



LET'S TAKE A LOOK

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Random Notes

Memo To Washington: Watch out for those 5 percenters! . . .

Highlighting the News . . .

The Army, in our opinion, is no place for 18 year olds. Not if the Army is anything like it was back in World War I! . . . It's good to see folks rallying around ex-President Hoover. There's a solid citizen with his feet on the ground. . . . Whatever happened to that letter Stassen wrote Stalin? An answer is due, isn't it? . . . Sen. Taft wins new followers each day; and that's a good sign, we think. . . . That slogan—"Strength from the Free World from the United States of America"—which appears on all ECA shipments is a dandy. The fellow who thought that one up deserves a medal. . . . A Wisconsin newspaper says we ought to put a price on Stalin's head. By doing so, it claims, the international situation would clear. . . . Bill Holden is among the top actors in America today—barring none. . . .

Where Are Those Tickets. . .

Months ago we ordered tickets to "South Pacific." Wonder when they'll arrive? . . .

He'll Be A Fine Mayor, Too. . .

When Highland Parkers elect A. Gordon Humphrey mayor of our fine city they'll be doing as they've done before—electing the best to head up their local government. Mr. Humphrey is a fine man and a leader. Good luck to you, Sir! . . .

Helpful Suggestion? . . .

If you're like the rest of us humans, you have many jobs to do . . . and you're wondering when you're going to get them done. One of the best plans we've devised on completing jobs is to: . . .

- 1. Make a list of the jobs you have to do in the order of their importance to you and your family. 2. Do the jobs, one at a time, crossing them off your list as you do them. Do this and we'll wager those many "must" jobs will get done faster and more efficiently. . . .

Local News Notes . . .

Antes Sign Company does just about the finest sign painting you'll find anywhere . . . Those Baum pastries are out of this world—not such a bad place to be right about now, by the way! . . . I think I enjoy those hot roast beef sandwiches at Parkside just about as well as any food I've been able to buy anywhere. . . . These diesels surely are making Northwestern trains make their exacting schedules. . . .

Parting Thought . . .

Think BIG . . . and you'll grow BIG! . . .

Barbershop Harmonizers

Sing At Naval Base

Several hundred of the wounded sailors, soldiers and marines from the Korean front in the Naval hospital at Great Lakes were entertained Thursday night by a barber shop chorus composed of 30 members from the Highland Park and Northbrook chapters of The Society For The Preservation And Encouragement Of Barber Shop Quartet Singing In America. . . .

Featured numbers were also rendered by the "Chordinators", one of the barber shop quartets of the Highland Park chapter. This program was arranged under the auspices of the Red Cross. . . .

Brotherhood Week

"Kickoff" Tea

A kickoff tea for Brotherhood Week activities will be held at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, February 15, in the Georgian Room at Carson Pirie Scott and Company under the auspices of the Women's Division of the National Conference of Christians and Jews. The tea is open to the public. . . .

Mrs. David Wodlinger, 2725 Sunnyside ave., vice-chairman of the Women's Division, is serving as chairman of the Brotherhood Week committee. Among members of the committee is Mrs. Harry L. Canman, 1845 Kincaid, Highland Park. . . .

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Lincoln Dads

To Present

"T.V. Treat of '51"

Lincoln School patrons and their guests will be treated on Friday, February 23, to the annual Dads' Show when the curtain rises to the merry tune of "Hi Neighbor" played by the Faculty orchestra, under the direction of Miss Anne Phelps, accompanied by Mr. Bruce Warnock, Mr. Earl Eldred, Miss Harriett Kaiser, and Miss Jessie Hiatt. Swinging out to this number will be a celebrated list of dazzling, bewitching chorines: Messrs. Saul Pohn, Roy Leonard, Robert Clarkson, Allen Joyce, Francis Barker, and Irving Rose. Adding spice and luster to the show will be Mr. Holbrook with his renditions of the latest in swing tunes on the piano. . . .

Stanley W. McKee, school principal, has employed a facile pen to produce a school room scene, the theme of which is woven around celebrities of the musical, entertainment world of today and yesterday. Irving Rose, as the pedagogue, will propound the interrogations. An able cast of such outstanding personnel—some of whom, it is reported, are fugitives from Broadway and summer stock—is found in the person of Messrs. Howard Slater, Malcolm Sprout, Leon Lewis, Wally Trichel, Jim Duffy, Saul Pohn, Leonard Johnson, Buckingham Gunn, and Vincent Viezbicke, will portray such stars of stage, screen, and the sports world as Jack Benny, Rudolph Valentino, Harold Lloyd, Charlie Chaplin, Carol Channing—"Diamonds Are A Girl's Best Friend," Elsa Maxwell, Al Jolson, Rudy Vallee, Groucho Marx, Gussie Moran, Mary Martin and Enzo Pinza. . . .

