

DEERFIELD NEWS-FLASHES

DEERFIELD NEWS AND PERSONAL ITEMS

Send contributions to local correspondent before Tuesday noon. Help her to make this section interesting.

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Deerfield Locals

Miss Retta Ree Hipsley of Northbrook was the luncheon guest of Jean Pettis on Wednesday.

Mrs. N. McKellar of Fargo, N. D., and her daughter Mrs. John Rodgers of Cleveland, O., who spent the holidays with Mrs. McKellar's sister, Mrs. Burr H. Kress, left on Wednesday for Fargo.

Sister Mary Leonett of the Immaculata convent in Chicago was the guest of her father James O'Connor on Saturday. She was accompanied by Sister Mary Clemens.

Mrs. Bruce Blaine attended a bridge party last Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Henry Siljeström of Highland Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Meyer were hosts at a New Year's eve dancing party at the Masonic temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stadler entertained at a New Year's eve party at their home on Orchard lane.

Mrs. Olivia Anderson spent Sunday with Mrs. M. C. Lundgren of Highland Park.

Miss Helen Reichelt, who is attending school in Phoenix, Ariz., spent the Christmas holidays with her sister Mrs. C. C. Gates of Globe, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Juhrend and children of Alton, Ill., Lester Juhrend and Miss Pearl Juhrend spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Juhrend of Libertyville. Other guests were Mr. H. H. Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter and son of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Boles and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dykinga (Elnora Boles) and son of Libertyville.

Mrs. Emma Mills and Mrs. Lewis Mills of Diamond lake visited the latter's grandfather, George Rockenbach, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wildhagen and son Raymond and daughter Anna of Prairie View were guests at a Christmas day family reunion at the home of William Hertel.

Mrs. Helen Bradley Hoffman visited at the Conway home in Rondout on Christmas.

Mrs. Sugden, wife of Deerfield's new doctor was injured in an automobile accident on Christmas day.

A New Year's night party was given by the young people of the Tuxis society at the Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Muhlke entertained at dinner Sunday evening at their home on Central avenue.

Miss Rose O'Connor had as her week-end guest, Miss Anna Kalitzky of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Winters of Wheeling visited at the August Winters on Grand avenue on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. A. Reichelt Jr. and granddaughter Jean Pettis visited in Evanston on Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Kreh attended a party at the Bethany church in Highland Park on Tuesday evening.

Dr. Willard Goldring of Marengo, Ill., visited at the Roy Clavey home on Sunday.

Mrs. C. T. Anderson and two children Dorothy Jean and Ward were the guests of the Misses Lulu, Edna, and Nora Behrens of Highland Park on Wednesday.

William Wallace Ward and son John Clarke Ward II of Park Ridge were the guests of Mr. Ward's sister, Mrs. J. A. Reichelt, Jr. on Sunday.

Miss Helen Roll was ill this past week and absent from her duties at the Shapiro grocery and market.

Jack Williams and Frank Dewey of Lake Forest and Jack Zengeler of Highland Park were the New Year's day guests of Wallace Reichelt.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Blaine and two daughters Shirley and Roberta spent Sunday with Mrs. Blaine's niece, Mrs. Walter Sorensen of Chicago.

Mrs. Arnold Keller of Deerfield road will be the next hostess to the Just Sew club.

The Village of Deerfield sent New Year's greetings to property owners this week in the form of special assessments.

Dick Kenny of Chicago was the guest of George Stryker last week. On Wednesday, Dick entertained some of his Lake Forest college friends at a luncheon at the Illinois Athletic club. Among those from this vicinity were Miss Cornell of Glencoe, and Wallace Reichelt and George Stryker of Deerfield.

Two Deerfield students, Wilfred Miessner and Hubert Laidicker had articles in the December Prose, Drama, Music and Poetry section of "The Shoreline," the Deerfield-Shields high school weekly publication. Wilfred's story was entitled, "Surprise Attack," and Hubert's was, "Wind."

The unique Christmas cards of the William Mason Reay family, whose former home was that of the present Briergate Golf club, are always looked forward to by the recipients. This year they contain photographs of the three brides in the family with their husbands. Dorothy, whose marriage to James Arthur Younglove was solemnized on Feb. 15, 1930; Irvin, who was married to Henry Jones Cusaden on June 14, 1930, and Jean whose marriage occurred on October 29, 1930 to William Silverthorne Faurot. Appropriate poetry appears under each group of photographs.

