

Social Happenings on the North Shore by Ruth Risley

ONE OF THE REMARKABLE WAR WORK UNITS on the north shore is the Gift Shop, which has been open at Community House, under the able management of Mrs. Douglas Smith, and her committee, for nearly a year. Though the shop has been open only two hours a day the phenomenal sum of four thousand dollars has been raised.

The large number of visitors who thronged the Shop on its opening day, last Saturday, following the influenza epidemic, testifies to the pace which the Gift Shop and its interest in Dr. Brown's work overseas, has set for itself, for \$1,000 is to be sent this week to Dr. Brown for rehabilitation work.

A number of women have volunteered their services up to Christmas and many new and beautiful things have been brought to the shop, for sale. The government has asked that all Christmas shopping be done early. It is possible to find many attractive gifts at the Gift Shop which is open now daily from 2 to 5 o'clock, and will save much fatigue and worry of shopping. Choice bric-a-brac, jewelry, well-chosen books and pictures, charming frocks, blouses and hats for little people, as well as loads of practical things such as a gas stove, a bread mixer, and even furniture can be purchased at very reasonable prices. Those volunteering service for certain days in the week are: Mrs. William A. Otis and Mrs. H. A. de Windt, who will be in attendance on Mondays; Mrs. Landon Hoyt, Tuesdays; Mrs. H. H. Brigham, and Mrs. Lawrence Stein, Wednesdays; Mrs. Hallet Greely, Thursdays; Mrs. Frank Cace, and Mrs. Harrison Mettler, Fridays; and Mrs. Douglas Smith and Mrs. Florence Capron on Saturdays.

Peace Tea will be served on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday afternoons for a small fee. This is an opportunity not only for you to meet your friends, but for some extraordinary bargains. You know it is the "Early Bird that catches the Worm". Any further information may be had by phoning Winnetka 1529.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Field of Evanston, announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Ledyard, to David C. Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Thomas, of Winnetka.

Invitations have been issued for the wedding of Miss Dorothy Quayle Stanhope, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon E. Stanhope, 610 Ash street, and Lieutenant John Tuttle Balkam of Boston, which will take place Thanksgiving afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents.

The postponed Federation of Women's clubs of the tenth congressional district of Illinois, of which Mrs. Martin Kent Northam is president, will meet with the Highland Park Woman's club today in an all-day session at the Presbyterian church, Highland Park. Mrs. Northam will preside over the board and business meetings at 9:30 and 10:30, to be followed by assembly singing of patriotic songs. Mrs. Frank M. Terry, president of the Hostess club, will make the welcoming address. Chairmen of committees will give two-minute talks outlining and explaining the work of the clubs for the coming year. The morning address will be delivered by Felix J. Streychman, director of the foreign department of the Council of National Defense. Mr. Streychman has worked extensively with the foreign element, particularly during the last Liberty Loan drive, and is very well informed on his topic which will be "Americanization and How Women Can Assist". A box luncheon will be served at 12:30 o'clock. Music and addresses will make up an interesting program for the afternoon session which will open at 1:30 o'clock with vocal selections by Mrs. Clinton G. Alexander. Her accompanist will be Mrs. Lucille Bliss. "Physical Reconstruction" will be the subject of a talk to be delivered by Dr. Donald M. Gallie. The other speaker of the afternoon will be Dr. Frederick C. Howe, commissioner of immigration, Ellis Island, N. Y. His subject will be "On the Trail of the Food Profiteers". Dr. Howe is a lecturer of national reputation and his talk today will be one of a number he is making on a tour at present.

North Shore clubs which will be represented include Wilmette Woman's club, Catholic Woman's club of Wilmette, The Neighbors of Kenilworth, Winnetka Woman's club, North Shore Catholic Woman's league, and the Woman's Library club of Glencoe.

The November meeting of the MacDowell club was held on Monday at the home of Mrs. Dwight C. Orcutt. The program, devoted to the earlier American composers, was appropriate as an impromptu celebration of the end of the war. A paper was read by Mrs. Percival Hunter, and numbers were given by Mrs. Clifford Ewert, Mrs. Louis Schmid, Mrs. H. I. Brown, and Mrs. W. D. McAdams.

