics, and Walter R. Wagner, freshman in the School of Engineering, are among the 52 Illinoisans who won the "Distinguished Student" rating for scholastic achievement during the past term, at Purdue university, at Lafayette, Ind.

In order to be rated as "Distinguished Student," the highest scholastic honor offered by the university, it is necessary for a student to maintain a scholastic standing approximating an average of 90.

### Highland Park Music Club to Meet With Mrs. Florence Dingle

The Highland Park Music club will meet on Wednesday, January 23, at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Florence T. Dingle, 515 S. Sheridan road.

The artists will be Miss Alice Holmes, piano soloist, and Mrs. Lewis Goodkind, soprano, who will be accompanied by Mrs. Harry Kempner.

### Son of Mayor Expected Home From Pacific Area

Mayor and Mrs. Joseph B. Garnett, 622 S. Linden, are looking forward to the arrival of their son, Lt. James, of the AAF, who has been stationed in Hawaii since last August.

Four years in service, he was stationed in the States prior to joining the 38th bombardment squadron in the Pacific theater.

### Newcomers in Town

Mr. and Mrs. George Parish, who purchased a home at 681 Central, moved here last December with their daughter, Lynn, aged 6, and son, Randy, aged 2.

Mr. Parish is associated with the Diversey Corporation of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover L. Higdon, 360 Moraine road, moved here from Glencoe in December, with their four children. Mr. Higdon is with Marshall Field & Co. of Chicago.

### Everett Swanson, Soon To Be Discharged

PEARL HARBOR, T. H. — Everett J. Swanson, seaman 1/c, 851 Berkeley, is getting ready to re-join the ranks of civilians, together with thousands of others going through this naval demobilization center headed for the States.

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## Thomas E. Kennedy In County Sheriff Race

Friends of Thomas E. Kennedy today started circulating petitions for his nomination as Republican candidate for sheriff, subject to the primary election April 9 and the general election next Nov. 5.

They also opened their campaign in support of his candidacy, basing it solely on his past record as a law enforcement officer. Kennedy has served one previous term as sheriff, from 1938 to 1942.

He began his career as a peace officer in 1921, joining the Waukegan police department as a patrolman and rising to the office of assistant chief of police.

Appointed chief deputy sheriff in 1930, he then installed a new and complete system of fingerprinting, photography and records in the sheriff's office, and also developed the highway patrol and radio broadcast and block-ade system.

Kennedy has been chief deputy under three different sheriffs, as well as serving one term as sheriff. He was prevented by state law from seeking re-election in 1942. In 1942, he was appointed chief deputy by his successor, Sheriff Walter L. Atkinson.

Kennedy also is a graduate of the FBI national academy in Washington, D. C., having completed the course under the supervision of J. Edgar Hoover, FBI director. In 1941 he returned to Washington for further FBI classes in national defense and security.

He was selected to lecture to police and sheriffs in closed classes that were sponsored by the FBI in cities throughout the middle west. He served on the faculty of training conferences held by the FBI in Waukegan, Rockford, Ottawa and Chicago.

Kennedy, who will have completed 25 years of continuous law enforcement service in Lake county next month, 23 years of World war II.

He began his police career shortly after returning from overseas duty as a navy chief petty officer in World war I. He has two sons who served overseas in the Pacific theatre in World war II.

### Ravinia Ice Skating Carnival January 20

The annual Ravinia skating carnival is to be held Sunday, January 20, weather permitting, at 2 sharp at the Ravinia school skating rink.

Dudley L. Dewey, physical education director, is in charge of events. Mr. Dewey will need at least twelve fathers to assist him as judges, and calls upon the fathers to save the date and lend a hand. Please call Ravinia school, H.P. 1089, and leave your name if you can help that afternoon.

The program will begin with exhibitions by some members of the Exmoor skating group: Nancy Sproul, solo; Jim Hart, Babe Smith and Bill Murphy, comedy act; Peggy Kerber and Gail George, doubles. Louis Behr will announce the events.

The races for all children from kindergarten through eighth grade will follow. Each grade will race separately, the boys competing with the boys; the girls with the girls. Four ribbon winners will be declared in these preliminaries. Then the grades three through eight will compete in the finals when medals will be given the winners. These winners will also be given points for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places to apply on the all school competition, where each child is a member of either the Blue or the Silver team.

Everyone is welcome. There will be no admission charge. It is requested that there be no public skating until after the carnival. Refreshments consisting of hot dogs, coffee, milk, and candy will be sold. Mrs. James Davis is in charge and serving on her committee are: Mrs. Elwood Hansman, Mrs. Laurence D. Smith, Mrs. Louis Robertson, Mrs. Russell H. Johnson, Mrs. Kenneth Kraft, Mrs. Robert C. Brown, Mrs. Robert M. Bussard, Mrs. Woodward Burnett, Mrs. Albert Bingham. Mrs. Louis Behr is in charge of the food tickets.

### Members of C. A. R. To Enjoy Skating Party at Exmoor

The Junior group of the Blackhawk society, Children of the American Revolution, will hold a skating party at Exmoor Country club on Saturday afternoon, Jan. 19. The group will be entertained later at the home of Mrs. V. Edward Laurence, 2211 Lakeside place, for refreshments. Mrs. Laurence will be assisted by Mrs. Elmer W. Freytag and Mrs. Fred W. Schafer.

Jan Ann Turner is chairman of the group. Mrs. George Strecker as a representative of the North Shore chapter of the D. A. R., is the senior president.

### North Shore Committee Meets Wednesday, Feb. 6

North Shore committee, National Council of Jewish Women, will hold its next meeting on Wednesday, February 6.

Dessert lunch will be served at 1 p.m. at the home of Mrs. A. J. Freiler, 495 Greenleaf St., Glencoe.

A most interesting program is planned for the afternoon. The varied viewpoints of Judaism will be presented by Mrs. Milton Klee (Reformed); Mrs. Nathan Harrison (Orthodox); Mrs. M. C. Lipnitz (Conservative).

Mrs. Sidney Mandel is program chairman and Mrs. Milton Tigerman chairman of North Shore committee. They heartily urge all council members and friends to attend, as this promises to be an afternoon of great interest to all.

### Two Highland Park Students at Illinois U In Student Activities

—Among the 1,000 University of Illinois students engaged in directing Illini Union student activities are two from Highland Park, Nancy Henning, 577 W. Park, and Clare Olson, 718 Ridgewood.

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