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MUHLKE FAMILY IN DEERFIELD HISTORY

SETTLED THERE IN 1837

Relatives Still Residing in This Vicinity; Many Changes in Property Are Made

Few men are privileged to possess deeds for property obtained from the government. Alfred H. Muhlke of the third generation to bear that patronymic, has a document signed by the president of the United States, John Tyler, to a Mexican as deed in section 33 for 40 acres, for which \$100 was paid in June, 1843. The deed was issued to his great grandfather, Lewis Gastfield, whose daughter, Charlotte, became the wife of Frederick Muhlke, and this deed from the United States was also signed by President Tyler to Frederick Muhlke. The pronunciation of the modified u in the German language caused the Americans to call the name Milker, and on one document in Alfred H. Muhlke's home the name is so spelled. The first Frederick Muhlke signed his name in German writing, Friederich Muhlke.

Frederick Muhlke, born September 23, 1801, came from Saxon Hagen, Germany, his birthplace, with his wife, Charlotte Gastfield, daughter of Lewis and Wilhelmina Boeger Meyer Gastfield, in 1837, on a sailboat with a party of emigrants, some of whom were bound for Deerfield. Seven of the eight Muhlke children were born in Germany. On the voyage, Frederick, the second son, had his arm broken twice in the rough passage. Two children died in childhood. One was bitten by a rattlesnake, which caused his death. Henry Muhlke married Catherine Knuff, and lived on North State street. He conducted a dry goods store in Chicago. They had eight children.

Frederick Conrad Ludwig Muhlke married Amelia Volland and had nine children. Their daughter, Emma, Mrs. Albert C. C. Timm, now resides on part of the ancestral property east of the Deerfield school, with their daughter, Mrs. Arnold Keller.

The day came to a close with a baseball game between the married men and the single men. The single men winning by a score of 14 to 11.

DEERFIELD MINISTER'S SON BUYS NEW HOME

It's beginning to look as if Postmaster Arthur C. Lueder is going to try out another of his interesting experiments with himself as the laboratory specimen. In this case the experiment will be finding what happens to a man's mail when he changes his address? For Mr. Lueder has just purchased from Thomas J. Umpleby the two apartment building on a lot 50x120 feet at 636 Gary place. The postmaster plans to remodel the building, after which he will make his home in it. He now lives at 3832 Rokeby. And after he moves he'll find out how good his mail transfer system is. While the price Mr. Lueder paid was not disclosed, the sale was made subject to incumbrances aggregating \$24,000. He gave in part payment a 216 acre farm in Michigan. The E. E. Stults Realty company were brokers.

Mr. Lueder is the son of the Rev. and Mrs. Lueder, Deerfield minister.

PARK SITE SHOULD BE "ORIGINAL FOREST"

One of the beauty spots of Deerfield which should be a park is the small tract of land remaining from the Hole farm east of the Deerfield station. Some of the oaks in the original forest, through which the railroad tracks were run in 1811, are still remaining. The most beautiful specimen is the single tree standing west of the tracks that was a big tree fifty years ago.

The land east of the tracks should not be a dumping ground. Old clay has covered the little pond with its growth peculiar to its kind. This desecration spoils the appearance of the field, and destroyed the skating pond which several generations of children have enjoyed.

GASTFIELD'S GARAGE DESTROYED BY FIRE

Yesterday morning at five-thirty o'clock Henry Gastfield's garage on Deerfield road and Waukegan road was completely destroyed by fire and his five passenger touring car and truck were also destroyed. The origin of the fire is unknown and although some insurance was carried on the garage neither car was insured. Mr. Gastfield is the proprietor of the Deerfield Mercantile store.

The Deerfield and Highland Park fire departments responded to the call and had the fire under control as soon as they arrived. The fire had gained considerable headway though before it was discovered.

Julia Muhlke married George Hoffert, an artist, son of Rev. Isaac Hoffert, who organized the first Evangelical Association church in Deerfield, a branch of the West Northfield church, from which place he drove to Deerfield with a chaise and white horse, then later a fine team. He was a preacher well known in the church. Julia Hoffert died in March, 1891.

