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### Deerfield News

**Charles William Pettis Dies**  
For many years a prominent and active citizen of Deerfield, but old age crept slowly on and finally death overtook Charles William Pettis at his home Wednesday morning, November 25, at the age of 76 years and 10 months. Mr. Pettis was born in Barrington Center, Illinois, January 25, 1849.

On the 31st of October 1868 he was married to Lucy Ann Langdon of Fairfield, Illinois, who died April 13, 1921.

About fifty-two years ago Mr. and Mrs. Pettis moved to Deerfield where Mr. Pettis spent many of his early years in the service and interest of the community. He held several public offices; Justice of Peace, Village trustee, member of school board and member of the board of supervisors.

There were eleven children, six are living, four sons, Lincoln, Elmer, Charles G., and Robert, two daughters, Charlotte Fredericks and Nellie Haggie, one brother, George Pettis of Deerfield, two sisters, Mrs. Sarah West and Mrs. Clara Hubbard of Elgin; thirteen grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church Friday afternoon with the Rev. Mark Andrews officiating.

"Lead Kindly Light" and "Abide With Me," two beautiful hymns were sung by Mrs. Julia Peterson, whose charming soprano voice touched the hearts of all who came to pay their respects to the departed.

Messrs. Fred Meyer, Fred Selig, William Haggie, Peter Duffy, S. P. Hutchison and D. N. Lidgerwood acted as pallbearers.

Burial was in the Deerfield cemetery, on Waukegan road.

**Presbyterian Church Bazaar**  
The Deerfield Presbyterian church will hold their annual bazaar in the church basement Friday afternoon and evening, December 4.

Every effort has been put forth to make this the best ever and prospective Christmas shoppers will find a fine selection of aprons, dolls, and fancy goods at a comparatively low price. Delicious home-made cakes, pies, bread, candies of all varieties, and other home delicacies will be on sale at 2:30 o'clock.

An added attraction, which will delight the children, is the fish pond. A Cafeteria lunch will be served at 5:30 o'clock.

Any donations to the sale will be greatly accepted by the following ladies, the hostesses of the various committees, including Mrs. W. W. Clark, fancy goods; Mrs. S. P. Hutchison, aprons; Mrs. J. A. Hoffman, dolls; Mrs. Austin Plagge, candy; Miss Sadie Galloway and Mrs. R. Patterson, lunch; Mrs. W. W. Todd, home bakery; Mrs. William Seiler, the fish pond.

**Local and Personal**  
Lela and Ethel Kreh have tonsillitis.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Gooder and family are spending a few weeks at a hotel in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fehlman and son Elwood and daughter Dorothy of Rockford, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. James Fritsch.

Mildred O'Callahan of Chicago was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Virgin, last week.

Miss Miriam Stryker spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stryker.

Mrs. E. H. Willman, Miss Ida Knaak and Mrs. R. M. Frase attended a White Shrine meeting at Lake Forest, Tuesday evening.

The Melody Boys rendered a few selections at the Thanksgiving party given by the Royal Neighbors and Modern Woodman at the Temple Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Kress, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Willman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Greenslade, Mrs. Eugene Ender and Miss Clara Ender were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bingham of Chicago Saturday. Following the dinner the guests enjoyed bridge and Miss Mary Bleimel and Mrs. Roy Hutchison were awarded the prizes.

Mrs. J. A. Stryker and Mrs. J. A. Reichelt, Jr., attended a joint meeting of the executive board and advisory council of the D. S. H. S. P. T. A. held at the home of the president, Mrs. R. W. Flinn, of Highland Park, Monday afternoon.

The Deerfield ladies served at the Deerfield-Shields high school Parent-Teacher association, which met this afternoon at the high school.

Mr. Peter Perry has la grippe.

The Deerfield Temple association will give a third community dance in the Masonic Temple Saturday evening, December 5. From the reports of the previous dances no one will want to miss this one. An excellent orchestra will provide the music. The committee in charge is planning to hold dances every Saturday evening that the Temple is available.

