

WINNETKA NINE LOOKING FINE

Local Diamond Stars Play Wilmette Sunday

Perhaps the majority of Winnetka citizens are not aware that the community is soon to have a baseball team of which it may justly be proud, writes an ardent fan.

Two evenings each week, states this informant, a squad of men engage in practice with the sole purpose of perfecting a winning team for Winnetka. The evenings are Tuesday and Thursday. A promising nine has been developed, it is said.

Last Sunday the Winnetkans engaged the fast Glencoe nine in an uphill practice affair, 10 to 6.

The Winnetka crew stacks up about as follows:

Larry Knox at the initial sack, Paul Kruger at the keystone station, Howie Carpenter at short, Russell Bartz and George Rudolph, battling for the hot corner job; Pete Lucchesi, Stan Knox and Wes Carey, as moundsmen; Vern Eckart, Bill Carey and Russell Bartz at the receiving end; Harry Dielly, Wally Rohn, Bill Blow and Harry Young, in the outer gardens. Other aspiring youths are working diligently with the view of edging into some of the regular berths, so that, altogether, the team is having a lively time in rehearsal—and may the best men win.

Today the Winnetkans clash with the Wilmette A. C.'s at Wilmette and on Sunday a return game will be staged on the Playfield diamond. Games are called at 3 o'clock.

Young men in the village who would like to try for positions on the local nine are informed that practice sessions begin at 6 o'clock on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at the Playfield lot.

Gettin' So a Man Can't Punish His Own Spouse

It's an expensive business this punching one's wife in Winnetka. At least Norman White, colored, 1415 Dewey avenue, Evanston, found it so. It cost him \$57.50, to exact. It came about something after this fashion:

Norman and his wife Agnes, who is a maid in a Winnetka home, drove to Milwaukee the other day in company with another couple. It seems that they rimbled freely all day, but, according to Norman, everyone was all right except his wife, who just naturally wanted to drink everything in sight. He felt that he ought to hit her then, but refrained, as he didn't want to spoil the party. However, when they got back to Winnetka he soaked her on the nose, by way of reproof.

She swore out a warrant, Constable Walter Gregory served it, Judge R. E. Sinsheimer heard the case—Norman paid \$50 and costs. He says it isn't the first cost of a wife that bothers him—its the upkeep.

"Mesmerism Denounced" Is Christian Science Topic

The subject of the lesson-sermon at the First Church of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday morning, May 31 will be "Ancient and Modern Necromancy alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced."

Services are held in the Masonic temple at 708 Elm street at 11 o'clock. Sunday school convenes at 9:35 o'clock and the testimonial meeting is held on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The reading room at 526 Linden street is open daily except Sunday from noon until 5 o'clock and on Wednesday evening from 9 to 9:30 o'clock.

WEATHER FAVORS OUR YEARLY GARDEN MART

Sunshiny warmth prevailed long enough last Saturday to enhance the charm of the Garden Market which opened on the village common at 10 o'clock in the morning to last until the early afternoon hours. This event, held annually under the auspices of the Winnetka Garden club, proved to be a huge success.

The gay colors of flowers and plants, the bright-colored frocks of the feminine members of the constantly moving throng, little children merry with the many-hued balloons, with the popcorn, the candies, and the ice cream purchased at the fair, artistic displays of perennials and garden accessories, the delicious cafeteria luncheon served at small tables under the trees, the hurdy-gurdy man with his box of music, and the tin-type man were features of the market that combined to create a foreign atmosphere.

Mrs. John Hardin and Mrs. Stephen Foster were co-chairmen of the market. Mrs. Marcus Richards, who was in charge of the luncheon, was assisted, among others, by Mrs. Godfrey Atkin and Mrs. James Prindiville.

Mrs. Harry Barnum supervised the nurserymen's exhibits. The children's booth was under the direction of Mrs. Richard Walsh. Mrs. George Forest and Mrs. Willoughby Walling managed the plant booth, while Mrs. Cornelius Lynde was in charge of the garden accessories stand.

The Winnetka Garden club, of which Mrs. William P. Sidley is president, will direct the proceeds from the market into a fund to defray the expenses of the winter lectures.

Skokie Children Hold Field Events June 5

Skokie school will hold its annual assembly and field day Friday, June 5, to which all sixth grade pupils from Winnetka schools will be invited. There will be a program of athletics beginning at 2 o'clock, including races, tug-of-war, baseball and soccer. A picnic supper will be served at 5 o'clock.

