

# News of the North Shore Clubs

## Organization Will Co-operate for Talk

### Noted Rabbi Comes to Winnetka to Discuss Foundation of Religious Liberalism

A meeting of unusual interest will take place Wednesday, January 5, at Community House, when the North Shore Congregation will co-operate with the Woman's society of the Winnetka Congregational church, in bringing Rabbi Solomon Friedhof to Winnetka. This is not Rabbi Friedhof's first contact with a Winnetka audience, for a few weeks ago he addressed a child study group, presided over by Perry Dunlap Smith, upon "The Spiritual Need of the Adolescent." This group was inexpressibly stimulated and thrilled and eager for more, it is stated.

Rabbi Friedhof at present presides over K. A. M. temple, Fifth street and Drexel Boulevard, Chicago, having come to Chicago about two years ago. Since that time he has gathered unto himself a very strong following. Curiously enough until his coming to K. A. M. Temple, Rabbi Friedhof had not preached. For ten years he taught in the Hebrew Union college in Cincinnati, except for the period spent in France with the A. E. F. The rare power with which this young Rabbi reaches the minds and hearts of people has now become evident.

Rabbi Friedhof stands for broad-mindedness and co-operation, it is announced. Not long ago he instigated and presided over a meeting of peculiar interest. Members of his congregation each brought with them a non-Jewish friend. The resultant gathering included Catholics, Protestants and Jews, who joined together in friendly discussion. It is felt that this is a rare opportunity for Winnetka to hear a big man upon a big subject. His address will be, "The Basis of Religious Liberalism."

The Woman's society will convene as usual at 10 o'clock. Sewing will continue throughout the morning. At 11 o'clock comes the business meeting and discussion. Mrs. Charles Jewell will give the devotional thought at 12 o'clock, and luncheon will be served at 12:15, following which Rabbi Friedhof will speak.

## North Shore Alumnae at College Breakfast

The Chicago Rockford College association gives an annual holiday luncheon or tea for the recently returned students who are spending their vacation in or near Chicago, and for the former students and alumnae of the college who are living in the vicinity.

The plan this year was a breakfast, held at 12 o'clock, Wednesday, December 29, at Huyler's new restaurant on North Michigan avenue.

More than eighty alumnae of the college live in Wilmette, Kenilworth, Winnetka and Glencoe, and all received invitations to attend the affair.

### NEXT LEAGUE BOOK TALK

Anyone interested in talks on books and current events is invited to the home of Mrs. William Schneider of 911 Vernon avenue, Glencoe, Tuesday, January 4. There, under the auspices of the North Shore Catholic Woman's league, Mrs. Anthony French Merrill will give the next in her series of lectures.

## Speaker From India Is on Woman's Club Program for Tuesday

Haridas Muzumdar of Bombay, India, friend and biographer of the great Mahatma Gandhi, will address the next meeting of the Winnetka Woman's club, Tuesday, January 4. His subject will be, "Youth and the New Social Order."

After the completion of his college course in India, Mr. Muzumdar came to this country in 1920. In 1925 he received the degree of B. A. and in 1926 that of M. A. in sociology, both from Northwestern university.

He is a man of note, and has lectured throughout the country. He is the author of "Gandhi, the Apostle," and is at present the chairman of the National Oriental Students' Conference, which has been recently organized.

Miss Jane Addams writes of Mr. Muzumdar, "I take great pleasure in recommending Mr. Haridas Muzumdar as lecturer on the present social and political movements in India, and as an interpreter of the Gandhi movement. Mr. Muzumdar is well-informed and presents his views with conviction and enthusiasm."

Professor Thomas D. Eliot, professor of sociology in Northwestern university, also writes, "As a young man who has lived in America for several years Mr. Muzumdar has a very useful service to perform in interpreting an attitude, ideas and events of Occident and Orient one to the other. He is a facile thinker and speaker of attractive manner, wide reading and friendly spirit."

The meeting is in charge of the civics and philanthropy committee, Mrs. E. E. Brown, chairman.

## Library Club Sponsors Book and Event Talks

The Woman's Library club of Glencoe is sponsoring a course of lectures on books and current events which will be given by Mrs. Anthony French Merrill, commencing January 10, and continuing for ten consecutive Mondays. The hour is 10, and the place, the Glencoe Union church.

The price of the course is the same that has been charged in the past, and the profit from the talks will be directed into the club building fund.

Either applications or checks may be sent to Mrs. Henry T. Smith, 710 Bluff street, or to Mrs. Franklin M. deBeers, 815 Grove street, Glencoe.

This announcement, it is stated, is made to remind those who already have subscribed of the date, and to invite all who are interested to attend.

## Child Specialist Speaker at Open Meeting of Club

The regular monthly meeting of the Young Mother's club has been postponed from the first Monday of the month to Monday evening, January 10. The change has been made to suit the convenience of Dr. George Edwin Baxter, the eminent child specialist of Chicago who will be the speaker of the evening. His subject will be "Problems in the Management of the Pre-school Child."

Since it is considered quite a privilege to hear Dr. Baxter this will be an open meeting and all mothers of pre-school age children are invited. Other details including the place of meeting will be announced later.

