

This Week in Washington

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Washington, D.C., Jan. 18—These are anxious days for about 9,000 men and women who have been in the government service as employees of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, which was put out of business by the decision of United States Supreme Court.

In response to a letter from the Secretary of Agriculture, making inquiry with respect to the disposition of the balance of the sum of one hundred million dollars made available under the Act of May 12, 1933, Comptroller General McCarl stated in effect that those employees engaged in duties not outlawed by the Supreme Court could continue to function. However, he suggested that the details of the work proposed in connection with marketing agreements, licenses or orders, which the Secretary of Agriculture believes the court did not pass upon, be submitted to the Comptroller General's office to determine whether the funds could be expended legally.

In other words, there are certain phases of the A.A.A. act which the Secretary of Agriculture believes not to have been outlawed by the court. But it will be the Comptroller General of the United States who will determine whether funds can, pursuant to the court's decision be expended in carrying out the particular phases of the work referred to by the Secretary of Agriculture.

From time to time one has seen reports where Comptroller General McCarl has declared to some bureau, department or agency that it could not use certain funds for the purposes contemplated. Whenever he has rendered an adverse decision in connection with a proposed expenditure, he was the subject of the sharpest kind of criticism. In some instances he has been accused of deliberately trying to embarrass the administration for political reasons. It so happens that Comptroller General McCarl is a Republican, appointed to his office under President Harding. He could not be removed for under the law his term of office is 15 years, expiring on June 30 of this year.

In view of this criticism of the present Comptroller General, somewhat partisan in tone, I was very much interested in the remarks of John J. Cochran, Democrat, of Missouri, Chairman of the Committee on Executive Expenditures, made on the floor of the House last Tuesday. Referring to the fact that the Independent Office Appropriation bill then under consideration will represent the first appropriation made to the General Accounting Office not administered by Com-

troller McCarl, he said: "While it is true that he is a Republican, was named by a Republican President, and confirmed by a Republican Senate, yet I, as a Democrat, am glad to testify that, in my judgment, his administration has been absolutely fair and just to all. His job is to say 'no,' and in saying 'no' he has been cursed and criticized, in my opinion, more than any official who ever served the government. The criticism has come from presidents, cabinet officers, bureau officials, and government employees. Why? Because he had the courage to perform the duties of his office as the Congress in enacting the law said he should perform them. . . . It is impossible to estimate the amount that decisions of this office have saved to the taxpayers of the country."

Three matters of major importance receiving the immediate attention of Congress are: payment of Adjusted Service Certificates, neutrality legislation and farm legislation to take place of the defunct A.A.A.

In view of the apparent international unrest considerable interest is being manifested in proposed legislation for maintaining the neutrality of the United States in case of foreign wars. Two major plans have been advanced, one by the administration and another by the leaders of the Senate munitions inquiry. Until the House and Senate Committees on Foreign Affairs have completed their consideration of the subject, what form the bills presented to the whole membership of the Congress will take, cannot be determined. From all indications the measures reported will represent a wide departure from the old conceptions of neutrality and no doubt there will be lengthy and spirited debate on the subject, particularly in the Senate.

Deerfield Board Issues Warrants

Warrants have been issued for all Deerfield motorists who have not purchased their last year's vehicle tags. This was done by orders of the Deerfield village board. The 1936 vehicle licenses have been ready since the first of the year. The price has been lowered from \$4.00 to \$3.00 for 1936.

Village officials wish to impress upon the public that all automobiles must have parking lights on when parked on any street or in the business district in the evening. Police will enforce the proclamation.

The January meeting of the village board was held last Tuesday evening at 6:30 and was a short session so that all members could attend the 16th annual public meeting of the Deerfield State Bank.

The question of increasing local tavern licenses will be brought up at the next meeting of the board.

DIONNE QUINTS IN COLOR! A page of pictures in full colors of the Most Famous Youngsters in the World will be published in NEXT SUNDAY'S CHICAGO HERALD AND EXAMINER. Don't miss this colorful page!

Boy Scout News

FIRST AID MEET IN MARCH
Before the Mid-West Aid tournament is held in April it will be necessary for the council to have its preliminary meet sometime in March. The exact date of the council content has not been set but will be announced soon. The Mid-West finals will be held in the North Shore Area council after five teams representing thousands of Scouts throughout the middle-west have won out in the preliminary contest. Teams throughout the council are in training now and others will be soon. Troops wishing to acquire additional help in training a team are urged to get in touch with Scout headquarters.

