

NEW SUBURBAN LEAGUE LAUNCHES ACTIVITIES

Basketball Competition First on Schedule; Officials Taken From Member Schools

Activities of the newly organized League of Suburban High School were inaugurated this week with the holding of the first basketball game of the league's schedule between Evanston and Deerfield on Tuesday. New Trier, also a member of the league, was to meet Morton High this Friday.

The league, which consists of six schools—New Trier, Deerfield, Evanston, Oak Park, Proviso, and Morton—was organized last spring and a complete set of regulations drawn up governing all sport competition which is held under its auspices. Full arrangements of the league were not completed until after the schools had drawn up their 1928-1929 schedules, and it was decided to inaugurate its control with the opening of the basketball season.

At a recent meeting the complete roster of basketball officials was chosen for the 1928-1929 schedule. All are members of the faculties of the six schools in the league and are as follows: R. C. Carpenter and De Forest Snowley, New Trier; W. F. Zipoy and W. E. Einbecker, Deerfield; W. L. Johnson, B. B. Reeve, and W. L. Muehl, Evanston; H. C. Taylor and L. G. Schneller, Oak Park; H. L. Cooper and O. H. Matte, Proviso, and Floyd Wilson, Morton.

Red Cross Plays Santa to Vets; Also Camp Men

Fearful that Santa might forget some of the soldiers and sailors in this part of the country, the Chicago Chapter of the Red Cross decided it would provide for the service men this Christmas. The task was completed this week, after more than five hundred volunteers took part.

The presents to the men in the hospitals are the most elaborate. Every Chicago man in an army hospital in the midwest, and many who are permanently disabled and at home, on Christmas morning will receive a big square box labelled with his own name, and wishing him a Merry Christmas.

Inside the box he will find half a pound of fruit cake, a box of chocolate candy, a box of hard candy, a deck of playing cards, a box of nuts three packages of gum, cigarettes, a a box of cheese, raisins, shaving cream and talcum powder.

All the articles were purchased by the Red Cross and are of fine quality.

The boys at the camps will not be forgotten. Big cretonne bags—1556 of them for Fort Sheridan and 1635 for Great Lakes alone—filled with gum, cigarettes, cards, handkerchiefs, a comb and a housewife's kit will go to them.

Ex-service men at the Oak Forest Infirmary are being remembered by the Red Cross, as well. More than a hundred filled stockings will be sent to the inmates of that home.

The volunteer headquarters of the Red Cross have been thronged with workers packing these parcels. Early this week the job was finished and they were put in the mail.

BAHA'I LECTURE

At this holiday season, for the celebration of the birth of Jesus Christ, the topic of Dr. Vail's address at the Baha'i temple, Linden avenue and Sheridan road, Wilmette, will be:

"The Eternal New Commandment—the New Significance of Christmas." This fourth talk in the present series on Immortal Life, will be at 4 o'clock Sunday, December 23, in Foundation hall.

Christian Science Church

"God the Preserver of Man" was the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, December 16.

The Golden Text was, "As birds flying, so will the Lord of hosts defend Jerusalem; defending also he will deliver it; and passing over he will preserve it" (Isaiah 31:5).

Among the citations which comprised the lesson-sermon was the following from the Bible: "Thou, even thou, art Lord alone; thou hast made heaven, the heaven of heavens, with all their host, the earth, and all things that are therein, the seas, and all that is therein, and thou preservest them all; and the host of heaven worship thee" (Nehemiah 9:6).

The lesson-sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "When we wait patiently on God and seek Truth righteously, He directs our path" (p. 254).

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