

DEERFIELD LOCAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. Samuel Fritsch and daughter Helen Mary, arrived on Sunday from Jacksonville, Fla., to visit Mrs. Fritsch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Muhle. Mrs. Fritsch and daughter expect to visit friends in Cleveland in several weeks and will return again to Deerfield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Knott Haehlen, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Easton, Harriett and Wesley Stryker were entertained last Tuesday evening by Elmer Nygard and son Dorance of Kenilworth on a cruise in their boat "Road." They left Wilmette harbor to view the Chicago skyline and the night lighting of the Century of Progress. Miss Edith Stryker, their aunt, was hostess at dinner that evening on the boat.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Gloden have leased an apartment in the Wing building on Waukegan Road.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kynett Haehlen (Laurel Stryker) of Dysart, Iowa, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Stryker for the past two weeks left Saturday to spend the week-end with Rev. and Mrs. Maurice Haehlen in Oswego, Ill., departing for Iowa, on Monday. Miss Harriett Stryker, who had been visiting her sister, returned to Deerfield with them, and remained here. Mrs. Haehlen's younger brother, John Jr., has gone to Iowa with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Wood and daughter, Miss Jane, are leaving this week for a visit in Virginia and New York.

Miss Betty Carrington has resigned as teacher of upper grades in the Bannockburn School and will teach in a private school, Tudor Hall, Indianapolis, next year. Miss Carrington was very successful in her work last year and in addition to her regular duties conducted a dancing class both in Bannockburn and Deerfield.

The Altar and Rosary Society will meet tomorrow (Friday) evening at the Holy Cross Rectory. There will be a short business meeting and Rev. Savage will discuss the care of the altar. Hostesses for the evening will be Mrs. Fred Coleman, Mrs. Leslie Behrens and Mrs. Ralph Dunham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Freese of Lemmon, S.D., are guests of their sisters, Mrs. Roscoe Wessling and Miss Bertha Freese.

Mrs. Sarah Clavey was hostess to members of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. John's Church, Highland

Park, last Thursday afternoon at her home on Deerfield Road.

William Neville was pleasantly surprised last Tuesday evening when eighteen friends and relatives gave a party in honor of his birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Schaumburg and Ruth Krause of Oak Park visited at the Albert Krause home Sunday. Kenneth Wessling will visit in San Francisco, Calif., before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gottschick and family and Mrs. Fred Trute of Chicago visited at the Albert Rogow home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Juhrend spent Sunday in Burlington, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jordan and baby of Champaign are visiting at the E. B. Jordan home.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ott of Prophetstown, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Austin of Chicago spent Sunday at the Isaac Rapp home.

A marriage license was issued in Waukegan to Jennie M. Johnson of Highland Park and Otto H. Knaak of Deerfield.

Miss Margaret Pitsch of Chippewa Falls, Wis., is spending several weeks with Miss Dorothy Wessling. "Clean Up Day" was observed on Thursday at the Bethlehem Church. The interior was cleaned and new curtains, the gift of the W.M.S., were hung. A luncheon was served to the workers at the church.

Miss Edna Langdon of Pelouze, Wash., was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Pettis. Miss Langdon has resigned her position in the Danville, Ill., Hospital, and left Tuesday to accept a position in the W. W. Winchester Hospital at New Haven, Conn.

Mrs. Ward Gauntlett and children are spending the summer in Muskegon, Mich. Mr. Gauntlett will remain with his mother during their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Piper and son Charles are vacationing in northern Minnesota. Robert Piper is at the Boy Scout Camp and the baby Donald is remaining at home with Mrs. Marcelline Juhrend Rhinehart.

Marjorie and Eldon Frost were hosts at the E.L.C.E. on Tuesday evening on a hike out west.

Miss Lillian Ackerman spent last week near Charlevoix, Mich.

Mrs. Jacob Antes of Seattle, Wash., who has been a guest at the George Antes home, is visiting in Chicago.

Misses Jane and Betty Carrington Friday at the home of Mrs. A. ton of Chicago were luncheon guests R. Warner.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lee and daughter Myrtle attended a family reunion in Earlville, Ill., this week.

Mrs. Fred LaBahn spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Minnie Doherty in Chicago.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Siljstrom were sorry to hear that their youngest son, Jimmie, has been in the Highland Park Hospital because of an infection in his leg. Jimmie who has been in the hospital for several weeks will be brought home the latter part of this week. Mrs. Siljstrom is the former Sigrid Anderson of Deerfield.

