

LET'S TAKE A LOOK

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News And Views. . . .

Sudden Thought: Seems right strange to this ex-AAF sergeant that a boy of 18 can't buy a gun because it's against the law. Yet the U. S. government gives him a rifle. . . .

Notes At Random. . . .

A slap on the back to **Louis Quick**, Highland Park's ace shoe repairman who can take a tired out pair of shoes and make them new and shiny. . . .

Suggestion: One of these days, write a letter to your old teachers. Praise them for the important work they're doing . . . and for the help they gave you. . . .

Some soap and water and a lot of vacuum cleaning would surely help to make commuting on suburban trains more pleasant. . . Car experts report the 1951 Ford has really got GM and Chrysler worried. Ford designers, now that they've developed the best engine, concentrated this year on riding qualities, body styling and luxury appointments. . . Glad to hear the Music Theater and Tenthouse will be back with us next summer. . . Have you seen that clever new Zenith TV antenna that's a combination weather vane and antenna? Looks a lot better than those grotesque units atop most of Highland Park's lovely homes. . . .

How About This? . . .

How did you like Jack Benny's second TV debut? Was it un-rehearsed, or just what was wrong? . . .

True Story: The couple was childless. But they did have a dog. The dog liked TV . . . and watched the programs faithfully. One day the folks noted their dog's eyes were blinking as he watched TV. The picture they decided was too small. So, for their dog, they bought a new and larger TV set! And that's a true story . . . believe it or not!

Parting Thought. . . .

Take U. S. out of U. N.?
Then push U. N. out of U. S.?
What's your opinion?
I'm still hoping. . . .

City's Oldest Group To Celebrate Scout Week

On Tuesday evening, February 6th, Boy Scout Troop 324 will hold its Annual Dinner and Court of Honor in celebration of National Boy Scout Week from February 5th to 11th. The affair will be held from 6:45 to 9:15 in the Presbyterian Church, which acts as sponsor for the organization.

After a get-acquainted session in the Scout Room of the Church, dinner will be served by a group of high school girls, most of whom have brothers in the Troop. The dinner will be prepared by a Mothers Committee under the supervision of Mrs. Vernon Peterson.

The Court of Honor for the evening will recognize those boys who have earned awards—during the past six weeks. Various skits will be put on by the patrols in the Troop, some of which promise to prove quite entertaining. A barber shop quartet from the local chapter will be on hand to give forth with some of its harmonies. A number of official guests will be present, but any speeches will be of the short variety.

Troop 324 is currently enjoying its 26th year of existence, making it the oldest Troop in Highland Park. Richard H. Hafner is the Troop Committee Chairman for the 1950-51 season, and Scoutmaster of the unit is Harry E. Skidmore. Assistant Scoutmasters are Dr. Robt. H. Black, Karl Salo, Sr., Avery C. Jones, Robt. Francoeur and Russell C. Whitney.

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Girl Scout News



by Mrs. M. E. Tippy

Agnes Picchiotti, reporter for Brownie troop 46 (4th grade, St. James) tells about a birthday party for Laura Lomoro and Frances Bernardoni given by her whole troop. Laura brought cakes; Frances, ice cream; and Agnes, cup cakes. Connie Linari brought the napkins, Linda Vanoni, the pop; Lenora Lunardi, pop corn; and one of their leaders, Mrs. Richard Roach, brought candles and the tablecloth. Mrs. Richard O'Connor, their other leader, was not able to be present. After the party they all played games.

Sandra Salo, from Troop 8 (6th, 7th, and 8th grades, West Ridge) reports an entertainment for the Golden Circle's last meeting given by her troop and upper grade boys of West Ridge school. The program began with a mixed chorus singing "Winter Wonderland." Then there was a tap dance by Tony Guya; an Indian dance by Janet Harter, Buffy Driscoll and Nancy Gould; a pickaninny dance by Janet Harter and Nancy Gould called "Shortenin' bread." Sandra Salo, master of ceremonies, next introduced Mary Morrison, who did a comedy dance, wearing a pillow-case head, and broomstick arms. Mary also played two piano solos during the program. Four boys sang a clever quartet number, and Gloria Wilkie, Mary Morrison, Linda Johnson, Joanne Roter and Peggy Buchanan sang a cowgirl song, with Gloria and Peggy playing ukeleles. The program ended with the mixed chorus singing "Home on the Range" and the audience joining in with the singing.