## Wilmette Garden Club to Begin New Year Friday

The Wilmette Garden club will begin the new year with a most interesting meeting to be held, Friday, January 7, at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Walter Gore Mitchell of 1009 Oakwood street, Wilmette.

At this meeting new officers for the coming year will be installed. Mrs. Walter Gore Mitchell will serve the club as president for the new year, and she will be assisted by a group of Wilmette and Evanston women. Mrs. Bert L. Davis of 115 Third street, will be vice-president; Mrs. E. H. Burge of 924 Forest avenue, recording secretary; Mrs. Eben B. Fenton of 2762 Woodbine street, Evanston, will be corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Archibald J. Stinson of 2010 Orrington avenue, Evanston will be the treasurer.

Aside from the installation of the officers, a delightful musical program has been arranged for the members. Miss Winifred Bright, Wilmette librarian, will address the club on "Gardens in Poetry," and Miss Esther Strote will give a program of piano selections.

## Woman's Club Program Is of Legislation and Music

A program of legislation and music, widely divergent, has been arranged for the next meeting of the Woman's club of Wilmette all day Wednesday, January 5.

The morning session commences at 11 o'clock, with Miss Mary E. Bailey, prominent woman lawyer as the speaker who has chosen as the topic of her talk, "Law Enforcement in Illinois." Miss Bailey is assistant district attorney in charge of all cases of violation of the Volstead act in Cook county, and previously worked on cases coming up in violation of the pure food and drug act. She has handled her work very creditably, and speaks with authority, it is announced.

Luncheon will be served at 1, as usual.

The afternoon will be given over to a musicale, one feature of which will be a group of numbers played by Jacob Radunsky, a very fine pianist. There will be other talent.

### NEXT CLUB SEWING DAY

Supplying the Sarah Hackett Stevenson Memorial lodging house with garments is the purpose of the next all-day sewing meeting sponsored by the philanthropy department of the Woman's club of Wilmette Friday, January 7. The work commences at 10 in the morning and a luncheon is served at 12:30 o'clock. These sewing sessions are open to all women of the village.

### CLUB IN ALL-DAY MEETING

The Worth While club of Glencoe, comprising about twenty members, will hold its regular meeting, Wednesday, January 12, at the home of Mrs. Charles J. Watson of 803 Bluff street. The club plans all-day meetings in order to accomplish a real amount of work, which is composed of sewing for various charitable organizations.

The members will meet at 10 o'clock, with luncheon served at noon, and continue sewing during the afternoon.

### W. C. T. U. NOTES

The W. C. T. U. of Wilmette will meet at 2 o'clock on Monday afternoon, January 3, at the home of Mrs. E. Seuthpisge, 947 Oak street, Winnetka.

## Club Members Will Visit Unique Studio

### Marshall Studio Thrown Open to Wilmette Woman's Club Monday, January 10

A visit to the Benjamin H. Marshall studio on the water's edge at the Wilmette harbor has been arranged for members of the Woman's club of Wilmette on Monday afternoon, January 10, between the hours of 2 and 4.

The invitation to view the rooms Mr. Marshall has decorated in various styles and filled with objects of art, has come to the club through the art chairman of the club, Mrs. Winifred Wilson, who, with members of her committee, will receive the guests as they arrive.

The visit is eagerly anticipated by club members, who will have the opportunity of seeing the harmony Mr. Marshall has brought into rooms representative of periods seemingly discordant in spirit, such as Colonial, the Chinese temple, the Pompeiian, the Egyptian and the Arabian.

## Winnetka Welfare Branch Gives a Christmas Party

More than five hundred mothers and children of the Chicago Commons were entertained by the Winnetka branch of the Infant Welfare society of Chicago Tuesday afternoon, December 28, from 2 until into the late afternoon.

The Winnetka branch planned this Christmas party and placed it under the supervision of a committee. Mrs. Harry Edmonds was in charge as chairman of the committee, and was assisted by her daughter, Betty, Mrs. Harve G. Badgerow and her daughter, Louise, Mrs. Ballard Bradley, Mrs. Morris Wilson and Mrs. Dwight Green.

Besides the motion pictures which were donated by Harry Edmonds, each one present at the party received a dainty handkerchief, given by Mrs. Ralph Hobart and Mrs. Philip Wyatt Moore. Each one received candy, the boxes donated by Mrs. Morris Wilson and the candy the gift of Mrs. Horace Armstrong.

Mrs. Ernst vonAmmon entertained the guests with a group of vocal selections which included, "By the Waters of Minnetonka," "The Land of the Sky Blue Water," and "Phyllis Has Such Charming Graces."

## China Topic of Talk at Catholic Woman's League

The North Shore Catholic Woman's league, which meets once a month at the Winnetka Woman's club, will hear Miss Grace Coulter at the meeting to be held Tuesday, January 11.

Miss Coulter will speak on "China," and in view of the fact that the newspapers are crowded with daily bulletins concerning the distressing conditions in that country, and that Mrs. Anthony French Merrill has made many references to conditions in China in her book talks, members of the league will be especially eager to hear Miss Coulter's address.

In addition to the afternoon talk, Miss Aras Nage, contralto, will entertain the group with a program of vocal selections.