

DEERFIELD NEWS-FLASHES

Deerfield Locals

Mr. E. B. Jordan broke his wrist while cranking his car last Tuesday morning.

Mr. J. A. Hoffman was in the Highland Park hospital last week under observation. He returned to his home on Tuesday.

Wilbur Whitcomb, who has been seriously ill at the Frances E. Willard hospital for the past seven weeks is slowly improving, and may be able to return to his home in another week or two.

Mr. and Mrs. William Krumbach announce the birth of a daughter, Saturday, December 7, at the Highland Park hospital.

Mr. Ed. Jacobson is seriously ill at his home on Grand avenue.

Mrs. C. W. Boyle was hostess at a tea in compliment to Miss Borneman, the nurse at the Deerfield Grammar school on Friday afternoon.

Mr. William Barrett under went an operation at the Presbyterian hospital, Chicago on Tuesday. He is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Peterson had as their guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Tavern of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Huhn visited friends in Berwyn on Monday evening.

Mrs. Fred Haggie was hostess to her bridge club on Tuesday afternoon.

The Deerfield R.N.A. will hold annual their election of officers at the next meeting, which will be held at the Masonic temple on Thursday evening, December 12. Members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Olendorf visited friends in Chicago on Sunday.

The teachers and officers of the Presbyterian church school held a meeting at the home of Mr. George Stanger on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Mentzer, Mr. Louis and Miss Dela Mentzer attended the funeral of a brother-in-law, Mr. John Mick of Chicago on Tuesday. Mr. Mick had been ill for sometime and died on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Labahn were dinner guests at the home of Mr. Labahn's mother in Evanston Sunday.

The Deerfield Building and Loan association held their regular business meeting on Monday evening.

The Boone family on Osterman avenue are quarantined with scarlet fever.

Mrs. A. G. Klemp and son Bobby of Highland Park are spending the week with Mrs. Klemp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horenberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Peterson of Highland Park visited Mr. and Mrs. Peter Peterson on Sunday.

The Christmas departmental parties of the Presbyterian church school will be held during week between Christmas and New Years.

The cafeteria luncheon given by the Missionary society of the Presbyterian church on last Thursday attracted a large group of people who enjoyed the delicious meal.

Deerfield Masons Install Officers

Deerfield lodge No. 1110, A. F. and A. M., held a public installation of officers on Tuesday evening, Dec. 10, at the Deerfield Masonic temple.

Installing officers included, Rt. Wor. Bro. Benjamin W. Scholton, master, Past Master Ben Hur lodge; Wor. Bro. Theodore J. Knaak, marshal, Past Master A. O. Fay lodge, Past Master Deerfield lodge; Wor. Bro. William B. Carr, chaplain; Past Master of Glenview lodge; Wor. Bro. Ed. Selig, secretary, Past Master Deerfield lodge.

The following officers for the ensuing year were installed:

Walter S. Page, worshipful master; Richard J. Abrams, senior warden; Conrad W. Uchtman, junior warden; Chester I. Wessling, treasurer; Charles V. Steiner, secretary; Frank Kotrasch, chaplain; Ira M. Hole, senior deacon; Ambrose J. Montavon, junior deacon; Gerhard F. Holste, senior steward; Raymond T. Meyer, junior steward; Carter M. Christenson, organist; William Hertle, marshal; John J. Beckley, tyler.

An entertainment followed the ceremonies.

Christmas Program to Be Given Dec. 20

While the week before Christmas is always a hectic one with every one preparing for the holidays yet despite this fact it is hoped that all will pause long enough to attend the Christmas program, which will be held on Friday afternoon, Dec. 20, in the Deerfield Grammar school auditorium which promises to be something very unusual and worth while.

A short business session of the Parent-Teacher association will also be held to which all parents are invited.

W.M.S. to Present Missionary Play

A missionary play that you cannot afford to miss will be given under the auspices of W. M. S. of the Evangelical Bungalow church on Sunday evening, Dec. 15, and the play is entitled, "The Golden Coin of Scarpin' Creek," and depicts the life of the people in the Kentucky mountains. Be sure and see this Missionary play.

Awarded "Varsity Letter"

Douglas Hastings was one of the 13 boys who was awarded "Varsity letters" to members of the soccer team by the Athletic Council of the University of Illinois on December 3.

Ten of the 13 were from Chicago and suburbs.

Auxiliary Enjoys Card Party Monday

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Montavan at the Green Tree Inn on Monday evening members of the Deerfield American Legion Auxiliary and their friends enjoyed a delightful card and bunco party.

