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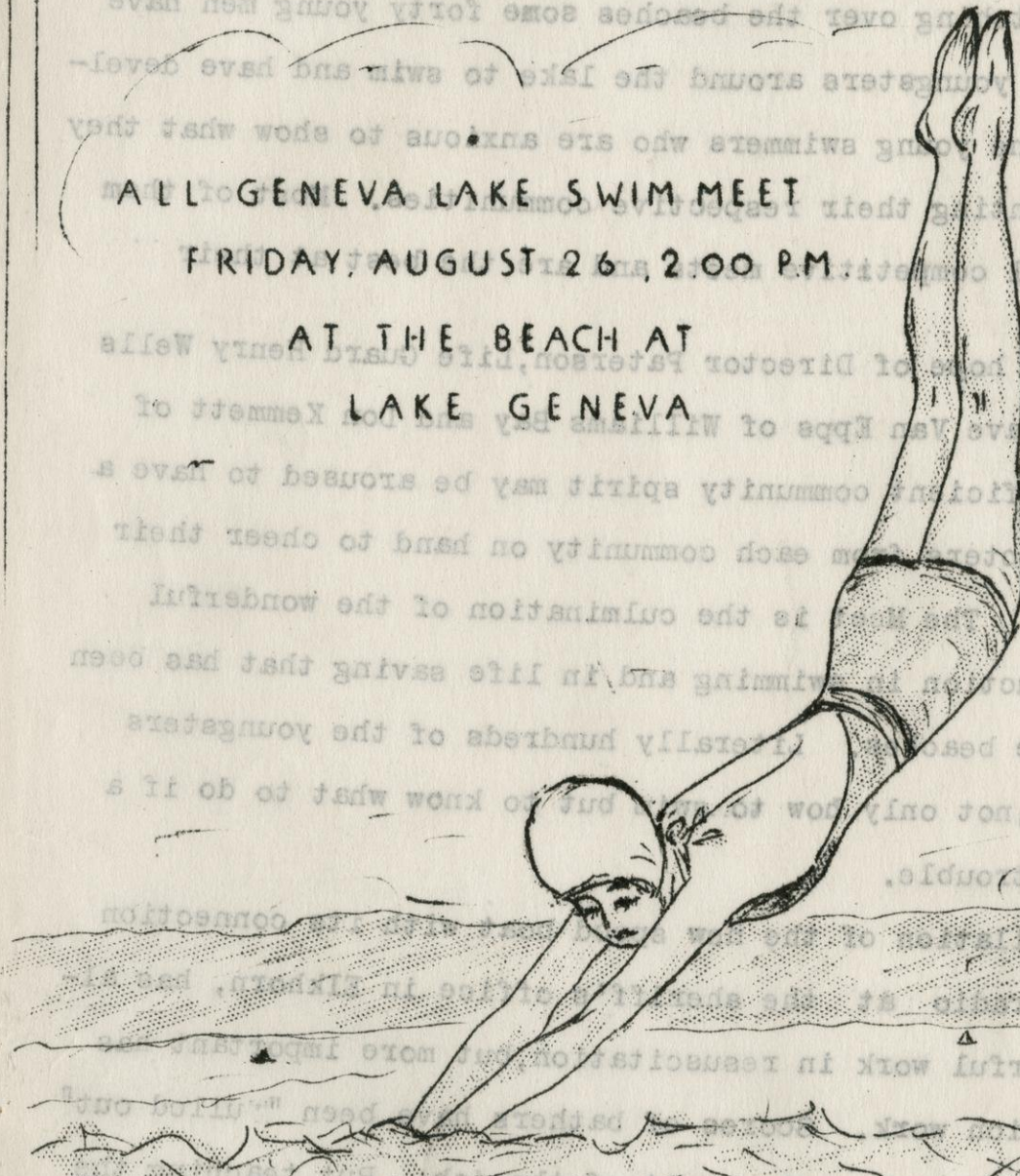
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ALL GENEVA LAKE SWIM MEET

FRIDAY, AUGUST 26, 2:00 P.M.

AT THE BEACH AT
LAKE GENEVA



ALL GENEVA LAKE SWIM - FRIDAY, AUGUST 26

Director H.C. Paterson, of the Water Safety Patrol says that everything is shaping up great for the All Geneva Lake Swim Meet to be held this year at Lake Geneva Beach, on Friday afternoon, August 26th.

Besides watching over the beaches some forty young men have been teaching the youngsters around the lake to swim and have developed some very fine young swimmers who are anxious to show what they can do in representing their respective communities. Most of them have been in local competitive meets and are the best at their beaches.

