

**OPEN NEW TURF MECCA**

**Arlington Park Course to Be Inaugurated Next Monday; Held Finest of Its Type in America**

A gay social season in a bright autumnal setting will be inaugurated for Chicago's north shore and neighboring territory October 10 when Arlington park, pronounced the world's most magnificent racing plant initiates its opening.

Constructed by a master builder for the pleasure and comfort of lovers of outdoor sport, Arlington park will present a splendor which turf authorities agree surpasses the world's most famed courses.

With a board of governors including some of the nation's and Chicago's most notable sportsmen, a nineteen day turf season crowded with sparkling stakes, and a distinguished clientele assured, Arlington park officials anticipate an inaugural more brilliant than that ever accorded such an enterprise.

For Arlington Heights is to have a variety of outdoor sports. For the autumn meeting two courses will be used, one at mile and a furlong, another at a mile. With another season there will be completed a steeple chase where the fencers racing through the field will present this most spectacular phase of racing. Within this course will be included a polo field and adjacent to the courses will be two golf courses for entertainment of jockey club members and friends.

Already the spacious stables placed conveniently to the rear of the gigantic stand are receiving famous thoroughbreds ready for the tests of speed, endurance and fleetness.

For the thoroughbred and those who do him homage will find a new pleasure and comfort in the commodious plant established at Arlington Heights. Placed strategically at a point where the north shore's splendid highways converge, Arlington Park will be unveiled to appreciative thousands as the height of architectural beauty. Fashioned along the lines that so distinguishes famous Oriental Park in Havana, Cuba, its immensity is awe inspiring with an eight hundred foot grandstand and club house of five floors including every appointment and con-

venience for patrons. A terraced restaurant overlooking the course, elevator service, a spacious ballroom, special quarters for the polo devotees, an entire floor devoted for feminine fans and a mammoth garage placed conveniently beneath the stand are a few of the innovations which the governors are confident will astonish the patrons.

As fitting for the inaugural for a plant so pretentious the governors have devoted a major share of the opening day to a benefit for the Illinois Children's Home and Aid society, a deserving charity to which Chicago and north shore society has always shown a devoted interest.

With Mrs. Eller Borden Waller and Princess Cantacuzene as co-chairmen an influential committee of women are engaged in arrangements for an unusual fete with a tea dansant, a model show with Chicago debutantes appearing and feature dancing during the tea hour.

**Waltonians Outline Plans to Purify County Streams**

Representatives of thirty chapters of the Izaak Walton league of Cook county, including Wilmette and Winnetka, formed an organization to work for the immediate cleaning up of rivers in the county at a meeting at the national headquarters of the League in Chicago last Friday evening.

The work will be under the direction of the Clean Streams committee of the Cook county organization.

According to Thomas Ambrose, secretary of the Chicago chapter, the largest in the entire national organization, the Cook county project is the biggest and most constructive the league ever has undertaken.

Seth E. Gordon, conservation director of the league, and Dr. P. R. Blodgett, Chicago, representing the Illinois division, spoke at the meeting. Mr. Gordon outlined the plans of the league for a nation-wide campaign

based on the method to be used in Cook county.

The streams marked for immediate action are the DesPlaines, Salt Creek, Thorne Creek, and Little Calumet.

**GOES EAST FOR RUGS**

S. K. Jorjorian, manager of the Oriental rug department at Lord's, has left for the east to examine a large shipment of rugs just come from the Orient. He will make selections from it for Evanston and north shore patrons.

Miss Katherine Ranney of 1011 Oak street, who entered Knox college at Galesburg, Ill. as a freshman this fall, has been pledged to membership in Delta, Delta, a national social sorority.

Miss Dorothy Marweg of Irving Park spent last week-end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Noble of 1010 Oak street.



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