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BOOK REVIEW

Circle Four of the Deerfield Presbyterian church will sponsor a book review program at the church on Wednesday, March 6, at 2:15 p.m. Mrs. W. C. Petty, of Antioch, will review "A Moment in Peking" by Lin Yutang. Mrs. Petty, wife of the Lake County Superintendent of Public Instruction, has given book reviews in Deerfield before, and to many clubs throughout Lake county, where she has received much praise.

ROTARY CLUB

Deerfield Rotarians will be luncheon guests at the Winnetka Rotary club today (Thursday) and will spend the afternoon at the Winnetka Community House bowling or playing badminton. Last Thursday the Deerfield Rotary club and other North Shore Rotarians, 205 strong, were guests of the Winnetka Rotary club at an Inter-City meeting in the Winnetka Community House. Next Thursday noon the Deerfield Rotary club will resume its weekly luncheons at Phil Johnson's restaurant on County Line road at Waukegan road.

This evening (Thursday) the Rotary club is inviting the community to the Deerfield Grammar school auditorium to hear Dr. Louis A. Warren, a recognized authority on Abraham Lincoln, speak on "Little Known Episodes in the Life of Abraham Lincoln." There is no admission charge and everyone is invited.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS

The 29th anniversary of the Deerfield Camp of the Royal Neighbors of America was observed with appropriate ceremonies on Wednesday evening at the Masonic Temple. Mrs. Victoria Gieske, orator, had as her assisting committees, entertainment, Mrs. Mary Hoffman and Mrs. Cecelia Hagie; decorating, Mrs. Minnie Whitcomb, Mrs. Sadie Beckman, and Mrs. Edwin H. Johnson; refreshments, Mrs. Gertrude Johnson.

Mrs. Margaret Gorman, supreme manager, of Chicago, was a guest and all the stations were occupied by members of neighboring camps. Pins were presented to the following for recognition of 25 years of continuous membership: Mrs. Sadie Beckman, Miss Isabel Biederstadt, Mrs. Cecelia Frost Beckman, Mrs. Katherine Gardner, Mrs. Dora Horneberger, Mrs. Minnie Horenberger, Mrs. Lizzie Johnson, Mrs. Laura Mailfield, Mrs. Anna Neumeyer, Mrs. Viola Willen, Mrs. Edda Ott, and Mrs. Christine Nehmzow.

MEMORIAL

The entire session of the Presbyterian church school will be held in the church sanctuary on Sunday morning at ten o'clock. A pulpit lamp will be presented by the church school in commemoration of the late George F. Stanger's 45 years of service as a church school superintendent. There will be a memorial offering, appropriate music and addresses.

ST. PAUL'S WOMAN'S GUILD

The March meeting of St. Paul's Woman's Guild will be held on Thursday next at the church with Mrs. Emma Brenne, the new president, presiding. Mrs. John Ott will have charge of the program the subject of which is "Let's Go to Africa." Hostesses for the social hour to follow will be Mrs. George Antes, Mrs. Robert Mau and Mrs. Edwin Osterman.

TOWNSEND CLUB

The Deerfield Townsend Club will meet on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Town Hall on Deerfield road. The guest speaker will be a representative from headquarters in Chicago. At the previous meeting Rev. Martin Carlson of Chicago gave an encouraging talk to the aged audience. Hymns were sung with Mrs. Chester Westing at the piano. Mrs. Minnie Whitcomb is program chairman.

Mrs. Fox Joseph Mahen and son have moved from the Stryker apartments to Highwood.

Mrs. Viola Conrad will entertain the contract bridge club at luncheon next Thursday at her home in Highland Park.

The Altar and Rosary society will meet on Friday afternoon (tomorrow) at the Holy Cross school.

A chicken dinner is being given on Friday evening (tomorrow) by the Bethlehem Woman's auxiliary at the Bethlehem church.

Mrs. Woodman Todd will be hostess to members of her club on Friday afternoon at her home on Waukegan road.

Robert Alexander has been appointed as head of the activity committee for a membership drive for the West Deerfield Township Young Republicans.

The Deerfield Civic Association has changed its February meeting from Tuesday evening of this week to Thursday (tonight) at the Town Hall, because of other scheduled meetings for the past Tuesday. E. F. Nelson, the president, will report on the citizenship program which is being planned by the association.