It is the hope of Director Paterson, Life Guard Henry Wells at Lake Geneva; Dave Van Epps of Williams Bay and Don Kemmett of Fontana, that sufficient community spirit may be aroused to have a large crowd of rooters from each community on hand to cheer their respective teams. The Meet is the culmination of the wonderful program of instruction in swimming and in life saving that has been put on at all the beaches. Literally hundreds of the youngsters have been taught, not only how to swim but to know what to do if a companion is in trouble.

The installation of the new speed boat with its connection with the Police radio at the sheriff's office in Elkhorn, has already done wonderful work in resuscitation, but more important has been the prevention work. Scores of bathers have been "pulled out" by the life guards as a routine part of the job. But teaching the boys and girls how to swim has been an important part of the work of the Water Safety Patrol and the Life Guards.

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CEDAR POINT PARK NEWS

Contributed by a Cedar Point Park Resident.

Fishermen will be happy to know that William Elliott, game warden in the Lake Geneva region, has again put fish into those waters. On Wednesday he released some 8,000 bass in the lake at Williams Bay, and a like number on the same day at Lake Geneva. Over 25,000 fish already have been deposited at Williams Bay this season.

Mr. Ben Adamowski, a member of the Illinois Legislature and speaker of the House, may become a resident of Cedar Point Park. Ben, a dynamic personage and outstanding lawyer, is a close friend of C.W. Beu of Cedar Point Park. He has visited Beu on several occasions and is keenly interested in the Park. Come on, Ben, we need men like you.

CORRECTION!— In this column last week a statement was made that Route 36 going thru Williams Bay, would be moved back of the station. This was incorrect. The present road will be moved back about ten or fifteen feet, but will remain in front of the station. This change is in connection with the beach-beautiful plan.

Mr. A.H. Furlong, whose home is on the Point, is so in love with Cedar Point Park that he and his wife plan to remain here until well late into November, they will then go south where he has interests in oil fields.

Important business elsewhere, it is said, is causing Mr. Otto Stoffregen to quit his beautiful home here on Labor Day. He has become a great sailboat enthusiast and is frequently seen at the yacht club.

Mrs. Feulner and Charlie Pattlock have added to the beauty of their home in Cedar Point Park, a lovely home, a wonderful flower

garden and fine lawn, they now have added the modernistic table, chairs and umbrella to the place.

Mr. H.S. Brackett entertained his son-in-law and friends at their home here over the weekend.

Mr. Glenn S. Reid, chairman of the grounds committee of Cedar Point Park has just erected street signs on the corner of Lincoln and Circle Drive. It was a confusing corner. Reid asks members of the Association to report to him anything of interest to the Association. "We aim to please our members," is the slogan of the Association.

Assistant States Attorney, Rotchford of Cook County, Illinois, entertained a number of his Chicago friends over the weekend. His mother, a grand, sweet, lady is greatly pleased with their home.

Emil Baumbach, whose beautiful home is near the point, again played host to some of his Chicago and River Forest friends. A beautiful home, a cabin cruiser, a speed boat, a sailboat, two outboards as well as a canoe were at the disposal of the guests. Needless to say they found Lake Geneva a great lake.

Talking about entertaining, the Moellers had a house full Sunday afternoon and were those pies good.

Let's make "Bay Leaves" the official paper of the Club. Most everybody gets it in the summer. It is published all year and has a lot of interesting news we like to read. Publisher Van Epps will be glad to send it to you at just enough to cover postage.

The Kuhlmanns had twenty-two of their friends from Elmhurst, Chicago and Freeport at their home on Circle Drive last Sunday.

Betty Marshall of Elmhurst is spending the week with Pauline Kuhlman.

