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FINAL SYMPHONY CONCERT APR. 21

Hans Muenzer to be Assisting Artist with Little Symphony Players

DASCH IS DIRECTOR

Busy Securing 1924-25 Subscriptions

Monday evening, April 21, marks the close of the symphony concert season on the north shore. On that date The Little Symphony of Chicago, George Dasch, conductor, augmented to forty players, will give the final concert of the season at the high school, under the auspices of the New Trier Township Orchestral association.



Hans Muenzer

The assisting artist will be Mr. Hans Muenzer, the well known Chicago violinist. On Monday afternoon the last of the series of matinee concerts will be given under the same auspices. These events bring to an end the second highly successful season of symphony concerts. The third series scheduled for next year is assured by reason of the large number of subscriptions which have already been filed with the association for 1924-1925 season tickets. Most of the old subscribers have re-subscribed for the next season, and there is already a large waiting list. Those old subscribers who were not present at the March concert will be given an opportunity to protect their position of the subscription lists Monday evening. Meanwhile, the music supervisors of the high school and the grade schools in the four villages cooperating in the orchestral association are busy taking subscriptions for the next series of five matinee concerts. While these matinees were planned originally for the school children, it develops that the work of the supervisors is doing so much for the musical taste of the children that the character of the programs next year will be materially elevated. This should make these matinees attractive to women who have not been able to secure tickets for the evening concerts.

Hans Muenzer, who will play a Sitt concert Monday evening, has risen rapidly to the front rank of Chicago violinists. He received his higher training under the distinguished virtuoso and master, Hans Sitt, at the Royal Conservatory of Leipzig, Germany. He has played with several European orchestras and toured abroad at the head of a concert company. He has also appeared with the Chicago Symphony Orchestra.

Following is the program for Monday evening:
Prelude, Choral and Fugue..... Bach-Albert
Symphony, No. 1, B flat, Opus 38..... Schuman
Andante un poco Maestoso—Allegro Molto Vivace
Larghetto—Scherzo
Allegro animato e grazioso
Intermission
Concerto No. 3, D minor, Opus 111, for Violin and OrchestraSitt
Allegro Moderato
Andante Sostenuto
Finale: Allegro ma non Troppo
Symphonic Poem, "Finlandia," (Opus 26, No. 7)Sibelius

Arcadians Invite to Bunco Party and Dance

"Don't forget April 22 at Community House," reads a notice, "for at that time Winnetka Council of the Royal Arcanum is giving a Bunco party and dance."

An excellent orchestra has been engaged for this affair, it is announced, and there will be refreshments. Activities begin at 8 o'clock.

CHRIST CHURCH CALLS TO EASTER SERVICES

The Eastertide will be fittingly observed in the parish of Christ church tomorrow at three special services.

There will be Holy Communion and Address in the church edifice at Sheridan road and Humboldt avenue at 7 o'clock in the morning.

At 11 o'clock will be observed Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Address in the church.

In the afternoon at 4:30 o'clock will be held the annual Children's Carol Festival and Address in the church, a service which has become a notable village institution along with the famous Candle Light services at Christmas time.

Many Winnetka business houses were closed from noon until 3 o'clock Good Friday afternoon at the instance of Christ church and in commemoration of the Crucifixion. The closing was in accordance with a time-honored custom in the village.

Christ church will hold special services this afternoon at 4 o'clock, featured by a baptismal ceremony.

RUBBISH FIRES PROVE MENACE

Cause of Numerous Fire Alarms

Numerous small fires started by unguarded rubbish fires have been keeping the local fire department on the move during the last few weeks. Seven fires, for which the apparatus was called out, occurred and three smaller affairs were handled by broom brigades.

The department is particularly anxious to have the residents employ greater care in the burning of rubbish, since every run costs the village many dollars, while, by staying with the fire for a few minutes that excessive cost and damage might easily be averted. It is difficult to conceive how intelligent people can suffer such lapses of memory as to start fires in the open on a windy day and then leave them unguarded, Chief Hougen declares.

The men answered a call to Scott avenue and Randolph Thursday, where burning rubbish ignited a fence. A call on Sunday to 849 Lincoln avenue was also caused in the same manner. Burning rubbish started a fire at 1172 Hampdendale road, where a neighbor's garage was endangered. Skokie Motor company lost a few barrels of lubricating oil when some burning rubbish caused a fire at the rear of the place; and approximately 400 creosoted railroad ties belonging to the North Shore Electric railroad were burned when workmen started burning grass along the right-of-way at 740 Oakdale avenue.

One of the most stubborn fires in the history of the local department occurred Monday, when some wood in the boiler-room of the Community Pharmacy at 574 Lincoln avenue, caught fire. The wood covered the floor a considerable depth and it was with difficulty the blaze was extinguished. There was considerable smoke damage.

A partition was set afire in the basement of the residence of the Rev. E. Ashley Gerhard, 482 Linden avenue, Tuesday, but there was slight damage.

Trees at Spruce street and Hubbard road were endangered by the burning of grass Tuesday, according to the department records.

