

Hamilton Club to Honor Rathbone at Banquet March 27

Members of the Hamilton club of Chicago and their friends will give a dinner in honor of Congressman-at-Large Henry R. Rathbone of Kenilworth, at the club, Tuesday evening, March 27. A committee of members, headed by Hon. Robert McMurdy, former Judge of the Illinois Court of Claims and former president of the Illinois State Bar association, is making arrangements for the banquet.

A host of friends of the Congressman from Chicago and nearby towns will be present. Congressman Rathbone's friends have felt that they should recognize his valuable services to the community and to Illinois in some form and they have decided upon this affair at a time when the Congressman is prominently in the public eye. The dinner is open to all of his friends.

Besides a number of Republican men who will be present, several women prominently identified with political, civic and social work in Chicago and the suburbs will attend.

Congressman Rathbone joined the Hamilton club in 1896 and is a life member. He has taken an active interest in the affairs of the club since that time. He served on the board of directors and the Political Action committee and was president of the club from May, 1916 to May, 1917, during the Hughes-Wilson presidential campaign and at the time the country entered the World war. Upon the expiration of his term of office as president, the club passed resolutions heartily commending his administration of the office.

During the last few months, the Congressman has been busy at Washington, occasionally returning to Chicago on official business. He is one of the best known political figures in Illinois. During the summer and early fall he visited every one of the one hundred and two counties in this state, gathering data and opinions to guide him in his legislative efforts at the capital.

Miss Ruth Johnston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston, Melrose avenue, Kenilworth, entertained sixteen of her friends at luncheon and bridge last Saturday afternoon at her home and is again entertaining a similar number this Saturday. The party of last week was carried out in green colorings as it happened on the day of St. Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woodruff of Evanston, the latter Miss Beatrice Pease, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Pease of Kenilworth, are possessors of a daughter, born on Thursday morning, March 15, at the Evanston hospital. The baby is named Nanette Neried.

Senior Ball Crowning Social Event at N. U.

By M. W.

The annual senior ball, the crowning event of Northwestern's social season, was held last Friday evening in the Patten gymnasium. More than 250 couples danced in the blue canopied hall under huge arches of white lattice work covered with twining spring flowers. Carl French, class president, and Evelyn Gibbs, social chairman, with their partners, Ruth Harold and Willard J. Buntain, led the grand march.

The gymnasium was transformed into a beautiful ballroom. Pointed blue lanterns hung from the blue canopy overhead, casting a soft moonlight glow on the palms, plants, and banks of flowers appearing as a garden below. In the center of the floor there was a large fountain and a platform, where Bobby Meeker's Drake hotel orchestra played. Delicious refreshments were served.

The New Trier Music club held its monthly meeting at the home of Miss Charlotte Erwin, 615 Warwick road, Kenilworth. Different members of the club gave a program, which was followed by refreshments.

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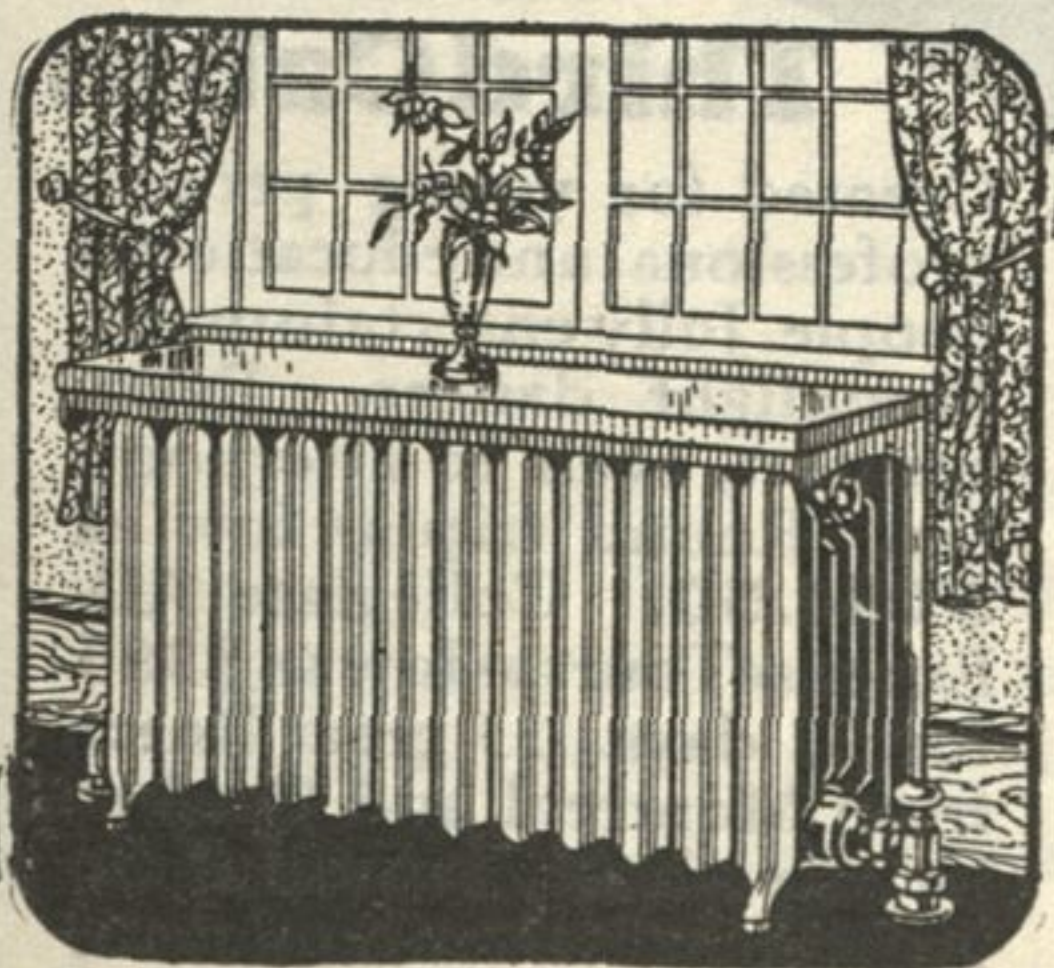


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