

Deerfield News

(Continued from page 1) d section) the former capacity; the home is now prepared to care for approximately ninety aged people and twenty-two transient convalescents.

This means that the operating expenses of the home will be correspondingly greater, and now, more than ever, the home will need contributions for its current expenses.

Those who have visited the home, which is located on Emerson road, Evanston, can appreciate the wonderful work which is being done there—for only by visiting the home can you realize how well-cared-for and happy the members of our Presbyterian family are.

If you care to have a part in this splendid Christian philanthropy, will you send your contribution to me by January 23, in order that it may reach the executive office in time to be included in the report of this fiscal year, which ends January 31.

Memberships—Auxiliary, \$1-\$2; assisting, \$5; annual, \$10.

Sincerely yours, Agnes M. Tennermann, Mrs. Wm. A. Tennermann, Auxiliary chairman, The Presbyterian Home.

The prayer of the aged: "Cast me not off in the time of old age; forsake me not when my strength faileth. O God, Thou hast taught me from my youth—now also, when I am old and grey-headed, O God, forsake me not."—Psalm LXXI; 9, 18.

The hope of the convalescent: "Blessed is he that considereth the sick. The Lord will strengthen him upon the bed of languishing; thou wilt make all his bed in his sickness."—Psalm XLI; 1, 3.

During the World war, Richard Henry Little, a correspondent in the war zone for the Chicago Tribune called "it is as difficult to secure a bowl of soup in Berlin as it is to become a member of the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution."

Descendants of the "patriots who sacrificed their lives and fortunes for the cause of liberty were hardy enough to brave the severe snow storm of last Thursday to gather for the business meeting to dispose of about five hundred dollars in the treasury of the North Shore chapter, for patriotic education. Three hundred dollars was sent to the Martha Berry schools in Rome, Georgia, making over three thousand dollars contributed by the North Shore chapter within the past ten years to this school which is making worthy American citizens of the most unmixt stock in the United States. Of purely English ancestry, many of these mountaineers use the language in vogue at the time of Shakespeare. Their school paper is called "The Southern Highlander."

Money was also appropriated, per capita to the printing of the Immigrants' Manual, distributed at Ellis Island, and for other schools in Illinois, and the south. The chapter has also paid for several chairs in Memorial Continental hall, the headquarters of the National Daughters of the American Revolution. Mrs. Marc Law of Linden avenue was the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Carl A. Pfanzstiel and Mrs. Hiram L. Kennicott.

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Timson entertained sixteen guests at dinner at their home, Hickory Knoll farm, on the Wilmot road, followed by attendance at the dance at the Highland Park club.

Tony Sarg's Marionettes will give their little play "Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves," in the Elm Place school auditorium Thursday afternoon and evening of this week. These little wooden dolls, manipulated by strings of the operators who speak the parts of the Marionettes, really seem to talk and perform as gracefully as some people.

On Friday evening Captain Donald MacMillan will appear with his celebrated films of the arctic from an aeroplane in the Deerfield-Shields high school auditorium. It is an unusual opportunity to have this noted explorer in our vicinity and parents will be glad to give their children a chance to hear him. A small admission fee will be charged and any profit will be given to the high school paper, The Shoreline, which is now an eight page weekly, and chronicles all the interesting happenings of school life, and publishes the most worth while themes and poems of the pupils.

Friday evening and Saturday afternoon, Mr. Jesse Lowe Smith, principal of the Elm Place school, is presenting a series of educational motion pictures in the school auditorium for the benefit of parents and children who are interested in seeing clean movies. Prices are the same as at motion picture houses (even less for adults) and an "Our Gang" comedy is shown as a diversion from the serious. Deerfield parents who wish their children to see the best in reel life are urged to take or send their children to see the beautiful films offered. Members of the Parent-Teacher association are patronesses of the venture.

Miss Margaret Hansen was the week-end guest of her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Hansen, of Calumet.

Mr. and Mrs. George Healer of Highland Park, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Krens of Highwood were guests at the B. H. Kress home, Sunday.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Marie Jackson of St. Louis, Mo., and Alex Mackay of Deerfield on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the

home of the Rev. W. J. Ryan, who performed the ceremony. Francis and Florence Gloden were the only attendants. The young couple will make their home in Deerfield. Mr. Mackay came to Deerfield from Milwaukee about three years ago.

