

## Deep and Shallows

### California

What's wrong with California?  
It's everything I sought;  
The ocean and the mountains  
Were what I craved—I thought.  
And I've found perpetual summer;  
Now I wonder what is wrong,—  
Do you suppose that I forgot  
To bring my heart along?

I've fished in crystal mountain  
lakes,  
When bass were on the rise,  
While dreaming of a woodland  
pool  
Reflecting summer skies.  
Rugged Sierras may be grand—  
I really wouldn't know;  
I'd rather tramp the hills of home  
Now blanketed with snow.

Here in the sunny southland  
At last I realize  
That peace of mind is not a gift  
Wrapped up in sunny skies;  
And happiness is not a place,  
Although we seek it far,  
Most likely it's a way of life  
And where our loved ones are.

Oh, California's nice enough,  
In fact it's really grand;  
The reason that I feel this way  
I think you'll understand.  
I miss the things I could not bring,  
And all the dreams I knew;  
Nostalgia? That's partly right,  
But mostly—I miss you!

Kay of Culver City

### Adam Was Lucky

Sometimes two men may have a  
yen,  
Without hard words or hurts,  
For the selfsame thing—but, ah,  
the sting  
If it happens to wear skirts!

—Pappy

### OUCH! I ITCH!

Above is not a Russian title;  
It's a picnic aftermath.  
Of all affronts, the chigger bite'll  
Thoroughly arouse your wrath.

### Comedy Romance "John Loves Mary" At Lake Zurich Playhouse

After this week's murder mystery, TEN LITTLE INDIANS, the New Lake Zurich Playhouse turns to a play in a lighter vein—Norman Krasna's delightful comedy romance, JOHN LOVES MARY. John loves Mary, but a surprise package from Europe makes it difficult for John to marry Mary. The complications which arise involve Washington politics, The War Department, and the movie industry. This production can be seen Wednesday through Sunday, July 20th through the 24th.

John and Mary are played, respectively, by Harvey Korman, who played leading roles in ACCENT ON YOUTH and TEN LITTLE INDIANS, and by Joan Engelhard, who is appearing in her first lead at Lake Zurich.

Tickets are on sale at the box office, and reservations can be made by phoning Lake Zurich 4441, or by writing the New Lake Zurich Playhouse, Lake Zurich, Illinois. Curtain time, 8:45 p.m.

### Useful Books For Amateur Artists At Library

Amateur artists who see potential pictures all around them in Highland Park, but who don't know just how to begin will profit from the art section of the Highland Park Public Library. "Outdoor Sketching" by Ernest Watson has recently been added to the library collection, and along with Wolfgang Born's "American Landscape Painting" should provide some useful step-by-step instructions and ideas. Particularly useful because of Highland Park's beautiful lakefront is Stanley Woodward's "Adventure in Marine Painting." The author deals with the specific problems involved in sea and lake scenes including moonlight, skies, rocks and location.

### Course In Arrangement Of Flowers Continues Throughout Summer

The Hortense Baldauf course in Fundamentals of Flower Displays continues to attract an enthusiastic group at the YWCA on Wednesdays, where the basement recreation room provides a cool rendezvous on a hot afternoon.

A number of those who have previously taken the course returned for a "refresher" class.

The flower arrangements grouped for criticism at the conclusion of the 2-hour period provide a colorful and interesting display.

Classes will continue through the summer. For details phone the "Y", H. P. 675.

So-called "chigoe" in the word book,  
It's the femme we'd abrogate.  
She's the culprit, so I've heard.  
Look,  
Mrs. Chigoe, bite your mate!  
Marmalade

### Herman Takes A Bow

(A true story)  
His name was (shall we say?) Herman, and he was one of those backward, inhibited youngsters who never get to shine—are never permitted one ray of limelight. Therefore we decided that Herman should have his moment.

The school children were putting on a play, and Herman was given a part. Not a big part, but one he should be able to handle. It was but one line:

"Cleopatra, what have you done?"

And was Herman proud! He drilled and rehearsed his line. But invariably it came out a jumbled: "Cleopatra-what-have-you-done?"

Even at the final rehearsal it was no better. Suddenly I hit upon what seemed, at the time, to be a brilliant idea.

"You must slow up," I told him. "Now listen: after the word 'Cleopatra' take three breaths and then bring the rest out good and loud."

The evening of the performance I was called backstage just prior to Herman's big moment. Suddenly a roar from the audience brought me scurrying to find what had happened. I found that Herman had made a hit.

Painstakingly he had followed instructions to the letter, and had brought down the house with:

"Cleopatra (sniff . . . sniff . . . sniff . . .) WHAT HAVE YOU DONE?"

Ex-Schoolma'am  
—R. B. O.

### Bodies Of Missing Aviators Washed Ashore At Fort Sheridan

The mystery of Mr. and Mrs. John Russell, the young couple who disappeared over Lake Michigan on April 30, after taking off in a small plane from Meig's Field, Chicago, en route for their home in Humboldt, Iowa, has been solved.