Mrs. Friedel Fuller and sons of Bannockburn have been visiting in Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Goelitz and children of Brier Hill Road are spending several weeks in North-west Wisconsin.

Mrs. E. J. Bingham and Mrs. Amelia Pyle were Sunday guests at the Ender home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Johnson and son Willis went to Clintonville, Wis., last week, because of the serious illness of Mrs. Johnson's mother.

Mrs. Carl Stadler is critically ill in the Highland Park Hospital. Mrs. Stadler's sister, Mrs. Jacob Huttenberg of Hadley, Wis., and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hall Waterman and daughter Louise of Seattle, Wash., are visiting at the Stadler home.

Miss Doris Hunter was hostess at a luncheon bridge party on Wednesday at her home on Westgate Road. Miss Marjorie Leaming with Mrs. A. S. Burdick of Highland Park drove to Boy River, Minn., on Saturday for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gagne and children of Chicago spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. W. F. Plagge. Marilyn remained to spend the summer with her grandmother, Mrs. William Plagge.

Mr. and Mrs. William Haggie spent Sunday with an aunt in Forest Glen.



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This Is A Stick-Up, Put Up Your Hands!!

(Continued from last week)

LATEST HOLD-UP ATTEMPT NOT NEW.

Several times during the 17 years since ground was broken for this development, law suits have been commenced against this Corporation for the sole purpose of wringing money dishonestly from its management. These suits were commenced because it was assumed by the persons commencing them that this management would not stand for the unfavorable publicity incident to false charges in legal documents, or of a trial in court.

If the management had been spineless and sensitive to such publicity, many thousands of dollars would have gone to persons as wholly undeserving of the same as a kidnaper or an ordinary "stickup" villain. However, a firm stand was taken in every case. Not a dollar has been given to buy silence on false charges. This recent attack is not the first of that kind, nor even the fifth. Former attempts in the same line have been published widely in the newspapers, but never one of those cases has come to trial, although our attorneys have made every effort possible to get each case before the Circuit Court.

In this country a tramp may sue a millionaire without the slightest excuse for so doing, and a shyster called an "attorney" may file a list of false and defamatory statements against any person or business concern; but proving those statements is another matter.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

Every person in any way interested in NORTHSHORE GARDEN OF MEMORIES is entitled to know of such incidents in its history as are hereinafter related. A few of such experiences are as follows:

1. I recall that during the first year of our development work I lived in Evanston, had an office in Chicago and spend only the afternoon of each day here with the foreman, who was a professional and well-informed landscape gardener. I authorized that foreman to have the old farmhouse papered and painted on the inside so that we might use it as the residence of a teamster. The foreman simply authorized a man to whom somebody referred him to do the work and render his bill, instead of securing an estimate in advance. When the work was done the foreman exhibited the bill to me and expressed the opinion that it was exorbitant.

I agreed with him and so refused to pay the bill after a talk with the paper-hanger. The Company was sued in Justice Court. I do not recall that I was present at the trial but was compelled to leave that to the man in charge here. A judgment was rendered against this Corporation. Then I appealed the case to the Circuit Court. This step indicated clearly to the paper-hanger that we were going to fight his charge in a responsible court. He did not want such a trial and so accepted my offer in settlement, thus saving this Company from the loss of a substantial sum that first year.

HUSH MONEY SOUGHT BY SALESMAN

2. Something like 14 years ago the Company was sued in the Circuit Court by a salesman for a commission on the sale of an expensive lot because the manager refused to pay hush money. The salesman, a few months previously had made a contract to devote his entire time to the business for a year. However, when winter came he ignored his contract and took up another sales proposition in Chicago, saying that he had been informed that he could not sell cemetery lots in the winter. He admitted that he never had seen, telephoned or written any member of the family that had purchased the lot and so payment of the commission was refused, especially in view of the fact that he had no territory assigned to him and had violated his contract. The fact of the commencement of suit was printed in the two daily papers then published in Waukegan.

Every effort was made during two or three years by our attorney to get the case before the court for trial, but those efforts were unsuccessful. Both lawyers knew there was not the slightest chance for the man to get a judgment, and when it became apparent that hush money would not be paid, he accepted commissions which were due on other sales, gave a receipt in full for all demands and instructed his attorney to discontinue the proceedings. The bluff did not work!

