# Deerfield

## A Village Worthy of Your Notice

Deerfield is a wonderful place in which to live. Its advantages are many. Its location is ideal—three miles from Lake Michigan, half an hour's ride to or from Chicago on a good train schedule, near the city-yet far enough away to be urban. Deerfield has modern stores, a fast growing bank, a Building and Loan association, two public schools and a parochial school, one of the finest high schools in the state, four churches, and civic organizations interested in the growth of the village and its advancement.

Deerfield was settled in 1835 and its Centennial celebration in 1935 showed 100 years of progress. Deerfield became an incorporated village in April, 1903 and by 1909 had 500 inhabitants. Today the census shows 2,278. Today there are no vacant homes or apartments. Building permits were increased 90 percent in 1940 over the previous year and indications for 1941 point to an even bigger building program. Modernization of old homes has been very popular this past year. Paved streets, good street lighting, adequate police and fire protection add to the desirability of Deerfield as a permanent place in which to live.

In stride with the fast growing community is Deerfield State Bank, widely known for its rapid growth and stability. In the past seven years it has increased from 700 to 2,000 accounts. There were more than 300 new customers added to its records in 1940 and in the previous year, 1939, it reached the half million mark. At this date it is nearing the three quarter million mark. This bank being a member of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation is under both Federal and State supervision and now employs a large staff of local workers.

The Deerfield Chamber of Commerce this week has inaugurated its first Dollar Days to put before the citizens the many opportunities offered in buying in Deerfield.

The Civic Association, the Woman's Club, the Rotary Club, Scouting and Cubbing programs, church organizations, bowling clubs, the schools, the public library, etc., give a varied outlet for social, educational and recreational activities in Deerfield. It is a friendly and neighborly village and an ideal place in which to rear our children.

#### Highwood Methodist

Highwood Ave. and Evert Pl. Sunday, March 23-Church school 10:30 a.m.

Lenten service 7:45 p.m .Speaker, Rev. T. J. Westerberg. Subject: "Christ in the Home."

On Saturday evening the women of the church will meet for their monthly meeting. There will be an election of officers and a reading of yearly reports. There will also be an explanation of the new organization, the Women's Society of Christian Service. The meeting will be in the church.

Eskil Frederickson, pastor.

#### North Shore Congregation Israel

Vernon avenue, Glencoe Rabbi, Charles E. Shulman Sunday, 9:30 and 10:45 a.m., Sunday school; 11:00 a.m., morning worship.

### Youth Shot Thru Abdomen, Showing Slight Improvement

The condition of Kenneth Bock, 22 year old son of the Robert Bocks, 543 Oakwood avenue, who suffered a gunshot wound last Thursday afternoon and has since been in a critical condition at the Highland Park hospital, is reported somewhat improved.

Bock was shot through the stomach, the bullet passing through part of the liver and out through the ribs. The wound was accidentally self-inflicted, while he was walking in a field a short distance from his home. Mrs. Bock said: "Kenneth was out shooting at tin cans with his brother's .22 calibre rifle, when he stumbled and fell on the gun. which discharged. As he was not familiar with the handling of guns, the youth feared parental reprimand. Stumbling his way ness management. home, he entered the house and returned to the store room where the gun was kept. Being unable to any further he laid down on the floor. When I returned home, I found my son on the floor, and upon questioning him, was told that

he didn't feel well. Not thinking anything serious was wrong, I told him to get up and go to bed. I then went downstairs to get supper," said Mrs. Bock. "When I did not hear him upstairs, I went up again and called him, and as he attempted to get up off the floor, discovered blood on his clothing and on the floor."

A physician was summoned and the boy was removed to the Highland Park hospital where it was found his condition was serious. Kenneth was given two blood transfusions, one Friday, and a second one Sunday.



# Arthur M. Baker

Independent Candidate

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