

### State Teacher Body Holds 75th Annual Session Next Month

The 75th Annual state meeting of the Illinois State Teachers' association will be held in Springfield December 27, 28, and 29, according to Supt. Carleton W. Washburne of the Winnetka schools. The attendance will consist chiefly of delegates from the fourteen divisions of the association chosen in proportion to their respective numbers of members. A part of the program will consist of the business of this large and active state organization.

A legislative program will be planned for presentation to the 56th General Assembly the next month. Some of the items on this program will probably be a minimum school term of eight months, higher qualifications for beginning teachers, means for encouraging larger school districts, a larger state distributive fund, more liberal support for the state teacher training institutions, and some means of equalizing tax assessment so as to prevent such chaos in tax affairs as now exists in Cook county.

It is generally agreed by those who have observed its work that the State Teachers' association is one of the most potent and helpful factors in Educational progress in Illinois. Various divisional meetings have been held during the past month.

### St. John's Lutheran

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#### Services

- 22nd Sunday after Trinity
- 9:30 A. M. Sunday school and Bible classes.
- 9:30 A.M. Confessional service for communicants.
- 9:45 A. M. First service and Holy Communion.
- 11:00 A. M. Second service and sermon.

#### Meetings

- Friday, November 2, at 7:45: Junior Walther league.
- Monday at 7:30: Choir rehearsal.
- Monday and Friday at 4: Classes for children.
- Tuesday at 7:45: Church council.
- Wednesday at 7:30: Boy Scouts, Troop 6.
- Thursday at 7:45: Bible Hour for Adults.
- Thursday at 8:45: Sunday school staff.

Now that the festivities connected with the twenty-fifth anniversary of our church are all over we can say that the services, as well as the social meetings which followed them, were enjoyed by all who attended them. There were an unusual number of visitors present from neighboring churches, and this together with the fine attendance of the members of St. John's more than taxed the seating capacity of the church at every service.

After the service on Thursday evening the Ladies' Aid and Missionary society together with the two Young People's societies sprang a surprise of their own on the pastor and his wife. Not to be outdone by the men of the church who had presented the pastor with a beautiful watch, these societies equipped the parsonage with the very latest in gas ranges, a gift to the pastor's family.

The Young People of the church have again received 300 packages of Wheatridge Christmas seals, each package containing twenty-five separate stamps. The proceeds from the sale of these stamps is used for charity cases at the Lutheran Sanitarium for consumptives at Wheatridge, Colo. The young folks have always disposed of these stamps very quickly, and we hope will do the same this year.

Christmas is a time of sending greetings. And since Christmas is essentially a Christian holiday, we have always maintained that the best kind of greeting cards for Christians to send on that day are those of a Christian character. It has been somewhat difficult to get these in the past, but very soon we shall have a supply of them at the church. Come and see them.

On Thursday afternoon and evening, November 22, the societies of the church are cooperating again to give their annual Christmas sale and supper. The various circles are working like bees to get the articles for their booths in shape.

### Fay-Cooper Cole to Tell About Pre-Historic Man

Man's story from the time of his first appearance to the dawn of history will be traced by Fay-Cooper Cole, professor of anthropology, University of Chicago, before the contemporary thought class of the Medill School of Journalism at Northwestern, the first of which will be given Wednesday, Nov. 7, and the second the following Wednesday.

In the first of his lectures on "Pre-historic Man," Prof. Cole will discuss the various types of fossil man with an accompanying study of the geological epochs to place them in their proper time sequence. The gradual evolution of man's culture from his first crude attempts to fashion flint implements up to the discovery of metals will be detailed.

Prof. Cole's lecture will be given in Commerce hall on the Evanston campus at 2 and on McKinlock campus at 7. The evening talk will be broadcast over W I B O.

Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Christopher, 705 Willow road, returned recently from a month's motor trip through Canada and the eastern states.



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