

MUSIC CONTEST ON AT NEW TRIER HIGH

Prizes Awarded to Students Who can Identify Compositions and Composers

EDUCATIONAL VENTURE

Contest to Have Result of Developing Aesthetic Nature

New Trier High school this week opened a Music Memory contest under direction of Mrs. Homer E. Cotton, director of music at the north shore school.

A phonograph record, which is on the contest list, was played before the student body Tuesday of this week to aid the prospective contestants in identifying the number at a later date when the competition proper takes place. A record is to be played every school day noon during lunch periods until the contest is closed.

Interesting Method

The contest, open to every student at New Trier, is for the purpose of acquainting the high school students with the best compositions, composers and the period in which the composers lived. The contest will be judged in the following basis: the number of compositions which are correctly identified when they are played; along with the ability to name the composer, his nationality and the century in which he lived. Spelling, which is standardized on the list, will also be an important factor.

The first contests will be among students within the school and will be held probably late in March or early in April. The winners of this contest will then compete with the winners of the Deerfield-Shields High school contest and, possibly, with contestants representing other high schools in this vicinity.

Offer Ravinia Ticket

Three prizes are to be offered New Trier winners including a season ticket to the Ravinia Opera as the first award, ten dollars as the second prize, and five dollars represented in phonograph records as the third award. The latter prize has been offered by the North Shore Talking Machine company of Evanston which is providing the phonograph for the contest.

Mrs. Cotton has expressed the hope that every student at New Trier will enter the Music Memory Contest, the chief value of which is to give the student of high school age a knowledge of music that is preeminently worth-while. The contests cannot fail to have the effect of developing the aesthetic side of the student's nature, a consideration that has been too often overlooked in this modern day of specialized instruction and training.

Mrs. Cotton is a pioneer in the work of expanding, and adding interest to, the instruction in music in the primary and secondary schools.

A list of the records to be played in the contest at New Trier is to be found in another column of this issue.

"Two Minutes To Go" At Community House Friday

Charles Ray in "Two Minutes to Go" will be the star at the Community House, next Friday. The story is adapted from a football yarn by Richard Andre.

In the production Ray portrays a young man working his way through college. When he attempts to conceal the fact that he is paying his expenses with the money he earns in the wee sma' hours of the morning as a milk-man, he makes a bad impression on the young lady who is his sweetheart.

Goaded by his misfortunes, he resolves to return to the football team which he has deserted for a job as a milk wagon driver. And the brilliant game he plays in the biggest contest of the season proves the solution of all his troubles.

The production gives a humorous as well as romantic glimpse into college life. One of the features is the raid of the Freshman Class on the Senior dormitory while the Seniors are attending a Hallowe'en party.

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Wilson Foundation Wins Response From Winnetka

Generous response has already been made to the appeal issued by the Winnetka committee for gifts for the Woodrow Wilson Foundation, it was announced this week. A Winnetka committee of women, under the direction of Mrs. Horace K. Tenney, is preparing to extend the notice of the Foundation throughout the village. In accordance with this plan Professor Dodd of the University of Chicago, and Hamilton Holt, editor of the Independent, addressed a recent meeting in the Gold room of the Congress hotel. Among Winnetka residents who attended were Mrs. Horace K. Tenney, Mrs. Frederick K. Copeland, Mrs. William H. King, Mrs. William B. Hale and Messrs. William C. Boyden, Edward Yeomans, Rev. E. Ashley Gerhard and Henry F. Tenney.

Plans are under way, it is said, for a public meeting in Winnetka bearing upon the Wilson Foundation. The object of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation is to honor the former president by endowing permanent awards for distinguished public service. The sum sought is \$1,000,000, to be invested in securities of the United States Government.

Teachers Present Plays At P-T. Cotillion-Party

The annual Cotillion and party to be given by the Winnetka Parent-Teacher association on Tuesday, February 28, at the Winnetka Woman's club will be augmented by the presentation of two plays by members of the Winnetka schools faculty. "Everybody's Husband," and "Uncle Jimmy," two plays by Zona Gale, will be the vehicles. Charles A. Kinney will have the title role in the latter production. The plays will be directed by Mrs. Laird Bell.

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TRIANGLES TO GIVE LUCKY NUMBER DANCE

Plan Canvass to Secure Funds For Its Beneficiaries

The Triangle club, an organization, composed of young men between the ages of 18 and 30 years, whose purpose it is to promote athletics of all kinds, and good-fellowship and sociability among the young and older men of the village, announce a Lucky Number dance to be given at the Community House, Saturday evening,

February 25. Dr. Watson's Alco Artist—Six Piece Orchestra, which needs no introduction in Winnetka, will furnish the music.

One of the good-fellowship mottoes of the club is to help some person or family whenever they are in need, and in the past, they have rendered valuable assistance in many cases. In order to carry on their good work, it is necessary to raise funds and the Lucky Number dance is one of the series of benefits to be given for this purpose. Tickets have been issued to all members of the club and every home in the village is to be canvassed during the coming week, in order that everyone will have an opportunity to subscribe.

Triangle club meets every Monday evening at Community House, and a request is made that every member be present at the meeting next Monday.

Financial Statement (William Haines)

Receipts:	
Triangle Club.....	149.00
Preparedness Club Haines Benefit Dance	1232.13
Cong'l Church	100.00
Relief and Aid Society	200.00
Public	580.50
	2261.63
Expenditures:	
Chicago Fresh Air hospital...	1244.00
Wm. Haines Personal	172.50
Funeral Expenses	369.65
Mr. Haines	90.00
	1876.15
Balance	385.48

The balance of this money has been put in a trust fund and is being paid out to Mr. Haines in monthly allowances. Mr. Haines himself is an invalid and these small allowances help him pay his living expenses.

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