

PRIN. SMITH SPEAKS AT NATURE EXHIBIT

TO BE HELD IN CHICAGO

Head of Elm Place School, Highland Park on Program of All Outdoors Annual Exhibition

Principal Jesse L. Smith of the Elm Place school, Highland Park, will be one of the speakers at the "All Out-of-Doors" annual nature exhibit to be held in Chicago, March 15 to 20. He is scheduled to appear on the program on Tuesday afternoon, March 16, at 4:15 o'clock, and his subject will be "Nature Study for Children of the Lower Grades," a topic with which Mr. Smith is notably familiar and in the teaching of which he has achieved exceptional success. The exhibit and program will be held at the Davis store.

The program will open with a talk by Mrs. John O'Connor, president of the Illinois Wild Flower Preservation society, who will speak on "The Wild Flowers of the Dunes." Dr. Henry C. Cowles, of the Department of Botany of the University of Chicago, will then describe "The Forest Situation in Illinois." Mrs. Theron Colton will close the initial program with a talk on "Nature Study for Children of Kindergarten Age."

Among the leading speakers are Dr. Warren G. Waterman of Northwestern university; Dr. R. M. Strong of Loyola university; Ransom Kennicott, director of the Cook County Forest Preserves; Frank Woodruff of the Chicago Academy of Sciences and E. R. Hieronymus of the University of Illinois.

On the opening day, March 15, the talks will be given at 11 o'clock in the morning and at 2 and 4:15 o'clock in the afternoon.

After the initial lectures on the opening day of the exhibit, the following programs will be given:

Tuesday, March 16, 11 a. m., "The Wonders of the Dunes" by George A. Brennan, School Garden Association of America; 2 p. m., "Why Plants Leave Home," by Dr. Warren G. Waterman, Northwestern university; 4:15 p. m., "Nature Study for the Children of the Lower Grades," by Jesse Lowe Smith, Elm Place school, Highland Park, Ill.

Wednesday, March 17, 11 a. m., "Microscopy as a Hobby and Its Value to Nature Study," by Dr. V. A. Latham, Illinois Microscopical society; 2 p. m., "Beauty Spots of Illinois," by Mr. R. E. Hieronymus, University of Illinois; 4:15 p. m., "Nature Study for Boys and Girls of the Grammar School," by Mr. Wallace F. Worthley.

Thursday, March 18, 11 a. m., "Through the Seasons With the Chicago Wild Flowers," by Mrs. A. A. Michelson, Wild Flower Preservation society; 3 p. m., "Romance of the Trees," by Mrs. Lynn White, Chicago Outdoor Art League; 4:15 p. m., "Nature Study for Pupils of the High School," by Dr. O. D. Frank, University high school.

Friday, March 19, 11 a. m., "Protection of Wild Flowers in Forest Preserves," by Mr. Ransom Kennicott, Cook County Forest Preserves; 2 p. m., "Bird Houses; How to Make Them and Where to Place Them," by Mr. Edward Worst, Chicago board of education; 4:15 p. m., "Nature Study for College Students," by Dr. Elliott Downing, University of Chicago.

Saturday, March 20, 10 a. m., "Birds of Illinois" by Mr. O. M. Shantz, Illinois Audubon society; 11 a. m., "Collecting Shells as a Hobby," by Mrs. Frederick Avery, Chicago Aquarium society; 12 a. m., "Call of the Out O'Doors," by Mr. W. Ryland Mroman, Y.M.C.A. College; 1 p. m., "Interesting Flowers of Chicago

PLAN 14 SORORITY BUILDINGS AT N. U.

Cost Estimated at About Million Dollars; Built By Students, Alumnae

Fourteen new sorority buildings to occupy a block and a half of ground in the center of Evanston's residential center soon will be started by students and alumnae of Northwestern university. A special meeting of the Woman's Campus committee of the board of trustees resulted in a plan to expedite the construction of these buildings, each of which is to have an average cost of something like \$75,000. All of the sorority houses will be built of stone and will represent the latest mode in such buildings. James Gamble Rogers, the university architect, is rushing the plans and contracts will be let within the next few months, Dr. Walter Dill Scott, president of the university, stated.

The fourteen sorority houses will approximate an investment of one million dollars and when the proposed open dormitories for women, money for which has not been contributed as yet, and the woman's central building to cost in itself almost as much as the houses, are provided for, the total investment, including a block of land between Sheridan road and Orrington avenue north and south by Emerson street and University place, and the half-block between Orrington avenue and midway west to Sherman avenue, will be at least \$3,000,000. These buildings will be granite monuments to the industry and perseverance of the girl students and the alumnae of Northwestern university, covering a period of over twenty years.