Anthony M. Colandrea of Chicago has purchased the John Carlson house on West Deerfield road, which is now occupied by the Earle Harris family. Mr. Carlson has been in California.

Miss Jean Brand, who teaches in Mt. Pleasant, Mich., was home from Wednesday until Sunday to attend the National Educational conference in Chicago. Miss Brand, the daughter of the Leslie Brands, had as her week-end guests two of the teachers from Mt. Pleasant, Miss Emma Jennings and Miss Marjorie Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. West (Jean Pettis) have returned from their wedding trip to San Diego and Los Angeles and are now at home at 421 Mohave road in Tucson, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Jacobson, Leland Plagge and Adolph Kotrasch visited Austin Plagge at the Hines Memorial hospital in Maywood on Sunday. Mr. Plagge is getting along nicely and expects to be home in another week.

George Antes has returned home from the Highland Park hospital and is much improved in health.

Mrs. Harry Allsbrow and her nephew, Ambrose Cox, returned to Deerfield on Saturday from Nebraska, where they had been called because of the death of Mr. Cox's father.

A kitchen shower was given for Mrs. Karl Berning on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Barbara Lundquist of Swallow road.

A special meeting of the executive committee of the West Deerfield Young Republicans is scheduled for Sunday at the home of Dr. Charles E. Pope.

Mrs. Ira Gardner entertained Circle Three of the Presbyterian church at luncheon on Friday. Mrs. George Pettis will have the March luncheon.

Mrs. Clifford Morgan of Forest avenue underwent a tonsilectomy on Friday at the Washington Boulevard hospital in Chicago.

Mrs. Roy Clavey and her mother, Mrs. Arthur Cashmore Sr. of Wauconda, visited Mrs. Cashmore's mother Mrs. Shultis, on Sunday in a Waukegan hospital.

Miss Mary Jane Dunkle of Saunders road was hostess at a dinner party on Saturday evening.

Victor Carlson was host to a group of friends at dinner on Friday evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor E. Carlson of Stratford road.

The William Dunkle family of Saunders road left on Monday for a several months stay in Florida.

Mrs. Eugene Ender received word this week of the death of her uncle, James Keefe at Lake Helen, Fla. He was taken to Oswego, New York, for burial. Mrs. Keefe preceded him in death nine years ago. Mr. Keefe lived in Deerfield for about seven years and was in a partnership, Keefe and Ender, plumbing and heating, during his stay in Deerfield. Mr. Keefe, who was 82 years old, has one sister, Mrs. James Farley, in Oswego.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Johnson and two children and Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. George Pettis, visited Mrs. Ruth Johnson Gathmann in Itasca, Ill., on Sunday.

Miss Irene Evensen, fifth grade teacher in the Deerfield Grammar school, spent the week-end with her parents in Winchester, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wolf were Sunday dinner guests at the E. O. Wilson home in Libertyville.

Mrs. L. A. Dondanville (Eva Ender) of Moline, Ill., was the overnight guest of her aunts, Miss Clara Ender and Mrs. Eugene Ender on Tuesday.

William Peterson came up from Lyons, Kansas this week to get his wife and children, who had been spending the month with Mrs. Peterson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Reeb of Springfield avenue. The Petersons will leave the latter part

of this week for their new home in Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McDowell of Chicago were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Martha C. Love.

Mrs. W. W. Clark will be hostess to members of the Just Sew club on Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. William J. Buckley of the Presentation parish was the Lenten speaker on Tuesday evening at the Holy Cross Catholic church. Both the Tuesday and Friday services begin at 8:00 p.m.

Mrs. Emil Giss is returning to Edinburg, Tex., on Monday. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Harold Giss (Ruth Frantz) and Mrs. Arno Frantz.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mann of Central avenue spent Sunday at the Joseph Byfield home in McHenry.

Russell Potterton spent three days of last week at the Oliver

home in Chicago. Mr. Potterton visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. Wallace Mann at Fox Lake. Mr. and Mrs. William Potterton of Palatine spent Sunday at the Russell Potterton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Korenir were Sunday guests at the H. A. Collins home in Waukegan.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lichter Sr. of Evanston visited at the home of their son, William Lichter Jr. of North Chestnut street on Sunday.

Mrs. Philip Tennis Sr. has had as her house guest, her sister, Mrs. F. D. Brainard of London, Ontario, Canada.

