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Seek Adoption of Amendment to State Truck Act

Further efforts to protect the North Shore and other residential areas in the state from unnecessary motor, freight and truck traffic were made in Springfield this week by Attorney Edwin A. Robson of Wilmette. Appearing on behalf of the North Shore towns and cities from Wilmette to Lake Bluff inclusive, and for North Shore Property Owners Association, he went before the sub-committee of the house committee on roads and bridges to secure adoption of an amendment to the Illinois Truck Act now pending in the General Assembly.

The amendment, introduced by Representative Harold D. Kelsey of Barrington, would give municipalities under 100,000 inhabitants, thirty days in which to file objections to routes asked by the trucking companies and found to be undesirable. The Illinois Uniform Motor Vehicle Laws Commission, sponsors of the pending truck act, has approved the amendment and recommended its adoption.

Adoption of the truckers' proposal would largely destroy the ef-

fectiveness of the Kelsey amendment, proponents of the latter point out. Motor trucks might be permitted to operate for some time over objectionable routes before the changes could be made, local communities and individual citizens would have no way of preventing original designation of streets as truck routes and the truckers' amendment would result in delays in final adjustment of proper routings, it is held.

Scores of amendments are before the sub-committee for action this week, Attorney Robson said. In all, 400 amendments have been proposed to the bill which in some respects is the most drastic ever devised for the regulation of motor truck traffic in the state of Illinois. Its most revolutionary provision is to remove the control of motor trucks from the Illinois Commerce Commission and place them under the jurisdiction of the public works department of the state.

Amendments approved by the sub-committee will be passed on to the whole committee of the house. The new truck law is being considered simultaneously by the house and senate, bills having been introduced in each body several weeks ago.

Poppy Day Planned for Deerfield May 23

Poppy Day will be observed in Deerfield on Tuesday, May 23, with the wearing of memorial poppies in honor of the World War dead, Mrs. Florence Uchtman, President of the Deerfield Unit of the American Legion Auxiliary, announced today. The observance will be led by the Auxiliary women who will distribute poppies on the streets during the day.

More than eleven million of the little red memorial flowers have been made by disabled World War veterans working in government hospitals and in poppy workrooms maintained by the Auxiliary. These flowers are crepe paper replicas of the poppies which grew on the World War battlefields and among which the dead and the wounded fell. They are recognized throughout the English-speaking world as the memorial flower for those who fell in defense of democracy.

Plans for the local observance of Poppy Day are being completed by the Deerfield Auxiliary Unit under the leadership of Mrs. Florence Jacobs, Unit Poppy chairman, aided by a large committee. Volunteer workers from the Unit will offer poppies on the streets all day and will receive contributions for the Legion and Auxiliary welfare and relief among the disabled veterans and dependent families of veterans.

Poppies for distribution have been ordered from Headquarters where disabled veterans have been given employment through the winter and spring making the little flowers. They are expected to be worn more generally than ever before on Poppy Day this year.

Splendid Bill at Deerpath Theatre

"The Arizona Wildcat," "The Firefly," "Stagecoach," "The Three Musketeers," and "Cafe Society," playing at the Deerpath theatre next week.

"The Arizona Wildcat" starring Jane Withers is playing at the Deerpath theatre Friday, May 5. This is by far Miss Withers' best picture. The story, a Western melodrama taking place in Arizona during the stagecoach era, takes Jane through many exciting adventures in which she plays the part of an orphan left in the care of Leo Carrillo, a Spanish stagecoach driver.

"The Firefly," the quarter century old opera of Endolf Friml and Otto Harbach, starring Jeanette MacDonald and Allan Jones, will be presented at the Deerpath theatre, Saturday, May 6, in a return engagement by popular request. The supporting cast includes Warren William, Douglas Dumbrille and Leonard Penn.

Playing Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, May 7, 8 and 9 at the Deerpath theatre in a double feature program are "Stagecoach" and "The Three Musketeers."