Mr. Emil Fredericks is confined to his home with blood poisoning in his left hand.

Miss Eleanor Meyer entertained at a bridge party at her home Thursday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Protine of Elmhurst, Ill.

Mr. Henry Soli and Mr. George Ness of Thorp, Wis., spent last week end in Deerfield. On Friday Messrs. Ness and Soli and Miss Margaret Hansen were the guests of Miss Frances Borysiewicz in Chicago.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Ross Sherman was hostess to the Pot Luck club at her home on Osterman avenue.

James Hood, Jr., was host to twenty of his friends at his home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Getty and family spent Thanksgiving with Mr. Getty's parents in Philadelphia, Penn.

Mrs. Josephine Rommel and son, Oscar, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rommel of La Grange, Ill.

Mr. Alvin Meyer broke his arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Knaak had as their guests Thursday, Dr. A. Paul of Chicago, Mrs. E. McMahan and daughter, Miss Catherine McMahon, of Rogers Park.

The second concert of Our Own Concert series given under the auspices of the Deerfield Temple association was given in the Temple Saturday evening. The Old Colony Male trio appeared and provided a most delightful program, abounding in novelty, variety, fun and surprises. These concerts are a real treat and should call forth a tremendous response. Tickets are on sale at Knaak's Drug store. The Victorian Serenaders will appear Saturday, December 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Huhn entertained at a bridge party at their home on Saturday evening.

The George Truitt, E. B. Jordan and A. C. Brackett families had a co-operative dinner Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. Truitt.

A six months old Mexican baby died of pneumonia last week. The father is employed on the railroad and the family lives in a settlement between Deerfield and Osterman avenues, east of the track.

Mr. Harry Olendorf has rented the old drug store on Deerfield avenue and expects to open a dry goods store in the near future.

Misses Clara and Marie Dietz of Northbrook were guests at the George Karch home Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. J. Mewerise, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Edward Selig for the past month returned to her home in Dubuque, Iowa, Saturday.

Mr. Jesse Strong spent the past week with his father in Peoria, Ill. Mrs. Strong is in New Rochelle, N. Y., where she was called a few weeks ago on account of the illness of her father.

Mrs. J. A. Reichelt, Jr., was hostess at a luncheon Tuesday after which a meeting at the Highland Park Women's club was attended to hear Sir Philip Gibbs, and later Mrs. Reichelt and her guests attended a performance of Tony Sarg's Marionettes at the Elm Place school.

Mrs. George Truitt entertained the Deerfield members of Mr. R. E. P. Klines' Wednesday morning classes in the Highland Park Woman's club at a luncheon at the Green Tea Pot last week.

Jane and Ann Warner have been ill this past week.

Mrs. Mary Miles of Summit, Illinois, was the week-end guest of Mrs. E. J. Knickerbocker.

Thomas Duffy is confined to his home with a severe case of bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hunter and family were the dinner guests of Miss Lillian Ackerman of Chicago.

Mr. Henry Huehl has purchased the George Antes property on 2nd street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Day and Miss Marjory Day of Wilmette were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Richards, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dougherty and two daughters, Margaret and Wilma, of Chicago, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Labahn, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hutchison and Mrs. J. A. Fletcher of Chicago, Mr. Jack Fletcher and daughter of Auburn, Indiana, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hutchison, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Scully, Sr., have returned from Rochester, Minnesota and have gone to Excelsior Springs, Mo.

Mrs. Heman of Park Ridge spent Thanksgiving with her daughter, Miss Loretta Heman.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Duffy, Miss Julia and Mr. Arthur Duffy, and Mrs. Fred Greenslade of Highland Park and Mrs. Chas. McCarthy of Evanston, were the guests of Mrs. E. J. Knickerbocker, Thursday.