A suggested new service project for Girl Scout troops is the collecting of pre-school type toys to help equip the newly organized community day nursery, to start in February at the Highland Park Recreation Center. When a troop has gathered together some of these much-needed toys, the Girl Scout office should be notified to arrange for their collection.

Brownie troop 50 (3rd grade, West Ridge) will be gathering together toys for this project. They are also currently making scrapbooks of Christmas cards to be given away as picture books for children in hospitals and in our local day-nursery. Troop leaders, are Mrs. J. E. Middleton, Jr., and Mrs. Newton Frye, Jr.

Brownies from Troop 13, headed by Mrs. Rupert Chutkow, have begun holding elections within their troop to learn to understand how to manage their own meetings. Officers will remain for four meetings, after which there will be a new election—this next time by formal balloting. Present officers are: Jill Trieschmann, president; Carol Urist, vice-president; and Ellinor Fine, secretary. Patrol captains are: Peggy Kehrwald, brown patrol; Pamela Gordon, yellow patrol; and Kristine Mauri, green patrol. Elected for the year are: Joan Hess, Juliette Low representative; and Ruth Fine, member of the Brownie-Planning board, with Jill Chutkow, alternate member.

At the Girl Scout Girl Planning board meeting on January 24, Jean Youngs (8th grade, Lincoln) was elected president and Nancy Gould (7th grade, West Ridge) was made secretary.

Since this was the first meeting for the 1951 representatives, Pat Oppenheimer, Barbie John, and Sally Bridle represented the 1950 board and acted as hostesses. Mrs. John Jacobsen, 7th grade troop leader at Immaculate Conception, assisted Miss Deane White in guiding the meeting. As a result of the meeting, the representatives have eleven topics of business to discuss with their own troops before the February meeting of the Planning board.

This board will make a scrap book of International interest; each girl will color the picture of a Scout in foreign costume and will color the flag of the country and its Girl Scout emblems. She will also attempt to get foreign stamps from the country to put on her page. When done, this book will be presented to the Children's room of the library for reference.

Girl Scouts present were: Peggy Haderg, Eleanor Walton, Roberta Nolde, Peggy Bellamy, Sharon Spriggs, and Maureen Petesch, from Deerfield; Andrea Leads, Peggy Day, Lynn Stunkel, Barbara John, Nancy Gould, Ruth Griswold, Caroline Millett, Carol Sikorski, Sarah Lubin, Danielle Risdon, Jean Youngs, Patty Lou Sheahan, Sally Eedale, Marlon Marchi, Mary Watkins, Diane Teeter, Carol Selig, Carol Feldman, Peggy

Ravinia Garden Club To Hear About Native Wild Flowers

Dr. Julius Steyermark, curator of the herbarium of the Chicago Natural History museum, will be the speaker of the afternoon at the February meeting of the Ravinia Garden club to be held on Friday afternoon, February 9, at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Clifford Makelim, Lyman Court.

Dr. Steyermark will bring with him his colored slides and speak to the club on "Native Wild flowers in their Natural Setting and Those that can be Domesticated."

Well known in his field, Dr. Steyermark is honorary research associate of the Missouri Botanical Garden, better known as Shaw's Gardens, in St. Louis, Mo. His specialty is studying Missouri floral life and he has written a book on spring flowers of Missouri.

In addition, however, he is a plant explorer of Guatemala and Panama and a tropical explorer of Venezuela and Ecuador, particularly during World War II, when he made a search for quinine in the Andean forest. He has in preparation now a book on plant life of Guatemala.

Dr. Steyermark will be introduced to the club by program chairman, Mrs. Spencer Keare. Following his talk, tea will be served. Hostesses for the afternoon will be the Mmes. Willard Ewing, chairman, Henry Fordtran, Montgomery Le Goff and Francis Yager.

Young Highland Parkers Add To Morale In Korea

Seven graduates of the 1950 class of Highland Park High are performing a very solid service to our airmen in Korea. These youths are attached to the food service squadron of the 437th Troop Carrier wing. As the army marches on its stomach, so, surely, do airmen fly on their stomachs. It is reported that the high morale of the 437th can be credited to the excellent chow prepared by these stalwart lads.