With Claire Trevor and John Wayne playing the top roles, Walter Wagner's new frontier drama, "Stagecoach," unfolds a gripping story of pioneer courage—the brilliant heritage that has descended to young Americans from men who fought and hewed a nation out of a wilderness. Louise Platt, Geo. Bancroft, John Carradine, Andy Devine, Thomas Mitchell, Tim Holt, Donald Meek and Berton Churchill, features in support of the stars, portray the strange group of passengers thrown together with the coach as it proceeds from Tonto, Arizona, to Lordsburg, New Mexico.

"The Three Musketeers" has been presented several times on the screen but never like this which is a musical comedy version of the classic. The result is hilarious with the Ritz Brothers occupying the roles of the three musketeers. Don Ameche has the role of "D'Artagnan" and others in the cast are Binnie Barnes, Lionel Atwell, Gloria Stuart, Pauline Moore, Joseph Schildkraut. Madeleine Carroll and Fred MacMurray make a spirited bid for the starring honors of the year in their new (and first) picture together, "Cafe Society," which is playing Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, May 10, 11 and 12, at the Deerpath theatre.

Deerfield P.T.A. to Hold Luncheon May 12

The luncheon of the Deerfield Grammar school Parent-Teacher association is to be held next Friday, May 12, at one o'clock, at the Open House Tea room. As was previously announced, the speaker on this occasion will be Dr. E. T. McSwain, associate professor of Education at Northwestern university. Dr. McSwain will speak on the general topic "Environment Molds the Child."

The program will also serve as a meeting for the installation of officers in the P.T.A. It is expected that district and state officials of the Parent-Teachers association will be on hand to take charge of the installation.

The following are the chairmen in charge of the program: Social chairman—Mrs. William George.

Finance chairman—Mrs. Raymond Dobbins.

Program chairman—Mrs. Frederick Ritter.

In order that all parents and teachers may attend the program, the school will be closed at noon on Friday, May 12. This is following a general practice in other schools in this P.T.A. area.

Tickets for the program are on sale by various P.T.A. members. The program committee is asking that reservations be made in advance due to the fact that only a restricted number can be accommodated. They may be made with Mrs. William George or Mrs. Raymond Dobbins. After the luncheon, the doors will be opened to all visitors who would like to hear Dr. McSwain's address.

Evangelical Groups of N. Suburban Area Meet at Bethany

The Evangelical Brotherhoods of the North Suburban Area will have their annual spring dinner at the Bethany Evangelical church Tuesday at 8:30 p.m. The speaker of the evening will be an editor of one of the Elgin newspapers, who is active in church work in that community. The dinner will be served by the ladies of Bethany church.

Dr. Bransby Will Speak in Waukegan Next Monday Night

Mrs. C. Carson Bransby of Council Bluffs, Iowa, will speak in Odd Fellows hall, Waukegan, Monday evening, May 8, at 8 p.m., under the auspices of the Waukegan branch of Anglo-Saxon federation. This meeting is open to the public. Odd Fellows hall is located at the corner of Utica street and Grand avenue.

Deerfield Grammar School Wins First Rating in Contest

The Deerfield Grammar school orchestra won a first rating at the Northern State Music Contest at La Salle, Illinois, on last Saturday. The orchestra was judged by outstanding music authorities and given a first rating by each of the three judges. Mr. Islar Solomon, director of the Woman's Symphony orchestra, was one of them. He gave the following general comment on the work of the orchestra: "It is interesting to observe how well this group follows the conductor and how well they change those tempi. The conductor is to be congratulated on her work with this group." Harold M. Johnson, another of the judges, commented: "A well trained group. Play well in tune. To be complimented for a fine performance."

The rating system used for rating orchestras in contests is no longer a competitive elimination affair as they were in the past. Each orchestra participating in a district contest can be given a rating of one, two, or three. It is possible for all orchestras competing to receive a first rating. It is also possible for all orchestras competing to receive a third rating. The standards for each of the different ratings are carefully determined and are the same for all orchestras at all times. Only those orchestras winning a first rating in the district contest are eligible to compete in the state contest.