So many requests have come for clothing for the Gift Shop, that the management has decided to accept anything not suitable for the Winnetka and Belgian relief, such as evening frocks, lingerie, hats, furs, suits and accessories for the wardrobe.

The regular Saturday evening parties were resumed last week at Community House. Men in uniform are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest P. Clark have moved from Elgin to a residence on Columbia street, Chicago. Professor Walton of New Trier High school, has taken Mr. Clark's place as Dean of Elgin Academy.

The East Willow Street circle will meet with Mrs. Harry Orwig, 548 Willow street, on Tuesday afternoon of next week at 2 o'clock.

The Hawthorne Lane circle will meet with Mrs. W. K. French, 503 Hawthorne lane, on Monday afternoon, November 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weeks have returned to their home at 600 Ash street.

The Pine Street circle will meet with Mrs. J. W. F. Davies, 1004 Pine street, next Tuesday afternoon.

Lieut. Fred Cooper returned Tuesday to Hampton, Va., after spending a ten day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Cooper, 824 Lake avenue. Lieut. Cooper is an instructor in ground aviation.

Miss Elizabeth Stuart, daughter of George Stuart of Kenilworth, is planning to go overseas in the Y. M. C. A. canteen service with the Junior league contingent within a few weeks. Miss Stuart is a sister of Captain Charles Stuart, who is overseas with the 331st Field Artillery.

Mrs. Richard S. Pattilo, 620 Forest avenue, will be hostess at a "silver tea" for the women of St. Augustine's church, and friends, on Tuesday, November 19. Women of the church are urged to attend since there will be a number of prominent guests.

The next meeting of the Wilmette Woman's club falls on Wednesday, November 20, at 2:30 o'clock. Arthur E. Bester will be the speaker of the afternoon, his subject being, "Mobilizing the Mind of America". The hostesses of the afternoon will include Mesdames A. J. Coburn and J. Melville Brown.

The Fortnightly Bridge club will meet next Tuesday with Mrs. J. H. Verhalen, 1018 Elmwood avenue. Mrs. Phil A. Grau was hostess to the club last week at her home 718 Elmwood avenue.

Mrs. Wesley Killen and children of Chicago, are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Charles Cross, 1418 Forest avenue. Mrs. Killen, who was formerly Miss Edith Cross, has been seriously ill with influenza and pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter R. Fridlav and family of 19 Ninth street, have moved to 816 Lake avenue, the former home of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Fisher.

In celebration of the end of the war, a number of Wilmette residents spent the evening in town. One group, including Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Baker, Mr. and Mrs. E. Jackson Casse, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barrett, Miss Mary Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. George Bird, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tansill and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Andrews, took dinner at the Congress Hotel. Later they went to the Edgewater Beach Hotel to dance. Mr. and Mrs. Percy N. Cutler, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Ling, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Barlett, comprised another group, who dined at the Congress.

Mrs. Albert S. Washington will be hostess today to the Tuesday Luncheon club, at her home, 502 Washington avenue. Next Tuesday Mrs. Webster will entertain one of the Tuesday Luncheon and Bridge clubs.

Langhlin MacLean, who is enlisted in the navy, recently spent a ten day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. MacLean, of Ridge avenue.

Two hundred and fifty members and friends of the Woman's club were in attendance at the card party given yesterday afternoon at the clubhouse, for the benefit of the Philanthropy department. Sixty Industrial prizes donated by the Association Products company, by the courtesy of Mrs. Theodore Breyer, Wilmette Pharmacy, Rennecker Drug company, Aspegren and company, Dannemark and son, S. Pagliarulo, S. H. Cramer, Schell and company, John Millen, and Palace Confectionary company, were distributed to those holding the highest scores.