Mrs. Raymond Goodman is entertaining St. Paul's Sodality on Friday (tomorrow) at her home on Central avenue.

Mrs. W. W. Stem Jr. is entertaining her bridge club this afternoon at her home on Deerfield road.

Miss Louise Huhn was hostess to members of the Mutual club on Friday evening at her home on Deerfield road.

Mr. and Mrs. George Whitcomb of Barrington spent Monday with Mr. Whitcomb's mother, Mrs. Minnie Whitcomb.

The Wilmot Mothers' Club will meet on Tuesday afternoon at the Wilmot Grammar school. Mrs. Emmett McShane of Waukegan will be the guest speaker. Hostesses will be Mrs. E. Von Tell and Mrs. Peder Larsen. Mothers who are preparing the hot lunches for the school children this week are Mrs. Von Tell, Mrs. Victor Carlson, Mrs. Otto Trute, Mrs. Russell Batt, and Mrs. James Wilson. Mrs. McShane will tell of the Federal project of hot school lunches and what equipment is necessary for the beginning of such a project.

The dinner guests at the Carl Scheer home Wednesday evening were Mrs. Louise LeBeille, Miss Julia Courtney, Mrs. Gertrude Nelson, Mrs. Amanda Seghi of Chicago and Mrs. Katherine Jones and Mr. Ed Renkin of Oak Park.

Mrs. Anthony Minarik Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Minarik Jr. and daughter Carol Marie, Mr. Jerry Minarik and Miss Esther Angelkas were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Scheer. Carol Marie, who celebrated her birthday Wednesday, was delightfully surprised at supper with a very beautiful birthday cake and 7 candles.

"The Ministry of Music" Program at Deerfield Church

Another service devoted to "The Ministry of Music" will be held at the Bethlehem Evangelical church, 815 Rosemary terrace, Deerfield, next Sunday afternoon, March 3, at 4:30 p.m. After a devotional service led by the minister, the Rev. Earl J. Brusco, the featured soloist of the day, Herbert C. Ekenberg, baritone, and Herbert Noreike, pianist, both of Chicago, will present the following musical program:

Lullaby	Herbert C. Ekenberg	Selected
Piano Solo	Herbert Noreike	Selected
Let Chord	Herbert Noreike	Sullivan
None But the Lonely Heart	Herbert Noreike	Tchaloovsky
Piano Solo	Mr. Ekenberg	Selected
Thoughts Have Wings	Mr. Noreike	Lehmann
Shorty's Head	Mr. Ekenberg	Wolf
Come To The Fair	Mr. Ekenberg	Martin

The community is very cordially invited to enjoy this concert. There is no admission charge. A freewill offering will be received. This concert is part of a series given each year on the first Sunday of each month from October to May. Its purpose is to bring good music to the people of this church and of the community.

Bingo Party Mar. 9th At Deerfield Temple

LeRoy Meyers of the Deerfield post of the American Legion is chairman of the Bingo party being held on Saturday evening, March 9, at the Deerfield Masonic temple, under the sponsorship of the local post. The community is invited.

This Week In Washington

By Ralph E. Church Representative, 10th Congressional District

Washington, D.C., Feb. 24—The chief topic of cloakroom conversation in the Halls of Congress is the Report of the Republican Program committee, entitled "A Program for a Dynamic America," submitted by Dr. Glenn Frank and his Committee of Two Hundred representative Republicans throughout the United States. It is not the official 1940 platform of the Republican Party. That is to be written at the Convention. The Program Committee Report is simply a platform recommendation so to speak, and so such as to serve as the starting point for the convention.

During the coming weeks this report will be subjected to rather severe criticism from the Democratic Party. Not an opportunity will be lost by members of the Party in power to point out errors of omission and commission of the suggested program of the Party out of power. That is to be expected. Indeed, it is a healthy condition. It enables the people better to arrive at a sound decision when they go to the polls.

Ours is a two party system of government. The preservation of that system is essential to the preservation of democracy itself. It is by the clash of ideas, opinions and issues between the two parties that an informed public opinion is created. Democratic criticism of the Republican proposed program is, therefore, to be welcomed and the people will determine its merits.