COUNCIL ANNUAL MEETING
The annual meeting of the North Shore Area council will be held on Thursday, February 23, at 7 p.m. at the Deerfield High School. An interesting program is being arranged and the meeting is being planned to properly extend appreciation to Scout leaders who have served during the past year. The meeting will be in the nature of a Scout leaders appreciation dinner followed by a short business meeting for the transaction of the annual meeting business. Following the business meeting there will be an inspirational program including an address by Perry A. Lint, the Scout executive of the Chicago council.

REGISTRATION DUE
The papers for all troops are due and must be in to the council office not later than January 25 if the troop is to qualify for the ten year program award. One requirement of which aids to re-register within one month of the expiration date of the troop.

TROOPS STAND INSPECTION
Several troops have already had their inspection in an attempt to qualify for the Certificate of Good Appearance which is offered by the National Council to troops which are 75 per cent correctly uniformed. Those troops which qualify before the annual meet (Feb. 29) will be awarded their certificates at that time. Troops may apply for a certificate at any time during the year, however.

SCOUT WEEK COMING
Boy Scout Anniversary Week is to be celebrated throughout the United States from February 7-13. It begins on February 8, 1936, that the Boy Scouts of America was organized and given to institutions all over the country for their use in providing worthwhile recreation, and character influencing activities for youth. Since 1910 the movement has developed into an organization of over a million members (men and boys) in 1935. During the past 25 years many outstanding events have occurred to impress upon the minds of the public the importance of Scout training. Scouts have rallied to emergency in time of disaster—floods, fires, and other catastrophes. More than can be numbered are the times that Scouts, unknown and unappreciated, have done good turns daily and in doing have added to the comfort of some other person and to their own character. Thousands of men everywhere are giving generously of their time and effort to serve youth in Scouting. For their labors they receive only the satisfaction of knowing that they have made a contribution to America by helping to train her youth for better citizenship. On February 8, 1936, the Scout year begins another lap of its service to American boyhood.

BRAESIDE CUBS GO TO DEER GROVE FOR BOB-SLEDDING PARTY
Last Saturday three car loads of boys from Braeside school were taken to the Deer Grove by Mr. and Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Jacobs and Mr. Copp. An enjoyable time was had. The group returned home by 10 p.m.

The Braeside pack is a new Cub group being organized at the Braeside school and are being sponsored by the Braeside P.T.A. Mr. Wright, superintendent of School District 108, gave an interesting talk on Benjamin Franklin and other famous men such as Lincoln and Washington at the regular meeting of Troop 324, last Friday evening at the Presbyterian church. Most of the Scout oath and law is based on what these famous men said and did. It was Benjamin Franklin's history, at of course most of the talk was about him.

We had some practice for our first aid team and a few officers were chosen also. Troop 324, Highland Park Reporter Bill Tott.

Deerfield Sunday Club Meets Jan. 26

"Wild Life of Our American Forest" in moving pictures will be presented by Mr. S. A. Campbell at St. Paul's Sunday Evening Club in Deerfield on January 26 at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Campbell has spent the greater part of 28 years in the northern forests, studying the animal and plant life, and working for their protection. He is the author of six books, which bring their readers much of the atmosphere of solitude. In recent months he has appeared before nearly a half million people, in lecturing. He is heard regularly on radio station WCFL, Chicago, at 2 p.m. Sundays.

Mr. Campbell approaches the subject of nature from the human standpoint. He has established the Sanctuary on Wegimend, a wild life refuge near Three Lakes, Wis., and here reveals to an endless flow of visitors of the joy possible in "Philosophy of the Forest."

Mr. Campbell is considered one of the most successful hunters of wild life with the movie camera. A keen observer and lover of nature, he has for many successive seasons secluded himself in the dense forests of America and Canada, that he might study the natural habits of wild life in the forests. In a most interesting and descriptive manner in moving pictures and lectures he will lead you along the game trails of our national forests and Canadian Rockies.

The program will be presented at the St. Paul's Evangelical Church in Deerfield. The public is cordially invited and a free-will offering will be received.