Annual Clean-Up Week in Winnetka April 28-May 3

It'll be the season for overalls, rakes, shovels and the paint brush very soon, for announcement has gone forth from the Village hall that annual Clean-Up Week in Winnetka will be observed from April 26 to May 3.

There will be special schedules for collection of rubbish that week and the Village has secured the cooperation of various civic organizations securing a general clean-up campaign in every section of the village.

Organizations that will assist the authorities include the Village Improvement association, the Indian Hill Improvement association, the Hubbard Woods Improvement association and the West Winnetka Improvement association.

Detailed information regarding the Clean-Up Week plans will be given in next week's issue of WINNETKA TALK.

PONDER PHONE FRANCHISE

At the last meeting of the Winnetka Village council the question of the franchise of the Illinois Bell Telephone company, which expires on September 12, 1924, was referred to the Public Utilities committee for consideration.

CHILDREN HAVE EASTER SERVICE

Have Own Worship Hour at Congregational Church

An Easter service "within the reach of children" will be observed at the Winnetka Congregational church tomorrow in Rudolph Matz hall at 11 o'clock when the boys and girls of the Church school will have their own worship hour.

An interesting program has been arranged as follows:

Bugle—"Holy, Holy, Holy."
Call to worship.
Response—Choir.

Congregation
Processional—"Christ the Lord is Risen Today."

The First Blue Bird.
Spring Morning.
The Butterfly.

Prayer.

Boys' Choir—"Easter Flowers Blooming Bright."

Violin Obligato—Mrs. Bartlett

The Immortal.

Easter Canticle.

Hymn—"The Day of Resurrection.

Mark 16:1-8.

Girls Choir—"O Bells in the Steeple."

Violin Obligato

Luke 24:13-31.

John 21:1-19.

Solo—Willa Snyder.

Offering—Violin Duet.

Response—"From All That Dwell."

Choir—"This is Joyful Easter Day."

Floy Little Bartlett*

Sermon—"What Happened to Peter."

Prayer.

Choir.

Hymn—"Crown Him with Many Crowns."

Violinists—Mrs. Floy Little Bartlett,

Mrs. Robert Kingery.

Pianist—Miss Marion Lasier.

* Composed for this service.

The Easter program is open to the older members of the parish and all friends of the children who are interested in the observances.

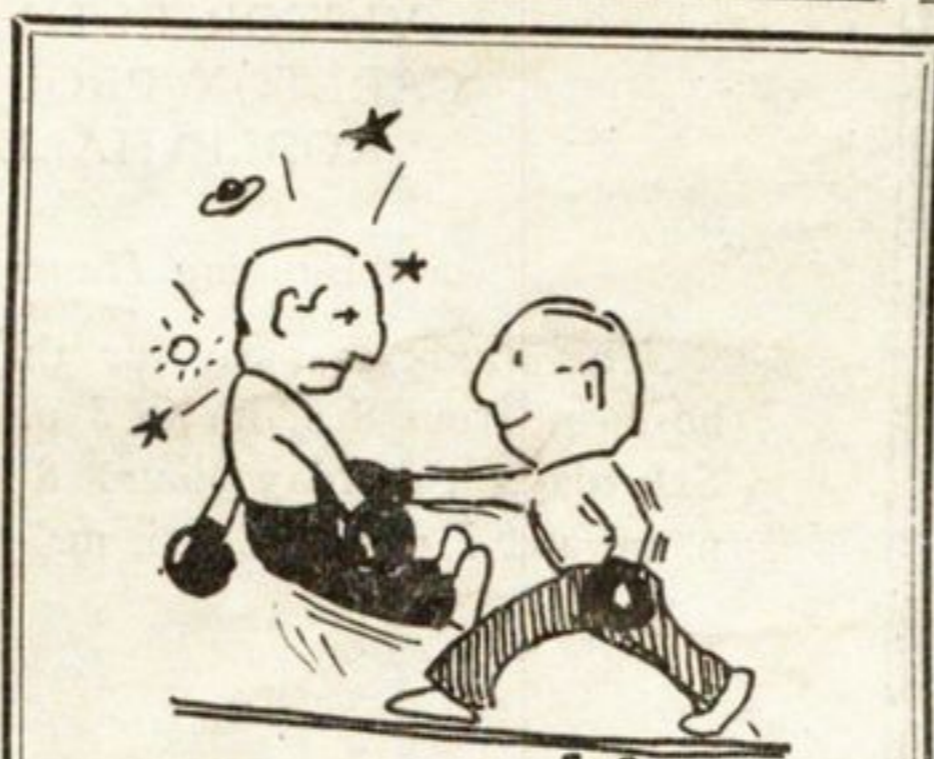
The Girls' and Boys' Worship hour is conducted every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, by Dr. J. W. F. Davies, director of the religious education department of the church.

Choral Society Announces First Concert on April 29

On Tuesday evening, April 29, the Winnetka Choral society will give its first concert. This society, of which Mrs. William A. Otis is president, has been, during the fall and winter, working diligently to make this initial appearance a great success. The regular weekly rehearsals have been conducted under the able leadership of Noble Cain, director of the Carson Pirie Scott & Co. chorus and also of the Wilmette Sunday Evening club.

