



**Social Happenings**  
in  
**Winnetka & Hubbard Woods.**  
by Ruth Risley

**A** forecast of summer activities along the north shore is contained in an announcement from Mrs. Frank R. Greene, of Prospect avenue, president of the Ravinia club, that club members are already at work on plans for disposing of tickets for Saturday before July 4.

Women who will direct the ticket sale in various north shore towns are Mrs. Edgar M. Snow of Highland Park, Miss Jessie Colvin of Lake Forest, Mrs. Warren J. Burke of Glencoe, Mrs. Greene of Winnetka, Mrs. Hugh Foresman and Mrs. Mark Cresap of Kenilworth.

The first of the series of lectures on "Political Education" is to be held next Friday afternoon, April 9, at the Winnetka Woman's club at 2:15 o'clock. Professor H. C. Secrist will speak on "How the Nation is Financed."

Women from all of the clubs along the north shore are vitally interested in politics these days, and the course of lectures coming just at this time is going to be very popular.

Of interest to many New Trier students is the announcement of the approaching marriage of Miss Hazel C. Wickum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wickum of Yakima, Wash., to Elmer E. Nilles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Nilles of Evanston. The wedding will take place tomorrow afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at the Evanston hotel. Mr. Nilles attended New Trier High school, and has many friends on the north shore. The young couple will take an extended honeymoon trip through the west and northwestern Canada.

At the meeting of the Winnetka Woman's club on Thursday afternoon, Mrs. E. V. L. Brown read a most interesting report on the meeting of the Tenth District held in Waukegan a fortnight ago. A part of her report follows:

"At the afternoon session of the Federation of clubs of the Tenth District of Illinois, Mr. Stephen A. Lloyd of Wilmette, Mrs. Hart, president of Women's clubs and Mr. Hill were the speakers. Mr. Hill, who represented the Urban League an organization of colored people in Chicago, was the principal speaker. His plea was for public equality and social justice, not social equality of the American Negro. He said that as much as women had brought about such important things as prohibition and suffrage they must bend all their energies to the passing of the lynching law, now before Congress. This is a measure making lynching a federal crime and all the northern influence is needed to push it through. The colored people want the criminals brought to justice, but they demand justice for them as well.

He said that 12 to 15 million colored people share the feeling that the desire to understand them is not fought by the people in power. He said there is no such thing as a negro problem. It is an industrial problem. Since 1910, 90,000 colored people have come to Chicago, and 65,000 have gone into our industries, saving some when other labor was impossible to secure. In 1915 not a negro held a clerical position. Today there are 1100 girls in clerical work. The South says they are idle and shiftless. Statistics show that they form one-seventh of the labor of the world. The North says they are delinquent. Can they be otherwise, considering the housing conditions offered them? Does not one condition depend upon the other? During the war no houses had been built for anybody, certainly not for the invasion of the colored people. Where are they to live? West of the Stockyards is so far closed to them, to the east is the lake, the north side has no industries, so there is nothing left to them but the south side—and trouble. They must live somewhere, and not in the tumbledown shacks offered to them, to save themselves and us.

According to Mr. Hill, Governor Lowden knows, and Mayor Thompson knows that things are again on the verge of a much more serious outbreak than ever before and action, not more investigation is needed.

He says the American Negro represents true Americanization. They have been kind and loyal to us industrially and in the war, but the Americans have not been kind and loyal to them but have played with them as a cat with a rat.

He suggests as a possible solution that we follow more closely in our relation to them the ten Commandments, the Golden Rule, and the Constitution of the United States and that we women through a more human understanding and sympathy for them create a public sentiment toward the negro which would in turn inspire them with a feeling of 100 per cent loyalty toward us and the Constitution of the United States."

As this is Vacation week for the children and high school students, many of them are taking advantage of the opportunity to visit the Bird House Exhibit which is now being held on the Ninth Floor of Marshal Field and Co. The houses are many and varied and their construction easy enough for any manual training student. After exhibit the houses are to be presented to the Forest Preserves where they will be hung in that part of the school nearest the school from which they were sent. The whole idea is for the protection of our wild birds and the conservation of our trees. And this can best be brought about by teaching our children to love and care for the birds.

The marriage of Miss Marjorie A. Sutherland, daughter of Mrs. Gertrude Mason, to Carlton K. Gould, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Gould of Wilmette, will be solemnized on Monday evening, April 5, at 8:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother, 5103 Kenmore avenue, Chicago. Mrs. Mason will attend her daughter as matron of honor, and Ernest Gould, twin brother of the bridegroom, will serve as best man. Following a wedding trip the young couple will be at home at 6508 Ashland avenue, Chicago.

After you have enjoyed reading your Easter cards and have no further use for them, please send them to Miss Mary Williams at Community House, or to 310 Walnut street. They will be called for if you will phone Win. 518-J. The cards will be sent to the Calcutta orphanage, after they have been pasted back to back so that only the fronts appear. They are greatly appreciated by the little Indian girls.

On Wednesday, April 7, there will be an all-day meeting of the Woman's Society of the Congregational church. The program of the day will include a business meeting at eleven o'clock. The Philanthropic society will have charge of the program, the speaker being Miss Allen of the Lying-In-Hospital. There will be special music by Mrs. Robert Kingery.

The E. S. Harrold home at 979 Elm street, which was recently sold to Mr. Parbs of Chicago, is in the hands of the carpenter, painter and decorator this week. It will be ready for occupancy about April 15.

A group of couples from the southeastern part of the Village will give a subscription dance on Saturday evening, April 10, at the Winnetka Woman's club.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Prouty and three children, Richard, Dorothy and Junior, 747 Elm street, are spending the week at Binkie Lodge, Fox River, Ill.

Mrs. Charles E. Lane of Lombard, Ill., spent Sunday in Winnetka where she attended the funeral services of her cousin, Oliver F. Murphy, 905 Elm street.

D. C. Macintire and family of 533 Hawthorne lane, are moving to Pine street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Warmington, 532 Fir street have moved to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Fenton and daughter of 1154 Pine street, have returned from French Lick Springs, Ind.

The North Shore Catholic Woman's League will hold a meeting next Thursday afternoon at the Winnetka Woman's club.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lockman Street and children have returned from a three week's trip to Winter Park Fla.

Miss Mabel Higgins presented her students in recital last Tuesday afternoon at her home, 1162 Scott avenue, Hubbard Woods.

Miss Kathryn Greene, 776 Prospect avenue, returned Saturday from a week's stay at French Lick Springs, Indiana.

Miss Virginia Buchanan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Buchanan, 594 Cherry street, is spending the Easter vacation in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Harrold and children Tom and Rose, 979 Elm street, left Wednesday for their new home in Kansas City, Mo.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union meeting will be held in the Wilmette Methodist church on Tuesday, April 13.

Catherine and Philip Hamilton have been confined to their home with measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford B. Ewart, 382 Ridge avenue, spent last week at French Lick Springs, Ind.

**OH, TO BE A BIRD!**

The spring migration of 57 varieties of birds to the spacious attic in the Village hall has begun and employees of the Village are being cheered in their work by the plaintive notes of numerous songsters. Each year the birds have used the attic storeroom of the old building as their summer home and a great variety of birds have taken advantage of the facilities afforded for home-life, which, considering the housing shortage, is rather fortunate for the birds.

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