BUILD COTTAGES FOR BUDD MEMORIAL HOME

Ten Under Construction on the DesPlaines River Near Libertyville

Ten summer cottages now under construction on the Des Plaines river about a mile north of Libertyville, representing the first unit of the Katherine Kreigh Budd Memorial Home for Children, will be completed and ready for occupancy by June 25. The institution is being built by Britton I. Budd, president of the Chicago Rapid Transit company, as a memorial to his late wife.

One hundred fifty children will pass the summer at the camp this season, arriving on the opening day to occupy the finished cottages. It is hoped also to have the swimming pool in readiness for use by that time.

The remaining half dozen cottages and the larger permanent buildings, including a stone chapel and a home for the Sisters of St. Mary of the western province of the Protestant Episcopal church who will be in charge will not be started until the possibilities and the disadvantages of the first season have been weighed to determine the most advantageous method of arrangement.

WIFE OF WINNETKA POSTMASTER DIES

Mrs. Jennie L. Adams, wife of Postmaster Elmer E. Adams of Winnetka and mother of Alva Lee Adams, of Winnetka, passed away at the Highland Park hospital, Wednesday morning, March 3, at 5:35 o'clock, following an illness of several weeks' duration, pleurisy being the direct cause of her death.

Area," by Willard N. Clute, Lucy Flower high school; 2 p. m., "Nesting Habits of Chicago Birds," by Dr. R. M. Strong, Loyola university; 3 p. m., "Wayside Flowers," by Dr. Herman Pepon, Lake View high school; 4 p. m., "A Photographer Among the Flowers and Birds," by Mr. Frank Woodruff, Chicago Academy of Sciences.

PURPLE MEET IS WEEK-END FEATURE

IS 16TH ANNUAL AFFAIR IN KENILWORTH CHURCH

Held Friday and Saturday in Patten Gym; Center of Interest for Midwest Track Fans

Middle western track enthusiasts will center their attention on Patten gymnasium at Evanston the nights of March 12 and 13 on the occasion of the Sixteenth Annual Big Ten Track and Field meet. Every conference school has entered the cream of its track athletes in the big collegiate games. Officials in charge of the event anticipate the largest number of competing athletes in the history of the meet.

Kenneth L. "Tug" Wilson athletic director at Northwestern, who is passing through his first year in the Big Ten, has charge of the forthcoming meet. Mr. Wilson brings with him considerable experience gained as director of athletics at Drake university, where he managed the famous Drake relays.

The meet, which is usually one of the hardest fought contests on the track calendar, should prove more so this season than in the past judging from the unusual strength displayed by conference athletes in their preliminary meets earlier in the year and at the Illinois relays a week ago.

Three Leaders
Three teams are given almost an equal chance of winning first honors, based on their recent performances: Iowa, Illinois and Michigan, with well-balanced squads will be the favorites to take home the championship title.

Iowa university, always a strong factor in the conference meet, has shown surprising strength this year. Although defeated by Illinois in a dual meet by a narrow margin in the Hawks have turned in some good performances. Captain Dauber, one of the best shot-putters the conference has seen in recent years is expected to win his event. Mann is a six-foot-three-inch high-jumper. Other good performers are Hunn, two-miler, Cuhel and Roberts in the 440, Sorenson, in the 880 and Boyles in the pole-vault.

Illinois Strong

Harry Gill, at Illinois, will present his usual well-rounded team, containing a group of performers who are liable to win any meet. With White in the 880 and mile, Werner and Wallace in the hurdles, Dickerson in the two-mile, and Lyon in the shot-put, Illinois can well afford to enter the meet with hopes for victory.

Captain Kennedy in the 440, McGinnis in the high-jump and hurdles, McGiveran in the dash and Chapman in the mile and two-miles are the Wisconsin hopes. Those men have been consistent winners in the early meets and are all strong contenders. The Badgers will miss the gigantic Swartz who is ineligible at the present time.

Chicago Prospects

Chicago has Cussack in the 880 and mile; Burg in the high jump and pole-vault; Beal and Benton in the 440 and Hobscheid in the shot-put. Indiana will bring a number of performers who are expected to boost the Hoosiers in the point column. Pepper in the dashes, Stephenson in the 440 and Alexander in the two-mile are the best bets which Coach Hayes can count on. Purdue has a very good man in Tittle in the mile and 880. Other Boilermaker performers are Neff in the two-mile, Chance in the high-jump and Fox in the pole-vault. Coach Castleman of Ohio State will take home some points with Guthrie and Irwin in the hurdles and Arnold in the mile. Ferguson and Bevan are also good distance runners.

CHILDREN'S POET IS REBURIED ON SUNDAY

IN KENILWORTH CHURCH

Ashes of Eugene Field Reinterred With Impressive Ceremonies; Prominent Men Participate

Eugene Field's ashes were reinterred with simple ceremonies Sunday in the churchyard of the Church of the Holy Comforter at Kenilworth.

