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COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING SERVICE

The Protestant churches of Deerfield are uniting for the Thanksgiving Day service at the Deerfield Presbyterian church with Dr. W. F. Weir delivering the message, at 10 a. m., on November 23. Congregations of St. Paul's, Bethlehem Evangelical, and the Presbyterian will assemble for this religious observance.

A POEM

Oh! Why must we fight and fume and fuss?
There's room on this earth for all of us.
Why must we kill, cripple and enslave
Our neighbor's loved ones, their youths so brave.

Those called to the front are the best in the land;
The young and strong. And as they stand
Side by side, with weapons in hand
Ready to kill—to murder on sight
Their neighbor's youths,—they think they are right.

Oh! Merciful God! They know not what they do
When they follow and obey the "upper" one
Who shrink their souls,—and blind their eyes
With shouts of revenge, hatred and lies.
Oh! Why can't we all live in peace?
Why can't all this barbarism cease?
Why must we murder, cripple and enslave
Our neighbor's loved ones, their youths so brave?

By M. R. W.
Chimney Nooks of Bannockburn
Wilmot Road, Deerfield.

CHILD INJURED

Margaret Lange, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Zangs of Beverly place, was hit by a car driven by William O'Flaherty of Chicago, when she was riding her bicycle at the corner of Deerfield road and Beverly place last Wednesday at 4:30 p. m. She was knocked unconscious and Dr. C. R. Sugden was called. No bones were broken but she was kept in bed because of the severe shock.

SCHOOL SIGNS

The painted iron "dummies" which look like patrol boys and warn motorists that they are approaching a school, were purchased for the three local schools, Holy Cross, Deerfield, and Wilmot, at a cost of twelve dollars each. Complaints were made at the last village board meeting that one school was not using its dummy and that another left it standing in the middle of the road as late as 4:30 p. m. At present one of these warning signs is parked in the first station because it was not used correctly. Mayor C. M. Willman expressed a wish that both the schools and the motorists would observe the rules of these signs.

QUESTIONNAIRE

The Deerfield Grammar School Parent-Teacher association has sent questionnaires home to the parents containing the following: Would you be interested in

- Tap dancing one day a week.
- Ballet one day a week.
- Group instruction in ball room dancing one day a week.

The survey is being made at the suggestion of several mothers to determine how wide a need there is for a series of dancing lessons under expert instruction. All monies collected would be used for payment of expenses of the dancing school.

HOME FOR THANKSGIVING

Among the young people who will be coming home from school for the Thanksgiving Day week-ends (for Wisconsin observes the original date, and those students will come the next week-end) will be Fredda Boone, John Engstrom, Harold Frost, David Inman Jr., University of Illinois; Dorothea Seese, James Olenford and Robert Birkmeier, Beloit, Wis.; John Boone and Almon Frost, Marquette at Milwaukee, Wis.; David Gardner and Frederick Piepenbrok, Elmhurst; Martin Decker, Northwestern; June Nelson, DeKalb; William Steiner, Hanover, Ind.; Ethel Jean Selig, Monmouth; Dorothy Wessling and George Stanger, North Central at Naperville; Marilyn Gooder, Lake Forest; William Faymonville, Notre Dame.

DEERFIELD P-T.A. PARTY DECEMBER 4

The Deerfield Grammar school Parent-Teacher association will hold a luncheon-card party and style show on Monday, December 4, at 1 p. m. in the school assembly hall. The luncheon will be served by Mrs. Sarah Kriebel and is called a hostess luncheon. There will be prizes for each table and many widely advertised foods will be given as door prizes. Mrs. Iri Marshall is general chairman of the party which is a benefit for the school.

Mrs. Susan Farmer Hampton of New York is visiting at the home of her brother, Richard Farmer of Farmdale, Bannockburn. The senior Mrs. Farmer is ill at the home of her son and Mrs. Hampton came to visit her mother.

The next meeting of the Deerfield Grammar School Parent-Teacher Association will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 19, at 8 p. m. It will be the annual Christmas play. This year they will not have the traditional play which has been presented by the music supervisor, Virginia Engels Hardacre. Mrs. Hardacre is not at the school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Trute were dinner guests at the Jack Coleman home in Highland Park on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Jack Morton was hostess to members of her Five Hundred club on Thursday afternoon at her home on Somerset avenue.

