

## Central-Laurel P.T.A.

### Christmas Pageant

Mrs. Paul Robertson, program chairman of the Central-Laurel P.T.A. announces "A Carol Pageant of the Nativity," to be presented in the gymnasium of the Stolp school two evenings, Tuesday, December 19, and Wednesday, December 20, at 8 o'clock. This pageant brings us the Spirit of Christmas—the story of the nativity, children's voices singing carols, candle light and cathedral windows. It has become a tradition

pageant. Girls and boys of the seventh and eighth grade glee clubs will sing both nights. These organizations have a membership of 125.

### Thank Teachers

Most of the teachers in the school have helped in some way, but we are especially indebted to the following who have cooperated so perfectly in producing the pageant:

Miss Flaskered, dramatic teacher; Miss McKay, music supervisor; Mrs. Clark, director of 7th and 8th grade glee clubs; Mr. Saunders, art supervisor; Mr. Larson, art teacher and sponsor of printing club; Mr. Ball, industrial arts.

### Cast

Narrators—Ellen Moyer and Marilyn Melvoin.  
Mary—Ann Condon.  
Joseph—Phil Leekly.  
Kings—Dick Saunders, Fred Skinner, Tom Rosenow.



Photography Club Photo

Here are some members of the cast of "A Carol Pageant of the Nativity," in one of the scenes. From left to right, Dick Saunders (King) Fred Skinner (King) Phil Leekly (Joseph) Ann Condon (Mary) Paul Knupfer (Shepherd) Charles Hendricks (Shepherd) Bill Bredemeier (Shepherd).

at Stolp school to use the same general theme every year for our December P.T.A. meeting.

### Sing Carols of Many Lands

The text, with the exception of a few lines, was compiled from carols of many lands—America, France, Bohemia, Germany and Italy. Some of those read and sung are dated as early as the fourteenth century, with many coming from the writers of the 17th and 18th centuries.

The children from the elementary school will include representatives from grades 3, 4, 5, and 6. Approximately 115 of one group will sing carols on Tuesday and another group of 115 will sing on Wednesday, making a total of about 230 having opportunity to participate in the

### HOME FOR VACATION

Hugh Petersen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jule A. Petersen, 222 Cumberland avenue, Kenilworth, will return home tomorrow (Friday) for his Christmas vacation from Princeton university, where he is a member of the senior class.

James D. Lightbody, Jr., a senior at Harvard, will arrive home the latter part of next week to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Lightbody of 450 Drexel avenue, Glencoe.

Miss Alice Wally Callendar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Callender of 2214 Greenwood avenue, returns home Saturday of this week from Sullins college in Bristol, Va., for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Edith Ray Young, teacher of piano, who formerly lived at 1133 Central avenue, moved a week ago Saturday to 1321 Maple avenue.

### HOLIDAY VISITOR

Miss Virginia Biser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Biser, 423 Greenleaf avenue, a sophomore at Carroll college, Waukesha, Wis., returns home Friday of this week for the Christmas holidays. Miss Biser has been pledged to Alpha Kappa sorority at Carroll college.

Jack Vennema, son of John Vennema, 306 Woodstock avenue, Kenilworth, formerly of Winnetka, is expected home from Duke university Thursday of next week from the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Harry Lange of St. Louis was recently the houseguest of Mrs. N. T. Hans, 1211 Sixteenth street, for several weeks. Friends of long standing, they were students together at Monticello school.

## Shawnee Club to Stage Badminton Show on Friday

Badminton players and fans at the Shawnee Country club are planning to turn out in force at the Club tomorrow (Friday) night for an exhibition by the leading badminton stars of the Chicago area, according to an announcement by Cal Knotter, men's badminton chairman, and Mrs. Joseph Nate, women's badminton chairman, who are collaborating on arrangements.

Exhibition matches will feature five of the ranking players of the midwest, including George Brent, Chicago district champion; Boyd Anderson, midwest doubles champion; Henry Sistrunk, Illinois state champion, and Virginia Grelle, North Shore women's singles title holder.

The opening of the season of indoor sports at Shawnee has aroused more interest in badminton than in any previous year. The game, which is enjoying a nation-wide growth in popularity, can be played at a fast and furious pace by the experts but is equally adaptable to less strenuous play by those who just want a mild workout and recreation.

Plans are already under discussion by the Shawnee committee heads and James Doherty, the club badminton coach, for tournament championship play among Shawnee members after the holiday season. Arrangements will also be made to arrange a series of interclub matches.

### IN TEXAS

Mrs. T. E. Lannen, 1021 Greenleaf avenue, left Wednesday of last week for Sweetwater, Texas, to visit her daughter. Mrs. Laurance M. Priddy, for a month or two, possibly until spring. Last week-end, after her arrival, they took a motor trip of a few days to El Paso and across the Mexican border.

### HOLIDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. George Weimer and their sons, George, Jr., and John, of Gary, Ind., will be holiday guests of Mrs. Weimer's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Pavlik, 604 Exmoor road, Kenilworth. During this stay in Kenilworth, John will celebrate his sixth birthday, which falls on Wednesday, December 27.

Mrs. N. P. Zech, 918 Forest avenue, has recently returned from a week's visit with her son, Art, who is employed by the Little Nick Oil company at Chickasha, Okla. In another week Mr. Zech will be coming home to visit his parents until after New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Lamont Gildersleeve of Cleveland are arriving during the holidays to spend ten days with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Don M. Craft, 304 Melrose avenue, Kenilworth, before going on to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore G. Delang of Detroit, Mich., who are coming to Chicago at Christmas time, will be the guests of his mother, Mrs. Segrid DeLang of 1945 Thornwood avenue, on Christmas day.

Robert C. Flint, son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Chase Flint, 233 Warwick road, Kenilworth, will return for his Christmas vacation on Sunday, coming from Princeton, N. J., where he is a sophomore at Princeton university.

## Obituaries

### CHARLES A. RUSSO

Charles A. Russo, vice-president of a Chicago importing and wholesale grocery firm, died Friday at his home at 526 Sixth street, Wilmette, after an illness of two months.

Mr. Russo, who was 52 years old, was a native of Chicago, the son of the late Andrew Russo, one of the pioneer business men of the city.

He leaves his widow, Mary; a son, Andrew; five daughters, Marina, Mary, Rosemary, Antoinette, and Josephine; a brother, Nunzio; and a sister, Mrs. Michael Indovina.

Services were held on Saturday morning at St. Francis Xavier church with burial in Calvary cemetery.

### BACK FROM ST. LOUIS

Mrs. Beatrice Harding Arcus, 726 Washington avenue, returned recently from a trip to St. Louis. Her daughter, Bettyjean, and a friend, Charlotte Miller of Kenilworth, both students at Monticello college, went down to St. Louis to join her for part of the time.

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