The committee in charge of the affair included Mrs. Charles A. Wanner, chairman; Mrs. Fred Gardner White, Mrs. Theodore Breyer, Mrs. Kerry C. Meagher, Mrs. Edward Anderson, Mrs. Donald M. Gallie, Mrs. Charles N. Reese, Mrs. C. C. Carnahan, Mrs. John W. Illiff, Mrs. Carl B. Hecker, Mrs. Harry J. Richter, Mrs. Edward Mendsen, Mrs. Walter D. Steele, and Mrs. Charles Harrison Smith.

Miss Louise Dittmar of Lake avenue, entertained at a dancing party last Saturday evening, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. A number of bluejackets from Great Lakes naval training station, and the Misses Helen Uttenreuther and Sophie Nettleman, Audrey Bidamon, Laura Hawley, Rose and Gertrude Schildgen, Margaret Krewer, Margaret Klein, Florence Weise, Rose Renger and Florence Reinert of Wilmette were guests of the evening.

Word has been received from overseas, that James Gordon Barber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Barber, 621 Linden avenue, has been commissioned a lieutenant in the Motor Transportation Corps. Lieutenant Barber has been overseas since the first of the year. Mrs. Barber and their small daughter are making their home with Mrs. Barber's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Noyes, 827 Oakwood avenue.

An interesting program arranged by Mrs. Marchall L. Doty, was a feature at the War Camp Community rooms last Sunday evening. Supper was served by Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Greiner, and their committee, including Mr. Melville Brown, Mrs. Guy B. Morrison, Mrs. C. H. Deuchler and Mrs. Burton Thoms. The Saturday evening dancing parties at the club rooms have been resumed.

Top-Sergeant Howard Shurtleff, of Camp Grant, spent the weekend at the home of his father, Mr. W. C. Shurtleff, 815 Lake avenue.

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War Emergency Notes

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Wilberforce Taylor has received his commission, 2nd Lieutenant with pursuit rating in the air service.

Paul Martin is in the S. A. T. C., University of Chicago.

William A. Damoski, 879 Ash street, is at Fort Sheridan, and is a member of the Military band.

Fritz K. Miller is located at Estlebach Field, in a naval aviation repair base.

Percy Margerum is now a Sergeant, and is at Columbus, New Mexico.

Lester Balmes, of the 1th company, M. T. D., has been transferred overseas.

N. Landon Hoyt, Jr. has been transferred from the Great Lakes to the Municipal Pier, Chicago.

Lieutenant Frank O. Magie, 171st Infantry brigade, is now with the A. E. F. overseas.

Arthur S. Anderson of the Signal corps has arrived overseas.

Domiano Persia is now with the 31st Ammunition train, A. E. F., overseas.

Lieutenant Kenneth Layman, formerly at Camp Sevier, is now with the 81st Division Headquarters company, A. E. F., overseas.

David H. Keller, Jr., son of Major David Keller, has joined the S. A. T. C. at the University of Texas.

Fisher Bailey is located at the Field Artillery Central officers' training camp, Camp Taylor.

Ragnar Cederlund of the 33rd H. F. A., Ordnance department, is overseas.

Lieutenant J. G. Ayres Boal has been assigned to the U. S. S. Nicholson.

Wenzel Stubner of the Headquarters company, 333rd H. F. A., is now overseas.

Frederick E. Dexheimer, formerly with Unit 11, U. S. navy, Québec, has been transferred to a Repair base, naval aviation, Eastleigh, England.

Charles S. Buell, 331 Linden avenue, has entered the service as Production Engineer of Ordnance in the Chicago office.

Lieutenant John D. Matz of the 337th Field Artillery, formerly at Camp Dodge, is now overseas.

Richard Hoefer, 1065 Gage street, Hubbard Woods, is with the Quartermaster's corps stationed in Chicago.

George Wissman who was reported wounded has written that he is improving and that he is now a corporal.

Otto Elmore of the Marine barracks, Paris Island, is now a Quartermaster Sergeant.

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Miss Laura Evert of Gross Point, has just returned from Boston, Mass., where she was a guest at the Y. W. C. A. hostess house. Miss Evert went east to say farewell to Sergeant J. Edwards who recently left with his regiment for overseas.

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