Miss Loretta Heman was hostess at a card party to eight of her friends at her home Saturday evening. Mr. W. H. Steffis was awarded the first gentlemen's prize and Mrs. Earl Frost the first ladies prize. Following the cards, delicious refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ackerman of Detroit, Michigan, Misses Mabel and Edna Hunter, Miss Lillian B. Hunter, of Chicago, and Mr. Virginius Coe of the Chicago university were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hunter on Eugene avenue, Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dole Richards had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Willard H. Thayer and Miss Marion Thayer of Wilmette and Mr. Robert Wilcox of Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Connor of Waukegan road had as their guests Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Gates of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson and family spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Johnson of Chicago.

The Young Matrons Bridge club was entertained by Mrs. Robert Greenslade of Highland Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bowman and daughter, Jane, spent the week-end

with Mr. and Mrs. Bowman of Bloomington.

Mr. and Mrs. Forbes Leith and daughter, Peggy, will sail for England and Scotland, December 5, where they will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Frase will move into their new home in the River Woods.

Mrs. John Willman was the guest of her son, Christ Willman, of Glenview.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson entertained at a dinner party Sunday for Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. K. W. Kempa, who has recently returned from Europe. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kellberg of Brookfield, and Mrs. R. McKay of Chicago were the out-of-town guests.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Friedlund and family, and Mr. and Mrs. George Deck were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Daddh of Chicago, Thanksgiving day.

There will be election of officers at the regular meeting of the Deerfield chapter of the O. E. S. Thursday (this evening) at the Masonic Temple. All the members are urged to be present.

Miss Elizabeth O'Connor of Downers' College, Milwaukee, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Connor.

The Deerfield chapter of the O. E. S. were guests of the Glenview chapter Friday evening. The following officers exemplified the work, Mrs. Nina Engstrom, Mrs. Christena Knaak, Mrs. Margaret Carr, Mr. Thilo Toll, Mrs. Alma Deck, Mrs. Evelyn Sherman, Mrs. Ruth Frase, Mrs. Adelaide Steiner, Mrs. Elsie Scully, Mrs. Ella Vantine, Mrs. Mathilda Boehler, Mrs. Margaret Wolff, Mr. and Mrs. John Willman and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Selig. Mrs. E. H. Willman was ill and unable to attend.

The December meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of the Deerfield Evangelical Bungalow church met in the church Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. H. Savage had charge of the devotional service. "Pray in the Strategy of Missions" was the subject discussed by Mrs. Arthur Merner and Mrs. Ira Fehr. Miss Sadie Beckman delighted the members with a soprano solo. The hostess for the afternoon were Mesdames Milton Frantz, Floyd Stanger and Chester Westling.

The December meeting of the Deerfield Grammar school Parent-Teacher association will be held Friday afternoon, December 11, in the school. It will be a musical program and the Camp Fire girls will have their sale after the meeting.

The annual party given by the Deerfield Mens club for the wives and daughters at the Masonic Temple last Tuesday was a gala affair. The guests were delightfully entertained at dancing in the hall upstairs and cards in the banquet room downstairs. Many beautiful prizes were awarded at cards and a high class orchestra furnished the music for dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Gloden had as their guests Sunday, Mr. Gloden's sisters, Mrs. Frank Weyer of Olivia, Minnesota, Mrs. Frank Goetz of Morton, Minnesota, Mrs. Leikam and family of Aptakisic.

Mr. Walter Vantine was ill last week.

Mrs. Sam Rockenbach entertained her father of Chicago over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jacobson and Mr. Owen Savage attended a scout convention at Rockford, Illinois, and visited with Mrs. Jacobson's brother, Mr. Irwin Plagge.

Mr. and Mrs. William Koehelin had as their guests Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wilmot of Oak Park, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Schminke of Wheeling and Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot of Chicago.

Miss Clara Ender was the guest of Miss Mary Bleimel, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Gloden and family attended the bazaar given by the Catholic church of Buffalo Grove, on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carlson spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. John Linde of Chicago.

