

Mrs. Philip P. Schupp Recalls Pioneer Days in Chicago Area

**Wilmette Resident Observes
83rd Birthday; Came to
Chicago in 1854**

Mrs. Philip C. Schupp, Sr., widow of the late Philip C. Schupp, celebrated her 83rd birthday at her home, 904 Oakwood avenue, Wilmette, the afternoon of June 22, attended by her immediate family, friends and relatives.

Mr. Schupp, nee Bertha Sophia Schmidt, came to Chicago from Germany in the year 1854 with her parents, following a seven weeks' ocean voyage. Landing at Quebec they came to Chicago residing on the near north side. As there were no street cars in Chicago at that time the family was driven to their home in an express dray.

"Chicago was then a vast prairie roamed by both Indians and white people," said Mrs. Schupp. "Recalling the great catastrophies which swept Lake Michigan and Chicago in its early history, I am reminded that I have seen Chicago rebuilt several times, finally developing the present beautiful city."

"I recall the sinking of the Lady Elgin; the body of Abraham Lincoln lying in state at the Courthouse; the old Indian trail which is now Green Bay road; remember how the skies were darkened by thousands of wild pigeons; how vast quantities of sturgeon were caught in Lake Michigan, and the thousands of crabs along its sandy shores."

Attends Newberry School

"I was one of the first pupils to attend the old Newberry and Brown schools. I also recall the great Civil war into which my brother enlisted. I remember the many perilous trips my brother-in-law, Capt. S. W. Marshall, and Capt. Morrison made on the Great Lakes, their being shipwrecked and swimming to shore. My brother-in-law's three-masted ship was tossed high and dry by a storm on the beach at what is now Lake Shore drive and North avenue, and after being towed back into the lake it sprung a leak and sank."

"In 1868 I was married to Mr. Schupp, whose parents had come to Chicago a number of years before my folks came. We then moved to the extreme north side where Mr. Schupp entered the wholesale and retail meat business. Deliveries were made for miles around. Mr. Schupp retired from active business in 1904."

Aids Fire Refugees

"At the time of the Chicago fire I opened my home to at least fifty people who had lost everything in the fire, giving them food and lodging until they could get settled elsewhere."

"Then came the cholera plague in which hundreds died."

"I have seen several large fairs in Chicago, but there was never one so beautiful in architecture as the one

TO HAVE HOUSE GUESTS

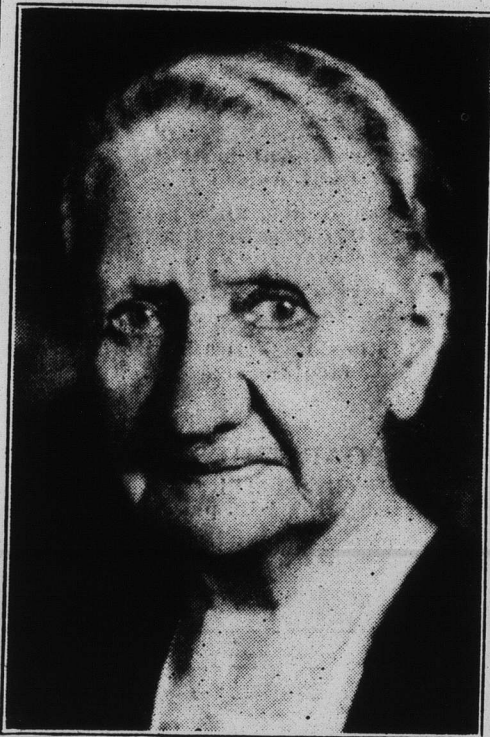
Mrs. Stella M. Tucker, 1214 Lake avenue, will entertain a few house guests over July 4. They will include Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Blodgett and their daughter, Betty Jean, of Madison, Wis., and Mrs. Tucker's niece, Miss Lulu Cummins of Ely, Minn. Miss Cummins is a teacher in the Ely school and is attending the summer school session at the University of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Page, 901 Ashland avenue, are spending a few days this week visiting relatives in Columbus and Indianapolis.

of 1893. Although our present fair is very modern, it is entirely different from anything else I have seen. "I recall when real estate in Chicago sold for little or nothing. One tract of 270 acres of Wilmette property, sold for \$4,000 to the brother of a friend of mine."

"As a girl I spent several summers at Lake Forest, which then was very little settled, with friends of the family."

"I have seen several depressions come and go and am confident that



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Mrs. Philip P. Schupp

America will come out of this one shortly."

Six of Mrs. Schupp's children are still living. They are Lottie L. Jones, Park Ridge; Phil C. Schupp, Chicago; Mrs. David Ash, Louisville, Kentucky; Mrs. William Fluegge, Morton Grove; Samuel F. Schupp, Chicago, and William N. Schupp, who resides with Mrs. Schupp. There are ten grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Hubert Trimborn, Former Wilmette Resident, Dies

Hubert Trimborn, a former Wilmette resident, died last Friday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mary Betz, in Rogers Park. Mr. Trimborn was 81 years old. He came to this country from Germany forty-six years ago and had lived most of the time since then in Rogers Park. Until last August he lived for three years with another daughter, Mrs. P. J. Didier, 1621 Elmwood avenue, Wilmette.

Mr. Trimborn is survived by six daughters, Mrs. Didier, Mrs. Betz, Mrs. Jacob Reinwald, 1630 Elmwood avenue, Wilmette, Mrs. Lena Ferguson of Holly, Mich., Mrs. Sophie Fortone of Chicago and Mrs. Anna Gilbert, also of Chicago. Twenty-five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren also survive him. He has one brother, John Trimborn, who lives in Germany.

The funeral services were held Monday morning at St. Margaret Mary's church in Chicago. Burial took place at St. Henry's cemetery on Devon avenue in the city.

Mrs. William Lange of Chicago entertained at dinner Monday in honor of Mrs. William Pritchard of Detroit, who is a house guest of Mrs. Albert Weber, 826 Chestnut avenue. On Wednesday Mrs. P. H. Russell of Chicago entertained at a bridge luncheon for Mrs. Pritchard.



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In their advertisements on this and the opposite page several of these organizations point out for your benefit their "Jubilee Specials"—so that having become acquainted with them you may profit by patronizing their stores.

It is significant that this group of Wilmette organizations considers this jubilee but their first step toward making their business district more attractive. A new free parking lot and other aids to shoppers are being provided.

Such enterprise on the part of a local group deserves the praise and commendation of every loyal citizen. Let's accept this invitation!