An audience far larger than the capacity of the little church gathered to see the last rites paid to the poet as his casket was lowered to its final resting place. Religious dignitaries, men great in the literary world, civic leaders and little children mingled in the crowd.

Officers of the parish carried the casket into the church. They were followed by a vested choir of forty and by the clergy.

Judge Holdom Is Speaker
Judge Jesse Holdom, a close friend of Field's delivered the principal address, in which he asserted that "the poet of happy childhood" was the most charitable and lovable character he had ever known.

"It is Field, the children's poet, that the world loves," he said. "He had a nature that was childlike in its simplicity and a loving heart which always appealed to children."

"Eugene Field passed out of this world as he had lived in it—a lover of little children. He left this world a happier place for children to dwell in than it was when he came into it."

In conclusion Judge Holdom read "Little Boy Blue," one of Field's best known poems.

Dever Honorary Pallbearer
Among the honorary pallbearers were Mayor Dever; President Walter Dill Scott of Northwestern university; James Stephens, Irish poet; Judge Charles G. Allen of St. Louis; Henry B. Fuller, Clarence A. Hough, and Walter M. Hill, authors; Mayor Charles K. Bartlett of Evanston; Congressman Henry R. Rathbone; and W. C. Dunlap, former mayor of Cleveland Heights, O.

The Rev. Leland Hobart Danforth, rector of the church, read a number of messages from relatives of the poet, who died in 1895.

Message from Widow
Among these was one from Mrs. Field, the widow, in which she stated that she was deeply touched by the action of the church in paying honor to Field.

Relatives of Field present were Mrs. Ruth Foster, a daughter; Mrs. C. C. Billings and Mrs. Ida C. Below, Marionette, Wis., sisters of Mrs. Field. The ceremonies were concluded with the reading of Field's poem, "The Singing in God's Acre," by Mrs. Edwin Heidman, of Kenilworth.

George Boldt McCormick, president of the Columbia Credit company, 111 West Monroe street, died last week at his home, 522 Hawthorn lane, Winnetka, following an illness of four months' duration of heart disease. He was 28 years old.

Michigan Coming

The University of Michigan will present a strong team. Hester by virtue of his victory at the Illinois relays should score in the sprints, while Reinke, Callahan, Jung and Freburg are all good possibilities in the 880 and mile.

Northwestern will look to little Bill Martin, its captain, to put the Purple in the point column. Martin is expected to make a strong bid in the quarter and the half. Other Northwestern performers are Kelly, hurdler; Droege Mueller and White, pole-vaulters; Bagge and Greenburg, shot-putters, and Furrey in the 880.

HONOR ROLL AT NEW TRIER IS ANNOUNCED

Fewer Girls Than Boys Because Number of Girls in Class Is Smaller

New Trier high school's honor society elected each year from the upper 10 per cent from the senior class, was announced last week. It was explained by school authorities that the reason there are fewer girls on the list than boys is because there are fewer girls in the class, each group being picked by the percentage method.

The girls elected to the honor society are as follows: Margaret Blunhardt, Virginia Dean, Jean Evers, Marie Plente, Virginia Haight, Frances Howard, Mildred Olsen, Mary Parker, Verna Ravenscroft, Violet Ravenscroft, Eleanor Thayer, Gertrude Wagner and Charlotte Waltz. Girls receiving honorable mention were Anna Boyajian, Elizabeth DeBerard, Marion Heiler and Eunice Stoddard.

Boys elected to the honor society were: Milton Boyajian, Robert Cunningham, Adam Elson, Arthur Hawkins, Ralph Heineman, Morris Hirsch, George Immerwahr, William Lanferman, Edward Lange, William Lloyd, Harry May, Robert Page, Theodore Perry and Frank Stover. Those on the honorable mention list were Howard Heaton, William Lerner, Ralph Orner, Harold Schleuter and Frederick Schmidt.

KLEIN HEARING IS TO BE HELD TODAY

Deputy Who Shot Christopher Is Under Bond of \$5,000 To Appear in Court

Arthur Klein, Cook county highway policeman, who shot and killed Samuel Christopher of Highland Park late Saturday night, February 27, was formally charged with manslaughter. He was taken to the Lake county jail by two officers working out of the office of Captain Leroy Davidson, who has charge of the highway police in Cook county.

Arrangements for furnishing of bonds had been made prior to the prisoner being brought to Waukegan. Klein was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Harry Hoyt and his bonds, on recommendation of State's Attorney A. V. Smith, set at \$5,000. The bonds were furnished by the Standard Surety company. His case was set for hearing Thursday, March 11.