Alfred H. Muhlke married Helen Snyder, daughter of Andrew and Magdalena Hango Schneider, on November 20, 1894. The Rev. Christian Ott performed the ceremony in (Continued on page 4)

OUTING SUNDAY AT SUNSET WOOD ENJOYED

Members of St. Paul's Church Hold Picnic; 225 Present During Afternoon

The St. Paul's church outing at Sunset Woods, Highland Park, Sunday, Aug. 7, was a very successful affair. Nearly 150 people had gathered for the outdoor service which was in charge of Rev. F. G. Piepenbrok. The subject for his sermon was, "The Church and Recreation." The singing was accompanied by Russell Patterson with the cornet.

After the service everybody gathered around the tables and on the lawn for a real picnic dinner. The committee in charge served coffee and lemonade.

A real treat was offered in the after dinner band concert, given by the Deerfield Municipal band, under the able leadership of Mr. Frank Russo. The concert was one of the most enjoyable features of the day and was received with great enthusiasm and appreciation.

The afternoon was enjoyed by playing games and contests. More than 225 people gathered to participate in the afternoon program. The recreation committee had a well planned program which was carried out with the greatest efficiency. There was something doing every minute. No time to get lonesome.

The children enjoyed races, games, balloon blowing contest and especially the fishpond. Several children remarked, that they never had such a good time "for nothing." The married ladies and the young ladies also had a balloon contest and a grab bag. The men, young and old, enjoyed a horseshoe pitching contest, which by the way was won by two young men, Ferdinand Borchardt and Earl Gosswiller. Each received a beautiful tie as a prize. Many other beautiful and valuable prizes were given to the winners of the various contests. Mrs. Carl Hornberger and Miss Pearl Juhrend each won a beautiful meshbag. Irwin Gosswiller, Melvin Mailfald and Leslie Sheskie were the winners of the baseballs and bats. The pastor happened to out-blow the men in a balloon blowing contest and was awarded a tie as a prize.

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MANY PRIZES TO BE GIVEN AUGUST 26-27

AT RAINBOW CARNIVAL

William H. Barrett Decorates Float for Parade; Whole Town Working Hard for Success

Plans for Deerfield's "Rainbow Carnival" which is scheduled to start bright and early on the morning of August 26 and terminate at midnight of August 27 are being whipped into shape not only by the carnival committee, but individual plans for its success are being made by various business men. Notable among these stands William H. Barrett. If you have chanced to go into the Deerfield garage in the past few days, you will have noticed Mr. Barrett's first contribution to the cause—a magnificently decorated float. This float will not only be entered in "the big parade," but will be used for the next two weeks to advertise the approach of the Greater Deerfield celebration.

Another individual, who is giving his whole heart towards consummating plans for the two big days is Arthur Ender. He has had one thousand posters printed, telling of the pleasures to be enjoyed at the carnival and of the attractiveness of Deerfield as a place to live. These posters, we understand, are to be distributed from Milwaukee to Chicago. And have you seen the three silver cups, which are to be given away as prizes for the best floats in the parade? If not, drop into the Blue Bird confectionery where they are on exhibition and look them over. They're well worth going after.

The thousand dollar electrola, which is one of the grand prizes, is on display at Knaak's pharmacy, and is attracting considerable attention. This machine is a combination Orthophonic Victrola and 8-tube R. C. A. Radiola. Then there's that other "grand prize"—the Quiet May Automatic Oil Heater—on exhibition at Barrett's Plumbing shop. These tickets, together with the tickets which

awarding of the Chrysler sedan, and nine other prizes can be secured from any member of the Deerfield Chamber of Commerce or at the Deerfield State bank.

Deerfield Local News

Mrs. Edward Guritz and two children Florence and Frances of Evanston were guests at the F. Labahn home, last week.

The August meeting of the Sewing circle of St. Paul's Evangelical church will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Horenberger on Central avenue on Thursday afternoon, Aug. 18.

Mrs. Robert Aiken and Mrs. Mildred Lyon Moore of Austin visited Mrs. R. E. Pettis, Tuesday.

Some new sculptors have come to the North Shore from Paris, Olga Chassaing and Edward Chassaing. He is a member Societaire Salon d'Antomme, Societe des Artistes Decorateurs.

The Disoke family have moved into one of the apartments in the Stryker building.

Mr. Harry Whitecomb is ill at his home on Wilmot road.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Clavey and son, Jack, spent several days in Detroit, Mich., last week.

