

Play of Paleolithic Era to Close Art League Season

North Shore Public to Be Guest of Art League on May 10

By B. B.

Why did a worthy bird like the dodo become extinct while the English sparrow we have always with us? What were the beginnings of the arts and crafts, interior decorating and the highbrow movement? How and why did feminism, the uplift, the mechanical age, get their start? What was the well dressed Babbitt wearing in the year one billion B. C.? What was the response to the cosmic urge in the happy pre-complex paleolithic days? All these questions and many others are answered in the play "As It Was in the Beginning" to be given by the Wilmette Barnstormers as the final program of the North Shore Art league. The meeting will be held in Matz hall, Winnetka, at 8 o'clock, on May 10, and is open to the public.

The play, which is directed by Miner Coburn, will be presented by the same "all-star" cast that is to appear in it at the Goodman theater on the afternoon of May 8:

Paley O'Lith Miner Coburn
Mrs. Paley O'Lith Emma Boddie
Flora O'Lith Catherine Parrish
Fauna O'Lith Frances Lutz
Nee O'Lith Clarence Westerlund
Ab Origine W. W. Hawkins
Dodo Jane Burrill
Music William Hutchings
Prompter Jean Coburn

The costumes are by Hunter and Skinner, the cave by Erosion and Seepage, the cliff by Cleavage, the back drop by Accident, and the moral, by Inference. All beverages are by Jupiter Pluvius.

This play was translated by Mrs. J. A. Burrill of Wilmette, from the original fragments of what seems to have been the diary of a prehistoric flapper. Although audiences have seemed to derive considerable entertainment from it, this is all velvet, the purpose of the play being purely didactic, intended to chasten and enlighten.

The costuming and settings, by Mrs. A. J. Coburn and Mrs. James A. Burrill, are the result of arduous and exhaustive study of that high and far-off time, and aid greatly in giving a sincere and serious presentation of the domestic life of our first families.

The Art League extends a cordial invitation, not only to artists and art lovers, but to those who simply know what they like, to come see this play, free, gratis, for nothing, without money and without price, on May 10, at 8 o'clock, at Matz hall, Winnetka.

Hostess for Bride-Elect

Miss Mary Louise Fenton was hostess to a number of guests at the supper dance at the Drake hotel Friday evening of last week given as a benefit for the Chicago Lighthouse. She entertained in honor of Miss Marjorie Janney whose wedding is to take place early in June. Miss Janney left May 2, for the East to attend the houseparties at Princeton. She will return home Tuesday.

Sings at Club

At the regular meeting of the Woman's Library club of Glencoe on April 26, Miss Adelaide Jones of Wilmette sang two groups of original songs by Miss Susannah Armstrong. Miss Jones interpreted in the most pleasing manner the song, "Noise of the Waters" conveying to the audience the significance of the words and music. In the group from Mother Goose Miss Jones delighted all with the whimsical charm of her voice and manner.

Engaged



The engagement of Dr. Rosanna N. McKenney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. McKenney, 752 Foxdale avenue, to J. P. Colligan of New York City, was announced last Saturday at a bridge luncheon in New York. The wedding will take place in the near future. Dr. McKenney is a graduate of Loyola university, department of medicine, class of '21, and has been in the East since completing her medical course.

Woodward-Kinney Wedding Charming Event of Spring

Last Saturday evening when Miss Elinor Woodward of Winnetka became Mrs. Ansel McBride Kinney, the Winnetka Congregational church, which was the scene of the ceremony, was effectively decorated with pink roses and palms and ferns. The Rev. James Austin Richards read the ceremony at 8:30 o'clock, and a reception followed immediately at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Woodward, 685 Ardsley road.

Miss Woodward was simply but beautifully gowned in ivory satin, made with long, crushed sleeves and a square court train. Her tulle veil fell from under a lace coronet which was beaded with pearls. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and gardenias. Her matron of honor, Mrs. Franklyn Ellis of Rochester, N. Y. wore a peach colored robe de style frock of taffeta and carried spring flowers as did the bridesmaids who were Miss Margaret DeLay, Miss Carolyn Case, Miss Barbara Mettler, Miss Margaret Scott, Miss Dorothy Pickard and Miss Winifred Waltz.

Mr. Kinney had John Dudley of New York City for his best man and the ushers were Julius Stone, Louis Hardin, Paul Jackson, McKay Stoddard, and Julian and Herbert Woodward.

Mr. and Mrs. Kinney left immediately for "parts unknown," at least unknown to everyone except themselves, but they will return within a few weeks and will be at home after June 1, at 931 Forest avenue, Evanston.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rawleigh of 933 Hill road entertained a number of guests at the supper dance for the benefit of the Chicago Lighthouse on Friday, April 27, at the Drake hotel.

Debutantes to Assist at Benefit for Cradle

The Misses Elizabeth Lamson, Margot Atkin, Marjorie Janney, Charlotte Dodge, Rosamund Coffin, Betty Paine, and Mary Louise Fenton are among north shore debutantes who will assist at the tea following the lecture to be given by Dr. Horace Bridges for the benefit of the Cradle Home for Adoption Sunday, May 6, at 3:30 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Atherton Lamson at Sheridan road and Tower road, Hubbard Woods.

The lecture is the last one of a series on "Modern Confessions of Faith" donated by Dr. Horace Bridges for the Cradle fund. All guests attending the lecture are cordially invited to remain for the tea given in honor of Dr. Bridges.