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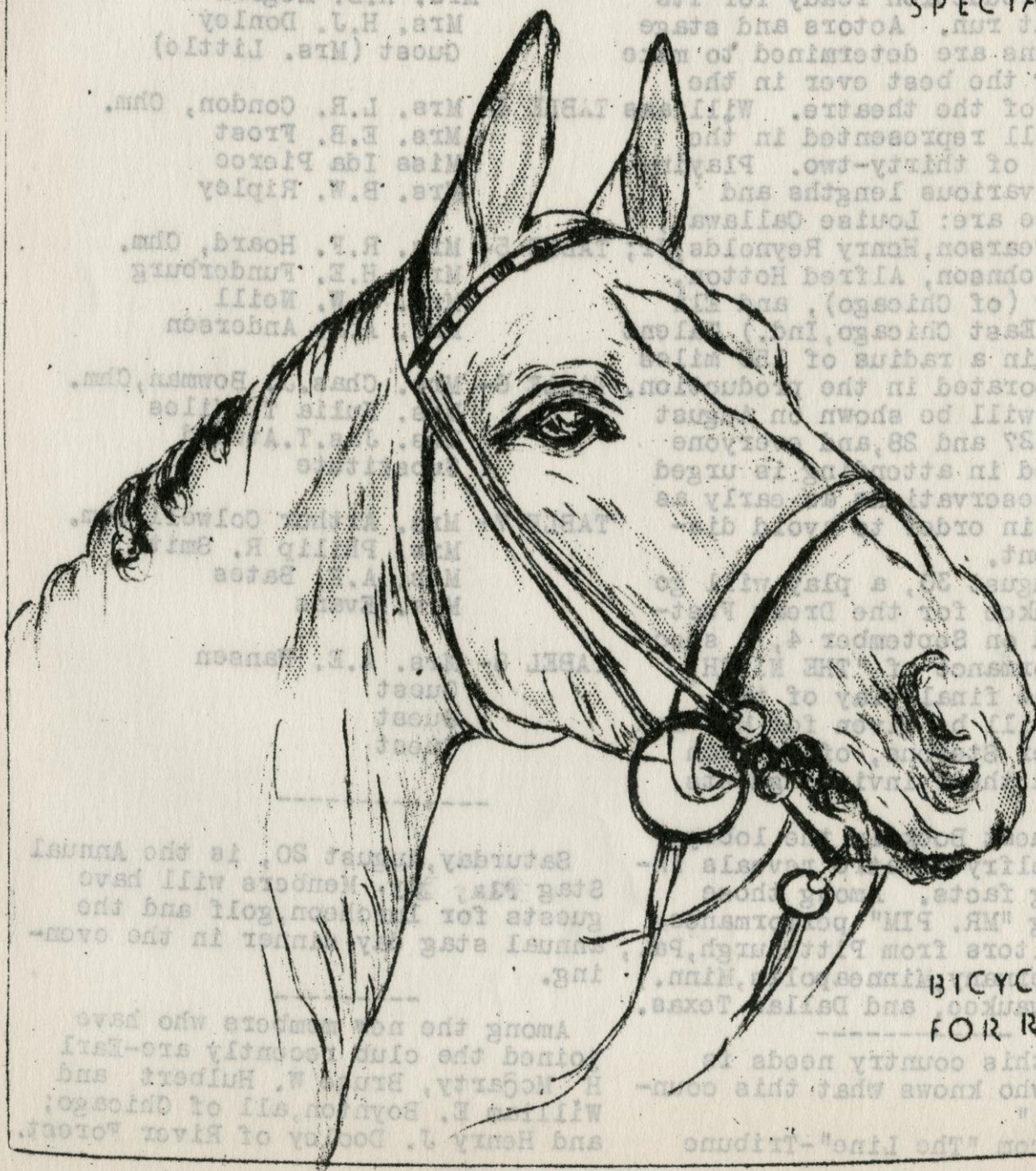
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LATEST BELFRY PLAY HAS FINE ATT - LADIES LUNCHEON and BRIDGE-AUG. 18
ENDANCE.

Audiences for the Belfry Players' productions this summer have been steadily growing, and "MR. PIM PASSES BY" is a fine example of what fine staging and fine acting will do to bring theatre lovers to the Belfry Theatre every other week. The two final performances were played to capacity houses.

With just six days left before opening night, "STAGE DOOR" personnel are working night and day to get the production ready for its five-night run. Actors and stage technicians are determined to make this show the best ever in the history of the theatre. Williams Bay is well represented in the huge cast of thirty-two. Playing roles of various lengths and importance are: Louise Callaway, Corinne Pearson, Henry Reynolds, Jr; Herbert Johnson, Alfred Hotton, Vera Rony (of Chicago), and Eli Popa (of East Chicago, Ind.) Talent from within a radius of 150 miles is incorporated in the production. The play will be shown on August 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28, and everyone interested in attending is urged to make reservations as early as possible in order to avoid disappointment.

On August 30, a play will go to Milwaukee for the Dream Festival, and on September 4, a special performance of "THE NINTH GUEST", the final play of the season, will be given for Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stevens, of Delavan Lake, and their invited guests.

The Guest Book in the lobby of the Belfry Theatre reveals interesting facts. Among those attending "MR. PIM" performance were visitors from Pittsburgh, Pa., Berlin, Germany, Minneapolis, Minn., Utah, Milwaukee, and Dallas Texas.