Last Sunday the body of Mrs. Marilyn Russell was washed ashore on the beach at Ft. Sheridan, half a mile from the spot where her husband's body was found the preceding Friday. Leg fractures on both bodies indicated that the plane may have crashed.

On May 12 a plane wheel similar to the type used on their plane was washed ashore at Winnetka, giving the first hint as to their whereabouts.

An inquest will be held by Coroner Gar Leaf next week.

### Girl Scouts Attend Summer Day Camp At Sakajawea

The Highland Park Girl Scout summer day camp is in full swing at Sakajawea Lodge with a varied and interesting program including sketching, lashing, whittling, and dramatics. Two young ladies from the Tenthouse Theatre, Miss Joan Baldwin and Miss Barbara Lloyd, gave the girls a taste of dramatics.

The staff of Unit Leaders and assistants are as follows: Mrs. Charles Kluss, Mrs. Leonard Davidson, Mrs. Karl King, Mrs. A. C. Heimerdinger, and Mrs. John Bailey from Highland Park. Mrs. Maurice Allsbrow, Mrs. Richard Senf, Mrs. Walter Lange, Mrs. Lewis Stryker, Mrs. John Kies, Mrs. Fred Nolde, Mrs. George Jacobs, Mrs. George Ward, Mrs. John Silence, Mrs. Charles Yous and Mrs. Lewis Hayner from Deerfield. Mrs. George Kenry from Highwood.

The girls attending are as follows: Helen Best, Barbara Jahn, Judy Heimerdinger, Diane Churchill, Elizabeth Alderman, Barbara Mudge, Judy Romer, Janet King, Margo Steinman, Mary Kay Ellis, Mary Davidson, Carol Kluss, Louise Millett, Mary Frances Frechette, Ruth Griswold, Marian Peterson, Nadine Nellis, Sharon Witten, Sandra Jean Edwards, Nancy Houghtaling, Ginger Cohn, Jean Youngs and Susan Murray from Highland Park.

Roberta Nolde, Caryl Jean Segert, Sue Jacob, Barbara Lee Allen, Joyce Ward, Catherine Pearson, Marilyn Clifford, Nancy Jean Jacobs and Peggy Drechsel from Deerfield.

Barbara Peradotti, Janet Lenconi, Patricia Rogan, Loretta Gisingi, Branda Onesti, Roberta Magnani, Maureen Jean Zahle and Laura Elaine Pepe from Highwood.

### Music Room At Public Library A Cool Spot

The coolest spot in town, a good book, a favorite magazine, in the background pleasant music, and an hour or so to relax. What more could anyone want and what fills the bill better than the Highland Park Public Library? The downstairs music room is the ideal spot to spend a noon hour and it may be added that there the mercury registers a refreshing seventy-five. Among the comforts which Highland Parkers can take advantage of are new record albums, an automatic record player, and many useful music books.

The new Deems Taylor book, "Music To My Ears," affords an entertaining and informative background for the listener as do many of the older volumes. Edward Downes' "Adventures in Symphonic Music" gives informal analyses for the lay reader and the time spent browsing through it may well lead to more thorough enjoyment of our own Ravinia

### N. S. Creative Writers To Attend Conference At Marlboro College

Six active members of the North Shore Creative Writers, a group which meets weekly during the winter at the Highland Park YWCA under the direction of Marjorie Peters have won admittance to John Farrar's highly competitive Conference for Fiction Writers in Vermont from August 14th to 18th.

Those who will leave August 12th for the conference are Ruth Thompson McGibney, Florence Owen, and Kay Covington of Lake Forest; Beatrice Steinman and Emily R. Paige of Highland Park; Dorothy Martin of Evanston. Hundreds of manuscripts were submitted by writers from all parts of the country. Final acceptance was based on the high caliber of the novels and short stories submitted. The number of participants in the Marlboro fiction workshop has been limited to 50.

The lucky six from the north shore writing group will be honored at a luncheon to be held at the home of Mildred Haessler, 1737 Rice street, Ravinia, July 21.

### Miss Phyllis Copp To Conduct Group On European Tour

Miss Phyllis Copp left last week for Quebec, Canada, to sail from there on the RMS Franconia, to Europe, where she will conduct a seven-country European tour.

England, Holland, Belgium, Switzerland, Germany, France and Italy are the countries through which she will escort a group of 22 from the middle western states.

She is employed by the Campus Tours, Inc., and the Olson Travel Organization, Inc., both headed by Harvey Olson of Highland Park.

Miss Copp, daughter of the Howard Copps, 1255 Sunnyside lane, spent several months in Europe last year.

concerts. "Music For Millions", "Evenings With Music", and "Make Way For Music" are other titles which provide interesting material for both the musically untutored and the more advanced listeners. Certainly the time spent leafing through them can be informative and pleasant—especially when it's time spent in the coolest place in town!

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