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URGE SCHOOLS KEEP ABREAST OF TIMES

Speakers at H. S. During Education Week Stress Point; Good Talks

That education must follow the trend of the times and adapt itself to modern needs was the point stressed by the three men who spoke last Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights during National Education Week.

Richard L. Sandwick, principal of the Deerfield-Shields high school, spoke Thursday evening in the high school auditorium. The subject of Mr. Sandwick's speech was "Deerfield-Shields in 1930." "The Articulation of Elementary and High School Work" was the subject of the speech given by Dr. Franklin Bobbitt of the University of Chicago on Friday night at the Elm Place school auditorium. On Saturday evening the final speech was given by Dudley Crafts Watson, noted artist of Highland Park. The subject of Mr. Watson's speech was "Enriching Community Life Through the High Schools."

Keeping Up with Times

Mr. Sandwick, speaking Thursday night before an audience of 250 or more parents and teachers, gave a summary of the aims and activities of Deerfield-Shields in 1930.

"A progressive high school must adapt itself to the trend of the times by keeping its curriculum up to date," said Mr. Sandwick. "For that reason we have been considering curriculum revision, and this past year have instituted a program of revision which includes every department of the school."

Attention to individual needs is being more and more stressed in this modern program, Mr. Sandwick pointed out. The college preparatory students are given special training in classical courses. Those students who need vocational training are given trades such as carpentry and auto mechanics. An attempt is made to give every student a well-rounded education, and in addition as much specialization as possible.

"Great emphasis is being placed upon physical fitness," continued Mr. Sandwick, "as well as talents and outside activities. Physical defects are corrected, and the student is given a good physical equipment for life."

Seyfarth Makes Good Record at Princeton

Hugh Seyfarth, captain of Deerfield's 1929 grid machine, is continuing this year with his football activities while attending Princeton university at Princeton, New Jersey.

Hugh is playing quarterback on the Princeton freshman team. A recent article in an eastern newspaper tells of how Hugh led the Princeton "Frosh" to a 14 to 0 victory over a strong team from Princeton prep. Hugh made one and was responsible for the other of the two touchdowns.

While at Deerfield, Seyfarth was captain of the football team, a three letter man in basketball, president of the senior class, and a councilor for three years.

High School Students at Press Conference

Four students have been chosen to represent Deerfield-Shields school publications at the tenth general convention of the Illinois State High School Press association, which is to be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 20, 21, and 22, at the University of Illinois.

Robert Ruwitch, Josie Buhl, Ruben Hazelrigg, and Allene Smith will be the representatives. Ruwitch will preside at the general meeting, as the Shoreline, for the past year, has been president of the Illinois High School Press association.

Four Lake Co. People Are Granted Patents

Four residents of Lake county have been granted patents according to word received from the United States bureau of patents at Washington.

The four and the appliances on which the patents have been granted a patent on a breaker mechanism; Francis N. Bard of Highland Park, reversing gear mechanism; Hannah Wenalan, Highland Park, chopper, and Jules Wery of Deerfield, can closing machine.



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