

## F. D. CLAVY, PIONEER NURSERYMAN, IS DEAD

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In 1868 he married Minnie Schnadt. Her death occurred Dec. 16, 1921, and of a family of 13 children 10 are living. They are Mrs. Ella Werhane, Northbrook; Mrs. Clara Williams, Highland Park; Mrs. Ida Scheskie, DesPlaines; Mrs. Julia Scheskie, Highland Park; Mrs. Alice Trute, Deerfield, and Miss Amanda Clavey, Elmer L. Clavey, Harry T. Clavey, Raymond J. Clavey and Roy F. Clavey, all of Deerfield. Three children died in infancy, Edward, Myrtle and Mabel. There are living 27 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. In 1924 Mr. Clavey married Sarah Scheppe, who survives him.

Brothers of the decedent living are William and John Clavey of Glencoe and one sister, Mrs. Freda Jones of Belding, Mich. One sister and one brother are dead.

### Pioneer Nurseryman

Mr. Clavey's boyhood days were spent on farms for which his compensation in some instances was as low as five dollars per month. As a boy he had a natural instinct for growing plants and became well-known as a farmer. As a poor young man he started the nursery business in 1885,

which he later operated under the name of Ravinia Nurseries. In 1924 his business was incorporated under the name of F. D. Clavey Ravinia Nurseries of which he acted as president up to the time of his death. The nurseries are nationally known and one of the largest in the middle west. Thousands of the beautiful trees and plants in the Chicago Parks and on the finest estates along the lake shore were grown and furnished under his personal supervision. For the past eight years his health did not permit him to be very active. His greatest hobby was his business and he spent his last years enjoying the thousands of plants in his nurseries.

He was a well known and honored member of both the Illinois and the National Nurserymen's associations, of the Highland Park Chamber of Commerce, the Highland Park lodge No. 1362 Brotherhood and Protective Order of Elks and of St. Paul's Evangelical church, Deerfield.

### Was Widely Esteemed

In all of his business and social associations he was held in highest esteem by his fellows, and his sterling worth and splendid ability were everywhere recognized and appreciated. No man in this community had more friends that F. D. Clavey and none will be more greatly missed. In everything in which he was interested he put forth his best efforts and his interest and assistance in all movements

for the welfare of the community were whole-souled and effective. He was one of the pioneer nurserymen of northern Illinois, building up an extensive business from practically nothing to its present great success and far-reaching influence, and because of his experience and the scope of his operations he was everywhere regarded as an authority in his line.

### Sympathy Expressed

To the sorrowing family there is extended the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community which has lost an honored citizen whose place will be hard to fill, and whose memory will long be kept green in the hearts of its people.

## Wilmot School P.T.A. Holds Interesting Meeting, January 17

(Continued from the Deerfield Page) gations are sacred and the supreme testing conditions are in the hands of the home.

She said parents need pious religion, and they should not be false to children as they so often are. Community life is fast stripping family life and so take care of children at home and set right examples for them. Watch tantrums of children. They often copy their parents. She said, "make your school beautiful too." Parents and teachers are both important factors in children's lives. The teachers reported that Dr. Davis says Wilmot school children are healthy. Hot lunch dishes are now being served daily to an average of 40 children.

Playground equipment was dis-

cussed. The school board are to supply window ventilators.

It was decided to continue the silver teas and to have a card party at the school the evening of Valentine Day, Feb. 14. A committee consisting of Mrs. Russell Miller, Mrs. E. J. Ginter, and Mrs. S. M. Gooder was appointed to be in charge of the party.

The next meeting will be held on Friday evening, Feb. 21 at 8 o'clock, at the school. Further announcements later.

The March meeting will also be an evening meeting at which time officers will be elected for another year.

—Publicity Committee.

## Attend Funeral in Chicago Saturday

Dr. and Mrs. Agnew of the Dorcas Home attended the funeral of Captain Chas. Fingerhuth in Chicago on Saturday afternoon.

Captain Fingerhuth was identified for many years with the Dorcas Home. Being an orphan he was in sympathy with the children of the home and his visits were eagerly anticipated by them who will keenly feel his loss.

Miss Eleanor Meyer was awarded the grand prize, which was a complete dinner set and appointments, given away at the Citizens State bank of Deerfield on last Wednesday.

The members of the social committee of the Tuxis society met at the home of Miss Grace Sherman on Tuesday evening and plans were formulated for a young peoples party.

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