



Women Voters Arrange for Conference



National Board of Women Voters Will Meet in Winnetka

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Social times, dinners, teas and bridge parties have been omitted almost entirely from the program of the seven day session of the national board of the League of Women Voters, which will meet in the home of Mrs. William Gold Hibbard, 840 Willow road, Winnetka, during the week of September 13 to September 20.

This energetic and internationally known group of women are planning an agendum brimming with organization plans, policies and the year's work ahead. Many of the members will travel from Europe, California, South Carolina and New York to attend this regular board meeting generally held in Washington, D. C.

Every minute from 9 o'clock in the morning until well into the evening will be taken up. The sessions will be held in the squash court south of Mrs. Hibbard's home, with one side removed giving a charming view of the gardens.

Individually these women who will meet in Winnetka, who have traveled from the two coasts, are doing most interesting things between meetings.

Miss Belle Sherwin, national president, led the delegation of the National League of Women Voters to the International Suffrage association in Paris, France, this summer. The league was the only organization represented from this country. Since this trip abroad, Miss Sherwin has been horseback riding through Glacier National Park.

Miss Ruth Morgan, third vice president, New York City, is unable to attend the meetings. She is in Geneva, Switzerland, attending the League of Nations sessions. Miss Morgan is vice president of the International Suffrage organization, and is chairman of the committee to formulate a program for promoting friendly international feeling.

The first two days of the session will be devoted to the questions of organization and will be for the outsider the least interesting. These two days are vital to the league and are the necessary part of every board meeting. Miss Sherwin, the president, regional directors and secretaries will be present these first two days.

On Wednesday, it is expected that all the directors will arrive and the meeting be in full swing. Mrs. Frank Hixon, Sheridan road, Lake Forest, is acting for Mrs. Hibbard, and will entertain Miss Sherwin, president, Miss Katherine Lundington, treasurer, Miss Julia Lathrop, counselor, Mrs. Caspar Whitney, director of the second region, and Miss Gladys Harrison, executive secretary, at her home during the seven days. Several board members will stay at Mrs. Hibbard's home, and others will be cared for in Winnetka and Lake Forest homes.

Those attending the conference expect to take their evening dinner at the Indian Hill Golf club, where they will gather after a strenuous day, and rest before the evening meeting.

We on the north shore are already familiar with many of the officers in the National League, while others are

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Bride of October 21



The marriage of Miss Elsie Larned Blatchford, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Wickes Blatchford, 605 Arbor Vitae road, Winnetka, to Ludlow Sebring Fowler, son of Mrs. Thomas Powell Fowler of New York, will take place in Christ Church, Winnetka, Thursday evening, October 21.

Miss Blatchford will be attended by her sister, Mrs. Albert G. Berry, Jr., (Marion Blatchford) as matron of honor. Thomas Powell Fowler, Jr., the groom's brother, will act as best man.

Miss Emily Scott will be maid of honor, while Mrs. William D. Pittman, Miss Edith Fairbanks, Miss Elizabeth Jones and Miss Pauline Rudolph will be the bridesmaids.

Miss Blatchford is a niece of Charles and Arthur Scribner. She attended Miss Masters' school at Dobbs Ferry. Mr. Fowler is a graduate of Princeton university, class of 1917, and also of the law school of New York university, class of 1921.

Announce Marriage of Prominent Golf Player

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Klotz, 722 Prospect avenue, Winnetka, announce the marriage of their daughter, Dorothy, to the Rev. H. Austin Pardue, Lawrence hall, Chicago, Saturday, September 4, at 4:30, in the chapel of Lawrence hall.

Members of the families and a few intimate friends were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Pardue will make their home at Lawrence hall where the former is rector.

Mrs. Pardue is well known to Chicago and north shore people as an outstanding golf player, having competed in many tournaments.

Last week Mrs. Pardue played in an exhibition match at the Medinah Country club, with three other prominent players.

Tuesday, September 7, Mrs. Robert C. Bennett, Mrs. Pardue's sister, 856 Sheridan road, gave a kitchen shower in her sister's honor.

Set Day of Lloyd-Clore Wedding as September 25

The marriage of Miss Catherine deWolf Lloyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Eager Lloyd, 192 Glenwood avenue, Glencoe, to William Ward Clore, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Clore, 654 Cherry street, Winnetka, will take place on Saturday, September 25, at 8:30 o'clock at Christ church, Winnetka. The Rev. E. Ashley Gerhard will perform the ceremony.