One feature of the Republican Committee Report commends itself to me. That is its dispassionate spirit, its lack of "vindictive fault-finding." Noticeably absent are rabble-rousing phrases and indiscriminate attacks on the party in power. In the words of the chairman, Dr. Frank, himself, the Report "wastes no time calling names or speculating upon anybody's motives... we can, as a people, lift political discussion within our parties and political conflict between our parties to the plane of honest debate between Americans who grant to each other a decent measure of sincerity of purpose. To squander our energies in shouting reactionary and radical at each other over the back fence will not create a single job for a workless American or lift the income of a single American farmer."

In the last several years there has been altogether too much "rearing public officers and public office seekers. Prejudices have been created where none formerly existed, and the people incited to the hatreds and bitterness of class consciousness, whereas, in the last analysis, America is not a land of sharply divided classes.

It is to be hoped that the Republican Program Committee Report marks the beginning of another day in American political history—that it will be an incentive to the politicians of both parties to make their appeals to the intellect rather than to the emotions of a great people.

Another general feature of the Report which commends it to me is the fact that it is not simply the work of a group of experts, so-called "brain-trusters." Rather it is the thought-processes and reactions of the rank and file of the Republican Party. The Program committee chairman has said that "the work of the committee has been about 50 per cent research and about 50 per cent referendum," that it had been "boiled out of the dilemmas, the needs, and the aspirations of the rank and file of our people." No one can read the report, whatever his political convictions and whatever his views on its various points, without concluding that it is the product of "rank and file Republicanism." It shows the trend of political thought throughout the entire nation.

While the Report is dispassionate in tone and in some respects reads like the report of a fact-finding commission, it is not without its picturesque phraseology. For instance, in one place we find such sentences as: "Our domestic affairs are far from a state of health. Our economic system has been under the oxygen tent of Government spending and made work for several years..." In another place will be found: "In determining our foreign policy, we must keep a tight rein on our emotions and reason in the driver's seat."

This Report is to be recommended for reading and most careful analysis by every one interested in understanding the real issues between the Democratic Party and the Republican Party in our two party system of government.

Republican Rally For Lake County Mar. 7 in Deerfield

Plans were formed last Wednesday evening at the Town Hall for the political rally to be held in Deerfield on Thursday evening, March 7, in the Deerfield Grammar school gymnasium, under the sponsorship of the West Deerfield Township Young Republicans. The Deerfield GOP is asking the cooperation of other local organizations in the sponsorship of the rally. Invitations have been sent to all delegates of the Young Republican clubs of Lake county and to all candidates in the April primaries to attend this meeting.

Erwin Seago, president of the Deerfield GOP, appointed the following committee to arrange for the rally on March 7: Edward Jacobson, Arthur Pearson, John Guthrie, Gordon Clavey, Dr. Charles E. Pope, John Struthers and Mrs. Raymond Dobbins.

At last week's meeting of the executive committee the following resolution was approved: Resolved that the West Deerfield Township Young Republicans club hereby declare its intention and purpose to sponsor no particular candidate in the coming April primaries election and that its declared purpose is to promote the principals of the Republicans and to encourage all voters to exercise their voting franchise.

At the rally planned for March 7 an invitation is extended to both Democrats and Republicans. There will be door prizes and refreshments.

Urge Extension of Reciprocal Trade Agreement Program

"Illinois needs the reciprocal trade agreements program," Rachel Marshall Goetz writes in the Illinois Voter, organ of the League of Women Voters. Mrs. Goetz is a member of the executive board of the Illinois League. Unless the Trade Agreements is extended by Congress, it will terminate in June of this year. The act was originally established in 1934 for a period of three years and was subsequently extended for another three years.

"We in Illinois should use our influence to see that the act is extended," continues Mrs. Goetz. "Foreign trade means as much to the middle west as it does to the country as a whole. Through Illinois and Chicago, its chief city, exports flow out to all parts of the world, and foreign products pass through on their way to the tens of millions of middle western consumers. Chicago actually does about 8 percent of all the foreign business of the nation. In 1929 that amounted to some eight hundred million of dollars.

"Illinois is second among corn producing states of the union. Corn growers, particularly, are dependent on these foreign markets although little corn is actually shipped abroad. It is fed to live stock and exported in the form of pork and pork products; about one-seventh of the harvested corn in the United States goes abroad in this form. Illinois farmers share in other agricultural exports which are shipped in quantity, namely, condensed and evaporated milk, wheat and cereals, canned and dried vegetables, and fruits.

"Since Chicago does an import share of the nation's foreign business, the Chicago market will be a better one for Illinois' farmers when Chicago's foreign trade is booming.