The Deerfield Grammar school orchestra was the only Class D competing in the Northern State con-

test. Most of the Class D orchestras will be found in the south half of the state, which has a separate contest. At the state contest, each of the three judges gave the Deerfield orchestra a first rating which is the highest possible rating for an orchestra to receive. The following are the three pieces played: "LeTambourin" by Rameau, "Tenderness Waltz" by Thornton, and "Western World," by Chenetta. Orchestra will play these contest winning contest movements at the Spring Music Festival on Friday, May 5.

Along with the contest the orchestra had a picnic. The children stopped for lunch at Starved Rock and had about an hour's outing here. After the contest they visited around with other orchestras and later stopped for dinner at Morris, Ill. The children returned from the contest late Saturday evening.

Boxing Instruction for Deerfield Boys

Boys who are interested in boxing will be pleased with the announcement that E. G. Jacobson has volunteered his services as boxing instructor on Monday evenings from 7 o'clock on, in connection with the recreational activities at the Deerfield grammar school.

Mr. Jacobson's interest and proficiency in this sport are well known, and his participation in this work will be welcomed by the young men of the community, who are requested to meet with him at the school on Monday evening next.

The boxing instruction will be conducted in cooperation with the WPA Recreation program.

Men's Bowling League Closes Season Here

The Men's Bowling League closed the season last week at the Highland Park Bowling Pavilion. Practically all of the members of each team participated in the single elimination for top honors.

The individual scores were: Herman Leuer of the Paul's Barber shop team with a high of 688, following closely behind for second place was Frankie Sordyl of the A. & P. team with 678. Gus Rivers of the Rivers Motor team won 671, and William Veach of the Letter Press team was fourth with 649. Paul Chambers of the Highland Park Recreation tied with Veach for fourth place.

The standing of the teams for the close was:

Name of Team	Won	Lost	Points	Total
H. P. Recreation	60	24	67	819
A. & P.	47	37	72	526
Ritz Barber	47	37	62	512
Central Tire	46	38	59	508
Paul's Barber shop	42	38	69	528
Letter Press	40	41	124	758
Rivers Motors	32	31	120	751
Quality Market	28	62	101	706

The officers William F. Veach, Secretary and Fritz Gieser, Treasurer, reported that the money has been distributed to the various teams for prizes and the affairs of the league closed for the season.

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Return Engagement by Popular Request
"THE FIREFLY"
Jeanette MacDonald, Allan Jones, Warren William, Douglas Dumbrille, Leonard Penn.
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Sunday, Monday, Tuesday—(Sunday continuous 2 to 11) May 7, 8, 9
Two Big Features—Feature No. 1
"STAGECOACH"
Claire Trevor, John Wayne, Andy Devine, John Carradine, Thomas Mitchell
Feature No. 2
"THE THREE MUSKETEERS"
Don Ameche, The Ritz Brothers, Binnie Barnes, Gloria Stuart, Joseph Schildkraut
MERRIE MELODY CARTOON - "Bare and Stripes Forever," NOVELTY - "Popular Science," LATEST PARAMOUNT NEWS.

Sunday - "Stagecoach" starts: 2:00 - 5:27 - 8:54; "The Three Musketeers" starts: 2:12 - 7:39 - 10:56, Monday - "Stagecoach" starts: 7:00 - 10:27; Tuesday—"The Three Musketeers" starts 9:12.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, May 10, 11, 12
"CAFE SOCIETY"
Fred MacMurray, Madeline Carroll, Shirley Ross, Jessie Ralph, Claude Gilman
MERRY BOOP CARTOON - "So Does an Automobile," OUR GANG COMEDY - "Deal Personalities," LATEST METROTONE NEWS

Next Week: "REED," "ADVENTURES OF HUCKLEBERRY FINN," "YES, MY DARLING DAUGHTER."

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