"What this country needs is somebody who knows what this country needs."

from "The Line"-Tribune

Chairman of the Day, Mrs. Julia Miles

TABLE 1- Mrs. W.A. Wade, Chm.
Mrs. John Little
Mrs. C.G. Frank
Mrs. L.L. Hebblethwaite

TABLE 2- Mrs. B.B. Bell, Chm.
Mrs. W.L. Hochschild
Mrs. Longwell
Mrs. F.A. Culhane

TABLE 3- Mrs. A.B. Saunders, Chm.
Mrs. H.B. Megran
Mrs. H.J. Donley
Guest (Mrs. Little)

TABLE 4- Mrs. L.R. Condon, Chm.
Mrs. E.B. Frost
Miss Ida Pierce
Mrs. B.W. Ripley

TABLE 5- Mrs. R.F. Hoard, Chm.
Mrs. H.E. Funderburg
Mrs. S.W. Neill
Mrs. A.N. Andersen

TABLE 6- Mrs. Chas. J. Bowman, Chm.
Mrs. Julia T. Miles
Mrs. Jas. T. Atwood
Substitute

TABLE 7- Mrs. Arthur Colwell, Chm.
Mrs. Philip R. Smith
Mrs. A.F. Bates
Mrs. Evans

TABEL 8- Mrs. A.E. Hansen
Guest
Guest
Guest

Saturday, August 20, is the Annual Stag Play Day. Members will have guests for luncheon, golf and the annual stag day dinner in the evening.

Among the new members who have joined the club recently are-Earl H. McCarty, Bruce W. Hulbert, and William E. Boynton, all of Chicago; and Henry J. Dooley of River Forest.



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Stories of 100 Years Ago Around Geneva Lake

Under the heading, "Sixty Years Ago," this series of articles giving reminiscences of pioneer life at the head of Geneva lake was written 40 years ago by Cyrus Church, pioneer settler, for The Observer, the first newspaper published in Walworth. The Walworth Times and Bay Leaves and Lake Geneva Observer, are cooperating in reprinting these interesting stories of early days.

PIONEER SURGERY

I have just been up to the city and spent the day seeing the wonderful business carried on in South Water street, looking at the magnificent buildings of our western metropolis, and spent some time in Rothschild's department store. I wondered how it is that so much wealth and business is centered here. What causes it to be so? I once hauled a load of wheat to Chicago. It weighed out a little less than 30 bushels, but was a heavy load in some places for a good team.

I sold it to Charley Walker for 48 cents a bushel, and it was No. 1 wheat too. I was gone four days. There was some little profit remained in Chicago from handling it, and so it is the many litters that have been received from the products of the farm that have made Chicago what it is today. I have hauled many loads of wheat and pork to Chicago, and so have many others from Walworth.

And now, to go back to Walworth, I will relate some of the early experiences of James VanSlyke, the first settler. I am writing to you about Walworth long before the name was applied to either town or county.

VanSlyke first moved to a place near Belvidere. From there he went to Geneva, where he lived for a little while and then moved to the head of the lake.

Make Track for Hogs

While at Belvidere he became the owner of some hogs, and left them there to hunt for their living. After moving to the head of the lake he wished to get them home; so, about Jan. 15, he got a young man to go with him and started after them with a pair of oxen. The snow was about six inches deep, and was thawing. They found the hogs all right and started for home. They hitched the team to a pole which they hauled thru the snow to make a track for the hogs to follow.

The snow was thawing so rapidly that the water commenced to run and they got quite wet. Suddenly it turned cold and froze so that it was difficult for the hogs to travel. As it was getting near night they were compelled to abandon all hope of getting the animals home, and to save their own lives, left the swine to their fate. The cold kept steadily increasing and darkness was coming on. They hastened along, following their team. Before they got to the end of their journey night settled around them, and the cold was intense.

At the top of the hill near home the young man gave out. He could go no farther, and lay down to sleep. VanSlyke could do him no good, so he left him and was soon at home. Two men happened to be there. He told them where his friend was, and said if they could not get him in soon, he would be dead.

Mrs. VanSlyke Operates

They took a lantern (it was made of tin punched full of holes, with a tallow candle inside) to follow the track to where the young man lay. They found him and got him in, but he was badly frozen.

He recovered, but one of his feet was frozen so badly that in a few days decomposition set in and it was evident that his toes must be cut off. There was no physician nearer than Chicago, so, from pure necessity, Mrs. VanSlyke did the job, amputating all the toes from one foot with her scissors and butcher knife.

