

LOCAL PEOPLE ARE FINANCING SCOUT MOVEMENT

Contributions Show Folks are Awake to Real Need of Supervision of Boys Play Time.

Canvassers making the rounds of Downers Grove homes getting the pledges for funds to carry out the scout program for Downers Grove and this district, are having an easy time of it compared to the uphill work which has been necessary in the past to finance this worthy movement.

It is apparent that local folks are at last awake to the great good that the scout movement is accomplishing. It should be an easy matter in the future to send Downers over the top in these drives.

The present money getting campaign is designed to carry the work along on a three year program, also to pay for the permanent camp site on Lake Delevan, Wisconsin.

Further report of subscriptions to the Boy Scout Fund:

Table listing names and amounts for the Boy Scout Fund, including Mrs. Ruth R. Berryman, Mrs. M. H. Prince, Mrs. G. M. Barry, etc.

Total Oct. 19, 1920 \$1566.25

MEET TO DISCUSS ARTICLE X. NEXT MONDAY EVENING

Informal Gathering of Voters at the High School Assembly Hall At 8 O'Clock.

In last week's Reporter H. S. Dum issued a challenge to debate Article Ten of the League of Nations, said debate to be held at the High School Assembly Hall at a date to be set. No one, to this writing has accepted his invitation to lock horns on this subject and arrangements have been completed to hold an informal gathering of the voters at the high school next Monday evening, October 25th, at eight o'clock.

At this meeting it will be the object of those in charge to discuss Article 10 from a pro standpoint and ask those present to enter into the discussion, from any angle whatsoever. No formal program has been set and it is possible that other issues of the campaign will be talked over.

Mr. Dum is somewhat disappointed that his challenge has gone by the board without anyone attempting to take him up. However, the mere fact that one clause in the challenge limited the discussion to Article 10 and nothing else, even the political side of the question, may have had something to do with this.

Everyone, Democrat, Republican, Socialist, Non-Partisan, men and women, are invited to attend this meeting next Monday evening.

ENTERTAIN FOR MRS. VAN BEYNUM

Last Friday afternoon Mrs. Ralph Gachner entertained friends at a bunco party for her sister, Mrs. C. W. Van Beynum. A most enjoyable afternoon was spent. Mrs. Behrel was awarded first prize and Mrs. Paul Herring the booby. Refreshments followed. The guests were the Mesdames Van Beynum, O'Brien, Brooks, Sadie Gachner, Worsley, Behrel, Herring, Stevenson, Cox, Staats, Beidelman, Wright, and Miss Beresford.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. W. J. Staats entertained at a Halloween bunco party for Mrs. Van Beynum. The house was decorated for the occasion and the orange and black color scheme was carried throughout. Mrs. W. H. O'Brien won the prize and Mrs. T. E. Brooks was awarded the consolation. Dainty refreshments were served after which all wished Mrs. VanBeynum success and happiness in her new home. The afternoon passed all too quickly and much regret was felt at seeing Mrs. Van Beynum leave the friendly circle. The guests were Miss Beresford and the Mesdames Wright, S. J. Brown, R. Gachner, Brooks, O'Brien, Herring, Stevenson, Cox, Van Beynum and L. Beidelman.

"TAGGED" HERE MONDAY TO HELP CHICAGO KIDDIES

Ladies Thank Mayor Barber for Permission to Solicit for Children's Benefit.

Three Downers Grove women "tagged" local people Monday for the Chicago Children's Benefit League. Mrs. Tiffany was in charge of the local workers and was assisted by Mrs. McCollum and Mrs. Hanchett.

Mrs. Tiffany reports that people in general were very responsive to the appeal for funds. That many would not wait to be solicited but offered their bit voluntarily. She wishes to thank Mayor Barber for permission to tag.

While the charity is a Chicago one, all suburban towns in this vicinity and on the north shore entered into the spirit of the occasion. Local workers in these small cities and villages helped to swell the fund.



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GRANT DICKE TRIAL COMES UP TOMORROW

For Third Time Village Will Attempt to Prove the Charge of Speeding.

Tomorrow afternoon in the Village Hall before Police Magistrate Carlson, will be heard for the third time the case of the People vs. Grant Dicke on an alleged charge of speeding.

The case was first called to trial last Saturday afternoon when on motion of G. H. Bunge, attorney for the defendant, Judge Carlson quashed the warrant under which Mr. Dicke was brought to court. The reason for the motion was that it had not been signed by a proper person authorized to draw up such papers. It had been signed by James Chilvers, whose penchant for practical joking, for which he is noted in the village, has been turned into a new channel, that of gum-shoe constable.

A new warrant was drawn and served on Dicke Monday. Tuesday evening with his client, Attorney Bunge appeared in court and after arguing the legality of the new warrant with Village Attorney Snow before Magistrate Carlson, walked out of the court room, claiming that the court had no jurisdiction in the matter. After his leaving, Attorney Snow discharged the jury and called the case for tomorrow afternoon.

INTER-VILLAGE WIRELESS PLAN OF BOY SCOUTS

Meet this Afternoon to Establish Relay Stations in Towns Along Burlington.

Boy Scouts of the West Suburban District are planning an inter-village wireless to open communication between the various troops of the district.

Plans to further this project will be discussed at a meeting to be held this afternoon at the scout office in Riverside. Those interested in wireless telegraph will meet to make plans for relay stations.

Apparatus used by the boys is not powerful enough to send messages very far. To get around this stations will be established in Riverside, LaGrange, Hinsdale and Downers Grove. Each station will have a "call" and with the use of the telephone, it will be possible to get in touch with every scout in the district within an hour.

It is planned that by the time the camp opens at Delevan Lake next year a sufficiently powerful plant will have been secured to be placed there which will make it possible to communicate directly from there to the homes of the boys here.

Billy O'Neill is the Downers Grove scout who will attend today's meeting.

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ALSO

"Ten Nights Without a Bar Room," 2-Reel Sunshine

Sunday, October 24th

"The Breath of the Gods"

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TSURU AOKI (Mrs. Sessue Hayakawa) in The Universal-Jewel Super-production "THE BREATH OF THE GODS"

ALSO

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

Tuesday, October 26th

Gladys Walton in "The Secret Gift"

Motion picture audiences have seen so many photodramas with valiant heroes, black-hearted villains, dazzling sirens and beautiful heroines that a story dealing with real folks, human in quality and familiar in their characteristics is a welcome relief. Such a photoplay is "The Secret Gift," featuring Lee Kohlmar, Rudolph Christians and Gladys Walton.

ALSO

Episode No. Nine—"RUTH OF THE ROCKIES"

Wednesday, October 27th

Harry Carey in "SUNDOWN SLIM"

"He was the ramblin' son with the nervous feet, That never was made for a steady beat. He'd been on the bum, and he'd lived in style, But there was the road, windin' mile after mile, And nothin' to do but go!"

ALSO

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