Chris Soenksen has returned from a five weeks stay in the Highland Park hospital to his home on Hazel avenue. Mr. Soenksen received an injury to his eye several months ago.

The Deerfield Royal Neighbor Camp was invited to attend Past Oracle's Night at the Gurnee Camp of Royal Neighbors in the Gurnee Masonic hall on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Otto Gieske is oracle of the local camp.

Mrs. Louis Ott entertained the C.C.C. girls on Thursday afternoon at her home on Saunders road.

Mrs. Thomas J. O'Connor of Somerset avenue underwent a major operation at St. Anne's hospital in Chicago last Tuesday.

Mrs. Leslie Behrens of River road is in the Highland Park hospital where she had a major operation on Thursday.

The fire department answered a call on Tuesday evening at the Charles E. Timson estate on Wilmot road where a bad wood's and field fire had started.

The children of the Wilmot grade school presented a play "The First Thanksgiving" on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Trute will have as their Thanksgiving Day guests Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Guth and two children, Ronald and Audrey and Miss Frances Trute of Chicago.

The Fall meeting of the Presbyterian Men's Fellowship was held Monday evening at the church with a dinner at 6:45. Maurice G. Morrison of Evanston was the speaker.

Mr. Morrison has lived in Jerusalem and his talk was concerning the Holy Land and the Near East. The committee in charge of the dinner included Cecil E. Barrette, Raymond Meyer, Carl J. McGregor and Earle W. Harris. E. B. Jordan is president.

Mrs. Hugh Rhinehart and little son, Richard Walter, have returned home from the Highland Park hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Rhinehart (Marcelline Juhrend) now have three little boys.

Joseph Hanner of Oxford, Ind., is visiting at the homes of his son, William Hanner of County Line road and his granddaughter, Mrs. Hubert Juhrend of Oakley avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell Kelso were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Mercurio, and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Mirabella. Mr. Kelso is singing at the Chicago Civic Opera this season. He is a Scotchman and has studied in Italy for eight years.

Surplus foods from the Federal government which were distributed to local relief clients for the month of November included sweet potatoes, apples, onions, navy beans, graham and wheat flour, and cornmeal.

The grade school principal club of the Deerfield-Shields Township high school district held their monthly dinner meeting on Wednesday evening at the Deerpath Inn. Ernest Hanse, head of the Lake Bluff school was host.

Miss Bette Clavey left Friday for Clayton, Mo., where she will spend the Thanksgiving holidays at the home of her fiance's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hinderleider.

The Independent Social club will meet next Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Hanner of County Line road.

A very lovely picture of Jean Boyle, daughter of the C. W. Boyles of Springfield avenue, appeared in Sunday's Tribune with the following caption: Jean Boyle, one of the north shore's pretty subdebs, is a junior in high school. She plans to

go to DePauw university in Greencastle.

Roy Clavey returned home on Wednesday from a business trip in southern Illinois.

Mrs. F. G. Piepenbrok attended a meeting of the Woman's Federation of the Evangelical and Reformed churches of the Arlington Heights district at Elgin on Friday.

Mrs. James Fitger and Mrs. Edwin Osterman were hostesses at St. Paul's church on Thursday at a meeting of the church sewing society.

Mrs. Eugene Ender is spending the holidays at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Dondanville (Eva Ender) in Moline, Ill.

Mrs. Leslie Brand was hostess to members of the Philthea class of the Bethany Evangelical church, Highland Park, on Tuesday evening at her home on Brand lane.

This column depends upon its readers for help. If you enjoy reading THE PRESS, won't you please telephone Deerfield 485 and tell the local editor of your party, trip, or guests?

Dr. Weir's sermon will be "Unreckoned Blessings." Choirs and pastors of the three churches will participate in the service.

Mr. A. C. C. Timm, who celebrated his 76th birthday anniversary on Saturday, received as many cards of congratulation as he is years old. Mr. Timm who is a patient in the Highland Park hospital, is the father of Mrs. David Inman. He wishes to thank his many friends for remembering him on this occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Grant (Evelyn Hallstrom) have gone to Milwaukee to live.

