

## Mallinckrodt News

(Published for The Mallinckrodt, Catholic high school for girls in Wilmette)

The observance of "Vocation Week" was climaxed last Friday with an interesting program sponsored by the S. S. C. of The Mallinckrodt. The first number, a five-minute contemplation on the divine call of the Mother of God on that first feast of the Annunciation, was followed by a hymn to Our Lady sung by Mallinckrodt's members of the World's Fair chorus. "Christ, the Father of Vocations" was an inspiring talk given by the prefect of the sodality. Then followed several talks on various vocation: social service, nursing, etc. The nursing profession was outlined in its true colors by an alumna member of the school, Miss Ethelmae Schaefer, who is actively engaged in this field of work. The Christian family committee, which had sponsored an essay contest during the month of March in connection with the subject of home and vocations, published the results of the contest. Miss Lorraine Hunkle's essay: "The Home, the Nursery of Vocations," was judged the prize essay. It was read to the assembled students. A letter from the Rev. F. X. Talbot, S. J., in response to some information regarding Kathleen Norris, and another message from the late retreat master, the Rev. J. Walsh, S. J., were also read. The concluding number was given by the Mission Committee, an interesting skit portraying the development of Missionary Vocation.

A very delightful recital was given at The Mallinckrodt auditorium recently by Peggy Jane Bachman, Alice Catherine Mayer, and Virginia Frances Boland, private pupils of piano and expression classes of The Mallinckrodt. The program was beautifully rendered to a most appreciative audience. Peggy Jane Bachman played works of Bach, Mendelssohn, Grieg, Godard and other noted composers. The young player, the twelve-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bachman, showed great skill and talent. Alice Catherine Meyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Meyer of Wilmette, showed remarkable dramatic ability while entertaining her audience with several selections, among which were: "Papa's Letter," "Evening Vespers," "The Americans Come," "The Master," and several others. Miss Boland and Miss Bachman played Tchaikowski's March, from the Nutcracker Suite, for two pianos, as a final number.

### Patricia Davis Has Part in School Play

Miss Patricia Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Davis of 256 Woodstock avenue, Kenilworth, will return Monday to Kemper hall, Kenosha, Wis. Shortly before the commencement of the ten-day spring vacation, Miss Davis played the part of Mrs. Warren in "The Saturday Market," a one-act play about the country folk that come every Saturday to sell their wares at the market. This play was presented by the school's dramatic organization, the Troubadours, the same evening they gave another one-act play, "With the Help of Pierrette". Miss Margaret Hubbell of Evanston had charge of the staging and costumes for both plays.

### Supt. Gaffney Attends Educators' Conference

Supt. M. P. Gaffney of New Trier High school left last Friday for Atlantic City to attend a meeting of the Progressive Education association's committee on the relation of school and college. Mr. Gaffney is a member of this committee, of which Wilford M. Aikin, director of the John Burroughs school, Clayton, Mo., is chairman. Mr. Gaffney was expected back Wednesday of this week.

The Kenilworth evening bridge club met with Mr. and Mrs. George W. Keehn for dinner on Tuesday evening, March 28, at the Georgian hotel.

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