

Citizenship School Opens October 27

Prominent Women Will Bring Issues and Problems of Today Before District Clubs

Issues of the present political campaign, taxation problems, and parliamentary procedure will be discussed by experts in these fields at the Citizenship school to be held Thursday morning and afternoon, October 27, at the Winnetka Woman's club. All those attending the school will take up these subjects in open forums, after the problems have been thoroughly presented by the speakers.

The conducting of three Citizenship schools in various parts of the Tenth district throughout the year is the project of the citizenship committee of the district of which Mrs. Maurice H. Lieber of Winnetka, an authority on parliamentary law, is chairman. The second school will be held in February at the Rogers Park Woman's club.

The Winnetka school next week will open at 10 o'clock Thursday morning with an introductory welcome by Mrs. Rollin D. Wood, president of the Winnetka Woman's club, and Mrs. Jasper King, president of the Winnetka League of Women Voters. Mrs. Ivor Jeffreys, president of the Tenth district, will speak on "Citizenship."

Issues of the campaign of November 8, will be presented at the morning session by Mrs. Laura Hughes Lunde of Edison Park. Mrs. Lunde, a board member of the Woman's City club and of the League of Women Voters, is a noted speaker on civic affairs. Her talk will be followed by an open forum, and then luncheon at 12:30 o'clock. Reservations for luncheon are to be made with Mrs. Lieber.

The afternoon session will open at 1:45 o'clock with a speech on "Taxation" by Mrs. B. F. Langworthy of Winnetka. Mrs. Langworthy also is active in civic affairs. She is a board member of the League of Women Voters and the Woman's City club, and is vice-president of the national organization of the Parent-Teacher association.

An open forum at 2:15 o'clock will follow Mrs. Langworthy's talk. Commencing at 2:30 o'clock, Mrs. Lieber and Mrs. Reginald Ford, both expert parliamentarians, will conduct a "Question Box" on parliamentary procedure.

Notices announcing the school suggest that members come and bring their friends with them. Lectures and discussions offer members easy access to a fund of information which, through individual reading and study, could be gathered together only after the expenditure of much time. Not only does the school condense and organize a large quantity of subject matter, but, through its open forums, gives opportunity for questioning, judging and the stimulating contact of many minds.

The popularity of the citizenship schools conducted by the committee in past years forecasts that there will be keen interest in this year's session which has on its program many timely and vital topics.

Honored at Tea

Mrs. Charles H. Dennis of Evanston entertained at a tea last Tuesday at Shawnee Country club in honor of Mrs. Antonin Sterba of Evanston, a member of Mrs. Dennis' art committee at Shawnee. Mrs. Sterba is president of the Federation of Art clubs.

Seek Old Toys to Make New Toys for Children

By D. B.

Wednesday, October 19, staged the reopening of the hospital for cast-off toys. We, the juniors of the Catholic Woman's club, hope to help make this Christmas a merry one for those needy youngsters that we can reach. Our scope depends, alone, on the support of those who recognize the importance of happiness.

You who have been besieged with pleas for money, food, and work, will you do a final act of charity?

Children, in whatever circumstances, are essentially the same. To some food and money are taken for granted, to others there are dreams beyond comprehension. The children of both classes form one body in their delight in toys. The happiness of the latter seems greater. New toys or old they are instruments of joy. Can we deny them this pleasure?

Let us take up arms against cubby holes, trunks and closets. Rout out those hidden and desolate delights. Cast not a disparaging eye on doll houses, dilapidated and shabby dolls, tattered and legless, and toys broken beyond repair. We have supplied our workshop with all sorts of rejuvenating materials.

If there is anyone among you who would enjoy participating in this activity, come to St. Francis Xavier's auditorium and if you raid through the house has been successful, we will gladly receive the loot.

Congregational Circles in Session Next Monday

The North End circle of the Congregational church will meet Monday afternoon, October 24, with Mrs. H. C. Toeppen, 1200 Elmwood avenue. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. F. S. Currie Mrs. Frederick Leisch, and Mrs. Lester Mee. Luncheon will be followed by an afternoon of sewing.

The Northwest circle will hold its next meeting at 11 o'clock Friday morning, October 28, at the home of Mrs. John Ballman, 1524 Elmwood avenue. Assisting hostesses on that day will be Mrs. George Redding and Mrs. Charles Morrison. Luncheon will be served at noon.

Starts Cradle Benefits

Mrs. Samuel A. Rothermel, 853 Valley road, Glencoe, was hostess last Friday at the first of a series of vanishing luncheons to be held for the benefit of the Cradle society of Evanston. The luncheons will be given by many women on the north shore during the fall. The original hostess will invite seven guests, each one of whom will have luncheons. The second hostess in each group will have six guests, the third hostess five guests, and so on down the chain.

For Executives' Wives

Mrs. Roy E. McIlrath, 1629 Highland avenue, entertained the wives of the members of the Executives club of Chicago at luncheon last Friday. The guests spent the afternoon quilting and listening to the radio speech of William K. Braasch, which was broadcast from the weekly meeting of the Executive club being held at the Sherman hotel. Mr. Braasch spoke on "Conquering Self-Created Fear."

Madeline Tripp of Evanston was hostess at a tea last Sunday for members of the Glee club at Roycemore. Ruth Ostermann and Jane Harrison of Kenilworth are members of the club. Tea was followed by a concert.

Sew for Orphanage Friday

Sewing Friday at the Woman's club of Wilmette, a day open to all women of the village, whether club members or not, is to be done for the benefit of Lake Bluff orphanage, a Methodist philanthropy. Work commences at 10 in the morning, lasting

until about 4 in the afternoon, and luncheon is served at noon. Any one wishing to do sewing for charitable institutions, who is unable to give the entire day, may drop in for as long a time as she can spare. Mrs. Percy Idler is chairman for October 21. Mrs. C. A. Lundberg is chairman of the luncheon.



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