

Activities of North Shore Clubs

by Ruth Risley

MRS. GEORGE F. BROWN, 860 Spruce street, Winnetka, is godmother to hundreds of young girls of the city for whom she has been planning all the spring to make of their summer camp at Milhurst, near Plano, the loveliest spot they ever spent a vacation in. The Young Woman's Christian association, which makes possible a camp under the most healthful and happy circumstances for young school and employed girls at far less than would otherwise be possible, has as the chairman of the Milhurst camp committee Mrs. Brown, who is being assisted by a large committee of other women actively interested in the work of the association.

The Woman's Library club of Glencoe and the Winnetka Woman's club will have a meeting Tuesday, June 15, at 3:15 o'clock, at the Winnetka Woman's club to hear Mrs. Mary Ware Dennett, director of the Voluntary Parenthood League of New York, will speak on "Voluntary Parenthood and Child Welfare."

Bob O'Link Golf club announces a dinner dance for Saturday evening of this week, and every Saturday during June, July and August.

There's a huge old stone lodge down on the Fox river about fifteen miles from Aurora, with sixteen acres of woods and fields and lovely sloping river bank, and this the Young Woman's Christian association has chosen for a summer camp for schoolgirls and those employed. The camp will accommodate 100 girls at a time, and those who wish to go must be between the ages of 12 and 19 years. A girl may stay there one or two weeks, and will find everything that will delight her—swimming, boating, tennis, hiking, fishing, and camp activities of every kind.

Two floors of the lodge have been equipped as a dormitory, one floor for indoor play and lounging rooms and another for dining room and kitchen. There is a long, wide screened porch covered with vines, and there the girls will dance and gather on rainy days—if there are any such days there. There will be a trained swimmer and registered life saver at the camp throughout the summer, who will oversee the water sports, as well as a trained nurse in residence there.

One of the features of the camp life will be visits to the old Indian

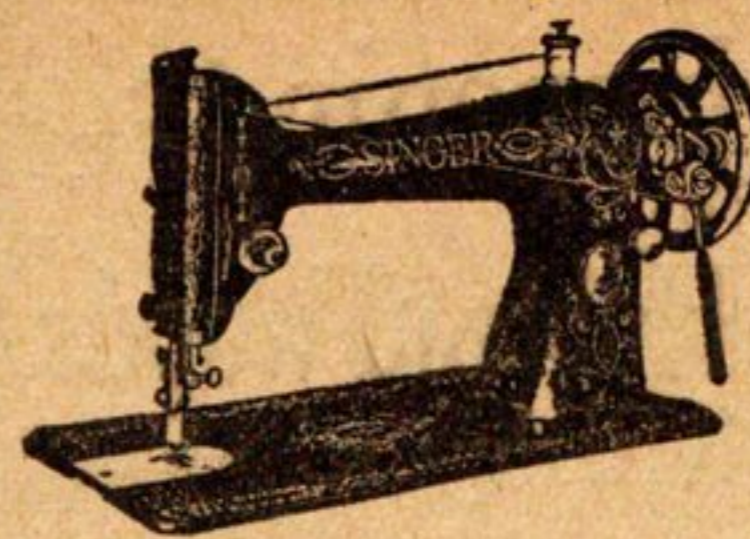
village of Maramech, not far away, and to other spots in the neighborhood, which is rich in Indian lore and tradition, of which the girls will be told by those who are at camp to watch over them. There will be seven camp councilors, college girls who will plan the activities. The girls will be divided into Indian tribes, in keeping with the Indian traditions that hang about the place and will study bird lore and camp craft. One girl scout tribe has already registered as a unit to be among the campers. The athletic

field includes six acres, where there will be basketball, a baseball diamond, and tennis courts. There is a large natural cave, with piles of boulders, which is to be the site for the campfires in the summer evenings. Camp opens June 28, and registrations should be made at once at the Central Branch of the Y. W. C. A. in Chicago.

Friends and acquaintances of Mrs. George W. Plummer of the Plaza hotel, a prominent clubwoman in Chicago and on the north shore, will be interested to learn of the announcement of the engagement of her daughter, Phyllis Estelle, to Robert Kenneth Plumb of Parkersburg, W. Va.

Mrs. Maurice H. Lieber of Winnetka received notice from headquarters this week to the effect that she has been selected chairman of the Educational committee of the State Federation of Woman's clubs.

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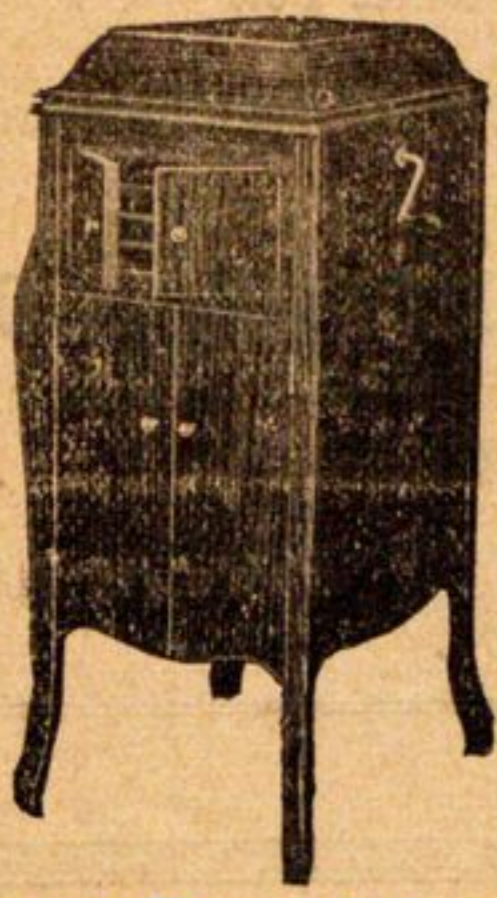
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