Miss Ada Johnson and Mrs. Alvin Meyer were awarded first prizes at bridge, Mrs. Ross Sherman and Mr. Walter Toll second.

Mrs. E. J. Long and Mr. Roy Meyer won the five hundred prizes and Mrs. F. Farner and Miss Hazel Stickler the bunco prizes.

Purse Stolen Thursday Is Returned by Mail

Mrs. G. Clouse, who had her purse taken in the Rosemary Shop last Thursday morning by a man who apparently was intoxicated and didn't realize what he was doing returned it by parcel post on Monday, to the Rosemary shop.

It contained \$72.20 in cash, keys, watch and other valuables and returned in tact. While making a purchase, Mrs. Clouse left her purse lying on counter and when she went to get it, it was gone and so was the man.

Mrs. Clouse doesn't know which was the greater shock losing her purse or having it returned.

Christmas Sale Is Generously Supported

The Christmas Sale sponsored by the Ladies Aid society of the St. Paul's Evangelical church at the Kapschull Real Estate office on Saturday afternoon received generous support from members of the church as well as the Deerfield public.

There are still a few fancy articles which would make most acceptable practical gifts, not too expensive and would help solve the Christmas problem, to be disposed of and are at the home of Mrs. J. Rommel on Deerfield road, who will be very glad to show them to anyone who may be interested.

Will Give Cantata

Sunday evening Dec. 22, the senior choir of the Evangelical Bungalow church will render a Christmas cantata entitled "On to Bethlehem" by Norman Lighthill.

Things even up after all. We may still have a few biased sectionalists in the land, but when a biased Yankee and a biased Southerner marry the result is apt to be a family of unbiased American youngsters.

Deerfield Grammar School

The following mothers are requested to be the chaperon mothers for the month of December 1929. Each mother is expected to be at the school at nine o'clock a. m., accompany the nurse on her morning inspection and see exactly what is being done. The morning inspection takes about one hour. If for any reason the mother finds it is impossible for her to come, she is asked to send some one else in her place or failing to do this, to telephone the office at least 24 hours before the date set for her. Earnest co-operation is solicited.

Dec. 2, Mrs. C. W. Boyle; Dec. 3, Mrs. C. E. Herman; Dec. 4, Mrs. R. Johnson; Dec. 5, Mrs. C. Kapschull; Dec. 6, Mrs. E. A. Wood; Dec. 9, Mrs. H. Olendorf; Dec. 10, Mrs. Wm. Galloway; Dec. 12, Mrs. J. Styker; Dec. 13, Mrs. A. Willman; Dec. 16, Mrs. L. Ashman; Dec. 17, Mrs. P. J. Anderson; Dec. 18, Mrs. C. E. Piper; Dec. 19, Mrs. Kraus; Dec. 20, Mrs. T. Taylor.

In Quest of Santa Claus

Pupils in Deerfield Grammar school are working hard on an operetta to be given Friday, Dec. 20 at 8 p.m. More than 75 pupils take part in this special entertainment and it promises to be something rather good.

Story of the Play

Jane, a little girl who is anxious to find Santa Claus starts off in search of him. She knows he lives in the Land of the North Star, so hopes to find some of the woods people to direct her. The rabbits come to practice their Christmas hop, and she asks them, but they cannot help her—she had not been kind to her pets at home.

As they leave she helps a rabbit who is lame, so a Christmas fairie, the Spirit of Kindness, guides her to an old pine tree which is part of the way.

The Snowflakes come, but cannot help her—she hadn't been friendly at school. The Brownies haven't her name on their Christmas list of good boys and girls for Santa Claus — she had been cross at home. Because she regrets having been unkind another Christmas fairie, the Spirit of Helpfulness directs her to an old stump on the way.

Jane finds the stump and eagerly watches the Sunbeams frolic and the Tin Soldiers march, but they cannot help her, so the Spirit of Goodwill tells her the way to the moss covered stone. Dolls arrive on their way to Santa Claus. Jane begs one of them to go to her sister who has no doll, so the Spirit of Unselfishness directs her to the crossroads, warning her against the Wongaloo, who is the Spirit of Selfishness and Cruelty.

Jane loses her way and wanders into the cave of the Wongaloo. She is frightened and tries to escape but the Wongalites hold her prisoner. They report on the day's doings, to her indignation. The Wongaloo tell her no one can rescue her but the Spirit of Love, who doesn't know where she is, and threatens her with the dungeon if she tries to escape.

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