

## KEEN INTEREST IN RAVINIA BOOK FAIR

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Augustus Sigrist, Mrs. Harry G. Toll, Mrs. Henry Foreman, Mrs. Sidney Schwarz, Mrs. Ernest Loeb, Mrs. Richard Thorsch, Mrs. Carroll Binder, Mrs. Sidney Stein, Mrs. Howard Bede, Mrs. Roy Weeks, and Mrs. George Kirkgasser.

Mrs. P. O. Johnson will distribute the posters made by Mr. Harry Howard Hitchcock, and Mrs. Howard Bede will attend to the packing and returning of the books. Mrs. Arthur Raff has charge of the press publicity.

### Parents Given List

The list of books selected by the teachers has been put in the hands of the parents of the Ravinia school children, so that they will know what to look for at the exhibit. The possession of good books by children is known to develop a taste for good reading, so this year's Book Fair will continue to justify the time and effort that has been put into it to make it a success.

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## Local and Personal of Deerfield

Mrs. Elmer Clavey entertained at luncheon bridge last Wednesday at her home on West Deerfield avenue.

Committees from both young people's organizations—the Tri C society and the L.L.L. club of St. Paul's Evangelical church will meet this week to plan a social rally to be held in social hall of the Highland Park Y.W.C.A. next week. There are eighty-five members of the two groups.

Circle Four of the Dorcas society met Tuesday for a pot luck luncheon at the home of Mrs. Walter Page of Osterman avenue.

Mr. George Briggs of Grays Lake, formerly of Deerfield, is undergoing examinations at the Great Lakes hospital. Mr. Briggs will probably be in the hospital for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pettis will spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dickinson of Chicago. This reunion has been held for the past twenty years without missing a single year.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Johnson and two children will be the Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gathmann of Itaska, Ill.

Mrs. C. C. Kapschull entertained the members of the program committee and the president, Mrs. Walter Metcalf of the Deerfield Woman's club at luncheon on Monday, where plans were made for several of the next meetings.

Mrs. Fred Bleimehl suffered a slight stroke on Friday at her home on Deerfield avenue, and is still very ill. Mr. Bleimehl has been seriously ill for over a year. Miss Mary Bleimehl of Chicago is staying at her brother's home and caring for both of them. Mrs. Minnie Whitcomb is also assisting there.

The December meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held at the home of Mrs. C. C. Kapschull, with Mrs. Roy Miller as assisting hostess.

Some of the members of the Mutual club visited the Dorcas Home on Tuesday and brought gifts for the children for Thanksgiving, including a dozen cans of peaches and sixty favor baskets filled with candies appropriate to the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Rockenbach will be the Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Strauss of Rogers Park.

The St. Paul's Sewing circle is sponsoring a collection of canned fruit, vegetables, jelly and preserves for the Bensenville Children's Home. Gifts will be received at the home of Mrs. Peter J. Juhrend until Dec. 1st.

An appeal is being made by the clothing committee of the Deerfield Relief organization for garments for children under twelve years of age. There is an especial demand for underwear.

Mrs. F. L. Peterson of Beardstown, Ill., who has been visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Peterson in Highland Park, spent Sunday with the Clayton C. Fehr family on Osterman avenue.

## WRITTEN IN 1857; IS ADAPTED TO PRESENT

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ful poverty to be taught wisdom—the wisdom of honor, of faith, of sympathy and of charity—no man need seriously to despair. And yet the very haste to be rich, which is the occasion of this widespread calamity; has also tended to destroy the moral forces with which we are to resist and subdue the calamity.

Good friends — let our conduct prove that the call comes to men who have large hearts, however narrowed their homes may be; who have nothing but manhood, strong in its faith in God, to rely upon; and whoever shows himself truly a God-fearing man now, by helping wherever and however he can, will be as blessed and beloved as a great light in darkness.

### Remarkable Fact

Now comes the remarkable fact. What you have just read was not written yesterday, about the condition of today—but is a verbatim reprint of an editorial which appeared in Harper's Weekly on October 10, 1857.

1857 . . . the same year that saw the opening of the bank which is now called "Mercantile-Commerce." July of that year was normal. September marked the beginning of depression. This editorial appeared in October. 17 months later, in March of 1859, business was back at normal again.

"Of our own troubles no man can see the end." They said it in 1857, and it has been said many times, before and since. Depressions have occurred in American business since the Revolutionary war, and every one has looked black, and seemed unending.

Every one has been followed by recovery—and prosperity.

Rev. E. J. Brusco officiated at his sixth wedding ceremony since coming to Deerfield when he united Mr. Robert D. Hauch of Oak Park and Miss Marian L. Brown of Chicago in marriage last Wednesday evening, following the prayer meeting services of the Bethany Evangelical church. Witnesses for the young couple were Mrs. E. J. Brusco and Justice of the Peace John L. Vetter.

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