These privates first class in the air force reserve are as follows: James Crane, 634 Glenview avenue; James A. Faulkner, 2029 S. St. Johns avenue; Edward P. Hart, 210 Oakwood; Bruce Johnson, 389 Laurel; Philip E. Pankiewicz, 559 Hennepin; Roy L. Sheahan, 2636 Berkeley road and Allen R. Shepherd of 1907 County Line.

The first air force reserve unit to be mobilized for Korean duty, the 437th was called on August 10 last, trained at Shaw Field, S. C.; and shortly afterward was shipped to Japan to become a major unit in the Korean airlift. Over 25 Highland Parkers are in this wing commanded by Brig. Gen. John P. Nenebry of Kenilworth. The squadron has flown several hundred combat cargo sorties.

Lake County Catholic Women Hold Meeting Here

District Lake of the Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women will hold its regular meeting of the winter series Wednesday, Feb. 14, at 2 p.m., at Immaculate Conception Parish, Highland Park, Ill. Mrs. Alex Rafferty, 628 Laurel ave., Highland Park, district president, will preside.

This meeting is part of a series of twenty in Cook and Lake counties. Guest speakers include the Rev. Thomas J. Fitzgerald, assistant director of the Council, and Rev. Francis M. Flaherty pastor of St. Peter's, Antioch, district adviser.

The Rt. Rev. Msgr. Joseph Morrison, host pastor, will give a welcome. Mrs. Thomas Clark, 426 Oakwood ave., Highland Park, Ill. is host president.

District officers will be elected as part of the agenda of the meeting. Serving on the nominating committee is Mrs. John McCaffrey, 627 W. Park ave., Highland Park.

Lenox, Ila Garfinkel, Elinor Levinson, Dorothy Dell, Margaret Perry, Roberta Shaner, Georgia Ohlwein, Darlene Varoni, Carol O'Connor, Pat Oppenheimer, Sally Bridle and Pat Jacobsen.

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Highland Park Baptist Church

OBITUARIES

Axline

Funeral services were conducted yesterday (Wednesday) at the Kelly-Spaulding chapel for Mrs. Elizabeth Axline, who passed away suddenly at her home at 338 Park avenue, Glencoe on Monday. Rev. Lester Laubenstein officiated.

Born in Indianapolis on January 22, 1884, she had acted as an executive in the Retail Clothing department of Garnett's Department store for many years, until about a year ago.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Reid of Glencoe, four sons: John of Miami, Florida; Gordon of Indianapolis, Indiana; William Albert of Los Angeles; and George Edward of Minneapolis; one sister, Mrs. W. J. Kerler of Evanston, a brother, Samuel L. Bennet of Indianapolis and several grandchildren.

Interment was made in North Shore Garden of Memories.

Larson

Edwin Elmer Larson, lifelong resident of Highland Park, passed away Wednesday morning at his home on 1317 S. St. Johns avenue at the age of sixty-nine, his last birthday falling on January 24.

Born of pioneer Highland Parkers, his first home was on the present site of the Northmoor Country Club. On December 8, 46 years ago, he was married to Dimple Sack, also a lifelong resident of this city. For thirty years he served as conductor on the Chicago, North Shore and Milwaukee railroad. Passengers on his train will remember him for his friendly interest in their welfare.

He is survived by his widow; two daughters, Mrs. Theodore J. Zabel, 1348 Broadview, society editor of this publication, and Mrs. Chester Bierwirth, 1631 Broadview; two granddaughters, Theodore and Janis Zabel, and three brothers, Nafe, Adolph and Albert Larson, all of Highland Park. He was preceded in death by one son, Victor, 12 years ago, and also by a brother Charles, of Highland Park.

Rites will be conducted tomorrow (Friday) at 2 p.m. at the Kelly-Spaulding chapel. Interment will be in North Shore Garden of Memories.

MacMillan

Last rites will be conducted at 2:30 tomorrow (Friday) at the Lake Forest Presbyterian church for Wm. Watson MacMillan, 243 Wisconsin avenue, Lake Forest, who passed away in Lake Forest hospital Wednesday morning at the age of 73.

