

North Shore Art Patrons Are Active at Hoosier Salon

North Shore Day Finds Hostesses In Local Circles

A few years ago art was a thing for museums and the select few. It was treated with distant awe when it was treated at all, and to most people art was a subject as strange as life on Mars, and artists were proverbially poor.

Today artists thrive and art has filtered into many more modest homes in the form of paintings and sculpture and other original works of art, and the art spirit prevails in even more homes in objects of every day use. Each opening exhibition means additional opportunity to buy, and the Hoosier Salon which opened last Saturday has drawn many buyers of art and prospective purchasers.

Attracting the interest of north shore art patrons is this Hoosier Salon, which has dominated Chicago art circles since its opening and the salon activities centered yesterday on residents of the north shore in "North Shore Day." There was a tour of the galleries at 10:30 o'clock in the morning, conducted by Lucie Hartrath, one of the exhibitors. Friday was also Old De Pauw day.

The special hostesses for the North Shore day were Mrs. William A. Kendrick, Mrs. Ernest Freeman and Mrs. Paul R. Leach, all of Wilmette, Mrs. Carl P. Hubbard of Evanston and Mrs. William F. Roberts of Highland Park. Mrs. George Gonsalves of Winnetka is college chairman for the whole salon.

Ralph Fletcher Seymour brings honor to north shore art in winning with his nine etchings, the Frank Cunningham prize of \$200 for etchings. "The Skokie" and "Lake Bluff at Ravinia" are local subjects he has chosen to exhibit.

Mrs. Glenn C. Bull of Winnetka was chairman of the committee of four in charge of Old De Pauw day. There was a tour of the galleries at 2 o'clock and tea afterwards. Mrs. Ralph Rockwood, also of Winnetka, was an assisting hostess. Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes, ex-president of De Pauw, and Federal Judge James H. Wilkerson were the speakers.

There are a number of north shore patrons and patronesses of the exhibition, and included in this list are: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Freeman, Mrs. William A. Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt King, all of Wilmette; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Crilly and Mr. and Mrs. Olaf C. Steen of Winnetka; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Beatty of Highland Park; Mr. and Mrs. John C. Shaffer, Frank Cunningham, Scott Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur D. Nesbit, Mr. and Mrs. Carl P. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. G. Byron Killen and Mrs. Kathleen McBain of Evanston; and Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Teter of Lake Forest.

Several of the donors of prizes reside on the north shore. They are Miss Mildred Veronese Beatty, who has donated the second sculpture prize of \$100, John C. Shaffer, who gives the prize of \$500 for the outstanding picture of the exhibit, and Frank Cunningham, whose etching prize of \$200 was won by Ralph Fletcher Seymour.

Many branches in the art field are found in the galleries at Marshall Field's—painting, sculpture, water colors, pastels, etchings, miniatures, cartoons and woodblocks.

The art history study class of the Winnetka Woman's club met Friday morning at the clubhouse. Anyone who is interested in the subject is invited to attend these meetings.

Club Speaker



Mrs. Anthony French Merrill, who is an authority on the subjects of current events and literature and contemporary drama, has given a number of talks recently before north shore groups, including the North Shore Catholic league, the Woman's Library club of Glencoe, a group from the Winnetka Woman's club and the Woman's club of Wilmette.

Friends in Council Will Meet With Mrs. Babize

The Friends in Council of Evanston is holding a board meeting today at the home of its president, Mrs. Auguste Babize, 484 Sheridan road, Glencoe. Luncheon is being served at 12:30 o'clock.

On Friday, February 11, the club will meet at the Orrington hotel, the meeting to begin at 11 o'clock. At 11 there will be the current events talk by Miss M. A. Stanley, on "American Citizenship." At 12 o'clock the class in parliamentary procedure will be conducted by Mrs. M. H. Lieber. At 2 o'clock Carl Sandberg's "Abraham Lincoln" will be discussed, the speaker for the first volume being Mrs. Annie C. Nissen, and for the second volume, Mrs. George A. Spalding.

The guest of honor for the meeting is to be the chairman of the department of literature of the Illinois Federation of Woman's clubs, Mrs. W. J. Grotenhuis.

Churches Plan Party

A bridge tea is being planned for the benefit of the Onward Neighborhood club under the auspices of the Woman's auxiliary societies of the First Congregational church of Winnetka and the Union church of Glencoe, to be given on February 28, in the ballroom of the Georgian hotel, from 1:30 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

More than 600 tickets to the party are expected to be sold. Mrs. John H. Buechler of Glencoe is chairman of the committee in charge of the entertainment, and can be reached at Glencoe 1114.

The next meeting of the Evanston Smith college club will take place Wednesday, February 16, when the regular business session will be conducted. The place of the meeting is to be announced later.

Musicians Play Before Winnetka Woman's Club

The Winnetka Woman's club held its regular meeting, Tuesday, February 1, Mrs. Arthur Cushman presiding. The program was in charge of the music committee, Mrs. William Sherman Hay, chairman.

Joseph Brinkman, pianist, who in 1924 won the prize contest of the American Society of Musicians and who has been a member of the Symphony orchestra under Frederick Stock, presented a varied and interesting program, largely modern, and included two of his own compositions, "Bouree (Weidig)" and "Menuetto."

