

PLAN RECEPTION FOR ROME FLYERS SUNDAY

"Pomp and Ceremony" for Aviators at Sky Harbor; Gala Affair Planned

The greatest air fleet to memorialize a Chicago event—"blimps," Zeppelins and airplanes of every model, power and passenger carrying capacity—is to participate in the uproarious welcome this city is planning next Sunday for the intrepid Rome flyers—Roger Q. Williams and Lewis Yancey—when they arrive from New York.

According to word received today from Scott Field, its commander, Col. Paeglow, is to schedule the flight to Chicago of a "blimp" squadron of proportions, which will join the escow of more than fifty planes coming from all sections of the Chicago area to greet the "Pathfinder" and accompany the distinguished pilots when they depart the loop district for Sky Harbor.

In addition to this "blimp" fleet, a message from Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., personal representative of the flyers, revealed at the same time that the Goodrich Rubber company, at Akron, Ohio, plans to detail a modern Zeppelin to participate in Chicago's welcoming program.

The latest plans devised for the occasion by the Press Club of Chicago and its co-operating organizations provide that the vast escorting air fleet will follow the Lake Michigan shoreline from the Ford airport at Lansing north to the Roosevelt road water ramp. There Williams and Yancey, their escorting flyers, guests and prominent aviation leaders, will alight and form the vanguard of a parade which will thread the loop district early Sunday afternoon.

Participating in this parade will be a unit of the 33rd division, a regimental band and the American Legion drum corps.

Following the parade, the welcoming pilots and Rome flyers will embark, uniting with a group of trimotor planes coming with passengers from Sky Harbor and entering formation with the escort.

At Sky Harbor a system of amplifiers has been installed for the ceremonies, assuring that every part of the vast assemblage awaiting the air fleet will be able to enjoy the program in which there will be an all-Chicago participation.

Especially for the occasion, the Midland Club of Chicago, headed by President Clarence Rich, has announced appointment of an aviation committee, which includes B. Gates Dawes, Jr., president, Eureka Security Fire Insurance company, a nephew of Ambassador Charles Gates Dawes, and son of B. Gates Dawes, head of the Pure Oil company. Col. Froman Smith, an aviator of World war fame and official of Paine Webber & Co., is chairman of this committee, which also includes Kenneth Curtis, of the Curtis Lighting company.

At the Press club luncheon Monday noon in honor of the Rome flyers, Opie Reid, famous author, will deliver the principal speech, and movies and talkies will be on hand to record the proceedings for posterity.

Program Friday Ends Church School Term

The Vacation Church school of the Presbyterian church closed on Friday with a splendid attendance record and much real work in religious education done. Throughout the school the children were very enthusiastic and the parents were equally appreciative of the type of work done. One father, while discussing the work of the school, said, "I consider the type of instruction and work done in the past five weeks equivalent to one whole year of Sunday school work." A mother asked if it would be at all possible for the church to conduct a kindergarten throughout the year with similar instruction to that in the Vacation school. Another mother said she laughed at the first announcement which she received and put it aside. Later she picked it up and as she read it, she became impressed with the idea and felt it very worthwhile. Later she said, "I am thrilled to know that Sonny can have this sort of experience." Several parents expressed regret that they had not known about the school sooner. As for the children, practically all of them expressed themselves, "I have had such a good time and I am coming again next year." One boy said, "Well, I am coming again next year and try to be a better boy."

The closing program gave a fair demonstration of the sort of work carried on in the school. The "least ones" sang and dramatized their songs, sang a prayer, and played several selections on their band while one of their number led them. The Primary department dramatized a song and June Souther told one of their character stories which they all loved. The Juniors gave their memory work and a play, "David and Jonathan," which they had worked out during their class periods. The handcraft exhibit showed neatness, care, and ingenuity. Awards were made for attendance, memory work, music, citizenship, handcraft, and the best all-around boy and girl.

Much appreciation is felt for the work and time of the volunteer teachers and especially for our nurse, Mrs. M. D. Kenoyer, who was on duty every day and assisted so graciously wherever she was needed. The volunteer teachers were Misses Elsie Watkins, Joan Dexter, Marian Flinn, Sally Washburn, and Helena Stockwell. We also appreciate all the kind things done for us by our friends and parents of children in the school.

Car Goes Into Ravine; Slight Damage Done

About four-fifty o'clock yesterday afternoon Mrs. S. Nye of 6564 Sheridan road, Chicago, lost control of her car as the engine died on the incline up Ravine drive from the beach, and the car backed down into the ravine. Only slight damage was done to the car. Mrs. Nye's mother, Mrs. Ida Greenfield, and Mrs. Rose Cohen were riding with Mrs. Nye when the accident occurred. The only one injured was Mrs. Cohen, who received several scratches when she jumped from the car.

