POSTMASTERS CONFER

Meet at Luncheon With Heads of Other Government Bureaus in Great Northern Hotel

Thirty-five postmasters from the fifteen counties comprising the Chicago Federal Business Association zone in which the villages of Wilmette, Winnetka and Glencoe are included, attended a business meeting and luncheon held by the association at the Great Northern hotel, Wednesday of last week.

This is known as the seventh area and there were present at the recent meeting more than one hundred government officials, including, besides the postmasters, representatives of the various functioning bureaus in the district. This was the first time the postmasters have met with the other bureaus of the association. Wilmette was represented by Postmaster Joseph E. Shantz; Winnetka by Postmaster Elmer E. Adams and Glencoe by Postmaster Percy W. Armstrong.

The counties included in this area are Cook, Lake, McHenry, Boone, Winnebago, Ogle, Lee, DeKalb, Kane, Kendall, LaSalle, Will, Grundy, Du-Page, Livingston and Kankakee in Illinois and Lake and Porter counties in Indiana.

The United States is divided into seven co-ordinating areas, in each one of which is stationed a representative of the Chief Co-ordinator, designated as Area Co-ordinator. The Area Coordinators act as the Chief Coordinator's field deputies, in the Co-ordination of the various routine business activities of the Federal Government in their areas, to effect economies and greater efficiency by securing harmonious co-operation of departmental field agencies in transactions in which two or more departments are concerned, such as interdepartmental transfers of property, exchange of services, economical utilization of government owned buildings, transportation and stocks, and to recommend to the Chief Co-ordinator such measures within administrative control as in the opinion of the Area Co-ordinator will effect greater economy and increased efficiency.

North Shore Boy Leads in Intelligence Test

Of 800 freshmen who have just taken mental alertness tests at Northwestern university's College of Liberal Arts, two young men were the leaders and both were only 15 years of age. One was Charles W. Mac Sherry of Wilmette, a graduate of Loyola Academy, and the other was Louis Werner of Senn High School, Chicago. Among the ten who led in this rather difficult test, seven were men and three were women.

According to Director of Personnel Delton T. Howard, mental alertness tests for the entering class at Northwestern are employed merely as a means of enabling advisers and instructors to render the best service to individual students.

"Exceptionally bright students merit special treatment," he said "and those who are dull or slow must also have consideration. Northwestern's general intelligence scores will assist greatly in placing students in courses and sections where they can work to best advantage."

Charles W. Mac Sherry, Wilmette, who is younger than Louis Werner, of Chicago, by two months, was a leader although Mr. Werner's score was on a general par with Mr. Mac Sherry's. Both had excellent high school records.

Miss Frances Ranney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Royal W. Ranney, 1011 Oak street, will enter her sophomore year at Smith college. She left last week for Northampton, Mass.