Miss Emily Knaak and Mrs. Chester Wolf attended Past Matrons and Past Patrons night of the Eastern Star, Wheeling chapter, Tuesday evening. They took part in the initiation ceremonies.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schmidt announce the birth of a son born Monday, November 30.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Sol Shapiro, Saturday, November 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wolf, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Olendorf and two sons, Jimmy and Billy, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Carr and Mrs. Jennie Wilson, spent the Thanksgiving season at the home of Mr. Ebert Wilson of Libertyville.

Mrs. James Wilson will entertain the December meeting of the Wilmet Progressive club next Wednesday afternoon, December 9.

An aluminum demonstration was held at the home of Mrs. Edward Bleimel, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Selig were the guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hammer of Highland Park, Thursday.

The Deerfield Chamber of Commerce will hold their regular meeting in the Deerfield Masonic Temple Friday evening at 8 o'clock. All members are urged to attend.

Miss Bernice Peterson of Dixon, Ill., was the week-end guest of Miss Stella Wood.

Miss Nell Yahn spent the Thanksgiving season at her home in Lake Mills, Wis., and Mrs. Woods at her home in Hebeau, Illinois.

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**School Notes**  
The honor roll for lower grades:  
4th grade—David Stryker, Catherine Cunningham, Eleanor Bruggman, Shirley Clark.  
3rd grade—Lois Jassoy, Marie Daniels.  
2B—John Engstrom, Richard Hoffman, Peter Duffy.  
2A—Earl Toll, Marjorie Bruggman.  
1A—Shirley Blaine, Edwin Meier, Rose Gloden.  
1B—Dorothy Peters, Margaret Otto, June Nelson.  
Thrift results—Total amount \$35.42; making a percentage of 74.  
The upper grades are taking their second six weeks' examinations.  
The children of the fifth grade were weighed and measured last week by their teacher, Miss May Titus. They were very much surprised to learn that about 60 per cent of the room was underweight. Slips were taken home by the underweight children so that the parents would know about it and help bring their weight up to normal. The Healthy Living Project for December will be to bring up the underweights.  
The 5th grade has taken up the study of manners for opening exercises. This week they have read about and discussed table manners and manners in the home.  
The pupils of all the grades are learning Christmas carols in the music classes.  
A preliminary dictionary contest was given Tuesday afternoon. This is a contest of both speed and accuracy.  
The three pupils receiving the best ratings will enter the contest on Friday afternoon. The contest on Friday will be given at the Deerfield Grammar school. Pupils from Highwood, Everett and Wilmet, will enter the contest with the Deerfield pupils. The winners will go to Waukegan for the county contest at a later date.  
The fourth grade pupils are busy selling Christmas cards so they may have new pictures and library books for their room.

**A Statement of Principles of the St. Paul's Evangelical Church of Deerfield**  
The St. Paul's Evangelical church as a member of the Evangelical Synod of North America, recognizes the value of the great doctrinal statements of the Reformed and Lutheran churches for guidance in faith and practice without wishing to construe them into an iron clad rule to bind men's consciences.  
With reverence for the great work of the Reformation, which God's servants have wrought through his spirit we acknowledge the following principles:  
1. That man is saved by a living faith, i.e., the recognition by personal experience of a living Savior.  
2. That the fountain of this experience is the Bible, the living word of God, the infallible guide of Christian life and teaching.  
3. That for this experience a full measure of religious liberty and freedom of conscience is necessary. In spite of the many ways in which the spirit manifests itself to bring about the experience of salvation, we believe that the inward unity of the followers of Christ is an essential condition for the progress of God's Kingdom on earth. For this unity we stand.  
Standing on this foundation, we make an appeal:  
1. As an American church, by reason of our historical origin, brought into existence on American soil under American laws.  
2. As a liberal church in regard to doctrine.  
3. As a democratic church by reason of our church government. We believe in the full autonomy of the local church and that guidance rather than force is the fundamental principle of church government.  
Any one who upon instruction and public confession has been baptized as an adult, or who having been baptized as an infant has been brought to a definite decision for Christ by being converted to and confirmed in the faith and doctrine of our church is thereby a member of the church. Members of other denominations are received by letter.  
Although in the early history of the church, the German language was used exclusively in our instruction and preaching, today, however, this is no longer true. The German language has become a secondary matter, being used, only in two services a month. The religious instruction of the youth of the church is by means of the English language only.  
Thus the St. Paul's Evangelical church takes its place among the churches of Deerfield, ready at all

