

Deep and Shallows

I Remember, Mamma!

Although our national observance of Mother's Day began with the success of Ann M. Jarvis in 1914, after a crusade of seven years in honor of her own mother, actually, the custom of remembering mothers on a special day began in medieval times. The occasion, then known as "Mothering Day", was celebrated also as the Virgin Mary's Day, when gifts were brought to religious shrines, and living mothers were honored in a similar fashion.

Sir James George Frazer, in study of racial customs, points out that the relationship between parents and offspring was not pleasant among primitive tribes. Children were afraid to call their parents by name, lest it attract evil spirits. As for in-laws—the most solemn oath a native of New Britain can take is—"If I am not telling the truth, I hope I may shake hands with my mother-in-law."

In the Stone Age, relations were most trying. Life with father frequently ended in a life-and-death struggle, when the strongest son became the family head. Mother remained, with the understanding that "woman's work is never done."

However, in modern times human nature has mellowed, and parental dignity has been established. Biblical scholars have recorded that at one time it was considered a crime punishable by death for a son to disagree with his father.

In Yugoslavia three consecutive Sundays in December were set aside to honor family ties. On

Dechyi Dan (Children's Day), parents, tongue in cheek, tie their youngsters, holding them captive until they promise to be good, or offer some small gift. On Materitse (Mother's Day) and Ochichi (Father's Day) children turn the tables, refusing to release their parents unless rewarded with a gift.

In this country, a Kentucky school teacher began holding exercises in honor of mothers. Springfield, O., followed suit in 1890, but the tradition ended there. Then, in 1914 President Woodrow Wilson signed a Congressional resolution setting aside the second Sunday in May as Mother's Day. This was brought about through the efforts of Anna M. Jarvis of West Virginia. Father's Day was instigated by Mrs. John Bruce Dodd of Spokane, Washington. It falls on the third Sunday in June.

This year a surprise is in store for Mother and Dad in the way of greeting cards. Many 1951 varieties are titled, "To Father on Mother's Day", and "To Mother on Father's Day". Just another way of saying both can be honored simultaneously.

The idea of wearing a white carnation in memory of Mother, and a bright flower for the living, originated, it is believed, with President McKinley. If your gift to Mother is to be flowers, a graceful way to please her is to select the type which seems to suit her nature, or has some sentimental meaning for her. It is your special way of saying, "I remember, Mamma."

—R.B.O.

Highland Parker

To Address
C.P.A. Gathering

Harry R. Hurvitz, 188 Roger Williams ave., will speak at the second technical session in the spring series sponsored by the Illinois Society of Certified Public Accountants today (May 10) in the Field Building, Chicago.

Hurvitz, partner in the firm of H. R. Hurvitz & Co., Chicago CPA's, and a member of the Illinois Society's committee on taxation, will discuss time-saving procedures in the conduct of an audit by certified public accountants. As one member of a three-man panel, he will cover the various steps involved in planning an audit engagement.

The technical meetings, conducted semi-annually by the Illinois Society, will close on May 24, to be resumed in the fall. Accounting students from local universities have been invited to attend and participate in the discussion.

Orientation Days

In Kindergarten

Kindergarten teachers in District 107 are wishing to contact all children who will be five on or before next December first. These children, who will be in kindergarten next year, are being invited for a series of visits at regular kindergarten sessions this spring. This preliminary induction program will simplify the problem of beginning school in the fall.

Any parents who have not already contacted the Green Bay road or Elm Place kindergartens should call the school secretary at HI 2-2930 as soon as possible for this purpose.

Advance Garden Sale

Orders Will Be Filled Early

Customers of the Annual Garden Sale of St. Martha's Guild of Trinity Church who wish to be assured of getting the plants they want will take advantage of the advance order plan.

By getting orders for flats or potted plants in by May 15, these customers can be assured of delivery on May 19, a week in advance of the sale itself.

The general sale will be held May 26 in downtown Highland Park, and will include flats, potted plants, bulbs, garden equipment and bird feeders.

Orders should be given to Miss Adele Whitfield, HI 2-2867 by May 15.

Fellowship Club Of Wesley Methodist

On Friday, May 11th the "18-40" Fellowship club of Wesley Methodist church consisting of young single folk who are out of high school, will meet at the church at 7:30 p.m. leaving by car to go to the Fredrickson residence at 902 Deerfield road for an evening of recreation. Such games as horseshoes, badminton, archery, croquet will be enjoyed, and in the cool of the late evening a roaring fire.

