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Some Reluctant to Leave Shanghai

It was reported in "Shanghai New Life" on Tuesday that a split has occurred among the Russian cadets in Shanghai on the question of future plans. It will be remembered that the foreign committee responsible for the lottery to raise funds for assisting Russian refugees, proposed, and had arrangements in progress, to send the whole of the cadets, some 500 in number, to Serbia, the Government having consented to receive them in the military schools. The scheme, apparently, does not appeal to some of the cadets, who may perhaps have become a little-fastidious after their long holiday in Shanghai. "Shanghai New Life" states that some of them have agreed to go to Serbia, a few have gone to Harbin, and about 100 propose to remain in Shanghai.

THE ROTARY CLUB'S WORK

Mr. S. D. Ren in addressing the Civic Department of the American Woman's Club on Tuesday afternoon, gave an outline of the activities of the Rotary Club in Shanghai. He expressed its aims to be, first, to promote and elevate a better standard of business practice and, second, to promote public welfare. The second aim, he said, was developed in several directions including, the betterment of existing conditions, the development of the coming generation and civic improvement.

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Some of the ways in which the local organization of Rotary have accomplished these purposes were to help the Blind School by building an additional building for the accommodation of the blind, by giving two scholarships to the American school and, along the lines of civic improvement, by making a study of the system of street numbering in Shanghai with a view to drawing up a better system.

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GAMBLING RAID

Following a report stating that the Chinese police had their eye on an alleged gambling house in North Szechuen Road, it was stated on Tuesday in the Chinese press that on Sunday night a raid was made on the place—a house in Lang Terrace, Jukong Road—by a Chinese Inspector and a number of detectives. The Chinese press account of the affair is that roulette, at two tables, and poker were in progress when the police entered, and that there were a number of foreigners in the house. Only one arrest was made, a Russian, said to be the manager, being detained. He

was released upon giving his name and some personal particulars. The report adds that the house was registered in a foreign name, and was known as the Russian Artists' Literary Circle. The matter will be dealt with by the Chinese authorities and the Bureau for Russian Affairs.