Guests at the A. J. Johnson home on Osterman avenue last week included Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. K. W. Kemps of New York City, Mr. and Mrs. Lundal, Mr. and Mrs. Katlet of Chicago.

Mrs. Harvey Smith of Evanston was a guest of Mrs. Harry Olendorf, Wednesday.

Mr. George Vetter of Chicago, brother of John Vetter is seriously ill. The executive and finance committee of the Missionary society of the Bungalow Evangelical church held a meeting Wednesday afternoon. Plans were made for the coming year.

Miss Emily Knaak has been ill for several weeks.

Mrs. Harry Olendorf was hostess to a Libertyville Bridge club of which she is a member, Monday afternoon.

The Parent-Teacher association of the Wilmot school will meet Friday evening, Jan. 21.

About thirty children and a few adults from Deerfield witnessed the two delightful plays "The Bubble Peddler" and "Ten Minutes by the Clock," presented at the Elm Place auditorium by the Childrens Theatre of Evanston on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Milton Frantz returned Friday evening from Payton, Iowa, where on Thursday she attended the funeral of a cousin, Mrs. Randberger. Mrs. Frantz spent a few days with relatives in Grand Junction, Iowa.

The Tatapochin Camp Fire Girls enjoyed a sleigh ride party on Saturday evening. After the ride the girls were served refreshments at the home of Miss Gertrude Johnson on Osterman avenue.

On Thursday evening the officers of the Royal Neighbors camp of Deerfield were installed in the Masonic temple. Mrs. Orman Rockenbach of Lake Zurich was the installing officer and Mrs. William Stinhaus, the ceremonial marshal. The hall was lovely in the colors of the lodge, purple and white. The following officers for the ensuing year were installed: Ada Juhrend, orator; Lillian Johnson, vice orator; Charlotte Frederick, past orator; Elizabeth Vant, chancellor; Margaret Pettis, receiver; Augusta Hagl, recorder; Sadie Beckman, marshal; Pearl Juhrend, assistant marshal; Mary Hoffman, inner sentinel; Minnie Whitecomb, outer sentinel; Cecelia Frost, manager; Hazel Plagge, musician; Josephine Toll, flag bearer. About one hundred members and guests attended. Following the ceremonies delicious refreshments were served.

Mrs. Glenn Bowman and Mrs. Harry Muhlke have been ill with the flu.

Last Tuesday evening the retiring officers of the board of trustees of St. Paul's Evangelical church and their wives entertained the new officers and their wives at a dinner at the parsonage. Mrs. Henry Meyer is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Labahn entertained Rev. and Mrs. Piepenbrok and family at supper Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Selig had as their guests on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ed Corey, Mr. and Mrs. John Benzli of Chicago, Sunday.

Miss Josephine Woodman will entertain Circle No. 3 of the Dorcas society of the Presbyterian church at her home on Waukegan road Monday evening, Jan. 24.

Mrs. C. Becker had as her luncheon guests on Tuesday Mrs. Edward Corey, Mrs. John Benzli of Chicago and Mrs. Edward Selig.

Boy Scout News

The boy scout committee of Troop No. 1 of Deerfield, held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Rev. Piepenbrok Monday evening, Jan. 10. The following members were present, Mr. Piepenbrok, chairman, Mr. Jesse Strong, Mr. John Stryker and Mr. Harry Olendorf.

Plans for the coming year were discussed, with suggestions from the scout executive of this district, Mr. Walter McPeck, who was paying his first visit to the committee.

One of the interesting coming events is "anniversary week" of the Boy Scouts of America, which is the week in February from the 6th to the 13th. The scouts and men interested in scouting in Deerfield will be responsible for a program during this week which will bring before the public the purposes, aims and achievements of the boy scout movement.

The last troop meeting was held on the night of the big snow storm, so only about one-half of the Troop 1 were present. We had a good short meeting and started things rolling for the year. Last meeting was the beginning of a patrol efficiency contest, to pep up the scouts and get them more interested in scout work. This contest will last only four weeks that is, until anniversary week, so all scouts who did not attend the last meeting should make an effort to be at the next and work for their patrol. The winning patrol will take a trip to some place of interest to them, as the prize.