Mrs. Martha C. Love, the Berry Devines and Mildred Gunckel were dinner guests on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard McDowell (June Gunckel) in Chicago in honor of the first wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore (Betty Gunckel) and also the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Moore.

Jack Repenning of Chicago spent Sunday at the home of his uncle, Walter Page, of Osterman Ave.

Mrs. Earl Hurt was hostess at cards on Monday afternoon at her home on Central Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Roberts of Hazel Ave. announce the birth of a son, Dean Marshall Roberts, on November 6, at St. Francis hospital in Evanston. Mrs. Roberts and the baby returned home last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Potterton and children spent the week-end at the Oliver Holmes home in Beloit, Wis. Mr. and Mrs. William Potterton returned with them for a visit in Deerfield.

Mrs. Harriet Johnston is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Holloway in Lockport, Ill.

Mrs. Joseph Koren entertained at two tables of bridge on Monday in honor of her birthday anniversary at her home on Chestnut St.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rollman were guests at cards on Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jestila in Winthrop Harbor.

Dr. Dorothy S. Davis will be hostess to members of the Just Sew club on Tuesday afternoon at her home on Deerfield Rd. Motion pictures of the National Legion parade in Chicago this fall will be shown.

The Stagers, Deerfield Presbyterian Dramatic club, recently presented a beautiful bulletin board to the church, which is now in place on the church lawn, to inform all of the activities of the Presbyterian church.

"Savonarola" is to be the subject of the meeting of the Presbyterian Young People on Sunday evening. This is one of a series of studies of famous men of the church.

First Father and Son banquet at St. Paul's Evangelical church, Deerfield, was a great success. 132 fathers and sons attended, at the age limit of sons was set at 9 years and over. "Little Oscar" chef from Oscar Mayer Packing Co. thrilled the audience with the story of his life and career. Mr. Tomel, North Shore magician entertained with his tricks of magic. The banquet was sponsored by St. Paul's Young People's congregation. Mothers of the young people served the dinner.

New Report Cards Issued in Deerfield

A new type of report card is being used this year in the Deerfield Grammar school. Each card can be used only once and contains a personal letter from the teacher, as well as a complete picture of the child's habits; personal habits, work habits and social habits. The first page of the report tells of the child's progress either commendable or otherwise; the second page, the height and weight of the child and the attendance record.

Instead of the usual superior, excellent or good grades marked S, E, G, etc., an entirely new set of symbols is used thus: excellent is a plus sign (+); average is a check (✓); and needs improvement is a dash (—). The symbols are used for the following:

Personal habits: posture, cleanliness, neatness, promptness.

Work habits: industry, neatness, attention, promptness, dependability.

Social habits: courtesy, cooperation, care of property, consideration of others.

The concluding page is written in by the teacher telling of the child's individual and social development and his growth in skills and knowledge. There is also a section in which the parent is asked to write his or her comments.

It is a most interesting diversion from the formal report card which gave a grade for reading, writing, arithmetic, etc. The new report card gives no figures such as 70, 80, or 90, but by the use of symbols for the various habits, gives a clear word-picture as to whether a child is average, or above or below average. It also is a much more personal contact for the teacher and the parent.

Superintendent Lester Ball has issued the following statement concerning the new report cards:

Report cards will be issued each nine weeks according to the following schedule: Friday, Nov. 3; Friday, Jan. 19; Friday, March 22; Wednesday, June 5.

A new type of report is being used in the upper grades this year. This report is planned to give a more accurate account of the status of their child at each marking period. The revised form used in the lower school last year will be continued.

At intervals between the marking periods, Interim Reports will be sent home in cases where the child's work is not up to the standard desired. This report will explain the nature of the child's difficulties and may request a conference. We feel these conferences are an essential part of our program and we would appreciate your prompt attention to such a request.

H. S. Basketball Teams Win Season's Opener Friday Night

The Highland Park basketball teams won both games of a double-header when they opened the season with Ela High school at Lake Zurich on Friday night, November 17. The varsity won by the score of 44 to 28 and the frosh-soph scored 23 points while holding their opponents to 4.