New Courses for Local High School Students

Several new or beginning courses are to be offered at the Highland Park high school next semester which begins on February 3.

English 9, one of the new courses, is a study of business English, and is devoted to the writing of business letters and the study of their correct forms. Correct usage is emphasized rather than grammar.

English 11 (public speaking and English 13 (journalism) will also be offered. These courses must be completed next semester and consequently are offered to juniors only.

A course in home nursing is being taught by Miss Lulu Lasswell, the school nurse. This is for juniors and sophomores only.

Commercial geography and salesmanship are also being offered to juniors and seniors. A new course in filing is also being taught.

FHA Recognizes Value of Deerfield-Shields Vocational Program

From the Federal Housing Administration office in Arizona came letter proving once again how influential the Highland Park high school really is.

With the information concerning the construction of homes by the vocational boys in the hands of directors, an effort is being made to persuade school authorities in Phoenix and Tucson to undertake the same program.

Mr. R. N. Ball, field representative,

says in a letter to Principal R. L. Sandwick, "We are especially interested from the angle of having the boys in the manual training classes educated along practical lines."

The flicker is the real estate man of the bird world. His holes provide homes for dozens of kinds of birds, as well as many small animals.

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Saturday Matinee Only Jan. 25
"Moonlight on the Prairies" with Dick Foran (the Singing Cowboy), Sheila Mannors, George E. Stone
Saturday Evening Only Jan. 25
ONE OF THE TEN BEST PICTURES OF 1935 "THE INFORMER" with Victor McLaglen, Heather Angle, Preston Foster, Margot Graham. COMEDY, "DOUBLE EXPOSURE" CARTOON, "FEMINE INVASION" LATEST PATHE NEWS
Sunday-Monday—Sunday continuous from 2 to 11 Jan. 26-27
"IN PERSON" with Ginger Rogers, George Brent. COMEDY, "HOT MONEY" CARTOON, COUNTRYSIDE MELODIES"
Tuesday-Wednesday Jan. 28-29
"ROBERTA" with Fred Astair, Ginger Rogers, Irene Dunn, Randolph Scott. COMEDY, "TROUBLE IN TOYLAND" LATEST METROPHONE NEWS
Thursday-Friday Jan. 30-31
"IT'S A GREAT LIFE" with Joe Morrison, Charles "Chic" Sale, Paul Kelly, Rosalind Keith, Baby LeRoy. COMEDY, "HAPPY TWO MARRIED" CARTOON, "PLANE DIPPY"
NEXT WEEK—"Dr. Socrates" - "It's In the Air" - "Mary Burns Fugitive" - "Seven Keys To Balpatre" - "Hands Across the Table"

Presbyterian Drama Club To Meet
people of the Deerfield Church who are in-dramatics are asked to church on Friday evening, 24, at 7:30 o'clock at a dramatic club will be

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Peter Liest Dies; Funeral Monday

Peter G. Liest, aged 77 years, passed away very suddenly from a heart attack on Friday evening at his home in Deerfield. Funeral services were held Monday at the residence, with the Rev. F. G. Piepenbrok of St. Paul's Evangelical Church, officiating. Burial was in Mooney's cemetery on Ridge Road, Highland Park.

Peter Liest was born on Feb. 10, 1858, in Chicago and had almost reached his 78th year. Mr. and Mrs. Liest have lived in Deerfield for the past 33 years. Mr. Liest operated a pickle factory for years on Osterman Avenue at the C. M. & St. P. tracks.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Fannie Schaeffer Liest, whom he married in June, 1879, and three children, George, Edward and Mrs. Hattie Anderson, all of Chicago. Five of their children preceded him in death. There are seven grandchildren and five great-grandchildren and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Klinger of Chicago, and Mrs. Henrietta Straus of Oak Park.

Mr. Liest served as a constable for Deerfield many years, and has been a special policeman and thistle commissioner also. He was treasurer of the Jefferson Eagle Council, 361, Royal League, for 35 years. He had attended a meeting of this lodge just prior to his death Friday evening.

Appoint Committee For Field House

Mrs. Walter Metcalf has been appointed by the Deerfield Woman's Club to represent them as a member of a civic committee for the Deerfield Field House. The village board selected William Johnston as their representative on the committee.

It is expected that the American Legion and Chamber of Commerce, and other civic organizations will also appoint members to the Field House Committee.

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