The soloists assisting will be Helen Mueller, contralto, and Erwin Wallenborn, pianist, both of Chicago, and Mrs. Burton H. Atwood, William A. Snyder, and John Edgar Freeman, of Winnetka.

The program promises to be most interesting, and those deeply concerned in the welfare of the new organization are hoping that village residents will by their presence at this concert prove their interest in the club's endeavor to present only the best music for their hearing.



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OUR WANT ADS will give more than a FIGHTING CHANCE

ARDEN SHORE GRADS PLAN HOME-COMING

Two hundred "graduates" of the Arden Shore Winter Camp for Boys at Lake Bluff will enjoy their annual Home-Coming at the rest camp Sunday afternoon and evening, April 27, when there will be a program of talks, a concert by the New Trier High school band of 120 pieces, a big supper and a campfire hour.

The program proper will begin promptly at 3 o'clock and the principal speaker will be George Allen Mason of Highland Park, who for many years has been closely identified with boys' work in Chicago, and is the husband of the second vice-president of the Arden Shore board of directors.

Arrangements have been made to secure the entire New Trier High school band for the afternoon.

A special feature of the program will be a catechism conducted by Miss Anna Belle Ferrier, superintendent of Arden Shore, in which the boys will be asked to relate their experiences and progress made since leaving the camp.

A supper will be held for the "graduates" and visitors, followed by a campfire and story-telling hour.

The committee in charge of arrangements for the Home-Coming includes Mrs. Otto A. Kreutzler of Lake Bluff, chairman; Mrs. Frederick G. Wacker and Mrs. George Richardson of Lake Forest; Mrs. Harold C. Gifford of Hubbard Woods; Mrs. Norman W. Harris of Winnetka; Mrs. Leslie F. Gates, of Wilmette and Mrs. William J. Wardall of Evanston.

TO SHOW VIEWS OF THE ROCKIES

Scenes of National Park at Community House

Stereopticon Rocky Mountain exhibit

Offer Easter Program at Scandinavian Church

Easter services at the First Scandinavian Evangelical church, 886 Elm street, will comprise a program by the Sunday school beginning at 10:15 in the morning and continuing through the regular worship hour, and an Easter sermon in the evening at 7:45 o'clock.

The Young People's society of the church will hold a service appropriate to the Easter spirit at 5 o'clock.

Rev. Paul T. Seashore, the pastor, will preach the Easter sermon.

There will be the regular midweek services on Wednesday evening, April 23, at 8 o'clock.

Sunday Evening Services End with Sacred Cantata

The series of Sunday evening services at the Winnetka Congregational church came to an impressive close last Sunday night when the church soloists, under the direction of Mr. Fleece, gave a singularly effective rendering of Maunder's "Olivet to Calvary." A large audience enjoyed the sacred cantata.

"ICEBOUND" IS GUILD OFFERING

Famous Owen Davis Drama To Be Presented in Winnetka May 2-3

NEW ENGLAND STORY

Success on Broadway but Never Presented Here

The North Shore Theatre Guild is to present Owen Davis's "Icebound" as its fourth and last production this season, under the direction of Alexander Dean. It will be played in Winnetka on May 2 and 3.

Owen Davis's "Icebound" is the Pulitzer Prize play of 1922-23 and is one of the most distinct and talked-of plays of last season. It was produced at the Harris theatre, New York, February 10, 1923, and ran until June, and was promptly accepted as a human and worthy drama that enriched the repertoire of the native theater; but it was never taken out on the road. The production by the Guild will be the first by any amateur organization.

In his foreword to the play, the author says, "I am now turning toward my own people, the people of northern New England, whose folklore, up to the present time, has been quite neglected in our theater. . . Here I have tried to draw a true picture of these people. They are neither buffoons nor sentimentalists, and at least neither their faults nor their virtues are borrowed from the melting pot, but are the direct result of their own heritage and environment."

Story Jordan Clan

"Icebound" is the story of the Jordan clan in Veazie, Maine. The Jor-

ke. taken business man, w. interested in boys, hav. troops at Hull House, Rogers Park, and on the wes. Chicago.

Council Refuses Change in Rail Gate Operation

Village authorities have decided that it would be unwise to grant a recent request of the Chicago and North Western railway for combined operation of the crossing gates at Oak and Cherry streets from a central tower located on the right-of-way midway between the crossings. The council authorized officials to advise the railroad of its action in the matter.

The council acceded to the request of the North Western railway for permission to establish a joint gate operating tower with the Chicago, North Shore and Milwaukee railway at the North avenue crossing.

It is the opinion of the authorities that the present system of operating the gates at Oak and Cherry streets is the most effective in the interest of safety.

18 Ballots Are Cast in Winnetka School Election

A lamentably small vote was cast last Saturday in the Winnetka school election. Only eighteen votes were cast. Earnest S. Ballard was reelected President with 18 votes, while Mrs. Gertrude C. Lieber and Walter E. Shoemaker were reelected as members of the board with 17 votes each.