

DEERFIELD-SHIELDS HIGH SCHOOL

Senior Hockey Team Wins Tourney



Covington Studio
Top Row, Left to Right—Peggy Crawford, Marjory Kendall, Alberta Franklin, Virginia Grant, Dorothy Burris, Dorothy Campbell.
Center—Miss Lane, Evelyn Bakke, Lillian Smith, Marion Larson, Lydia Simpson, Lydia Roekenback, Margaret Kerr.
Bottom—Marion Wink, Marion Flinn, Louise Smith, Eunice Hall, Ethel Shott, Ada Wyman.

MANY LIGHTWEIGHTS TURN OUT FOR TEAM

About sixty-five candidates for the lightweight basketball team reported to Coach Thurston last Wednesday afternoon in room 230 S.

Among those who will probably be back on the team are Leo Zanier, Garling, Joe Cummings, Mike Maloney, and Bill Rogan.

Mr. Thurston gave a short talk on the training rules and said that every boy who wishes to play lightweight basketball must be in good physical condition and must be 135 pounds or under.

If it is possible, the girls' gym will be used three times a week by the lightweight squad while the heavies use the boys' gym.

Regular practice did not get under way until yesterday.

Coach Thurston plans to keep about twenty boys on the squad for about two weeks and then cut the squad down to fifteen.

With the material from last year and with several new candidates, Coach Thurston should have a good team.

DEERFIELD "GRADS" RANK HIGH AT U. OF I.

Graduates Lead Private and Other Public High Schools in Scholarship

Not only are the freshmen scholarship records of Deerfield-Shields graduates at the University of Illinois much better than those of freshmen from other schools, but there are fewer failures—the percentage is 0, according to figures compiled for the year 1928-1929.

The median grades of Deerfield-Shields graduates as compared with those of other schools may prove interesting. Of students from all public high schools represented at Illinois, the average is 81.75 in grades, whereas Deerfield "grads" have attained an average of 84.37. Private schools have the lowest grades, the average being 80.64.

In per cent of honor grades, too, Deerfield emerges victorious, as 40 per cent of her graduates at Illinois achieved honor grades, while only 22.69 per cent of all other public school graduates had honor grades, and only 21.11 per cent of private school graduates achieved them.

The percentage of failures is in keeping with the other statistics—6.98 per cent of the graduates of all public high schools "flunked," and 10 per cent of those coming from private schools failed in their freshman year. Deerfield-Shields had no failures.

Deerfield-Shields graduates having always been consistent in their high scholarship standing. From 1910 to

1915, for instance, only 11 per cent of Deerfield-Shields grads at the University of Illinois were freshman failures, whereas 55 per cent of all private school graduates attending Illinois "flunked out" in their first year. Public high schools had a better average, 32½ per cent, but this hardly was as enviable as that of Deerfield. Moreover, in the years 1914-1917, at the universities of Chicago, Illinois, and Northwestern, Deerfield placed third in the suburban schools with the largest number of graduates attending these universities as freshmen, and had the lowest percentage of failures, and the highest percentage of students with above-average grades, of all the suburban schools.

BOYS OF RIFLE CLUB TAKE FIRST LESSON

Seventeen members of the rifle team received their first instructions under Major J. W. Cotton last Wednesday afternoon at Fort Sheridan.

The first lesson that was given to the boys was a lesson on how to use the peep-sight.

The range is not completed, so it is impossible to start regular shooting practice yet, but in about three weeks the rifle range will be ready for use.

Major Cotton plans to give the members a regular United States Army course in target practice.

Major Cotton promised to make a good rifleman of each boy who takes the course, providing he follows his instructions.

If a boy wishes to join but does not have a rifle he may succeed in obtaining the use of an army .22 rifle furnished at the fort.

FORTY CANDIDATES OUT FOR SWIMMING

About forty boys answered Mr. Kendig's first call for swimming material last Wednesday afternoon.

Twenty-three of the forty boys that reported are junior swimmers, while the remaining seventeen will try for the senior team. The boys who wish to try for the junior team must be under sixteen years of age, while any boy who is under the age of twenty-one may try for the senior team.

Coach Kendig had the boys swim the backstroke, the breast stroke, and the crawl. The candidates for the team are instructed to swim for style only, and not for speed.

Three lettermen are back from last year's team: Phil Anderson, who swims the backstroke and holds the all-suburban record for it; Lowenstein, who was on last year's team, and swims the breaststroke; and Wellman, who swims the crawl and the backstroke. Other members of last year's squad are Roberts, La Hue, Krafft, Fox, Bieger, Chapman, and Blankenship.

The swimming candidates will report for practice on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays until after the Thanksgiving holidays. After Thanksgiving, the boys will report for practice every night.

The suburban league schedule will not be completed until about three weeks from now.

Besides the regular league schedule, there will be two or three practice meets.

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