Readers will remember that the remarriage of Mr. and Mrs. MacMillan (parents of Mrs. Jen Semple of Jen's Cozy Nook restaurant, Highland Park) was televised on their golden wedding anniversary, Sunday, December 31. At that time all their children were present except Mrs. James Body, of Paisley, Scotland, where the original ceremony was performed. As a surprise, a sister from Canada was a guest of the studio. Mr. MacMillan, in poor health at the time, lived for the

thrill of the occasion, and never fully rallied after the festivities.

Besides sisters and brothers, survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Semple and Mrs. Wm. Davidson of Lake Forest; five sons, James, of Highland Park, Thomas, John and William, Jr. of Lake Forest, Andrew of Los Angeles, and 13 grandchildren.

Interment will be made in Lake Forest cemetery.

Simonsen

Rites were held on Friday of last week at the Kelly-Spaulding chapel for Knute Simonsen, 64, who died the preceding Monday at Michael Reese hospital. Rev. Herbert Linden officiated.

Born in Sweden, Mr. Simonsen had been a resident of this country for about 26 years, and had made his home at the Julius Bonsons, 1731 Deerfield road. There are no known relatives in this country.

Burial was made at Mooney's cemetery.

LEGAL

Highland Park, Illinois TO THE HOLDERS OF CERTAIN CITY OF HIGHLAND PARK SPECIAL ASSESSMENT BONDS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to order of Court, that action has been filed in the Circuit Court of Lake County, Illinois, in cause General Number 54516, in chancery, for the foreclosure of the lien of general taxes upon certain described property in the City of Highland Park, Illinois, designated in said action as Parcel Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, and that a counter-claim has been filed in said action by the City of Highland Park for the foreclosure of the liens of Special Assessments Dockets Numbers 281, 282, 286, 298, 301, 310 and 328 of the City of Highland Park, so far as the various judgments of confirmation rendered in the above dockets are a lien upon the property described in said action and counterclaim; that said action is brought for the purpose of having a decree entered providing for the sale of said properties by the County Treasurer and Ex-Officio County Collector of Lake County, Illinois, and that the proceeds therefrom be applied pro tanto.

THIS NOTICE IS GIVEN to the end that all known bond holders may ascertain to what extent their interest may be involved and may assert their rights.

V. C. MUSSER, City Clerk of the City of Highland Park, Illinois

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Highland Park Women Serve In Maternity Center Drive

Mrs. William J. Stebler, 100 Hazel Ave., Highland Park, a team chairman in the Chicago Maternity Center's 1951 enrollment drive, has announced that her group will be among 300 workers to launch the drive at the Casino, 195 E. Delaware, Chicago, today, February 1, 12:30 p.m.

Speakers at the kick-off luncheon—given by Mrs. John Andrews King, Lake Forest—will include Dr. J. Roscoe Miller, president of Northwestern University; Dr. Beatrice E. Tucker, a medical director of the Maternity Center; and Mrs. Henry A. Preston, Lake Forest. Mrs. Preston is co-chairman of the entire Chicago area membership drive, which will be held throughout February.

Mrs. Stebler's team, now with 22 members, added three new faces to its ranks recently. These new members are Mrs. Andrea Bratt, 454 Margate Terrace, Deerfield; Mrs. Ward J. Gauntlett, 260 Deerfield Road; and Mrs. Paul Beuttas, Wilmot Road, Bannockburn.

Mrs. Robert Steinhoff, 633 N. St. Johns ave., Highland Park, is serving on the team led by Mrs. Robert W. Carton, 2035 Kenilworth, Wilmette.

The Maternity Center, which is supported by contributions, serves two purposes: It delivers the children of needy Chicago women in their homes, and it trains young doctors and medical students in obstetrics. Last year 350 doctors and medical students received this training.

Kiwanians Hear Report On Far East

At Monday night's meeting of the Highland Park Kiwanis Club, which was held at Phil Johnson's Restaurant, Kiwanians and their Ladies were entertained by Mr. Harold R. Alley, Chemical Engineer and Paper Technologist. His subject was "The Curious and People of the Far East". Mr. Alley recently returned from an extended trip to the Ryukyus Islands, Japan, and the Philippines, where he served as an Industrial Specialist for the Department of Army.