Council Ponders Budget for Coming Village Year

The finance committee of the Village council met Wednesday evening, May 27, to consider the budget of expenditures for the fiscal year 1925-1926 and to discuss the report of the audit of

Village accounts made by Wolf and company of Chicago.

The budget assumes particular significance this year, it is said, because the Village is spending approximately \$175,000 for the new administration building and about \$50,000 for the new municipal service yard and structures

on Center street out of surplus funds, without the issuance of general bonds.

The chairman of the finance committee is Walter A. Strong, 1377 Tower road, who was elected to the Village council this spring. He is the business manager of the Chicago Daily News.



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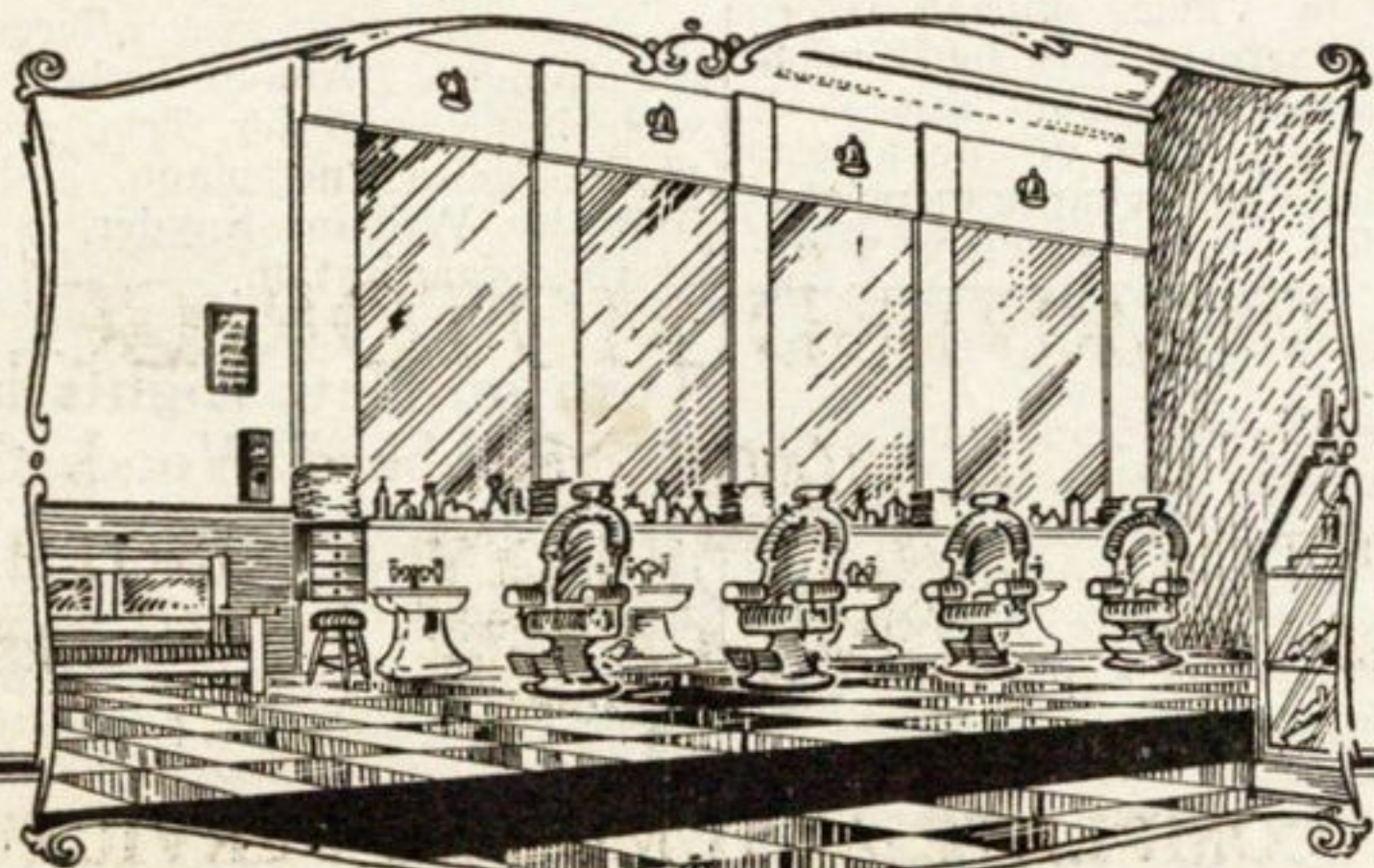
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