Miss Lloyd will be attended by her sister, Mrs. Theodore Cox of Atlanta, Ga., as matron of honor. Her bridesmaids will be Miss Elizabeth Clore, sister of the groom, Miss Elizabeth Pond of Evanston, and Mrs. Martin Below of Evanston.

Mr. Clore will have Clayton Seagears of New York, as best man. The ushers will be Raymond Roth of Wilmette, Charles Shearer of Bay City, Mich., Donald McCabe of Bay City, Mich., Lauren Stokesberry of Indianapolis, Robert Seymour of Chicago, Alex Goetz of Chicago, Martin Below, Evanston, and the groom's brother, Wallace Clore, of Evanston.

Immediately following the wedding a small reception for the families and intimate friends will be held at the home of Mrs. George Forrest, Glenwood street, Glencoe.

Woman's Club Garbed in Its New Raiment

When the members of the Winnetka Woman's club go to their first meeting, they will find that the club has not been a place of inactivity during the summer months, for a long laboring and untiring committee has been accomplishing big changes and adding to the attractiveness of the rooms in the clubhouse.

The largest piece of work is the re-decorating of the ballroom, which has not been changed since the making over of the clubhouse years ago when it became the property of the Woman's club. It is now transformed by a color scheme of white and gold. The glaring side lights have been replaced by electroliers with well-shaded bulbs. The artistic scheme, stencil drawings, and the rest, which will be left as a surprise for the members, is the work of Mr. Darling, representing Carson, Pirie, Scott and company. Through his efforts, and the untiring work of the committee, the ballroom has been made into a charming place for teas, receptions and dances, and already reservations are rapidly being made for the coming season.

Much of the old furniture has been discarded from the rooms, and many pieces of fine workmanship will replace it.

Both the dressing rooms have been made over with bright hangings and new paint, and the women's dressing room has been decorated in a novel way.

The bowling alley is now in first class condition. This repair work has been in the hands of the expert who is in charge of the Evanston Country club alleys. Reservations can be made now for dates to use the alleys, and Winnetka people are urged to take advantage of this excellent sport.

Francis Rich Will Marry Minneapolis Girl on October 16

Dressed in the lovely, quaint wedding gown worn by her mother at her wedding, Miss Mildred Buffington, daughter of George Wood Buffington of Minneapolis, will become the bride of Francis Marion Rich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben G. Rich, 1409 Scott avenue, Winnetka. The wedding will take place Saturday, October 16, at 8:30 o'clock, at Plymouth Congregational church, Minneapolis. Dr. Harry P. Dewey will perform the ceremony.

The waist of the dress to be worn by the bride is made in a tight basque, with a full, long skirt, and long, tight sleeves. The neck line will be trimmed in delicate rosepoint lace falling slightly over the shoulders in cape effect. The veil is princess point lace over a tulle foundation, and is held in cape effect by clusters of orange blossoms. The bride will carry a shower bouquet and a rosepoint lace handkerchief.

Miss Buffington will be attended by Miss Christine Baumann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Baumann, 279 Linden street, Winnetka, as maid of honor. Miss Baumann has been spending the summer abroad with her parents, and will land in Montreal on September 18, in time for Miss Buffington's wedding, and in time to participate in the pre-nuptial affairs that will be given in Miss Buffington's honor.

The eight bridesmaids who will attend the bride are, Miss Elizabeth Boney, Elisabeth Griffin, Mrs. Harold Leland and Helen Carpenter of Minneapolis, Miss Harriet Allen of St. Paul, Mary Adelia Boynton of Cedar Rapids, Ia., Louise Grainger of Rochester, Minn., and Martha Botsford of Winona, Minn. They will wear shades of taffeta from pale to deep pink. Their gowns will be made with circular skirts, short in front and several inches longer in the back. The sash and large flat bow will be of a deep shade of pink. The bridesmaids will carry flowers in rose and lavender shades.

Albert Dyckman Rich, brother of the groom, will act as best man, and Merrill Buffington, the bride's brother, will be one of the ushers. The full list of ushers has not yet been announced.

A reception will be held after the ceremony at the University club, Minneapolis, several hundred guests being invited.

Makes Debut Today

At a garden reception given this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Southworth Miller, 647 Spruce street, their daughter, Miss Mary Miller, will make her bow to society.

Miss Mariorie Janney, Miss Virginia Wallace, Miss Ashton Wilson, Miss Frederika Walling, Miss Betty Paine, Miss Susan Miller of Winnetka, and Miss Barbara Groves and Miss Helen Shimmie of Evanston have been invited to assist during the tea hours.

Miss Miller is returning to Vassar college next week to continue her work.