

Sports Carnival at High School Is Important Event

By Bud Carey

With preparations well under way for the third annual sports carnival to be held at New Trier in the near future, interest is fast being aroused in regard to it.

Three years ago, when this ingenious plan was first thought up and adopted, interest was rather mild, for people could see no definite reason for it. The parents of the township and perhaps many of the students may wonder just what the purpose is in putting on such an exhibition. The answer is really simple and can be explained in a few words.

Most of the people of the several villages and the students of New Trier have seen the various interscholastic teams play such as track, basketball, swimming, and so forth, but only a small number of these see their sons, and in the case of the students, their friends, perform.



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Fred Henschel

One of Best

But they are quite wrong, for New Trier has one of the best intra-mural programs in the state and affords every student an opportunity to take part in some athletic contest. Each advisory room makes up a team from boys who sign up for the sport and these play scheduled games once or twice a week with the members of some other advisory-room teams.

This only applies to games where teams are needed but then there is left badminton, table tennis, handball, horse shoes, and many other individual sports to be handled. These are planned for the boys who are interested in them and they may sign up for anything they wish to play. A schedule is then made up and the boys must find their opponents, play them, and later turn in the results. In this way every fellow who is genuinely in earnest about doing some athletic work is able to have the experience of competition.

Just to See Fun

The reason why the parents should come to the sports carnival is not primarily to see their sons take part in some event but to show them that little Eggbert, who has perhaps come home complaining that he hasn't a chance to do anything in athletics at school, has honestly every opportunity to take part in anything he might be interested in. The boys who are not taking part in the show and who have not come out for a sport up to this time, should come also, just to see the fun they are missing.

Fred Henschel, the chairman of the interscholastic relations committee, and the boys working with him, are trying very hard, with the aid of Edgar Jackson, swimming instructor, Wilfred Childs, head of the athletic department, De Forrest Showley, director of inter-mural activities, John Nay, track coach, and Gottfried Sandvig, in charge of gymnastics, to make a colorful and interesting evening for all who are expected to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Clements of 381 Sterling road, Kenilworth, returned home Saturday from a trip to California.

LAUNCHES NORTH SHORE SPECIAL



The christening of the "North Shore Special" by Miss Frances Orcutt, (above) daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Dwight C. Orcutt of Glencoe, featured the inauguration of air service between North Shore communities and the east by United Air Lines Friday, April 1. The ceremonies were conducted at the Curtiss Airport in Glenview a few minutes before the three-mile-a-minute Boeing transport left for the Chicago Municipal airport with its first passengers to connect with a Mainliner bound for Cleveland, Philadelphia and New York.

In command of the inaugural plane were Captain W. E. Rhoades and First Officer James Allen. On board the ship, bound for New York, were J. K. Tyson and W. W. White, both of Highland Park. Other North Shore residents who left Glenview on the first eastbound schedule were Mrs. Florence McArthur of Park drive, Kenilworth, and Miss Olive Pfingsten of Pfingsten road, Northbrook.

The first westbound plane arrived at 4:40 p. m. on April 1 carrying passengers from Chicago who had flown from New York on United's non-stop daylight schedule. On board this plane was W. A. Patterson of Kenilworth, United's president. The morning ceremonies were followed by an informal breakfast at the airport restaurant and this was attended by air line and civic leaders. R. F. Ahrens of Highland Park, United's district traffic manager, introduced Major R. W. Schroeder and Harold Crary, both United vice-presidents and residents of Wilmette, who outlined the significance of the new service to the North Shore communities.

"The new air service reduces travel time between the North Shore and New York and other eastern cities by more than an hour," Crary said. "We have now eliminated the necessity of traveling by surface transportation through congested areas to reach the Chicago Airport."

Those attending the breakfast included Mayor Henry Penfield of Evanston; Wesley Poik, commissioner of Public Works in Evanston; H. L. Woolhiser, Village Manager of Win-

netka; C. M. Osborn, Village Manager of Kenilworth; Harry C. Kinne, President of Wilmette; Henry W. Lutter, President of Glenview; George R. Young, Village Manager of Glencoe; and Edward M. Kerr, Village Collector of Wilmette.