Specialty numbers in the show will include Ross and Klein doing a Burl Ives. Mr. Mortimer Scheff, an outstanding concert pianist, in his own right, will give the show the elat it deserves through a presentation of several classical numbers. . . .

The show will end with a happy conclusion to the dancing of the chorines to "It's a Good Day." . . .

Mr. Mac McOmber, who heads the kitchen brigade, is preparing the refreshments for the evening. Mr. Jules Solomon, serving as the master of ceremonies, will keep the show "stitched together" with his timely and witty remarks. . . .

Congresswoman Church

Supports Hoover Plans

Following her appointment to the Subcommittee on Executive and Legislative Reorganization, Marguerite Stitt Church stressed the imperative importance in the mobilization program of the several major Hoover Commission plans for government reorganization still awaiting White House and congressional sanction; and demanded their speedy approval. As a member of this important unit of the Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments the Illinois congresswoman can play a big role in remodelling the federal administrative machinery according to the specifications proposed by the Hoover Commission in its 19 major reports. . . .

"The Hoover Commission", said Mrs. Church, "has drawn the blueprints for streamlining government operations in a way to save the taxpayers at least \$5 billion per year. This is almost as much money as this Congress can save if it has the courage to trim all the fat off Mr. Truman's proposed new budget. The adoption of these blueprints, however, would be not mere one-shot economy; but a tremendous saving attainable annually as long as Congress and the President will demand and get efficiency and common-sense business methods in government operations. . . .

The Evanston representative added that, "Sound, economical administration of the world's biggest business is of the highest importance at all times; but now that the national economy must carry the increased burdens for America's security, the need is imperative. We should complete the over-all reorganization without further delay. Thereafter, we must insist that the President employ the streamlined administrative machinery in a way to yield maximum benefits to the taxpayers." . . .

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Presbyterian Women To

Hear Religious

Book Review

The Woman's Association of the Highland Park Presbyterian Church is holding a special Lenten meeting, Monday, Feb. 19th, at 1:30 in the parish house of the church. The Rev. Edward W. Greenfield will review "The Life of Jesus" by Edgar Goodspeed, an author best known for his "American Translation of the Bible." . . .

This book, though written from the point of view of modern scholarship, nevertheless, preserves the basic values of tradition, and thus makes the story of Jesus illuminating and inspiring to both liberal and conservative. . . .

Mr. Greenfield's training particularly qualifies him for lecture work in the field of religious literature, with specific emphasis upon Biblical history. He is very enthusiastic about "The Life of Jesus", which has received favorable reviews in many of the leading publications across the country. . . .

The public is cordially invited to attend. . . .

Beginning Friday, Feb. 16th, the Highland Park Presbyterian Church will be open for prayer between 9:30 and 10 a.m. Anyone who cares to attend will be very welcome. . . .

Redeemer Guild Honors

Member Of 25

Years' Standing

At the regular monthly meeting of the Redeemer Guild, held at the Redeemer Lutheran church on Thursday, February 8, Mrs. Anna Nielsen was feted in honor of her 25 years of membership in the guild. . . .

Decorations were carried out in white and silver nappery and silver leaves. The huge centerpiece was of white mums with sprays of silver, and a large cake bore a congratulatory message. The guest of honor was presented with a corsage of silver and white. . . .

Mrs. Rudolph Netzer, president of the guild, acted as mistress of ceremonies, and an inspiring address was given by Rev. H. K. Platzer, who also presented Mrs. Nielsen with a gift of jewelry in behalf of the guild. . . .

Two new members were added to the guild at the occasion: Mrs. Frank Stubbendahl, active, and Mrs. C. W. Matthiesen, associate. The committee on choosing the gift consisted of Mesdames Tom Miller and Bertha Kittman. Hostesses were Mesdames John Grostad and Henry Grossman. . . .

Mrs. Nielsen plans to visit Denmark in March. . . .

Rev. Platman To

Address St. Martha's

Guild, February 19

On Monday evening, February 19 at 8 p.m. in the Guild Hall at Trinity Episcopal church, Rev. Robert H. Platman will speak on "The Meaning of Lent". The talk, sponsored by St. Martha's Guild, will be of help and inspiration to all who are interested in the keeping of Lent. . . .

