

### Deerfield Board Announces Plans For School Year

The Board of Education of Deerfield Grammar school, school, District No. 109, held its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening, August 8, in the board room of the school.

Building and grounds chairman, George C. Harder, reported progress on building repairs, as well as interior cleaning and decorating. Several requests for rental of rooms in the school building have been received, and the board unanimous-

ly agreed that the auditorium, board room, and Boy Scout room will be open on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday evenings to responsible groups for school and community activities FREE provided no admission is charged, on proper application at the school office, subject to prior reservation. On Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday evenings, and other evenings when admission is charged, the following schedule will be in effect: Board room or Boy Scout room, \$2.50; auditorium, \$5 and up. This schedule is planned in an effort to make the advantages of the school building, as far as funds will permit, available for activities of interest and benefit to the school and the community it serves.

The Federal Recreation Bureau will conduct a play school for children between the ages of four and a half and school entrance age, upon the opening of the school term. A morning session from 9 to 11:15 will be planned, and, if a large enrollment is made, an afternoon session from 1 to 3 o'clock will be added. Miss Margaret Pfister will serve as play school supervisor, under the direction of Larry Waterman, acting superintendent of the project, and Miss Madeline H. Millikan, recreation superintendent of Lake County.

The board approved arrangements to conduct the Dental clinic each Friday morning, beginning September 16, with Dr. Edward F. Munro in charge.

Medical inspection will be made each Monday morning, and at such other times as deemed necessary, under the supervision of Dr. Dorothy Sugden Davis, school physician.

The board expressed gratification to the National Youth Administration, Lee Savage, Lake county representative, for the promise of a part-time school secretary who, it is expected, will begin her services before the opening date of September 7.

The secretary stated that several parents have offered to solicit contributions for the installation of a partial automatic sprinkler in the basement of the school building, and the board, appreciating the safety measures involved, approved the solicitation of such contributions and will permit the installation if sufficient funds are received.

Several matters concerning the opening of the school term were discussed with Superintendent Lester B. Ball, and it was decided that the term will commence on Wednesday, September 7th.

Second street. The Rev. F. S. Robinson of the First United Evangelical church officiated. Burial was in Memorial Park cemetery. Mrs. Howard is survived by her husband, a daughter Mrs. Thelma Hook and a son Joseph LaRoche, both of this city.

### Libertyville Days To Be Observed Over Week End

Plans have been completed for the Libertyville Days Celebration to be held at the Serbian Picnic Grove, three miles north of Libertyville, August 13 and 14. This will be the fourth annual celebration sponsored by the Libertyville American Legion Post No. 3299, aided by the merchants who have donated hundreds of dollars worth of merchandise to be given away as registration prizes.

Free dancing will be in order Saturday and Sunday evening in the large dance pavilion, featuring modern and old time dancing. The carnival midway will be the largest ever secured. Professional enter-

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### Horn Blowing Drivers Are Blatant Nuisance

Incessant horn blowers not only defeat the purpose for which the sound signal devices was placed on their cars, but they are blatant nuisances that should be curbed, says Carl A. Barrett, president of the Illinois Automobile club.

"Horns were placed on automobiles to serve in case of emergencies and to warn pedestrians and other drivers of impending danger," Mr. Barrett continues. "However, today's drivers seem to be tooting their horns just to hear the sound, for most certainly they toot without purpose. Mere blowing of the horn does not relieve the horn-blowing

driver of responsibility in case of a smashup, nor does a toot of the horn give any one right of way.

"So bad has the 'horn-tooting' habit become," Mr. Barrett goes on, "that usefulness of the sound has been virtually nullified. It has come to pass, through constant misuse, that the sound of an automobile horn means nothing either to other motorists or pedestrians even if emergencies do exist, for all have learned that, in nine cases out of ten, the nuisance tooter has no object in mind, no warning or signal to give. He just toots because he has formed a bad and easily breakable habit.

"Almost every city has its noise abatement campaign," concludes Mr. Barrett. "It would be well if we could abate the nuisance horn tooter. The noise he makes is least necessary of all. Good drivers use their horn only as a warning in case of possible danger."

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### Mrs. Charles Howard Passes Away Friday

Mrs. Charles Howard, 62, of Main street Highmoor, passed away Friday at her home following a lingering illness of carcinoma.

Funeral services were held Monneral home on Second street, a poet day afternoon at 2 o'clock at Sequin and Logan Funeral home on

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