# THIS CHAP BUYS A WHOLE ISLAND

Charles A. Kinney of Adventure Isle Fame, Buys Big Strawberry

NEAR GREEN BAY

Plans to Establish a Boys' Camp There

Since the days of Robinson Crusoe In the gymnasium: Young Men at 7:30 is in the opera, a large number of parand Swiss Family Robinson, every boy has had dreams of some day owning an island. To at least one Winnetkan has this boyhood dream come true. During the past week Charles Rotary Club Dinner at 6:30. A. Kinney, director of Adventure Is- Community Drama Club invitation night the Music department, the acting by land Boys Camp, secured title to Big Strawberry, one of the largest islands Triangle Club at 8. in Green Bay. The island, which is American Legion at 8. heavily wooded and wild, is about a Chamber of Commerce Band at 8. mile and a half in circumference, and Modern Woodmen at 8. lies two miles from Fish Creek and a short distance off shore from the Peninsula state park and forest preserve. It was inhabited by the Indians many years ago, but during the past thirty years has been visited only by campers.

#### Will Establish Camp

Mr. Kinney plans to ultimately es- Camp Fire Girls at 4. tablish a camp for boys on the island. Motion Pictures at 4, 7:15 and 9 P. M. Its location makes it ideal for such Rotary Club Luncheon at noon. a purpose since it is ample in size, English Club Luncheon at noon. close to unlimited supplies, is but a English Classes for Foreigners at 8. few moments from a State park of American Legion Rehearsal at 8. nearly 4,000 acres of wild timbered land, with eight or nine miles of shoreline, and has the privacy which only an island can provide. The region in which the island is located is considered the most beautiful and picturesque section of Wisconsin.

Adventure Island Camp, which is located a short distance from Big Strawberry island will be continued in its present location for the next two or three years, during which time the new camp will be very carefully planned. Throughout the summer the boys will make frequent trips to the new island, and they will have a large share in the planning of the new camp. One of their first activities will be to make an accurate survey of the island, plan a harbor, locate piers, lay out an athletic field, and help plan the main log buildings.

Has Valuable Associates

Associated with Mr. Kinney in Adventure Island Camp are "Bob" Townley, scoutmaster and director of Boys' Work at Kenilworth, Deyo S. Leland, scoutmaster and head of the Physical Education department of the John Burroughs school, St. Louis, Robert Lakemacher of the Francis W. Parker school, with "Tony" Humphreys as part-time councilor in charge of camp dramatics.

During the present summer one of Mr. Kinney's scoutmaster assistants will organize a special five weeks' camp on Big Strawberry island for a small group of boys of scout age. The camp fee for this group will be placed at a figure that will bring it within the reach of almost any Boy Scout. The boys will be provided from the main camp with a cook, camping equipment, boats, and with every facility for making the summer a happy and successful experience.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Hicks, of the Ambassador hotel, formerly o Hinsdale, are planning to spend four summer months in Winnetka.

Mrs. Ralph K. Rockwood of Lincoln avenue, has just returned from a two weeks' visit in Vincennes, Indiana.

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#### COMMUNITY HOUSE CALENDAR

WEEK OF APRIL 28TH, 1924 Hear Ye! Hear Ye! Housewives of Winnetka! Don't forget the Camp Fire Girls Food Sale this Saturday morning (April 26th) in Community House. Here you will find delicious home-made bread, cakes, and all sorts of good things for your week-end table. The Camp Fire Girls will be glad to see you.

The Community Drama club presents to the public on Monday evening April 28th, the delightful comedy, "The Mollusc," with a very able cast. There is a small admission to cover merely the incidental expenses.

Monday, April 28

Business Men at 8:30 P. M. Folk Dancing for girls at 3:30. Kindergarten at 9:30. Walrus Club of Girls at 4.

at 8 o'clock.

Tuesday, April 29 In the gymnasium: Folk Dancing for Women at 9 A. M. Basket Ball at 4. Women's Class at 7:30. "Friendship Circle Class" at 8:30. Foreign Class at 9:30 P. M.

Wednesday, April 30 Kindergarten at 9:30. Art Class at 9. Small Boys' Gym class at 4. Camp Fire Girls at 4. Blue-Birds at 4. Community Drama Club in "The Mollusc" at 8.

American Legion, rehearsal at 8. Thursday, May 1 Art Class at 9 A. M. Kindergarten at 9:30. Bible Study Class at 1:30. New Trier Horticultural Society at 8.

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American Legion Rehearsal at 8. Community Drama Club at 8. Boy Scouts at 7:30.

Friday, May 2 Kindergarten at 9:30. Camp Fire Girls at 4. Motion Pictures at 4, 7:15 and 9. American Legion Rehearsal at 8. Saturday, May 3

Activities for Boys in the gymnasium from 2-6 P. M. Culver Military Academy Motion Pictures at 8 P. M.

#### Country Day Presents "Pirates of Penzance"

North Shore Country Day school girls and boys are presenting Gilbert and Sullivan's "Pirates of Penzance" this week in the gymnasium, the first performance on Friday evening, April 25, at 8 o'clock, and the second on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

ents and friends are 'expected; and as the opera itself is a popular one, rarely seen, many others will probably be on

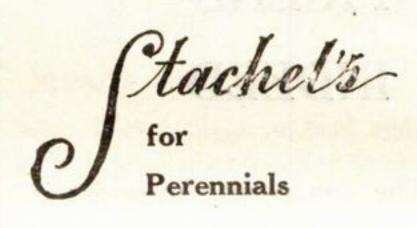
The solo and chorus parts have been Perry Dunlap Smith, headmaster, while the scenery has been painted by the children themselves under the direction of Mr. Knott of Hull House.

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day morning at 11 o'clock after an ill- completed early Friday morning.

ness of three weeks. Besides her husband she is survived by her three chil-Mrs. Robert W. De Pau, 724 Center dren: Robert, Dorothy and Raymond. street, passed away at her home Thurs- Funeral arrangements had not been

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# ADVENTURE ISLAND

A CAMP FOR BOYS

Directed by Charles A. Kinney

will have in next week's issue an important announcement for Boy Scouts and boys of scout age regarding a five weeks' camp this summer on Big Strawberry Island near Fish Creek, Wisconsin. The camp will be limited to a small group, and will be under the direction of a prominent Scoutmaster. The camp fee will be extremely moderate.

Details may be secured from

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