

Comes 5,000 Miles to Study Winnetka Method of Teaching

Miss Dorothy McKee, of Hollywood, Cal., fifth grade teacher at the Hubbard Woods school, has come five thousand miles from Hawaii to study the Winnetka method of public school teaching. Miss McKee has taught in the Hawaiian schools for seven years. She went to Hawaii in 1919, came back later to teach in the Los Angeles city schools, and then returned to the islands.

Miss McKee is in Winnetka as an exchange teacher, Mrs. Emma Goss, fifth grade teacher at the Horace Mann school last year having gone to Hawaii for two years. The exchange was arranged by Carleton Washburne, superintendent of the Winnetka Public schools, and Dr. Ross B. Wiley, of the University of California, who was instrumental in the establishment of the government experimental school in Honolulu where Miss McKee taught the eighth grade last year.

Sometime ago the territorial legislature of the Hawaiian islands set aside a sum for a bureau of education in the islands, realizing that there were many problems to be solved in the educational field. The bureau subsequently took over a school in Honolulu which was turned into the government experimental school. Miss McKee plans to go back to this school next year to aid in the solving of Hawaii's school problems.

New Real Estate Office Is Opened in Winnetka

A new Real Estate office has been opened on the north shore. Hokanson and Jenks who for several years have held forth on Davis street in Evanston have opened this new office at 746 Elm street in Winnetka. The office is in the Prouty building. The object is to serve better the growing clientele of the organization in an important field extending the facilities of its Evanston office. The new office is under the direction of P. J. Sexton who is assisted by F. C. Lathrop, Miss Katherine Birkin, and Miss Helen Slocum.

Hokanson and Jenks, Inc., also announce the appointment of James Withrow as manager of the department of rentals. This department is being re-organized on a larger scale with improved facilities.

The Hokanson and Jenks personnel now numbers fourteen persons.

Horace Mann 4th Graders Learn to Classify Rocks

Children of the fourth grade at the Horace Mann school under the direction of their teachers, Miss Mildred Julian and Miss Dorothy Eggert, have been making trips to the beach this week for the purpose of collecting rocks and learning how to classify them. The children are studying rocks as a classroom project.

DRIVE EAST TO COLLEGE

Fuller Dean, 441 Willow street, and L. Williams of Evanston left last Thursday to drive back to Yale. Stuart Boal, 701 Sheridan road, and George Massey, 705 Sheridan road, also left the same day to drive east. Stuart will go back to Harvard and George to Yale. The two groups will meet at Detroit and take the boat to Buffalo, then drive down to New York and finally New Haven.

BACK FROM EUROPE

Mr. and Mrs. Harold G. Wilson arrived in Winnetka last Sunday after spending the summer in the British Isles and traveling on the continent. They returned to their home, 475 Orchard lane, by way of Montreal and Quebec.

Family Returns to Find Household Goods Stolen

When Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Jacobs, of 368 Elder lane, returned to their home which they had rented for the summer, they found that servants whom their tenants had employed had carried away clothing and household furnishings that had been stored in the attic and which in value ran well up into four figures.

Officer Henry Luensman was assigned the case, and last Saturday Ray Schmidt and wife, of 518 Central avenue, Highland Park, were placed

under arrest and the missing property recovered.

The following Monday, Schmidt, when arraigned before Justice of the Peace R. E. Sinsheimer, entered a plea of guilty and was bound over to the grand jury. Mrs. Schmidt, who is ill, was taken to the hospital at Highland Park.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford McKeown of Hubbard Woods have returned from their summer place at Pentwater, Mich. Their daughter, Ann Winifred, has sailed for Europe where she is entering school in Switzerland.

Horace Mann Playground to Be Extended Westward

The Winnetka school board has purchased the Dwyer property adjoining the Horace Mann school grounds to the west, with the intention of using it for additional playground room for the children of that school. The house on the property will be removed when it is sold, but the grounds around it will be ready for immediate use as a playground. Later it is planned to build a terrace on the part of the property nearest the street. The shrubbery will be moved to beautify the school grounds.