This is the first car in four years to go over the ravine embankment.

Announce Lecture on Christian Science

First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Highland Park, announces a free lecture on Christian Science by Samuel W. Greene, C.S.B., of Chicago, who is a member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church in Boston, Mass. This lecture is to be given at the Ravinia Village House, Saturday evening, Aug. 10 at eight o'clock. "Christian Science: the Government by Divine Law" is to be the subject for the lecture. Members and their friends are invited to attend.

Blondahl Family Moving Back Here

The J. A. Blondahl family who have been living in Winnetka for the past few years, are moving back to Highland Park and will reside on Wade street. Mr. Blondahl was in the shoe business here for many years, and for the past few years had been engaged in the same business in Winnetka. Having sold his shop there, he is moving back here with his family.

Leslie McPherson Will Set for Early Hearing

The will of Archibald Leslie McPherson of Highland Park, who was killed in an automobile accident in Dawson, N. M., was set for hearing August 19 by Probate Judge Martin C. Decker Monday. The estimated value of personal property was \$40,000 and of real estate \$50,000.

Other proceedings were as follows: George Eddy Newcomb, Lake Forest. Final report approved. Estate closed.

Albert Nafe, Highland Park. Will admitted to probate. Estate of \$8000 real estate given to five daughters. Letters testamentary issued to Elsie Smith, daughter, Glencoe, Ill. Bond of \$16,000. Heirship proved.

Helen T. Murphy, Detroit, Mich. Petition for probate of foreign will filed and set for hearing August 19. Decedent owned real estate in Lake county.

Paul M. Dietz, Deerfield. Will admitted to probate. Estate of \$4000 personal and \$3000 real estate given to wife Laura B. Dietz. Heirship proved. Letters testamentary issued to Laura B. Dietz. Bond of \$8,000.

Local Women Visit

The following women of St. John's Evangelical church motored to Elmhurst, on Thursday, July 25 and assisted the women of Elmhurst college auxiliary in sewing for the college: Mrs. George Bock, Mrs. John Bremer, Mrs. Fred Bremer, Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. C. B. Hansen, Miss Augusta Meyer, Mrs. Max Mueller, Mrs. G. A. Holste, Mrs. Chas. Werhane, Mrs. Fred Ahrens, Mrs. Chas. Berry, Mrs. Frank Howe, Mrs. William Duffy, Mrs. Arthur Muir, Mrs. George Krumbach, Mrs. Karl A. Roth. At noon a dinner was served in the dining room of the college and Rev. Tim Lehman, president of Elmhurst college gave a short talk. The guests were taken on a tour of inspection through the college buildings.

RAVINIA PROGRAM FOR SEVENTH WEEK

"La Campana Sommersa" in First Ravinia Presentation on Week's Bill

Ravinia Opera enters its seventh week on Sunday, August 4, with a repertoire of such interest that it marks another high spot in the activities of the current season. Of prime importance is the fact that "La Campana Sommersa," or as it is known in English "The Sunken Bell," is to be given its first Ravinia presentation on Tuesday night, August 6, this being the first time that



Ina Bourskaya

this opera by Ottorino Respighi has been given in this country outside of New York City. Those who keep abreast of the music news of the day will

remember that "La Campana Sommersa" received its world premiere in New York late last autumn, with Mme. Elisabeth Rethberg and Giovanni Martinelli creating its two principal roles.

When the spring season of opera was being outlined in Rome, this Respighi work was included in the repertoire and by special invitation of Premier Mussolini, both Mme. Rethberg and Mr. Martinelli went to Rome to sing the parts which they

had gained singular success in New York. "La Campana Sommersa" was among the novelties which Mr. Eckstein announced when the Ravinia prospectus was published last spring, and the Ravinia scenic studio immediately began the task of building the elaborate settings required by the libretto. That this opera will be brought to its initial Ravinia performance next Tuesday night is a matter which will gratify the opera lovers of this community, and the event assumes even greater importance in view of the fact that Mme. Rethberg, Mr. Martinelli and others of the Ravinia coterie will sing the parts which they created when this fanciful opera was given to the world for the first time.

"La Campana Sommersa" is based on Gerhart Hauptman's famous drama, which, written in German was soon translated into all the languages of the civilized world. English readers knew it as "The Sunken Bell" and it



created a sensation throughout literary circles something more than twenty-five years ago. The operatic version which Respighi has

Maccabees' Meet August 2

The Maccabees' next regular meeting will be held Friday evening, Aug. 2, at eight o'clock in Anderson hall, Lake Forest. All members are asked to be present. A social hour and refreshments will follow the meeting.

Sell Monthly Tickets

As a convenience to their customers, the Highland Park State bank is now selling Chicago and Northwestern railway monthly tickets.