

White Elephant Sale Regarded as Great Chance to Aid Church

A real opportunity is seen for members of the Winnetka Congregational church to help swell the building fund of that church through the approaching White Elephant sale, according to the Rev. James Austin Richards, minister of the church, who was interviewed on the matter this week. Mr. Richards said:

"In the great ages of church building in Europe, whole communities co-operated in the actual physical labor of creating the house of worship. Some could do much and some could do little. But because each one had bent his back to the work and done some necessary part of it, each one felt that the finished church was his own possession.

"In spite of changed conditions, such as the new speed of modern life and the sharp division of labor, the same community co-operation is still possible and no church is nobly built without it.

"Many people are eagerly asking how they can help in the building of the new Winnetka Congregational church. The White Elephant sale to be held in Community House May 4 and 5 is one answer to that question. Anyone who helps in the work of the sale and anyone who goes through his possessions to see what things he can contribute to it, is helping in the great work as truly as the merchants and the artisans of old who cut stone and mixed mortar. It is such co-operation that will make it possible when the church is done for everyone to say, 'It is my building.'"

Mrs. Samuel Ross, 257 Woodstock avenue, Kenilworth left Tuesday with her father, Alexander Hannah, for California to join her family. She will visit them for two or three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Belnap Hawkes of New York moved to Kansas City recently. Mr. Hawkes is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hawkes, 157 Kenilworth avenue, Kenilworth.

Boys Will Hold Boat Launching Again This Year



The annual launching and water celebration of boats built by Winnetka boys will be revived this year by Charles A. Kinney, director of Adventure Island Boys' camp. Up to the time Mr. Kinney left the Winnetka schools to take charge of the shops at the Francis W. Parker school, small boat building was one of the major activities in the school shops, and the annual launching was looked forward to by the pupils as one of the big events of the year, bringing out hundreds of spectators. At the last launching, held three years ago, moving pictures were taken of the Winnetka built boats and later shown all over the country, as a result of which a great many schools added small boat building to their shop activities.

This year Mr. Kinney plans to include in the launching, boats built by boys in Wilmette, Kenilworth and Glenocoe. The event will be held in Winnetka the first week in June, giving ample time for those boys who have not started their boats to have one ready in time for the launching. Complete plans for the event will be announced in Talk as soon as the final details have been arranged. Boys who need advice about their boats or the launching can reach Mr. Kinney by calling Winnetka 914. This 36-foot Viking ship was built on the Winnetka beach by nineteen north shore boys under the direction of Charles A. Kinney. The craft is a scale replica of the famous Gogstad ship which roamed the seas a thousand years ago.



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Pupils in Church School Hold Questions Contest

Pupils in the seventh grade of the Congregational church school divided into groups last Sunday and held a contest in "questions and answers." The questions, covering a period of two months in the study of the life of Jesus, were made out by Dr. Davies previous to the meeting and neither children nor teachers knew about them until the contest. The class of fifty-five was divided into three groups and the tilt ended in a tie, every question asked being correctly answered.

A few of the questions are as follows:

1. What did the Centurion want Jesus to do?
2. In what city did he see Jesus?
3. What was the result of the Centurion's confidence in Jesus?
4. To whose house was Jesus invited to dinner?
5. What did an un-invited guest do to Jesus?

MRS. BARTLETT TO BROADCAST

Mrs. Floy Little Bartlett will give a program of stories and songs Wednesday morning from 9 to 9:30 o'clock over WMAQ, the Chicago Daily News, for school children up to the fourth grade. She will be assisted by Mrs. Valona Brewer, violinist, and Mrs. Arthur Dean, pianist. The Chicago schools will show slides of composers about whom Mrs. Bartlett is to speak while she is giving her program.

SERVICE OF BAPTISM

Easter Sunday afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock at the Winnetka Congregational church, there will be a special service for the presentation of children for consecration and Christian baptism. Parents who are interested in this service have been asked to confer with one of the ministers of the church.

Mrs. Frederick Scott of 175 Sheridan road returns Monday from a five-weeks' trip to Summerville, S. C., Hot Springs, and Hot Sulphur Springs.

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