times to serve the religious need of its residents. It extends a hearty invitation to all, especially to those who have chosen Deerfield as their new place of residence. If you have severed your relation with the church of your former home, make the St. Paul's Evangelical church your church for the future. Irrespective of denomination, we welcome you to share our blessings and benedictions.  
F. G. Piepenbrock, pastor.

**St. Paul's Evangelical Church**  
Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.; English service, 10:30 a. m.  
Everybody is cordially invited to attend our services. Church going should not only be a habit but a necessity. If there is no church of your particular denomination in Deerfield, come and worship with us. We are always glad to make new friends and we shall try to make you feel at home.  
Preparations are being made for a big Christmas program on Christmas eve. Please bear that day in mind and make plans now to be there.  
On Sunday the Sunday school children will receive a Christmas offering envelope. The following Sunday they are to return them with an offering for the Christmas treat. Let's make Christmas a big day for the children.  
Please remember that Sunday is "Piano Fund Sunday."  
Elsewhere in this issue you will find a statement of Evangelical principles. Please read them and preserve for reference.

**Deerfield Evangelical Bungalow Church**  
Rev. R. M. Williams, pastor  
Sunday school—9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship—11:00 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor—7:00 p. m.  
Evening service—8:00 p. m.  
Prayer meeting and Bible study Wednesday evening at 8:00 p. m.  
The Union Thanksgiving service held in this church will long be remembered by the many who came to enjoy it with hearts full of thanksgiving. The church was full. Rev. Williams took charge of the service. Rev. Piepenbrock read the President's proclamation, and Rev. Andrews delivered the address. The special musical numbers rendered were inspiring to all.  
Last Sunday morning, Mr. Leslie, superintendent of men at the Moody Bible institute was present and gave us an inspiring and helpful message from the Book of Philomion.  
In the evening the orchestra rendered a very fine program. It was greatly enjoyed by the many who were present.  
On Wednesday evening Mr. Dillon will be with us again to continue our study of the Book of Revelation.  
Because of Mr. Kim's physical condition since returning from Florida last week, brothers Kim and Nyland are unable to be with us Sunday, Dec. 6. Our pastor will speak. There will be special music at the evening service.  
Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 8, at 4 p. m., the Mission band will meet for their monthly meeting. An interesting program has been planned.  
On December 11, our presiding elder, Rev. J. G. Eller, will be with us to conduct the last quarterly conference meeting of the year. As many as can do so are asked to be present. On Sunday evening, Dec. 13, the quarterly communion service will be observed. Rev. Eller will bring the message at this service.

**Deerfield Episcopal Church**  
There will be Episcopal communion service in the Masonic Temple, Sunday morning, December 6.  
The Woman's guild of the Episcopal church of Deerfield will take orders for Mrs. Lincoln Pettis' famous doughnuts, for Saturday, December 12. Cash and carry. Put in your order early. A chance on a beautiful bedspread with every dozen ordered. The date of the drawing will be announced later. Telephone Mrs. Lincoln Pettis, 115W. and Mrs. George Richards, 128W.

A half dozen peace agreements were signed at Locarno and just think what a lot of fun the powers will have making scraps of paper when the next war starts.  
Now since Austen Chamberlain seems to have settled all the troubles in Europe he might come over here and work on our anthracite strike.  
It is said that Robert Burns wrote that poem about "man's inhumanity to man" shortly after returning from a football game.  
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