Others at the breakfast were: Mrs. J. K. Tyson of Highland Park, Mrs. R. F. Ahrens of Highland Park, Mrs. Harold Crary of Wilmette, and Fowler W. Barker of Winnetka, secretary of the Air Transport Association of America.

Gairing Galleries Exhibit Prize Art

Informal discussion about the prize-winning paintings and pieces of sculpture from the recently successful Woman's Club Art exhibit will be given at the Gairing Art Gallery, 1729 Sherman avenue, Evanston, where they are now being displayed. The exhibit will be open to the public from April 5 to April 23.

Carl Scheffler, director of the Evanston Academy of Fine Arts, will conduct a tour Friday, April 8 from 4 to 5 P. M.

Thomas Tallmadge, famous architect, will lead the discussion on Saturday, April 9, from 8 to 9 P. M.

Miss Jessie P. Lacey, well known Evanstonian and teacher at the Art Institute, will be at the gallery Saturday, April 16, from 8 to 9 P. M.

Maeble C. Perry and Peter Paul Ott, two prominent teachers of sculpture, will be present Saturday, April 23 from 8 to 9 P. M.

Mrs. Agnes McKinney Kenilworth Resident for Decade, Is Dead

Mrs. Agnes Wilson McKinney, 635 Melrose avenue, Kenilworth, passed away last Saturday morning in the St. Francis hospital, Evanston, of heart disease.

A native of County Donegal, in Ireland, where she was born in 1870, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson. She came to the United States in 1892 and was married the following year to Thomas McKinney. He passed away in 1919.

A former resident of Evanston for 35 years, where she had been a charter member of the United Presbyterian church and a member of the Delano Community club, she had lived in Kenilworth for much of the past decade.

Buried at Rosehill

Funeral services were held on Monday afternoon at the Scott chapel in Evanston with interment at Rosehill cemetery.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Edgar Moore of Independence, Mo.; by two brothers, William R. Wilson, with whom she had made her home, and Sam Wilson of Chicago, and by three sisters, Miss Jane Wilson, also of Kenilworth; Mrs. Charles A. Hoffman of Evanston, and Mrs. M. A. Newman of Toulon.

Samuel Hoth, Former Wilmette Policeman, Passes Away at Home

Samuel Hoth, retired Wilmette policeman, passed away Wednesday morning at his home, 1704 Wilmette avenue, after an illness of three weeks.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. John's Lutheran church, Park and Wilmette avenues, and the body will lie in state there from noon until the time of the services.

Mr. Hoth, who was born in 1870 in Niles Center, served on the force for 14 years (1908-1921). It was in 1919 that he shot and killed a bank robber after a long chase through the village streets which ended with a gun battle in the 1600 block on Walnut avenue.

He is survived by his widow, Mary; by two brothers, John and William; and by two sisters, Mrs. James Estes and Mrs. Henry Meierhoff of Wilmette.

Joseph Schildgen, 73, Native of Wilmette, Is Claimed by Death

One of the few remaining older native residents of Wilmette, Joseph Schildgen, 1703 Lake avenue, died Friday of last week after a brief illness at St. Francis hospital. He was 73 years old, and was born here before the incorporation of the Village of Wilmette, when the locality was known as New Trier.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at St. Joseph's church, with burial in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Mr. Schildgen is survived by his widow, Mrs. Theresa Schildgen, five sons and three daughters. The daughters are Mrs. Chris Henrichsen of Evanston, Mrs. Joseph H. Heinzen of 1518 Lake avenue, and Mrs. Hal W. Dahly of Chicago. The sons are Joseph H. of Northbrook, Lawrence of Niles Center, Edmund of Winnetka, and Clarence and Harold of Wilmette.

Jack Randall, 912 Twelfth street, has been awarded his numerals for the freshman varsity swimming team at the University of Illinois.