Why Not A Deerfield Jr. Municipal Band

A band has been organized in the Deerfield Grammar school, with Mr. Mason of Palatine as instructor. Only eight or 10 have enrolled. Lack of interest presumably is financial. Deerfield voted, a number of years ago, to have a municipal band and property owners are taxed for a band. It is illegal to use that band tax money for other purposes. Why not allow the school children to derive the benefit from this tax and in three or four years Deerfield would have a Junior Municipal Band of which our community might be proud?

Children Observe "Giving Party" Tuesday

The primary, beginners and junior departments of the Bethlehem Evangelical church school enjoyed a "Giving Party," on last Tuesday. They made the trimmings for a tree and with gifts called at the James Fritsch home. Mr. Fritsch, who has been very ill, is now able to sit up, and he enjoyed seeing the children trim the tree for him. The children also stopped at the home of Miss Hila Bubert and left gifts.

Gives Recital for European Trip

Ellsworth Stryker, son of the late Irving Stryker, formerly of Deerfield will give a violin concert in Phoenix, Arizona, in February. Also one in Prescott, Arizona in order to secure funds for a trip to Europe as he has won a scholarship in the Brussel's Conservatory of Music.

His brother Harvey Stryker won the Chicago Harvard club scholarship to Harvard university for four years and is now connected with the Du Pont company.

Weekly Trap Shoots Popular at Gun Club

The mild and pleasant weather has attracted quite a number to the weekly trap shoots of the Deerfield Gunclub. The club is open each Sunday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and all trap shooters in this vicinity are invited to the club.

Elect Officers

At the annual meeting of the Altar and Rosary society held last Friday evening in the parish hall, the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: President, Mrs. P. J. Duffy; vice president, Mrs. Thomas Mooney; secretary, Miss Florence Gloden and treasurer, Mrs. Earl Frost.

P. T. A. Meets Friday

The Deerfield Grammar school Parent-Teacher association will meet Friday evening at the school. An announcement of the very interesting program to be presented will be found in another part of this paper.

CAPT J. B. NEILL AT DEERFIELD ROTARY

Progress of Air Transportation Discussed by Head of Curtis-Reynolds Airport

At their weekly luncheon meeting Wednesday, Dec. 31, the Deerfield Rotary club had as their guest speaker Capt. J. B. Neill, manager of the Curtis-Reynolds airport.

Capt. Neill recently succeeded Major Schroeder in the active management of the Curtis-field at Glenview, and was, until two years ago in the aviation corps of the U. S. Marines.

The present day safety of air transportation was discoursed upon by Capt. Neill, whose broad experience in the flying game has well equipped him to quote a wealth of statistics in support of his contentions relative to the safety of air travel under competent pilots.

His speech was of an exceptionally interesting character and numerous questions were put to him by the various members of the club upon its completion.

The brief resume of his talk follows:

"Let us for just a moment look at some of the statistics published by the Dept. of Commerce for the year 1929 — During the year transport planes flying on schedule covered 25,141,500 miles. There were only 137 accidents in this scheduled transport service. Divide the two and you get 183,514 miles to each accident. Lets suppose that we are going from New York to Boston and return — 384 miles. By this figuring the chances are 479 to 1 that we will meet with no kind of accident. In other words we could make that round trip once a week for the next 9 years before expecting to be in a crash.

"But probably you are more interested — (Continued on page 32)

60 Children Enjoy Dinner Friday Night

About 60 children enjoyed a dinner at the Presbyterian church last Friday evening. Each church school teacher acted as hostess at prettily decorated tables bearing Christmas colors.

Mrs. L. Smith, wife of the pastor of the Northbrook Presbyterian church entertained with two readings.

The teachers are: Miss Irene Rockenback, superintendent; Mrs. Edna Orsborn, Mrs. E. L. Vinyard, Miss Mary Hood, Miss Lois Clark, Edgely Todd.

Mrs. Dow, acting for Miss Hazel Miller, and Miss Grace Varner, the secretary.

The seven mothers who served the dinner are: Mrs. C. W. Getty, Mrs. Earl Varner, Mrs. Conrad Uchtman, Mrs. A. R. Letson, Mrs. Hergillers.

Mrs. Emil Fredricks, assisted by Miss Mary Hoffman.

The ice cream was donated by the Hydrox company.