Mrs. James Barrett and two children are visiting Mrs. Barrett's parents in Duluth, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bingham and daughter and Mrs. Amelia Pyle of Irving Park were guests of the Ender family, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Labahn had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gumme and Mr. Ed. Guritz of Evanston.

Mrs. W. B. Carr was hostess at a bridge luncheon on Friday in compliment to her guest Mrs. Cottrell of Milwaukee, Mrs. E. Cahell, also of Milwaukee who was a guest of Mrs. B. H. Kress.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Whiting of Chicago were guests at the B. H. Kress home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Muhlke and daughter Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horenberger, Mr. and Mrs. F. Labahn, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Klemp motored to Milwaukee, Wis., last week.

Mrs. B. H. Kress, Mrs. W. B. Carr and their guests, Mrs. Cottrell and Mrs. Cahell of Milwaukee were luncheon guests of Mrs. Robert Greenslade of Highland Park, Thursday.

Mrs. L. A. Dondanville after spending several days at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Ender, have returned to her home in Moline, Ill.

Mrs. R. D. Reeds was hostess at a bridge luncheon at her home on Wednesday, included among the guests were Mrs. Roy Hutchison and Mrs. E. J. Bingham of Irving Park, Mrs. Ray Gunchel and Mrs. Robert

Greenslade of Highland Park, Mmes. Elmer and Raymond Clavey and Alex Willman.

Mrs. George Labahn and daughter Erma of Evanston were guests of Mrs. F. Labahn, Wednesday.

Mrs. R. E. Pettis had as her luncheon guests on Friday, Mrs. B. O. Huster and son, Junior, of Waukegan and Mrs. J. B. Eger and daughter Mrs. Robert Aiken of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Buckley of Chicago were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Willman, Wednesday.

Mr. Theodore Knaak is enjoying a vacation at Escanaba, Mich.

Mrs. R. E. Pettis and daughter, Jean, were guests of Mrs. A. Abercromby of Highland Park, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Knaak and two children returned Sunday evening from a three weeks motor trip to Colorado.

Ira Hole of Glen Ellyn, Ill. is visiting his father, Mrs. I. Hole.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Osterman had as their guests on Sunday, Mrs. Lillian Osterman, Mrs. Zaple, Mr. and Mrs. George Zaple and two children of Chicago.

Mrs. Edwin Wood and children left Monday for Michigan where they will visit relatives.

The Deerfield Garden club will meet at the home of Mrs. E. B. Jordan on Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 17, Mrs. E. K. Williams will be assistant hostess.

The young ladies class of the Presbyterian church will have a baby doll party at the home of Miss Hazel Easton on Friday evening.

Miss Tanis Greer, Ruth Patterson, Hans Bahr and Donald Easton motored to Lake Geneva on Sunday.

Mrs. J. Rommel had as her guests on Sunday Mr. H. J. Allardt, Misses Jane Allardt, Bessie Craigmile, Vivian Patterson of Chicago and Mrs. Wonder of Danville, Ill.

Caroline Henthorne celebrated her first birthday on Saturday, Aug. 6. Miss Lillian Aarvold and Mr. Henry Martin of Chicago were married by Rev. F. Piepenbrok, pastor of St. Paul's Evangelical church, at the parsonage on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Piepenbrok and Mrs. P. Juhrend were the attendants.

Mrs. Jesse Strong entertained out of town guests over the week end. The Paul Hunter family of Eugene avenue are enjoying a vacation at Big Twin Lakes, Wis.

Included in a group of Deerfield ladies, who attended the card party at the Moraine hotel given by the Hospital auxiliary were Mmes. R. Patterson, E. Wood, Harry Olendorf, Harry and Raymond Clavey, L. Dondanville, Alex Willman and Miss Elva Caffin.

Miss Helen Reichelt will teach in the Grove school on Dundee road.

NORTHBROOK DAY
 August 13th
PARADE AT 10 O'CLOCK
 Speakers, Baseball, Boxing, Games and Races
DANCING
 Music by Deerfield Band and Jimmy Bell's Orchestra

Fell Brothers SHOE SALE
 —NOW ON—

A limited number of pairs of Ladies' White Shoes that formerly sold up to \$8.50, NOW **\$1.95**

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SALE ENDS AUGUST 13th

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