WINNETKA WOMEN ARE BOOSTING GOLF SHOW

Among the Winnetka women interested in the National Golf Show and Country Club Exposition to be held from April 6-10 inclusive, at the American Exposition Palace for the benefit of Grove House for Convalescents are Mrs. Heyliger deWint, Mrs. Morris K. Wilson, Mrs. John Stuart, Mrs. Frederick H. Scott, Mrs. Victor Elting, and Mrs. James L. Houghteling, Jr. Mrs. Hathaway Watson is general chairman.

A style show with society girls as mannequins and a putting course will be special features of the event. Tickets will be sold in advance at one half the price of admission at the door, and may be procured from any of the above mentioned women.

KENILWORTH GARDEN CLUB HAS MEETING

The Kenilworth Garden club and the Kenilworth Home and Garden club held a joint meeting at the home of Mrs. Edward Phelps, Monday afternoon, March 8. The vital question of getting rid of the mosquito was the subject. Mr. Skinner, the expert from the Gorgas Memorial Institute, explained his theories and answered questions.

FOURTEEN ENTERED IN PRIMARY RACE

LAKE COUNTY CANDIDATES

Contests for Only Two Out of Eight Offices, Sheriff and County Clerk Primary Is April 13

Fourteen candidates have squared away for the county primary race that comes to a vote of the people April 13. The time of filing closed at 5 o'clock last Thursday afternoon.

Offices to be held are: county judge, probate judge, county superintendent of schools, county treasurer, sheriff, county clerk, clerk of the probate court, and senatorial committeeman.

In six of these eight posts there are no contests, but there is a decided five way fight for sheriff, and a three way battle for county clerk.

The ballot will present the candidates in this order:

For office of county judge—Perry L. Persons, Waukegan, who has been judge of the court since 1910.

For office of probate judge—Martin C. Decker, Waukegan, completing his first term.

For clerk of probate court—John R. Bullock, Waukegan, completing his first term.

For County Supt. of Schools—T. A. Simpson, Waukegan, in office for 16 years.

For county treasurer—Roy Bracher, R. F. D. 1, Waukegan, at present a deputy, but treasurer in the term preceding this one.

For sheriff—Lester Tiffany, North Chicago, chief deputy under Sheriff Ahlstrom.

Lawrence Doolittle, Waukegan, retired clothier.

T. J. Stahl, Waukegan, realtor.

Herbert E. Yager, Waukegan, carpenter.

Joseph C. Harding, Waukegan, realtor.

For county clerk—Lew A. Hendee, Waukegan, county clerk since 1910.

Chris E. Murphy, Waukegan editor.

Frank Boice, Waukegan, former secretary of Community Chest.

Senatorial committeeman—Harry J. Wheelock, Grayslake, on democratic ticket. All other candidates are republicans.

Most of the campaigning up to date has been for the office of sheriff with Tiffany, Doolittle and Stahl covering the county like it has not been done for several years. Yager and Harding did not become actively engaged in the fight until a few weeks ago.

The primaries are April 13 and the election November 2.

LAKE COUNTY MAY ENTERTAIN ROYALTY

King and Queen of Belgium and Queen of Spain May Attend Catholic Congress

Lake county this summer may entertain kings and queens—real kings and queens of the old country, for, reports now are that the king and queen of Belgium and the queen of Spain are coming to the big Catholic Eucharist in Chicago and as the main meeting is to be held at Mundelein, Lake county, it means that those dignitaries will come to this county for at least a day.

Revival of spirituality throughout the world is the aim of the twenty-eighth International Eucharistic Congress in Chicago, June 20 to 24.

Predictions are that more than 1,000,000 visitors, among them distinguished figures of the hierarchy and laity from all parts of the world, will come to Chicago.

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YOU KNOW THE PURDYS, THEY ARE THE GREAT AMERICAN NEIGHBOR, THEY LIVE ON MAIN STREET AND ANY WEDNESDAY OR SUNDAY EVENING ABOUT 8 O'CLOCK YOU'LL FIND THEIR PARLOR LIT UP AND SEE MARY MARIE WAITING FOR HER STEADY, LISTEN! CAN'T YOU HEAR MRS. PURDY CALLING WARREN GAMERIEL? OF COURSE YOU KNOW WARREN, HE'S ALWAYS AMONG THE BOYS WHO PUT SOAP ON YOUR WINDOWS EVERY HALLOWE'EN—GRANDPOP PURDY, WHO LIVES WITH THEM IS ONE OF THE TOWN CHARACTERS—YOU'VE SEEN HIM MANY TIMES MARCHING ON DECORATION DAY, LAST BUT NOT LEAST, LET ME INTRODUCE EDWIN PURDY, JUST PLAIN ED TO EVERYBODY—Paul Robinson

MARY MARIE ED ANNE GRANDPOP WARREN GAMERIEL