The guild cordially invites all members of the parish and others who are interested to attend this meeting. . . .

Stork Shower Given

By Dorcas Society

At the monthly meeting of the Dorcas society of the Redeemer Lutheran church, held at the home of Mrs. Marvin Lawrentz, 526 Lincoln, on Tuesday, February 6, a surprise baby shower was given for Mrs. Raymond Rectenwald. Fourteen Dorcas members were present, besides other friends of the guest of honor. . . .

Mrs. Milton Voigt acted as co-hostess with Mrs. Lawrentz. . . .

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Welfare Wings To

See Feature Movies

Members of the Highland Park-Ravinia Infant Welfare Wing will get to see a full length feature movie at their February meeting Monday night. "Just like down town", the film will have sound accompaniment and is to be in technicolor. Mr. Benno F. Nell, whose wife is a member of the group, will be "camera man" for the evening. "Cargo for Peace" is the title of the film, and it will show how people in various nations throughout the world live and work—and the effect on them of ideas and goods imported from the United States. . . .

Hostess for this meeting is Mrs. Robert H. Moon, of 209 Laurel, with Mrs. Robert Jarchow, Mrs. John Channer, and Mrs. W. W. Hamilton serving as co-hostesses. Refreshments will be served, and plans for the spring dance will occupy the business portion of the meeting. May 5 has been chosen for the date of the dance, and the Saddle and Cycle Club in Chicago the place. A chairman to head the dance will be selected Monday night, and committees organized to take charge of tickets. . . .

Glencoe Temple Clubs

To Present Play By

Joseph Pincus

The trials and tribulations of a Summer Stock Company working in a small New Hampshire town provide the hilarious comedy setting for "Summer in Paradise," to be produced by the Sisterhood and Men's Club of North Shore Congregation Israel, at the Central School Auditorium, Glencoe, February 28 and March 1. . . .

The play is written by Jacob Pincus of Highland Park. The leads in the production are taken by Arlen Hiken and Mort Abrams of Glencoe, John Hess of Highland Park is Assistant Producer, and Jay Herz of Glencoe is Stage Manager. Melvin B. Todes of Highland Park, Chairman of the Ticket Sale Committee, reports that the sale of tickets promises a sell-out for the benefit of the Building Fund of the Temple. . . .

Prize Winning Author To

Address Mothers' Guild

At the regular monthly meeting of the Mothers Guild of the Immaculate Conception School, the guest speaker will be Mrs. Richard Nowinson. Mrs. Nowinson is the winner of the Christopher award for her novel, The Legacy of Gabriel Martel. . . .

Mrs. Nowinson, who is a member of the Guild will review the best seller, The Age of Innocence by Edith Wharton. The meeting will be held in the Rectory Club Rooms Feb. 15th at 1:30 p.m. . . .

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FELLOW CITIZENS:— The proposition of City Manager type government for Highland Park has wide acceptance if the phone calls on last week's ad are any indication. However, many people did not realize we could have it HERE. For the record let's reprint an excerpt from the Jacobson Report. (page 7, available for public perusal at the library) "The state law provides that, 'the council shall have the power, by ordinance from time to time, to create, fill and discontinue offices and employments other than herein described, according to their judgment of the needs of the city or village'. The position of City Manager may be created under this authority." In the interests of modern government, support in the Primary election February 27, 1951 CANDIDATES FOR CITY COMMISSIONER JAMES "ED" MEEHAN KEITH W. BURGE Paid Political Advertisement

"Y" Offers Spring

Classes In Spanish

And Bible Study

The Y.W.C.A. committee on adult education are to be complimented for their efforts in securing two well known educators who will conduct classes in Spanish and Bible Study. . . .

Other classes on many interesting subjects will be announced in this column at a later date. . . .

On March 1st at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. John Shaver, well known teacher of languages will start a Spanish class. This course consists of ten lessons. A class in French will be started later on provided there is enough interest shown in the subject. . . .

On March 2nd at 8:00 p.m. Professor Karl A. Roth will start a series of ten lessons in Bible Study. Professor Roth is well known to all this community through his long association of twenty-seven years with Lake Forest College. . . .

It is anticipated that these classes will be very popular, so early registrations are necessary as the classes will be limited. For further information call the Y.W.C.A., telephone number Highland Park 2-0675. . . .

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