Helen Robinson, soprano, a member of the Woman's club, delighted her many friends with her lovely singing. Hadassah McGiffin was her accompanist. The meeting was unusually well attended, and the large and representative group showed a special appreciation for the work of both artists.

Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Harry C. Edmonds, Mrs. James P. Fleming, Mrs. J. Lawrence Onderdonk, Mrs. Doer C. Price, Mrs. George Suker and Mrs. William D. Truesdale.

On exhibition during the afternoon, was a group of splendid paintings done by William Schmedtgen of Wilmette, a member of the North Shore Art league. Mr. Schmedtgen painted his pictures while abroad with his family traveling in many countries. Two other delightful exhibitions given were Mrs. Alonzo Coburn's pieces of sculpture and Charles Morgan's etchings and pictures.

Albert Tilroe Will Marry Chicago Girl This Evening

The marriage of Miss Hazel Woodworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde E. Woodworth of Chicago, to Albert F. Tilroe, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Tilroe of 978 Oak street, Winnetka, is to take place this evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents. A reception will be held after the ceremony, to which fifty guests have been invited.

Miss Ruth Woodworth, sister of the bride, will be her attendant, and Ernest Hartshorne of Winnetka will be the groom's best man.

During the past few weeks the bride has been entertained at many attractive parties, the most recent of these being the dinner dance Wednesday evening given by Miss Helen Tilroe, sister of the groom, for thirteen couples in the private dining room at the Haylofte.

Miss Madeline Moran of Chicago gave a kitchen shower in honor of the bride on January 29. On January 30 Mrs. J. K. Lyons of Chicago gave a miscellaneous shower, and on the Thursday before, the bride was entertained at a personal shower. Other miscellaneous showers have been given in her honor by Mrs. Albert Tilroe, Miss Ann Henderson of Chicago, who is a sorority sister in Tau Epsilon, and Mrs. F. P. MacDonald of Chicago.

To Entertain Voters

Mrs. Howard I. Shaw of 994 Spruce street, precinct chairman of the seventh precinct, will entertain the block captains of her district Tuesday afternoon, February 8, at 3 o'clock. Mrs. John VanderVries will also be one of the guests, and will speak to the group about the League of Women Voters.

The Rosewood Avenue circle will meet at the home of Mrs. John Cecil Black 1174 Tower road, Tuesday, February 8, at 2 o'clock.

Rag-Clad Skaters to Make Skokie Frolic Gala Affair

Provided that the all-important weather man is in an obliging mood on Saturday, February 5, and that the ice in the rink at Skokie Country club is thick and smooth enough to allow skating, and provided that every son and daughter of club members is equipped with sharp skates, the club will repeat its children's Ice carnival.

C. Fred Weed of 522 Bluff street, Glencoe, will be in general charge of the program and arrangements, and has as his assistants, Frederic Burnham of 808 Mount Pleasant avenue, Winnetka, Thomas McMahon of 509 Washington avenue, Glencoe, Burt B. Clover of 505 Jefferson street, Glencoe, and William C. Miller, 795 Grove street.

The committee has prepared a list of seventeen events as the feature of the afternoon's program. The Grand Skatanade, will be the first event, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. Following in order, will be the boys' race, eight years and under; girls' race, for girls under twelve years; boys' race, nine to twelve years; girls' race, twelve years and over; boys' race, twelve years and over; boys' relay, four-boy team; girls' relay, four-girl team; boys' potato race, twelve years and under; girls' potato race, twelve years and under; girls' costume prize; boys' costume prize; mixed relay team race, two boys and two girls; boys' tug of war, six-boy team; girls' tug of war, six-girl team; girls' fancy skating; and boys' fancy skating.

Voters Sponsor Social Hygiene School Feb. 7

A one day school of social hygiene is being sponsored by the state office of the Illinois League of Women Voters, for Monday, February 7. The "school" will convene at 9:15 o'clock, and continue until about 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

The group will assemble at the Juvenile Detention home at 2246 Roosevelt road, Chicago, and take a tour of the home, conducted by Superintendent Dobbs. Dr. Paul Schroeder will then speak on "The Mental State of the Juvenile Delinquent." Judge Mary Bartelme will speak on "The Causes of Juvenile Delinquency," and the group will visit the Juvenile court.

Lunch will be served at 1 o'clock at Hull House, followed by a talk from Miss Jessie I. Binford, on "Sex Education for the Normal Child." Dr. Rachele S. Yarros will then speak on the same subject. The last event in the day's program will be a motion picture film called "The Gift of Life."

Circle Gives Party

The New Trier circle held a most successful benefit bridge party for nine tables, at 2 o'clock, Friday, January 28, at the home of Mrs. H. Edmund Scheerer of 250 Poplar street. Mrs. Joseph Gibson and Mrs. Sherman B. Orwig acted as assisting hostesses. Tables were in charge of Mrs. Jesse H. Barnes. Proceeds go toward purchasing sewing material.

The North Shore Glee club is planning its second social gathering for Thursday night, February 24, at 8:30 o'clock, in the Community House, Winnetka. At this time, a masquerade ball will be given, each guest being asked to come in costume.