

## GIRLS ARRANGE BIG CAMP FIRE

Annual Grand Ceremonial  
Scheduled at Winnetka  
For May 29

PROGRAM IS HUMMER

National Field Secretary Will  
Be Present

Winnetka Camp Fire Girls are to have their annual grand ceremonial on the evening of Thursday, May 29, in Community House.

This meeting embodies much of the beautiful symbolism of Camp Fire. The candle-lighting ceremony, awarding of ranks and honors and the singing of Camp Fire songs make up a program which is outstanding for dignity and beauty. The girls are to be in ceremonial dress and will be in a large circle in the gymnasium around a real camp fire.

### Noted Leader Guest

Miss Edith M. Kemphorne, National field secretary, is to be the guest of honor and will give the Council Talk. She is stopping in Winnetka, on her way west, especially to be present at this council fire. She will have with her Miss Backhaus, the head of Camp Fire in England, who will bring the girls a greeting from that country. Dr. Norman E. Richardson of the department of religious education of Northwestern university, will bring his class of young women who have been studying Camp Fire methods with him, and they will receive their guardian's certificates from Miss Kemphorne.

The Camp Fire program stands for the home and out-of-doors. It stimulates the girls to do the things of the

home well and in increasing capacity, and to find joy in the everyday things of life. It develops, through its out-of-door program, a love of the great world outside. It works through a system of honors in the seven crafts—home craft, health-craft, business craft, patriotism, nature-craft, hand-craft. Its milestones are three ranks—Wood gatherer, Fire Maker, Torch bearer—each increasingly difficult to win. Its watchword is "Wo-he-lo;" the first two letters of Kork, Health, Love. It counts in its membership many hundreds of thousands of girls all over the world.

### 100 Active Members

Over a hundred Winnetka girls are active members of this organization and the program they will put on on the 29 is typical of what is being done in many Camp Fires. Owing to the limited seating capacity, admission will be by invitation ticket, only. The Camp Fire Girls wish to have present all who are especially interested and any not already reached are asked to communicate with Mrs. Wortley, Winnetka executive of Camp Fire, at Community House.

### Alleged Bogus Checker Sought By Local Police

Edward Paul Wetzel, until recently proprietor of a taxi business in Winnetka, is being sought by the local police on a charge of having obtained approximately \$1,000 from Winnetka merchants by means of alleged promiscuous distribution of bogus checks during the past six months.

Wetzel made a hasty exit from the village early this week when it became apparent that his alleged fraudulent practices had reached the ears of the local police, who, armed with a state warrant, have instituted a nation-wide search for the erstwhile cabby.

Wetzel came to Winnetka about six months ago, according to the police, and at once established a "checking account" in one of the local banks. He proceeded, then, to win the confidence of several merchants, it was said, with the result that they were relieved of sums aggregating \$1,000.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Krieg, 892 Ash street, are being congratulated upon the birth of a son last Saturday morning.

### Council Launches Fight On Mosquito Nuisance

The village council Tuesday of this week voted to adopt the recommendation of Dr. H. W. Moore, assistant surgeon for the Chicago North Western railway and a resident of Winnetka, for a campaign to exterminate the obstreperous mosquito.

In accordance with Dr. Moore's plan the village will be divided into districts, with captains in charge of the individual sections.

Dr. Moore was appointed chairman of a special committee to handle the campaign and which will comprise representatives of the various local improvement associations. Mrs. Mary A. Langworthy, chairman of the health and safety committee of the council, will represent that body on the committee.

By virtue of this comprehensive organization it is confidently expected that the source of mosquito breeding in the village will be eliminated.



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