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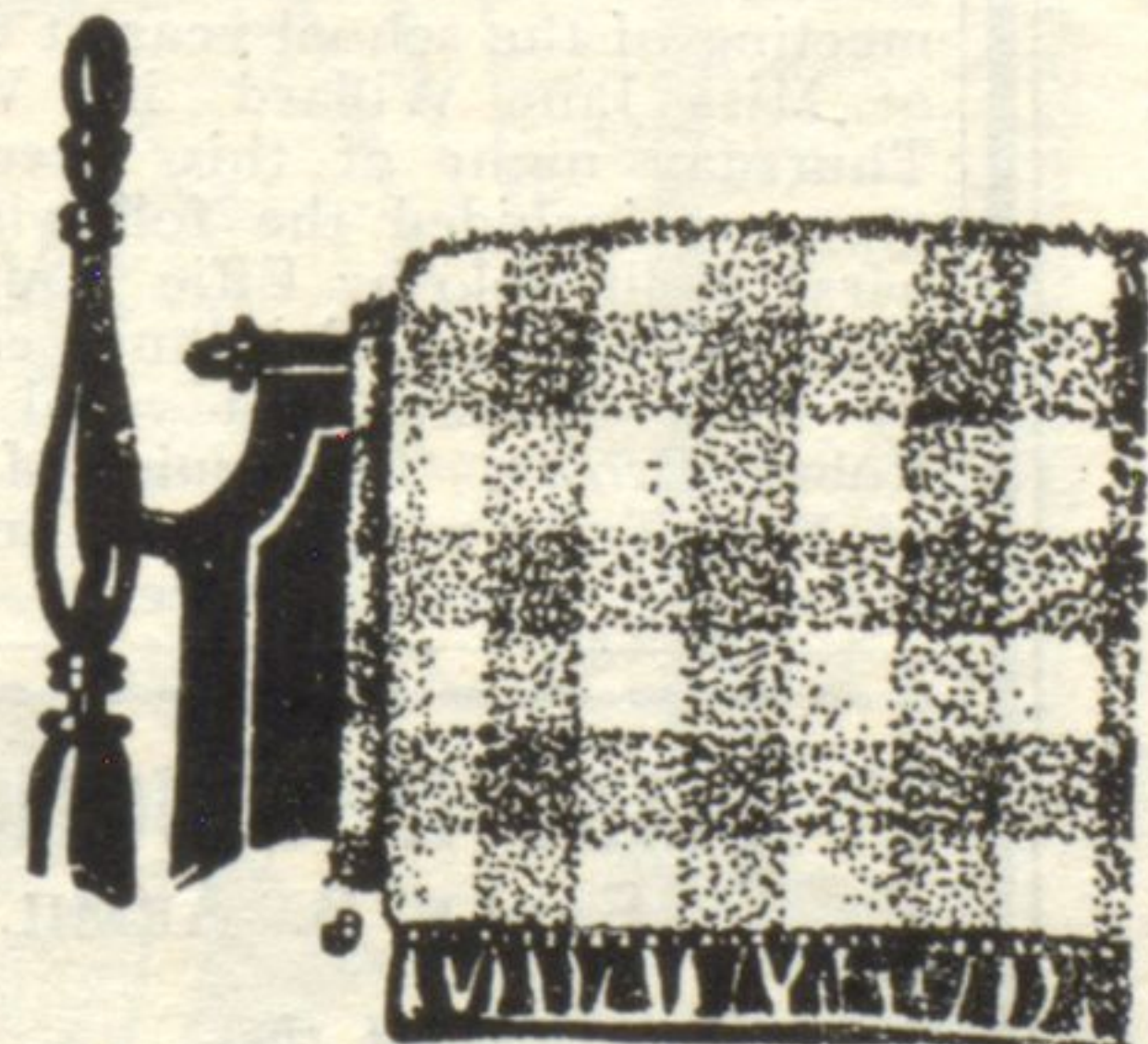
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