Coach Werbelow used 12 boys in the frosh-soph game, five of whom were freshmen and three, (Bortolotti, Rosie, and Carrier), who won their letters last year. The Ela ponies were held to 4 points, all of which were made from free throws. They were not able to penetrate the Highland Park defense for a single basket from the floor. The score at the half was 11 to 2 in favor of Highland Park. Of the freshmen group on the local squad Jones and Giarelli looked good. Carrier was high scorer with 8 points.

With only one regular (Bernardi) and one other letterman (Summers) returning from last year, Coach Lauer had to build up a new varsity organization. His team scored better than expected, most of the 14 men who played getting their names in the scoring column. The game was hard fought, Highland Park not being more than 5 points ahead at any time during the first three quarters and once during the final quarter they were only three points ahead. When Ela lost three men via the personal foul route in the last quarter, Highland Park took a substantial lead and were 16 points ahead of their rivals when the final whistle blew. With 12 points each, Summers and Bernardi split the scoring honors. Gianassi and Denton both looked good in the center position. McDonald and the other four boys who played in guard positions showed plenty of fight, and it looks as if there will be plenty of competition for these spots.

Organize Deerfield Young Republicans

Last week at a meeting in the home of Vernon Giss a preliminary organization of the Deerfield Young Republicans was formed. Vernon Giss was elected temporary chairman and Arthur Pearson was elected temporary secretary. These two members were designated as representatives to the annual Young Republican Federation Meeting held on Sunday, Nov. 19, in Waukegan. These two representatives returned from the Waukegan meeting with plans to formulate a permanent Young Republican organization in Deerfield. The meeting to form a permanent organization of Young Republicans in Deerfield will take place Nov. 28.

The group will be very democratic and all interested people are urged to affiliate themselves with this organization. However, it is not the intention of the organizers to have a large organization of inactive members. A small but active membership is their goal.

The main purpose of this group will be to arrange meetings at which candidates running for election may be presented to the citizens of Deerfield. It is felt that such a medium will enable the voters, by personal contact with the candidates, to select those most qualified to hold public office.

Woodsman To Address H. S. Service League

David A. Mitchell, a practical woodsman and mountaineer, will be the speaker at the next meeting of the Lake Forest High school Service league to be held at the school next Tuesday evening, November 28 at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Mitchell, speaking on the Yellowstone and Grand Teton National Parks, will discuss the wonders and beauties of the West, most of which he is very familiar with. He was formerly employed in the National Park Service and did much packing, guiding and big game hunting in the West.

A cordial invitation has been extended by the Service league to everyone interested in hearing Mr. Mitchell's address.

Deerfield Women to Hear Authoress Mary D. Donahey

There will be an open meeting of the Deerfield Woman's Club on Tuesday, November 28, at 2:30 p. m., in the Deerfield public library in the grammar school. Mrs. Kenneth Weir, chairman of the book review programs for the club, will have as the speaker, Mary Dickinson Donahey of Chicago, a noted authoress, who will speak on Contemporary Authors. It will be an intimate first hand picture of many well known writers. She has written seventeen books and eight books of fairy tales. She was also on the staff of the New York Journal and of the New York World. Her current books are "The Calorie Cook Book" and "Mary Lou." "Through the Little Green Door" is best known and is still in demand after twenty years of publication. Mrs. Donahey is the wife of the famous cartoonist, William Donahey, originator of the Teenie Weenies and others.

Clifford Moran to Assist in Chicago Movie-Minstrel Show

DeSoto's Movie Minstrel, a mammoth combination of minstrel show and movie, features in the cast at least one local face, Mr. Clifford Moran, 358 Central Ave. This delightfully different entertainment is to be presented by DeSoto Council, well known north side group of the Knights of Columbus, at the North-center theater on next Wednesday evening, November 29. Two continuous performances will be given.

The Northcenter theater is located at 4031 N. Lincoln avenue, just a few doors north of Irving Park road. Surface lines cars and Rapid Transit trains are within easy walking distance. The theater seats 2,700, all on the main floor or mezzanine—there are no balcony seats. Minstrels are to begin at 7:35; doors open at 6 p. m. and the first movie is scheduled for 6:15.

There will be a Thanksgiving Day Mass at 8 a. m. in the Holy Cross Catholic church with Rev. J. V. Murphy officiating.



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