

### Recall Early Days at Annual Session of Kenilworth Group

The Historical society of Kenilworth, a unique organization having as its members people who have lived in Kenilworth for twenty years or more, held a well attended meeting last Saturday evening at the Kenilworth club. One hundred and ten members were present and Alexander Hannah was admitted as a new member, having qualified with twenty years' residence in the village.

The meeting consisted of dinner, during which there was community singing, a business meeting, in which new officers were elected, and some original entertainment.

Mrs. E. D. Parmelee was elected president for the coming year, Henry Taylor, vice-president, Leon B. Allen, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Grant Ridgeway, chairman of the dinner committee, and Miss Helen Sears, historian.

A one-act play, in the form of a "take-off" on commencement exercises in the Kenilworth public school twenty years ago, afforded a great deal of merriment. Louis D. Jones as Miss Martha Foote, a former teacher, and Ogden Cooke, as a pupil, were extremely entertaining. During the course of the play, Mrs. Warren Pease, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor, and H. O. Edmonds, acting the parts of "visitors" to the school, sang several selections in quartet arrangement. Mrs. Loomis Hypes sang a group of typical songs with Mrs. Reed Landis accompanying her at the piano. Both were dressed as little school girls. Sam Clarke also entertained, with accordeon music, and Kimball Root gave a group of negro songs and spirituals, accompanied by the guitar. Among some of the pupils in the school were Mrs. Ward Starrett, Loomis Hypes, and Herbert Taylor.

### Alpha Phi Sorority to Dedicate House Sunday

Invitations numbering 350 have been issued for a dedication service to be held at the Alpha Phi house Sunday, December 11, from 2 until 4, which will be followed by a tea. The guests of honor will be Mrs. William P. Goodsmith of Chicago and Miss Claire Lattin of Sycamore, Ill., who are founders of the local chapter.

Members of the governing board of the Alpha Phi House association will receive. These include Mrs. Thomas Moulding, Mrs. Leland V. Pierson, Miss Edith Dillon, of Wilmette, Mrs. Donald W. Mercer and Miss Lydia Raymond, of Indian Hill, and Mrs. O. F. Long, Mrs. R. C. Wiebold, Mrs. George H. Young, and B. C. Corbus, of Evanston.

Those who will pour during the tea hour will be Mrs. Earl B. Tittleman, Mrs. Charles C. Spray, Mrs. Harold Anderson, and Mrs. George W. Noble.

### GUESTS OF HONOR AT PARTIES

Many friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Happ of 306 Walnut street have entertained recently in their honor. The Happs, with their daughter, Cynthia, are moving next week to Fort Madison, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bowers of 554 Orchard lane gave a dinner Monday evening, the Charles Sutherlands entertained Wednesday evening at their home, 305 Poplar street, and Mrs. M. G. Goss of 580 Orchard lane gave a luncheon and bridge party yesterday for Mrs. Happ.

### MOTHERS GUESTS AT TEA

The Northwestern alumnae of Alpha Chi Omega entertained the mothers of the Gamma chapter at a tea on Monday, December 5, at their new chapter house. The receiving line included Mrs. W. M. Mitchell, Mrs. W. L. Jackson, Mrs. Ralph Dennis, and Mrs. Robert L. Price.

### "Has Marriage a Future", Subject at Uptown Forum

"Has Marriage a Future" will be the subject for discussion at the Uptown Forum, Sunday evening, December 11. John Haynes Holmes of New York, nationally-known for his bold pronouncements upon public questions will be the speaker.

Dr. Holmes is minister of the Community church in New York and is editor of the weekly journal "Unity" established in Chicago many years ago by Jenkins Lloyd Jones, of Abraham Lincoln Center.

The Forum meets in the auditorium of the People's Church, 941 Lawrence avenue, near Sheridan road, Chicago, at 8 P. M.

A surprise party was given in honor of Joseph Shoenthal's seventeenth birthday by a number of his friends Saturday evening, December 3. The party was given at his home in Highland Park.

Alfred Lowy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Lowy of 140 Sheridan road, Winnetka, will entertain about sixty of his friends at a dinner dance at the Standard club, Chicago, on Monday, December 26.

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# On Christmas Morning

**S**OMEBODY sees it through the window — a spirited discussion arises as to who is coming, and why they choose the breakfast hour as the time to call—cries of "What a lovely new car!" from some of the feminine members of the family—a great rushing to the door to answer the ring of the stranger who has driven up.

No one thinks of looking to Dad for the solution to the mystery. He is not in the crowd gathered at the door. Not he! Old fox that he is, he has stayed behind—chuckling to himself.

He knows what the gleaming new car is doing there in front of the home. He knows why its driver is at the door. But this will not be private knowledge much longer.

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