

## ENTIRE RACES ARE HOMELESS

### Workers in Near East Describe Plight of Peoples

"I have been in the Near East every summer since the armistice. I have seen something of death from starvation in the famines of 1919 and subsequent years. But I think I have never seen more of human heartache than this summer among the dispossessed peoples and races from Persia on the east to Corfu on the west, and from Thrace and Macedonia on the north to Syria and Palestine on the south."

This from Charles V. Vickrey, general secretary of the Near East Relief, just returned from a four month's economic survey in the Near East.

#### Races Without Country

"Edward Everett Hale wrote the fictitious story, 'The Man Without A Country,' but in the Near East today there is the grim reality of whole races literally without a country. In Persia the whole Assyrian race, constituting the ancient Nestorian and Chaldean Christian churches, is today in exile. The Black Sea ports of Samsoun, Trebizond and Ordu are filled with Armenian and Greek refugees who dare not return to their once prosperous homes in the interior of Turkey and who cannot find safe haven or protection in any other country.

"Longfellow's poem, 'Evangeline,' is a mid-summer romance compared with the stern realities and thousand-fold tragedies that I saw crowded upon the decks of refugee ships in the harbor of Piraeus, seeking a mere foothold in that already overcrowded country, Greece.

#### Turks in Greece Destitute

"The lot of the Turks who are to be expelled from their homes in Greece is scarcely better than that of the Armenians. None of them want to go. They lose practically everything of the past and gain little hope for the future.

"There are now comparatively few Armenians left in the interior of Turkey—possibly a total of 80,000 with perhaps another 23,000 Armenians and Greeks huddled in exposed refugee camps on the Black Sea. 200,000 Armenians remain in Constantinople, and 1,300,000, some of them refugees from Turkey, are now in Southern Russia. Greece, with nearly a million refugees of her own race, has, in spite of her poverty, been the only nation to show compassion by providing at least a temporary home for 100,000 Armenians.

#### League Arranges Loan

"The commission of the International Near East association, in a survey and report that has just been completed says:—'During the last winter and spring 150,000 refugees died for want of proper food, clothing and medical care. It is estimated that during the coming winter and spring the death toll among the refugees may reach a total of 100,000 unless steps are taken at once to render assistance of the most effective kind. The refugee population in Greece includes about 95,000 children who are in dire need.' These are in addition to the approximately 50,000 orphans whom the Near East Relief is already supporting in various orphanages.

"One of the most important problems just now is that of rendering such financial assistance to Greece as will enable her under proper restrictions to assume responsibility for this vast extraneous refugee population. The Council of the League of Nations has approved a loan somewhat like the recent Austrian loan, but to be used exclusively for refugee repatriation work. British banks have already conditionally pledged one million pounds sterling toward this loan. Lord Robert Cecil, Sir Arthur Salter and those most deeply interested are anxious that America, having had the larger part in refugee philanthropy, may in some way be related to the administration of this loan, which for Greece at least should solve the adult refugee problem.

### Well Boys, Dan'l Has Gone and Done It, Too

Our mutual friend Dan who, to employ more dignified terminology, is Daniel Boone Noe, Winnetka Village Purchasing agent, slipped away to Brooklyn late last week and on Wednesday, October 10, became a member of the "harassed" order of benedicts. The sole reason for Dan's frequent journeys to the seaboard has been the comely Miss Elsie Bergman of Flatbush.

Henceforth, however, there will be few expeditions East, for Dan will bring his bride to a pretty little bungalow nestled in recesses of one of Winnetka's choicest wooded plots.

### Country Day Girls Win Exciting Hockey Event

In an exciting game of field hockey, Tuesday, October 9, the girls' team of the North Shore Country Day school defeated the Winnetka Women's team, by the close margin of 2 to 0.

The contest held a great deal of interest for the spectators and the game remained undecided until the last minute of play.

## Y. W. C. A. SCHOOL FOR GIRLS OPEN

### Offers Opportunities for All Girls

Supposing you were a business girl, with a first rate intelligence but with an education that because of family finances, or trouble, or lack of opportunity had stopped short at the eighth grade or early high school? And supposing that now you were feeling rather keenly in your social or business life those gaps in your schooling, and were wondering just how, in your out-of-office hours you could set about to fill them with worth while study—how would you go about it?

Nearly a thousand Chicago girls have found a way this fall at the Y. W. C. A. according to Miss Eleanor L. Lattimore, director of education at Central Branch, 59 E. Monroe street, the downtown "Service Station" for Chicago girls and women whose club

and class rooms, gymnasium, swimming pool and rest rooms are open to all girls and women in the city and suburbs.