There will be a short business meeting at which time a nominating committee will be appointed.

The Intermediate Youth fellowship will meet at the church on Saturday, May 12th, at 10:00, under the direction of Mrs. James Nolan.

Women Of Moose To Honor Anniversary

Of Chapter 806

May 16 is the date of the next meeting of Women of the Moose, chapter 806—an important meeting, as it is the 23rd anniversary of the chapter. The chapter was instituted on May 18, 1928 with 27 charter members. Three of the charter members are now living: College of Regent, Mrs. Herbert Coleman and co-workers Mrs. Frank Zimmers and Mrs. Chambers. Mrs. Zimmers is also first sentinel.

An important feature of the evening will be election of officers. Offices to be voted on are: Senior Regent, Junior Regent, Chaplain, Recorder and Treasurer. A guest speaker will be introduced by Mrs. Lee Tagmorelli, Hospital Guild chairman, and there will be initiations of new members and birthday gifts. Games and refreshments will follow.

A Games party at the Moose home, on May 26, is being planned by Mrs. Tagmorelli. There will be refreshments, gifts, etc.

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Highwood Auxiliary American Legion

Highwood Unit No. 501, American Legion auxiliary will hold its regular monthly meeting Monday, May 14th, at 8:00 p.m. at the Legion home, 220 Green Bay rd., Highwood, Mrs. William Christensen, Vice-president will preside in the absence of the president, Mrs. Arthur Cervetti, who will be convalescing from an operation. Final plans for Poppy Day will be made, which will be held May 19th, or May 25th and 26th, in case it rains on the 19th.

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Presbyterian Women To View "Skid Row" Film Thursday

Woman's Association of the Highland Park Presbyterian church will hold an all day meeting Thursday, May 17, at the church. At 2 p.m. Mrs. Kenneth Lacy, Program Chairman, will present a motion picture entitled "The Church Moves In," a picture which reveals the shocking conditions of Chicago's Skid Row, and what the church is doing to alleviate the situation.

The meeting will open at 10 a.m. when the members will gather to sew and make hospital dressings. Mrs. Karl King's group will conduct the bake sale at 11. At noon Mrs. E. P. Barnes, of the Ass'n, will speak at the Chancel Service, after which Mrs. Aaron Bauer's group will serve luncheon. Mrs. Bauer's group will also serve the Men's Fellowship, dinner on May 10.

The tea and drive for the residents of the Presbyterian Home in Evanston will be held May 14. Anyone interested in assisting the committee is asked to call Mrs. George Ryan, HI 2-4812.

There will be a box in the hall of the parish house for the soap coupons that members have been asked to save.

Child Guidance Demonstrations

Because of North Shore interest in the work of the Community Child Guidance Centers, a series of four demonstration sessions will be presented at 10 a.m. on Saturday, May 5, and 19 at the Central School in Glencoe and at 10 a.m. on Saturday, May 12 and May 26 at the Greeley School in Winnetka. Anyone interested in child guidance and the scientific assistance of family counselling is invited to attend.

Mrs. Gordon Parks New President Of Ravinia Woman's Club

Mrs. Gordon R. Parks, newly elected president of the Ravinia Woman's Club, was introduced to the club members at the final luncheon meeting of the year yesterday at the Ravinia Village House. She, in turn, introduced the members of her board who took office with her. The officers include Mrs. E. E. Dierking, second vice-president; Mrs. R. G. Kimber, corresponding secretary; Mrs. C. A. Bartlett, treasurer, and Mrs. William Alderman, director.

Officers whose positions hold over for a second year are Mrs. John Kuiper, first vice-president, and Mrs. Charles Stunkel, recording secretary.

Chairmen of committees who will continue for a second year are Mrs. John Kuiper, membership; Mrs. Robert Palmer, program; Mrs. John Armstrong, arts; Mrs. Robert Billeter, auditing and revisions, and Mrs. Theodore Rehn, publicity.

New committee chairmen are as follows: Mrs. George D. Harrison, Philanthropy; Mrs. E. E. Dierking, house; Mrs. Robert E. Clarkson and Mrs. Gordon Fowler, social; Mrs. Shelby Garwood, maintenance; Mrs. John N. Barber, Jr., civics, and Mrs. Robert S. Froehlich, Holly Hop.

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