The lecture is given Sunday in order that men may be included. Patrons and patronesses interested are Messrs. and Mesdames Charles G. Little, Cyrus L. Garnett, Frederick H. Scott, Daniel H. Burnham, Henry Dawes, John C. Slade, Eugene Stevens, Edwin Ashcroft, Jr., William Burdett Johnson, Melvin Ericson, K. V. R. Nicoll, Averill Tilden, Dr. and Mrs. Harry M. Clyde, and Sewell Avery.

Mrs. Garnett is in charge of the ticket sale and Mrs. L. Octigan White of the Orrington hotel, of arrangements.

Miss Isabel Scott Selects Members of Bridal Party

Miss Isabel Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Scott of 175 Sheridan road, has decided on June 30, as the date of her wedding to Albert Keep. The ceremony will take place in the afternoon at the Congregational church. For her attendants Miss Scott has selected her sister, Mrs. Langdon Hubbard of Detroit, as her matron of honor (Emily Scott), Miss Ellen Ewing of New York as her maid of honor, and the Misses Eleanor Dennehey, Barbara Mettler, Emily Otis, Winifred Smith, Ellen Stewart, Romaine Warren, Cynthia Wilson (Mr. Keep's sister), Virginia Wilson, and Mrs. Donald Phelps Welles (Barbara Scott), as her bridesmaids.

John P. Wilson, Jr., will serve his brother as best man. The list of ushers is not yet complete. Miss Warren and John Wilson, whose marriage is to be consummated on June 23, will return here to be in Miss Scott's bridal party, and are then leaving on their wedding trip to Europe. Miss Scott left last Wednesday to attend the annual house party at Princeton, and after her return next week will complete her plans for her wedding.

Luncheon Hostess

Miss Carolyn Case, 160 Sheridan road, Hubbard Woods is entertaining today at a luncheon and linen shower in honor of Miss Frances Von Hofsten, whose marriage to Kenneth Price will take place early this summer. On April 21, Miss Natalia Gookin also entertained for Miss Von Hofsten with a luncheon and bridge party given at her home, 321 Linden avenue.

Chairman of Benefit

Mrs. Harry C. Holloway of Glencoe is chairman for a card party to be given as a benefit for the Woman's Roosevelt Republican club Tuesday afternoon, May 15, at 2 o'clock, in the Florentine room of the Congress hotel. Those wishing to procure tickets may call Mrs. Holloway, Glencoe 263.

Mrs. William T. Bacon, 860 Auburn road, will be hostess at tea at the Cradle Maisonette on Tuesday afternoon, May 8.

Illinae Club Is to Have Annual Luncheon May 5

Mrs. Charles H. Bent of Winnetka, first vice-president, will preside at the annual spring luncheon of the Chicago Illinae club, which will be held at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon, May 5, in the north ballroom of the Stevens hotel. Mrs. Charles H. Dennis of Evanston has been president of the club for the past three years.

Mrs. Harold L. Ickes of Hubbard Woods, a member of the board of trustees, and Miss Maria Leonard, dean of women of the University of Illinois, will be guests of honor at the luncheon. Following the luncheon, Mrs. Anita Willetts Burnham, entertaining lecturer and artist, will give an account of her sketching trip abroad with her family. This summer Mrs. Burnham and her family will go to China to sketch and tour the country.

The Chicago Illinae club is composed of all women in Chicago and surrounding suburbs who have attended the University of Illinois. Its officers are Mrs. Charles H. Dennis, Evanston, president; Mrs. Charles H. Bent, Winnetka, first vice-president; Mrs. Darley Thomas, Chicago, second vice-president; Miss Helen Evans, Wilmette, recording secretary; Mrs. G. W. Karkaker, Evanston, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Stanley Woleben, River Forest, treasurer. Mrs. Harry Kerr and Mrs. L. D. Lloyd, Evanston; Mrs. Robert Knox, Glencoe; Mrs. E. E. Stults and Mrs. Fritz Wagner, Jr., Winnetka, and Mrs. R. E. Schreiber, Miss Edna Asmus and Miss Marie Anderson, Chicago, are north side board members.

All Illinae and their guests are invited to attend the luncheon. Reservations may be made not later than May 3, by writing or telephoning Mrs. A. M. Houser, Jr., general chairman, 328 Washington boulevard, Oak Park, Euclid 7317. Last year three hundred members and guests attended the spring luncheon.

Annual Homecoming at Arden Shore on Sunday

Sunday, May 6, brings the annual homecoming at Arden Shore, a red letter event each season in the lives of the many boys who have been graduated from the winter camp and return each year for a day's reunion. Sunday four hundred of them are expected to come out from the city in buses, have dinner at the camp, and hear the afternoon's program which commences at 3 o'clock, and to which the north shore public is cordially invited.

The speaker of the afternoon will be the Rev. James Austin Richards of Winnetka. What he will have to say will be a message of especial interest to these boys, who, with health regained, are again ready for the business world. In addition to the address, an Evanston orchestra composed of young boys and in charge of Charles Rundell, will play, and there will be a woman vocalist, whose name at this writing is not disclosed.

At the close of the program, a committee of north shore women will serve tea, coffee and delectable sandwiches to all of those who come to the camp on this occasion to see for themselves what Arden Shore is accomplishing. All of the refreshments are donated by the Arden Shore boards in the north shore villages.

It is for these graduates, twenty-four of whom were graduated yesterday, that the Arden Shore committees from time to time ask for donations of clothing to help them as they go out from camp in search of work, in many instances, not fittingly equipped.