PLUMBER WANTED TEN PRICES

3. When erecting the Cemetery Service Building, in the corner of which there was to be an artesian well, we bought a pressure water tank 5 ft. by 25 ft. to be placed in the basement of that building. Upon the arrival of the tank on a flat car at North Chicago, I telephoned a man whose name had been mentioned for moving the same from the flat car and placing it in position, as we did not have the proper equipment for such a job. The man said he would do the job for \$300.00. I did not faint and did not show any indignation, although I was very much aware that the charge was practically an attempt at a "hold-up." I got in touch with another man who had the moving equipment and who promptly said he would do the job for \$30.00. He did it in an entirely satisfactory manner for that sum.

Thus, it was apparent that the first man simply guessed he was dealing with an "easy-mark" who probably was not familiar with practical matters of that kind and so had an opportunity to get ten times as much as the service was really worth. Again, a substantial sum was saved to this Corporation by reason of the practical knowledge of the manager.

GARAGE EXTORTION ATTEMPTED

4. A few years ago some slight repairs were needed on a car belonging to the Company. One of the men working here recommended a certain garage concern. The recommendation worked and the car was taken to that garage. Certainly repairs not exceeding the value of \$30.00 were necessary. However, a bill for upwards of \$90.00 was rendered. Again, we refused to pay on the grounds that the charges were exorbitant and dishonest. The concern induced the foreman of another garage to testify in their behalf in Justice Court. We lost and promptly appealed the case to the Circuit Court. Then the garage concern—knowing well they did not have an honest case—lost no time in accepting the settlement which had been offered before the suit in Justice Court was commenced. Again, a case commenced in the belief that we would pay to avoid unpleasant publicity never reached the Circuit court room!

MONUMENT DEALERS ATTEMPT TO OVER-RIDE RULES

5. A case of a little different nature may be mentioned briefly. The management had done everything in its power during the early years to persuade dealers in memorial work to confer with the manager and not to take advantage of the inexperience of lot-owners in such matters by securing orders for granite work that was wholly unfit for the particular location and unworthy of NORTHSHORE GARDEN OF MEMORIES. Finally it became apparent that the only way to protect this place against such inefficiency and degradation was for us to adopt a rule that the Company would furnish all memorial work with the distinct understanding that the same should be of the highest quality and at as low prices as any other concern would supply similar work for. A monument concern induced the national organization of monument dealers to put up the expenses incident to the application in the Circuit Court for an injunction to restrain this Company from preventing that concern from placing certain pieces of undesirable granite in NORTHSHORE GARDEN OF MEMORIES.

After several postponements of the hearing the case was settled in the private office ("in chambers") of the Judge without a witness being sworn. The Circuit Judge heard both sides, looked at photographs of grave markers furnished by that granite concern and of those which we claimed ought to be used here. The Judge promptly said: "I THINK THAT NORTHSHORE GARDEN OF MEMORIES HAS A RIGHT TO MAKE ITS OWN RULES." That incident simply showed an attempt by an outside element to over-ride the rules and the very spirit of the comparatively new place of interment started in a large suburban residence district which formerly had only very ordinary and repellent graveyards. That decision was in line with many court decisions rendered in favor of cemeteries in several states during the last few years.

A majority of the dealers who solicited business amongst our lot-owners were stubborn and even insolent in opposition to our rule on that point. They seemed to take it for granted that because NORTHSHORE GARDEN OF MEMORIES is located safely in the country, they would be safe in classifying it as a country graveyard which had no rules and for which nobody in particular took any stand. That has been the principal trouble in the very few cases in which anybody has been offended because we expected them to observe rules which would keep this place a beautiful and quiet sleeping place for the dead. These few persons simply never saw such a place before and found it very slow to acquire an understanding of the difference.

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| Heinz Beans Combination Sale; 4 medium cans | 27c | Fresh Peas 2 lbs. | 19c |
| Savoy California Sardines 2 large tins Your choice Tomatoe, Mustard or Plain. | 21c | Green Beans 3 lbs. | 19c |
| Savoy Jumbo Shrimps 5/8 oz. cans; 2 cans | 33c | Head Lettuce 2 medium size heads | 15c |
| Salerno's Saltines, Grahams or Butter Cookies 1 lb. pkg. | 15c | Honey Ball Melons 2 for | 15c |

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| PRIME BEEF POT ROAST pound | 17c | SWIFT'S FANCY SUMMER SAUSAGE pound | 19c |
| SWIFT'S EMPIRE BACON 2 to 3 lbs. in one piece; lb. | 18c | HAM SHANKS 4 to 5 lbs. each; lb. | 10c |
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