"Illinois is third among the manufacturing states of the union. It produces more electrical machinery and appliances than any other state; it manufactures one-half of the output of agricultural machinery; it ranks fourth in numbers of steel works and rolling mills; second in output of iron and steel forgings; third in the production of machine tools and accessories; and it produces a large volume of office machines. These products, in which Illinois industry specializes, are the kind of products which American resources and business genius are particularly good at producing. They are much in demand abroad. In consequence the proportion of the output of these Illinois industries which is exported is unusually high.

"All of the gains resulting from the Trade Agreements Program have benefited Illinois directly by helping to create a large domestic market for Illinois products.

"The 'most favored nation' clause has benefited Illinois quite directly. As a result of the agreement with Canada, Illinois manufacturers secured automatically a whole range of concessions which Canada has granted other countries. Meat products, electrical machinery and steel products are also among these. Since Illinois is a heavy exporter to

Deerfield Legion Honors Teachers At Public Dinner

Public honor was accorded the teachers of the Deerfield schools at a dinner at St. Paul's church in Deerfield, on Tuesday evening with the American Legion post as hosts. Rev. F. G. Piepenbrok, pastor of the host church, welcomed the guests. William Cruickshank, chairman of the dinner, introduced the toastmaster, Milton O. Olson. Rev. William F. Weir of the Presbyterian church gave the invocation and there was community singing, also musical numbers by an accordion and piano, Frank Buresch of Mundelein and Walter Loefer of West Lake Forest and solos by Mrs. Joseph Gilmore of Waukegan accompanied by Mrs. Madeline Ballew of North Chicago, which preceded the dinner served by the women of St. Paul's church.

Lester B. Ball, superintendent of the Deerfield school introduced his teachers; Mrs. Richard Hamill of Bannockburn, her teachers; and Mrs. Delbert Meyer of the Wilmot school, her teachers. Mrs. Clarence Anderson represented the Holy Cross Catholic school. Burton B. McRoy, president of the Deerfield school board, C. C. Kapschull, past commander of the state and local post, Ralph Dunham, commander, Mrs. W. A. Tennermann, 10th district Auxiliary director, Mrs. C. C. Kapschull, Auxiliary president, Rev. Earl J. Brusco of Bethlehem church, Mayor C. M. Willman and Judge Perry L. Persons were called upon for short speeches. State Representative Harold Kelsey of Barrington was among the distinguished guests.

Edward R. Seese, a member of the Bannockburn school board and of the high school board of education, introduced the main speaker of the evening, Harold Norman of Bannockburn, who is also a director of the Bannockburn school and vice president of the state school directors association. Mr. Seese stated that Mr. Norman was a man of courage and integrity and his ideas might not be in accord with everyone's ways of thinking. Mr. Norman, in his talk, said that education is the process of preparing for adult life. He does not approve of formal education, of the teaching of arithmetic, he disapproves of competitive work or contests, and feels that more time should be devoted to the various arts. His ideas gave much food for thought.

Each speaker paid tribute to the work of the teachers and of their part in the molding of the characters of the future generation and commended the Legion for its part in honoring the faculty members. "God Bless America" concluded the dinner meeting.

File for Precinct Committeemen in West Deerfield

Today is the last day for filing for the office of Precinct committeeman. To date the following have filed their petitions for that office in West Deerfield Township, which includes the villages of Deerfield and Bannockburn, parts of the cities of Highland Park and Lake Forest and the rural outlying territory of the township west to include Saunders road:

Republicans
Precinct One (East Side)—Thilo Toll, Clarence Pedersen.
Precinct Two (West Side)—Edward B. Crush, John Huhn, David Petersen.
Precinct Three (North)—Arthur Baker.

Democrats
Precinct One—Earl Frost.
Precinct Two—No candidates.
Precinct Three—William Burns.

Deerfield Police Order Night Lights On All Parked Cars

Because of several accidents caused by cars parked without lights, the Police Department finds it necessary to enforce the ordinance requiring all cars parked in Deerfield streets after 10:30 p.m. to have lights on.

The cooperation of the citizens of Deerfield in this matter is earnestly requested.

Canada, these concessions have been particularly valuable.

Mrs. Goetz concludes, "Illinois stands to gain so much from the extension of the Trade Agreements Program that it would be sheer folly for it not to work to that end."