#### All Ages and Types

"The students in our classes are of all ages and types," said Miss Lattimore, "the alert office girl who sees a chance to advance in her job by taking a course in bookkeeping or filing; the girl in domestic service who spends her Thursday afternoons at the Y learning how to make herself a hostess; the foreign girl struggling in the mazes of the English language, or the foreign mother who comes to learn English so that she can talk with her English-speaking children; the girl who wants to study social etiquette, or join the ever-popular 'Charm School,' the bride-to-be who comes to learn about budgeting, buying or meal planning. One young man came in this week to help his gray haired mother enter the school. He said that she had worked hard all her life and sent her three sons to school, and that now she had time to study and wanted to join a literature class. Every available nook and cranny at Central Branch has been turned into class rooms, even the offices and lunch room."

#### Variety of Courses

Classes include, besides those named, many courses in English, both

literature and composition, French, Spanish, and Italian, Current Events, Practical psychology, memory training, economics, sociology, history, civics, dramatic expression, the development of personality, Bible study, Choral club, and stringed orchestra. The staff of teachers is recruited from the faculties of leading high schools, colleges, commercial and art schools of the city.

In addition to the department of general education, the departments of Health Education at Central Branch, and West Side Branch, 101 South Ashland boulevard are opening this month to a record registration in gymnastics, swimming, interpretive dancing and athletics.

Y. W. C. A. classes are open to all girls and women, whether or not they are members of the association.

### "To Have and To Hold" Community House Film

Friday evening, October 19, the Community House will present George Fitzmaurice's superb production, "To Have and To Hold," one of the most beautiful and romantic pictures ever screened.

Betty Compson, Paramount star, and Bert Lytell, a well known stage favorite, are featured, the former appearing as the ward of King James I, of England, and the latter as a soldier adventurer

of Virginia in the early Seventeenth Century. The supporting cast includes many well known Paramount Stock Company players.

The story of "To Have and To Hold" has great dramatic power, irresistible heart appeal and in its development, many thrilling scenes, including duels, Indian attacks, and encounters with pirates. No one can see this splendid photoplay without visualizing most profitably the scenes attending the settlement of Virginia. This is a picture you cannot afford to ignore.

There will be two shows. One at 7:15 and one at 8:45 o'clock.

### M. L. Adams Enters New Barber Shop on Monday

M. L. Adams, Winnetka's pioneer barber, leaves his time-honored "stand" on Elm street this week-end and, on Monday, October 15, will enter his new and modern shop at 818 Elm street.

The new shop, in a new building owned by Mr. Adams, will contain all the enjoyable features of the old place, thoroughly modernized and equipped with an eye to provide every convenience for the trade.

In addition to the barber shop, there will be an up-to-the-minute billiard room and tobacconist's emporium.

Mr. Adams has been engaged in the barber trade in the village over a period of 21 years.

# Prominent North Shore Residents Move to Deerfield

Erect Homes on Beautifully Wooded Tracts of Generous Size

Deerfield was discovered a few years ago by north shore golfers when the Briergate Golf club was opened. The golfers and motorists along Waukegan road suddenly became conscious of the fact that in and around Deerfield were some of the finest patches of woodland in this part of the country—woods that have remained intact since the days when the Pottawattomies camped beneath their limbs. An exodus from Wilmette, Glencoe and other north shore villages to Deerfield had attained considerable magnitude before it was observed.

A syndicate of half a dozen Glencoe men headed by Reed Landis has just purchased a forty acre farm northeast of the Briergate club from and is putting in roadways and improvements. Each member gets between six and seven acres for a homesite and all expect to build in the spring except Mr. Landis, who will remodel the 1-1/2 house located on his six acres.

A similar project is under way just west of the club where a small group of Wilmette men bought forty acres a few months ago.

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TO residents of the North Shore, especially those of the younger set, who seek a natural and social environment, comparable to their home villages, but prefer property not so advanced in price, McGuire & Orr offer opportunity to follow the lead of their former neighbors whose good move is described in the newspaper clipping here produced.

We Offer Just a Few

2 to 3 ACRE HOMESITES

\$1250 per acre and up

in Northwoods, at Deerfield

where values are rapidly increasing

DEERFIELD is situated 3 miles west from Highland Park at the junction of the Waukegan Road and the new concrete highway just completed westward from Highland Park. It is adequately supplied with local shopping facilities, school and churches. It connects by bus line with the North Shore Electric and has a station on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad. The St. Paul will inaugurate an improved suburban service when the new Union Station, now under construction, is completed. Northwoods consists of spacious, finely

timbered homesites to which a private winding roadway gives access. It is situated just north of Deerfield, where town taxes do not apply. Indeed, to residents of the North Shore the taxation on this property will seem unbelievably low.

Just 9 of these tracts remain to be purchased in Northwoods, they will be sold not indiscriminately, but only upon application. McGuire & Orr will consider and carefully pass upon each application received, to the end that you may have certain assurance of the high character of your neighbors.

Representatives are on the property Saturday, afternoon and all day Sunday

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