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Rotarians Hear Discussion of Rail Conditions

The importance of maintaining the standard of equipments of the railways in the United States was discussed by C. D. Morris of Chicago, representative of the Western Railways' committee on public relations, in an address before a meeting of the Winnetka Rotary club, which was held

Friday, March 11.

According to Mr. Morris, rapid and efficient operation of the railways and the present high average of efficiency on the part of railway employes can only be maintained by a continued investment in new and improved machinery. Some six billions of dollars have been invested in railway improvement in the past decade but this has been despite an apparent disposition of the American people to limit the ability of the roads to pay a fair return upon the capital invested in

In the year just closed, Mr. Morris stated, the western railways earned a return of but 4.45 percent upon the money which they have invested and this represented the highest figure which they have earned in the last six years. This situation must come to an early end, Mr. Morris continued, if railway investments are to continue.

Annual Mardi Gras Ball Given by Art Students

(By Robert O. Johnson)

The thirty-third annual Mardi Gras ball given by the Art Student's league took place on Tuesday evening, March 8. The pageant which provides the main entertainment of the evening was presented in the Goodman Memorial theatre. Under the direction of Roman Bohnen and Hildur Ouse, it took the form, this year, of a Carnival of the Ghouls, an adaptation of the medieval legend that on the night of Mardi Gras the King of the Ghouls shall be elected and choose his queen from the realm of the living. Against an appropriately colorful and weird setting the ghostly activities were effectively presented by the art students. After the performance there was dancing in the Hutchinson Wing of the Art Institute where the walls were decorated with grotesque masks and post-

TO ADDRESS LEADERS

Superintendent Washburne of the Winnetka schools will deliver two addresses before a meeting of the teach-Indiana, Saturday, March 12. The first lecture, in the morning, will be upon individual instruction while the second will be a consideration of some of the experimental schools of Europe. 12, between 10 and 12 o'clock.

LITTLE SYMPHONY IN CONCERT NEXT MONDAY

Helen Marie Freund to Be Soloist With Dasch Group at New Trier Auditorium

The New Trier Township Orchestral association announces the sixth concert of its winter series by The Little Symphony orchestra of Chicago, George Dasch, conductor, on Monday evening, March 14. The program, which will begin at 8:15, will be held in the au-

ditorium of New Trier High school.

Much interest centers in the appearance with the orchestra of Helen Freund, young and brilliant soprano of the Chicago Civic Opera Company. Miss Helen Freund Freund possesses a

colorature voice of beautiful quality and has, added to this, personal charm and sound musicianship. Her greatest successes with the Civic Opera company have been in the operas of "Pelleas et Melisande," "Hansel und Gretel," "Tales of Hoffman" and "Werther." She has frequently sung on the tours of Mr. Dasch's orchestra but this is her first appearance with the Little Symphony on the North Shore.

March 26 of this year commemorates the 100th anniversary of the great Beethoven's death, and Mr. Dasch will bring to performance the most popular of all the master's symphonies, the C minor, No. 5.

The complete program for Monday evening is as follows:

The Program

Marche Militaire Francaise Saint-Saens Symphony No. 5, C Minor, Opus 67 Beethoven Allegro con brio

Andante con moto Allegro-Finale Aria: "Ombra Leggiera" (Shadow

song), from "Dinorah" Meyerbeer Intermission

from "Rigoletto"Verdi A Southern Rhapsody Hosmer

OPENS PIANO CLASSES

Mrs. Helen Philleo Weston, who is conducting the Melody Way piano classes in a number of North Shore towns, will offer classes at the Winnetka Community House. Both classers of the public schools in Columbus, es for beginners and advanced pupils will be offered and anyone desiring to enroll in either division may make arrangements with Mrs. Weston at the Community House, Saturday, March

