

Deerfield Legion Carnival Proves Successful Event

With three days of ideal weather and thousands of interested spectators, Deerfield Legion Days on Friday, Saturday and Sunday evenings, was a big financial success. Raymond Goodman, upon whose shoulders rested the main responsibility for the affair, as general chairman, is commended for his fine achievement, and for his untiring efforts. Mr. Goodman wants to express his sincere appreciation and thanks to all who cooperated in making the carnival such a tremendous success.

The opening event on the first evening was the children's costume parade. Each entrant received a balloon and a box of Cracker-Jack. Money awards were made to the winners of first and second places. Milton Merner took pictures of twelve various groups assembled for the parade, which are available for parents who wish them. A staff photographer from a Waukegan paper snapped a group which is printed in this issue of the Press.

Saturday's opening event was the race schedule for children, which was climaxed by the egg throwing contest. Edwin Johnson and David Burns won applause from the spectators for their keen teamwork.

On all three days the live Shetland ponies were the center of attraction for both young and old. There were the usual features—the merry-go-round, the tilt-a-whirl, and the Ferris wheel, all exceptionally popular rides; the many booths offering useful prizes and also the Bingo square; dropping the colored man into the tub of water, and knocking over targets proved interesting to the crowd; the music for the dancing by the Kit-Kat orchestra was excellent, and all in all it was a real carnival.

The new location in the Goldman subdivision was such an improvement over the crowded grounds of Jewett park and the paved roads of the subdivision made good arterial ways to the spacious parking space. The plan of the carnival grounds was mapped out with plenty of room for the crowds to gather around all the attractions, without being cramped upon.

Fifteen cash awards of five dollars each were given away hourly, provided they were on the grounds to call for the prize. At the registration booth over 150 gifts were awarded.

Judges for the children's costume parade were Mrs. W. B. Metcalf, Mrs. Wendall Goodpasture and Mrs. A. G. Pearson.

Parade prize winners:

- First — Charles Herman (Tizzy Lish).
- Nancy Libecunas (gypsy).
- Ruth Tennermann (Queen of Hearts).
- Charlotte Hauser (old fashioned lady).
- Eva Lundman (mountaineer).
- John Wolter (Chinese laundryman).

- Dolores Strong (scare-crow).
- Helen Meyers (doll wagon).
- Marjory Harder (flower tricycle).
- Ina Selig (doll buggy).
- Dorothy Jacobson (Robinson Crusoe).

- Dorothy Rae and Patty Nelson (elderly couple of long ago).

- Seconds — Loretta Reeb (balloon clown).
- Wallace Whitcomb (doll wagon).
- William Gerken (prize fight wagon).

- LaVerne Krase (bicycle).
- Elsa Ann Pantle (doll buggy).
- Charlotte and Carol Jacobson (Red Riding Hood and Wolf).

Winners in races:

- I. 1. David Lundman; 2. Donald Ott; 3. Billie Notz.

- II. 1. Viola Pantle; 2. Gertrude Goodman; 3. Patty North.

- III. 1. John Fitzgerald; 2. Tony DeSanto; 3. Bob Klemp.

- IV. 1. Norma Jacobs; 2. Betty Volkman; 3. Lorraine Tuttle.

- V. 1. Helen Scully; 2. LaVerne Goodman; 3. Ruth Jacobs.

- VI. 1. Phillip Scully; 2. Cassius Easton; 3. Irvin Veitch.

- VII. 1. Phyllis Lundman; 2. Jean Goodman; 3. Barbara Sheridan.

- VIII. (Bag race) 1. Matt Klemp; 2. Christy Willman; 3. Ralph Ott.

- X. (Bag race) 1. Phyllis Lundman; 2. Lorraine Pantle; 3. Eva Lundman.

- XI. (Egg throwing contest) Edwin John and David Burns.

- XII. (Girls' egg throwing contest) Myrtle Ould and Alice Woodbury.

Deerfield School to Open September 8

Principal Carl E. Bates announces the opening of the Deerfield Grammar school on Wednesday, September 8 at 9 a.m. School books will be on sale on Tuesday, September 7 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. in the old balcony room. Children are requested to purchase their books that day.

Entering ages: A child must be 5 years old before Jan. 31, 1938, in order to enter the kindergarten. (Bring birth certificate). A child must be 6 years old before Jan. 31, 1938, to enter first grade. A birth certificate is required if a child has not previously been enrolled in the Deerfield Grammar school.

One new teacher has been added to the faculty to fill the vacancy of Miss Ethel Titus, who resigned and was married this summer. The new instructor is Mr. Ray Cox. He received his degree at the University of Iowa and has been studying at Northwestern this summer.

Faculty members are: Kindergarten—Mrs. Harry Muhlke; first grade, Mrs. Christine Knaak; second grade, Genevieve Card; third grades—Margaret Callanen and Marjory Moffitt; fourth grade—Jean Nygard; fifth grade—Irene Evenson; sixth grade—Beth Andrew; seventh grade—Ray Cox and Leta Toll; eighth grade—Hazel Miller.

A list of the books required will be published the last week in August.

Start Work on Lake Forest High Athletic Field

Employees of the E. A. Meyer Construction Co. of this city started work Monday on the construction of an athletic field on the nine acre tract at the Lake Forest high school.

The contract, which was awarded to the Meyer company with a low bid of \$22,257.80, calls for a hockey field, practice and varsity football gridirons, a quarter-mile track, and a baseball diamond.

The field is expected to be ready for Lake Forest's baseball season next spring. Grading, drainage, water installation, and seeding must be done before cold weather sets in.

Deerfield Drama Club Makes Stage Scenery

After three weeks of diligent work on scenery at the Truitt barn, The Stagers, a Deerfield dramatic group, can boast the completion of six single flats and two double ones. To the average observer this may mean little; but anyone who has ever turned a finger towards helping

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Deerfield to Have Parochial School

The Rev. James V. Murphy is planning a parochial school for the parish of the Deerfield Holy Cross Catholic church to open in September. "Holy Cross Topics," the interesting weekly pamphlet issued each Sunday contained the following:

School News

Perhaps, this is about the proper time to give the attitude of the church about Catholic schools. The church law places the obligation on all pastors of providing schools in their parish, where the children can receive suitable religious education. It also places the obligation on parents of seeing that their children attend such schools. Of course, such laws apply only in so far as is humanly possible. The reason is that it is important that the children retain the proper perspective regarding their training and certainly the most important of that training should not be relegated to spare time.

To carry out the mind of the church, a suitable school will be provided this September. Let's hope that the parents' side of the problem will be also taken care of and every child in the parish will attend the school.

Aid from public school funds is now being received by approximately 340 schools conducted under Catholic auspices, according to the report of a nation-wide survey issued recently by the Institute of Catholic Educational Research of Fordham university. The report, entitled "Catholic Public Schools in the United States," presents a detailed study of conditions in 140 schools and located in seventeen different states, which are conducted under co-operative arrangements between local public school and religious authorities. Many of the arrangements are reported to have been in effect prior to 1900, and one of the schools has been publicly supported since 1834.

A business week survey shows that business activity averaged 10 per cent higher in the first six months of 1937 than in the same period last year.

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