

Plan National Forest Preserves in Illinois; Officials Make Survey

Establishment by the federal government of national forest units in Illinois will move a step nearer realization this week with an inspection trip of the proposed sites by state and federal officials, Lewis B. Springer, superintendent, state division of forestry, announced recently.

The officials will leave Harrisburg Monday morning and will tour Gallatin, Hardin, Pope, Saline, Jackson, Union and Alexander counties where the federal government is planning to establish the first two units. The first of these will embrace Gallatin, Pope, Hardin and Saline counties, where a tract of 291,392 acres is lo-

Dogged by officers bearing warrants for his arrest on charges of deserting his wife and three children and forced to return his 19 year old

sweetheart to the home of her parents because he was unable to support her, Dirk Heuvelkamp, a 40 year old Libertyville chauffeur, shot himself to death in front of the Oakwood estate near Libertyville last week.

Wrong About Sports

The American attitude toward sport is wrong. We are the only people in the world who make sport a business. —American Magazine.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK PROCLAIMED

Governor Sets Oct. 4 to 10 as Period for Annual Observance in State

Declaring that Illinois had 19,283 fires with a loss of \$21,815,989 the last fiscal year, Gov. Louis L. Emmerson has proclaimed the week of Oct. 4-10 as fire prevention week.

"Fire waste is one of the most regrettable and unnecessary incidents of our economic and social life," said Gov. Emmerson, in urging the citizens of Illinois to observe fire week by cleaning up all fire hazards in their homes, places of business, factories, schools, hospitals, places of assembly, amusement and worship.

The Proclamation

The Governor's proclamation follows:

"Fire waste is one of the most regrettable and unnecessary incidents of our economic and social life.

"In the last fiscal year Illinois recorded 19,183 fires, with a loss of \$21,815,989. This approximates a burning rate of one fire every 27 minutes and a daily loss of \$59,770.

"Deaths from fire in this State numbered 379 in 1930.

"This tremendous waste of life and property is wholly unwarranted, since authorities agree that 90 per cent of all fires and fire casualties are preventable by exercise of reasonable care and caution. It is a duty of good citizenship to accept a personal responsibility in practicing habits of carefulness in all things which may cause fire.

"Now, Therefore, I, Louis L. Emmerson, Governor of the State of Illinois, do hereby designate and proclaim the week from October 4 to October 10, 1931 to be observed in the State of Illinois as

Fire Prevention Week

"I urge the people of the State to take occasion this week to make a thorough clean-up of fire hazards and unnecessary combustible material in homes, places of business, factories, schools, hospitals, places of assembly, amusement and worship, and in all other classes of property. Particular care should be taken to see that heating equipment is in safe condition for winter.

"I suggest that mayor, fire chiefs, Chambers of Commerce, civic organizations, schools and the press cooperate in a practical program of fire prevention in their respective communities, which should be carried on systematically during the entire year.

"Every citizen should resolve that no act of his shall be the cause of fire."

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Deerfield

Invitations have approaching marriage of Fehr, daughter of C. C. Fehr, to Harold son of Beardstown, Oct. 3, at five o'clock, at the Bethel church.

John Hatch, the only child of John and Mary Hatch, died about eleven o'clock, after having been four years old. The little boy had not been born yet, but was only five days before he died of meningitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar, Margaret Sunday with Mr. Camp Lake, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Allen H.

Katherine Jane, George Harder and among those from guests at the P. Highland Park on the occasion of Mrs. P. day anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. L. tained at three to Thursday evening County Line road their wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. F. land Park were the Mrs. Bruce Blairning. Mrs. Black Johnson, before weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. two children Sylv Sunday guests and Mrs. Swan J. road.

Reverend Mark ed an address at the Presbyterian ton.

Mr. William C. Libertyville, on afternoon.

Mrs. T. G. John of Chestnut street London, Wis., la the death of an u

Mr. and Mrs. spent the week-end of Racine.

Mrs. F. P. Br entertained Tuesday of her son, Eugene, anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. W. children and Mr. Scully, were the

Mr. and Mrs. Fr. hurst, Tuesday evening

Mr. and Mrs. their guests on S. Harry Leaders Richard Birns, M

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Mr. and Mrs. J. been living in A galow, moved F. house on Ridge r

Mr. and Mrs. Monday from a Minn., and Fargo

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