Robert Juhrend is troop scribe.

A number of the members of the local Royal Neighbors camp attended the installation of officers at Wheeling on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Toll and family visited Mrs. Toll's sister in Chicago Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Kress and Mrs. Margaret Pichel were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Steffis, Monday.

Wilmot School Meeting

A meeting of the property owners of the Wilmot school district was held in the school, Monday evening. The president of the school board, Elmer Clavey, presided.

The financial condition of the school district and plans for raising the needed money was discussed and resulted in the decision to ask all property owners in the district to

pay two dollars and acre for the school debt.

The use of the school building for social functions was also discussed and it was decided not to hold public dances in the school, but on the other hand, community dances, entertainments and so forth, may be held under the supervision of either the P. T. A. or Progressive club.

Mrs. Carter, president of the Wilmot P.T.A., explained the purpose and educational value of the association.

Warm luncheon are being served at noon to the pupils of the Wilmot school by the teachers. The P.T.A. and Progressive club are sharing the expenses.

Deerfield Public Library

To the People of Deerfield:

The board of directors of the Deerfield public library as much pleased with the enthusiasm which the library has been received. This is especially true among the younger people. The response from the children alone, more than justifies the work that has been put into the library. We wish everyone in Deerfield could see how anxious the children are to get good books to read. Our most serious handicap has been the shortage of books. However, more have been ordered and are expected shortly.

The library is open Wednesday and Saturdays from two until five o'clock in the afternoon, and from seven to nine in the evening. So much activity has developed that Mrs. Russo is anxious to have it open Monday afternoon and evening as well, as the business justifies.

We are asking for a volunteer man and wife to spend the evenings in the library. It is not necessary for a man to be there in the afternoon but we would like to have one in the evenings. Our plan is to ask one couple to volunteer this two hour service once in two months. We have selected a list of about thirty couples. We have tried to select couples who have no young children at home that would make it hard for them to get away. The duties will be merely to sit there and read for two hours. When you are telephoned or written to, setting an evening for you, will you please help us and if you cannot come that particular evening, we are asking you to get us a substitute. If you will, please write or phone Mrs. Walter B. Metcalf, our secretary, giving your name as a willing volunteer. It will be appreciated by the Deerfield public library association.

The following are library rules: 1. Everyone must have a card. 2. Books may be kept two weeks and renewed for the same length of time.

3. One book only may be taken on a child's card.

4. Two books may be taken on an adult's card.

5. A fine of one cent a day shall be exacted on all juvenile books kept overtime.

6. A fine of three cents a day for adult fiction and one cent for adult non-fiction shall be exacted on books kept overtime.

There is quite a nice collection of reference books which high school students will find very helpful.

Deerfield P. T. A.

In spite of the sub-zero weather about fifteen faithful members of the Deerfield P.T.A. attended the January meeting held in the public library room Friday evening.

On account of the deep snow and severe weather the road between Deerfield and Highland Park was closed for a while and Prof. Sandwick and the boys' glee club who were scheduled to appear on the evening's program were forced to cancel their engagement much to the disappointment of the audience.

A short business meeting was held with the president, Mrs. Cazez, presiding. The association voted to give the money raised on the carnival in Deerfield to the school board, who will purchase a small piano to be used in the school rooms by the music teacher. The association also voted to turn over all books belonging to them to the Deerfield public library. Many of these books were donated to the association by the late William M. Hoyt of Winnetka, and the late Miss Margaret Vedder of Deerfield; also Mrs. Edward Hoyt and Mrs. Oscar Beecham. A five year's subscription to the National Geographic magazine was among the donations.

The members were asked to volunteer their services to the public library in the afternoons and evenings as well.

Following the meeting delicious cake and coffee was served by the social chairman, Mrs. A. J. Johnson, aided by the third grade mothers, including Mesdames William Kent, George Engstrom, C. W. Getty, R. A. Nelson, Henry Gastfield, Peter J. Duffy and Walter Lange.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Meding of Chicago were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Eimer E. Schmidt Saturday evening.

Misses Louise and Emma Herrmann returned from Appleton, Wis., last Saturday where they have been visiting with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hanke, for the past three weeks.

Judge Landis has nothing on King Ferdinand. The king has had his salary raised too.

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