



Social Activities  
and  
Personal Mention  
by  
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EACH week-end the north shore takes on the aspect of a summer resort. With our bathing beach a scene of verdant and vermilion costumed swimmers; our country clubs gay with martial music, dinner parties and dancers intermingled with the olive drab of our embryo officers from Fort Sheridan and the navy blue of the jacksies from the Great Lakes Naval Training Station; and our main thoroughfares lined with automobiles, we might even rival the popular summer places of Wisconsin and Michigan. But a new advent has come among us. With the urgent call for conservation came the increased interest in the simple but ever enjoyable morning hour in the garden. Now the pulling of weeds is taking more and more of our recreation time and the picking of potato bugs bids fair to rival the topping of the golf ball. But even in our fun we feel an undercurrent of seriousness which prompts us to be ever alert to any new demands which come from our country's capital. And indeed, is it not inspiring to meet so many women and girls, even the youngsters, with a knitting bag over their arm, wielding the needles even as they walk along the street?

An S. O. S. call has been sent out by the Red Cross and Navy League sections for volunteer workers for making garments, bandages and, above all, comfort kits. Whoever invented that last name was a genius, for it rather suggests a "love pat" from some one at home—a solace, a life-saver, and the demand is growing daily—for comfort kits wear out, their contents are quickly exhausted and the number of boys who want and need them is growing by leaps and bounds. It takes many hours of work every day by the volunteers to make and fill these kits, and there is no let up in sight—only increasing need.

Most delightful, indeed, is the group of operas that are billed for the remainder of this week at Ravinia Park. This evening will bring "L. Traviata;" Friday, "Carmen;" Saturday, "Rigoletto," and Sunday, "Madame Butterfly" and "The Secret of Suzanne." The afternoon of August 2 has been selected for the annual "Children's Carnival Day." The kiddies of the north shore will be the guests of the afternoon, and as many as choose to do so are invited to come in costume, anything from Mother Goose togs to the little wild Indian outfit will do. The Glendale and Allendale boys in their uniforms are to come with two bands and attend the concert en masse. The youngsters will form into a grand march at 1:30 o'clock and parade about the grounds before entering the pavilion. Mrs. Charles Wanner and Mrs. Louis Bruch are representatives from Wilmette who are very much interested in this afternoon outing for the children.

Mrs. A. E. Tilroe, 978 Oak street, gave a lawn card party at her home on Thursday afternoon of last week. She was assisted by the social committee of the north Shore Catholic Woman's league. The proceeds of this party was used for the Archbishop Mundellien fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Heylinger A. De Windt, 593 Sheridan road, will entertain the Winnetka boys who are at Fort Sheridan and their guests; also a number of the young girls of Winnetka at their cottage on the bluff on Saturday evening.

The bridge party which was planned for this afternoon in the gardens of Mrs. W. H. Martin, Mrs. J. Prindiville and Mrs. Edward S. Rogers, for the benefit of the Navy League, will be given tomorrow afternoon instead, because of its conflict with the Red Cross work. Mrs. Victor Elting will be in charge of the bridge tables. Those who do not wish to play bridge may bring their sitting. Tea will be served in the gardens.

The Ravinia club, of which Mrs. Grace McLeish of Glencoe is president, has announced a children's carnival for next Thursday afternoon. All children are invited, admission free, and are asked to come in costume if possible. A special children's program will be given and the Chicago Symphony orchestra will play.

Miss Lillian Muench, who has been sitting with friends in Winnetka and Highland Park, returned to her home in Olney, Ill., on Tuesday.

Miss Alice Stevens of Chicago is spending two weeks as the guest of her aunt, Mrs. E. E. Adams of Elm street.

Miss Myrtle Mlackstad of Chicago is spending a month with her mother, Mrs. Alice Blackstad of 1076 Pine street.

Mrs. Clara Heindselman of Chicago was a week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Adams 1926 Cherry street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brewer and Mrs. Jessie Fugate are spending the summer at their cottage at Covert beach, Mich.

Mrs. J. N. Ott and two children of Indian Hill road left Monday for an outing trip at Devil's Lake, Wis.

Dr. E. A. Trowbridge is spending his vacation with relatives in Kansas City, Mo.

Miss Ada Garretson, who has been visiting with her sister, Miss May Garretson, recently returned to her home in Salem, Ia.

G. A. E. Kohler and family, 975 North avenue, are spending the summer at Waukzoo, Mich.

Mrs. John A. Jameson and children, who have been in California for two years, are spending the summer at the Huron Mountain club and will return to their home in Hubbard Woods in the fall.

Miss Ruth Kerber of Elgin, Ill., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Lieber and family of Elm street.

Mrs. E. S. Jewell and daughter, Jean, of Omaha, Neb., are the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Harold of 979 Elm street.

Miss Alice Stevens of Chicago is spending two weeks as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Adams, 797 Elm street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Converse, 396 Hawthorn lane, announce the birth of a son on Thursday, July 19.

Rev. E. Ashley Gerhard and family are spending the summer in Traverse City, Mich. During their absence Rev. C. T. Stout of Chicago is taking Rev. Gerhard's place and is church.

Miss Harriet Buckingham has returned from New York, where she went to attend the wedding of her cousin.

Charles Burkitt has returned from Lake Hamlin, Mich., where he spent two weeks on a fishing trip.

Miss Alta Gahan is spending the summer motoring through New England.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Daughaday of Bryant avenue are spending the summer at Lake Geneva.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCloud, who have been visiting in Portsmouth, O., returned to Kenilworth last week.

Miss Priscilla Allen is visiting Miss Shattuck at her home at Lake Marie, Wis.

Mrs. A. C. Wolf and daughter, Elsa, who have been at the Kenilworth Inn for the past fortnight, left Friday to spend the summer near Detroit, Mich.

Miss Jane Highbee entertained with a card party on Tuesday afternoon of last week.

Miss Alice and Miss Geraldine Fitzgerald of Hubbard Woods are spending a month with their sister, Mrs. A. B. Crowe of Sullivan, Mo.

Mrs. Calvin Fentress of Green Bay road, Hubbard Woods, is visiting with her mother, Mrs. Lyon, at her home in Ludington, Mich.

Miss Dora Ilg of Pine street, accompanied by Mrs. Ruth of Chicago, are spending two weeks in St. Louis as the guests of Dr. H. Scherrer.

Henry Ilg and Charles Wood have enlisted in the Navy and have been at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station for the past two weeks.

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Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Everett and son, Henry, motored to Winona, Ind., last week.

Miss Mae Gibson will be hostess next Tuesday afternoon to the members of the Young Ladies' Auxiliary.

The regular weekly luncheon and bridge party was held on Wednesday at Westmoreland Country club.

There will be a junior dance at Indian Hill Country club this Saturday evening.

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