

**NEWSY NOTES  
FROM LISLE  
AND BELMONT**

The Ladies Aid met at the home of the President, Mrs. Chas. Lacey, and elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Thos. Stanton; Vice President, Mrs. Brokmeyer; Secretary, Mrs. J. Barnacle; Treasurer, Mrs. C. Miller.

The Community Club will meet on Friday evening at the Church. Mr. Howard P. Jones of Downers Grove will be the speaker.

The Rev. Anderson has been ill for the past several days. Mr. W. H. Richie "Y" Secretary, of Wheaton, filled the pulpit Sunday.

Rosella Porter entertained the Misses Sarah Houk, Lorraine and Lela Shrock and Dorothy Dunmeier of Northwestern College at dinner Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Peter of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mrazek of Cicero, spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Kraisinger.

Mrs. F. Schultz has been quite ill recently with pneumonia. She is improving somewhat.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Briggs of Hinsdale visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Briggs Sunday.

Mr. Van Den Burg is on the sick list. His place at the creamery is being taken by Mr. Ed. Schwartz.

Mary Sedlake of Chicago, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Promelins.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Reed Loy, Tuesday, a son. Mrs. Loy was formerly Edith Yackley.

**SOUTH-OF-LISLENOTES**

Mrs. Harry Foster and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Oscar Potter of Downers Grove.

Mr. Albert Dieter and family are now living on the E. E. Bain farm. We are glad to have them with us again.

The Dieter, Meyer and Pelling families attended a party given by

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Riedy Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Strauley and children spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Strauley of Downers.

Mr. Algernon Barnard has been having a very much enjoyed vacation with the home folks. He returned to Illinois Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Miller were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leverenz Sunday.

Mr. Clare Goodwin of Evanston, spent Sunday with Mr. Algernon Barnard.

Mr. Arthur Greene has been quite ill the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leverenz entertained the Lutheran League of Lacey Church Sunday evening.

Miss Agatha Faulhaber has been home for a few days nursing a vaccination which has been painful.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Strauley and daughters spent Sunday with Mrs. Josephine Strauley of Lemont.

Mr. Eichelberger of Chicago called on Mr. George Pelling Monday evening.

Miss Mabel Pelling and brother, Clarence took part in the entertainment given by the Dramatic Club of St. Joseph's church Monday evening. From all accounts we have two very talented young folks in our midst and understand the affair was a great success.

Mr. Edmond Dieter attended the Automobile Show Saturday.

Mrs. Adam Dieter and daughter, Louise, were guests of Mrs. John Egerman of Naperville at luncheon and cards Wednesday.

Miss Marion Green has been spending several days in Chicago with Mrs. Ralph Fisher.

Misses Marie and Katie Dorr and brother, John, came out from Chicago Sunday and spent the day with Miss Beatrice Schmitt.

Mrs. George Rott, who has been

Mrs. Crandell (Gove) Tells How She Stopped Chicken Lice

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seriously ill is slowly improving.

Miss Lucilla Schmitt has returned to her school very much improved in health.

Miss Carrie Foster of Downers has been spending several days with Mrs. Harry Foster.

Misses Tess and Anna Fitzgerald spent Sunday with the home folks.

**Church Bells.**

The Angelus bell, always rung thrice a day, takes its name from the first words of the prayer. In Tuscan a bell is rung an hour before the evening Angelus, or Ave bell, and is intended to remind its hearers to say the creed. The De Profundi bell sounds one hour after the Ave. In Italy on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock thirty-three strokes are sounded in many churches and convents in memory of Christ's death at the age of 33. The custom probably is followed elsewhere.

**Here's a Fish Story.**

Trout vary greatly within the species, according to the nature of the waters they inhabit, the variations being manifested in their color, size, form and fin development, says the American Forestry Magazine. As to their weight, Mr. Hallock, a famous American fisherman, claims to have known of one that weighed seventeen pounds, while as a rule, they do not run over three or four pounds.

**Made India "Dry."**

Mas'ud, the mountain ruler of Ghazni and the plains of the Punjab, a generous patron of letters, an able architect and a warrior of no mean strength, who could fell an elephant at a single stroke and lead a vicious army, first instituted prohibition in Afghanistan and India in 1030 A. D., says a writer in Asia.

**LOCAL SCOUTS  
TROOPS CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY**

Met Tuesday Evening in Gym to Commemorate Incorporation of American Scouting.

All three troops of Boy Scouts met at the High School gymnasium on Tuesday evening and participated in the Eleventh Birthday Anniversary of the incorporation of Boy Scouts of America.

The meeting was opened with roll call and flag ceremony after which the president of the local Council addressed the boys on Local Work.

The Deputy Commissioner then gave a brief outline of the history of Boy Scouting.

Scout Master Wildish of Troop 3 gave the boys military drill and at the hour of 8:15 all repeated Scout oath and law. The National Constitution of Boy Scouts states all troops in America should, at the hour of 8:15 on February 8th of each year, assemble at their place of meeting and repeat together the Scout oath and law.

Mr. F. N. Davis then gave a short talk on Scout oath.

Troop 2 in charge of Scout Master O'Neill gave Scout games and signals after which Scout Master Getting of Troop 1 staged a fifteen minute basket ball game between members of the different troops.

The Rev. A. S. Phelps told the boys a story using Abraham Lincoln as the character but not revealing his identity until he had finished.

**Replacement.**

Good reasons must, of force, give place to better. - Shakespeare.

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Among those already shown at the Curtiss Theatre since January 1st, are such successes as "The Right to Love," "The Round-Up," "Held by the Enemy," "The Restless Sex," "Why Change Your Wife," "The Heart of a Child."

**Coming Soon are--**

"On With the Dance" with Mae Murray  
"So Long Letty" with an all star cast  
"The Toll Gate" with William Hart  
"The Stealers" with an all star cast  
"The Prince Chap" with Thomas Meighan  
"The Right of Way" with Bert Lytell  
"Shore Acres" with Alice Lake  
"Lying Lips" with House Peters and Flo Vido  
"Idols of Clay" with Mae Murray  
"Something to Think About" a DeMille picture

This is only a partial list of the big super-productions that are booked for the Curtiss.

There have also been booked pictures of the more famous stars in pictures of lesser length. Among these are pictures starring Wallace Reid, Billie Burke, Dorothy Dalton, Elsie Ferguson, Pauline Frederick and others.

In short, theatre goers of Downers Grove are to have a far greater selection of the really worth while pictures at the Curtiss Theatre alone than is the privilege of any of our neighboring towns to enjoy.

Our program for the coming week--typical of what is to come--

**Saturday, February 12th**  
THE FORTUNE TELLERS  
A special seven reel production starring  
**Marjorie Rambeau**  
also  
FIRE BUGS--A two reel Century Comedy  
and  
THIRD EPISODE--"BRIDE 13"

**Sunday, February 13th**  
**"Burning Daylight"**  
A Jack London story with a cast including Mitchell Lewis, Helen Ferguson, Gertrude Astor and others.  
also  
INTERNATIONAL NEWS  
and  
MUTT AND JEFF ANIMATED CARTOONS

**Tuesday and Wednesday  
February 15th and 16th**  
**LIONEL BARRYMORE**  
in  
**"The Copperhead"**  
also  
INTERNATIONAL NEWS

**Curtiss Theatre**  
Under Direction of Elmer Uhlhorn