You may think I am stretching things a little, but the truth is, the real facts won't bear much stretching. The owner of that foot, Nathan Disbrow, now lives in Harvard, and the foot, with the toes gone, can be seen there. He is a little older than I am, and came to this section before I did. He lived in Illinois most of the time and I have had very little acquaintance with him.

Not long ago I called on him and we talked the matter over. We agreed, for the most part, in our remembrance of the affair, but he said he pried the toes off with a chisel instead of Mrs. VanSlyke taking them off. He ought to know better than I, for he was there and I was more than 500 miles away at the time. However, I do not think there was a chisel near there at the time. I got my information from VanSlyke and his wife.

No Corn Grown in County

VanSlyke still had a desire to get his hogs home, and went after them again. They had turned about and tried to get back to where they started from, but, of the original 15, all had died on the way, except an old black sow and two shotes. VanSlyke took these home and they soon learned to "root hog or die," for there had not yet been a kernel of grain grown in Walworth county by white men.

The old sow had her ears and the sides of her face frozen so that the flesh sloughed off, and when it healed up, it was solid on the sides of her head and over her ears. No hair grew there, and she was stone deaf. She was of the "razor-back" kind naturally, and—well, I shall not try to tell you what a nice looking animal she was.

In course of time she had a litter of eight pigs. They soon learned to get a living from acorns and such things as they could find. These were the first hogs in the town of Walworth.

VanSlyke had a yoke of oxen, two cows, and one heifer. They were very poor as they had to live on slough hay, cut about the last of September or the first of October. These were the first cattle in Walworth, but milk was out of the question. There were no fowls of any kind yet, and not a horse nearer than Delavan or Geneva, and very few at that.

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UNIQUE EXHIBIT BY SCHOOL OF NATURAL SCIENCE AT SHOW

The School of Natural Science which was held at Williams Bay in July had an unique exhibit at the Lake Geneva Flower Show. It was a collection of mosses and rocks carefully gathered by students of the school during a three-day field trip to Wisconsin Dells. Miss Eugenia Smith, assisted by Simone Van Biesbroeck, assembled these rocks and mosses to form a miniture replica of one of the narrow canyons to be found at the Dells. The four main classes of mosses represented were carefully labeled, and quite a successful attempt was made at a scientifically correct arrangement of plant life and rock formations. So far as the exhibitors know, this is the first moss exhibit ever to be shown at any flower show.

A special award was given by the judges, with the comment, "Delightful as well as educational".

PUPILS OF GENE EICHAR FURNISHED MUSIC

Gene Ichar, who is directing the Lake Geneva Band on Thursday nights at the Park, had charge of the music at the Flower Show.

Several members of his Accordion Band played in the patio in the afternoon and evening programs. Gene played some solos as did Miss Marian Wold, a guest of the Eichars from Beloit.

From the applause the band was very much appreciated.

6 SHADOW BOXES IN MAIN HALL

The shadow boxes in the main hall did not have the names of the exhibitors displayed this year.

From left to right the exhibitors were Mrs. E.B. Frost, Mrs. E.H. Maytag, Mrs. Harry Macdonald, Miss Edith Kohlfaat, Mrs. Frank Porter. The blue ribbon went to Mrs. Porter,

the red ribbon to Mrs. E.B. Frost. A special mention was made to Mrs. Robert Tarrant for the four boxes at the top, which were not entered in the contest, but filled for decorative purposes.

VEGETABLE SHADOW BOXES

To Mrs. A.P. Lovejoy went the purple ribbon for the special mention given by the judges of the Vegetable Shadow Boxes at the Flower Show.

Miss Cabbage, exhibited by Miss Edith Kohlfaat, won the blue ribbon. She was made of red and green cabbage with Summer squash for head and arms.

Mrs. W.F. Petersen's arrangement of tomatoes drew a red ribbon.

While Mrs. F.J. Clifford's attractive display of onions won a yellow ribbon.

ACCESSORY PRIZES

Those winning the prizes at the accessory booth were:

Dr. E.R. Downing, a garden wheel barrow; Mrs. W.C. Grunow, an iron bench, and to Mrs. O' Connor of Country Club Estates a beautiful tray. Mrs. Henry Bartholomay was awarded the turkey, which she very kindly donated to Holiday Home.

The very beautiful and artistically arranged shadow boxes in the fruit booth, presided over by Mrs. E.N. McDonnell and Mrs. A.P. Lovejoy attracted much attention and favorable comment. The large green North Carolina pottery strawberry jar planted with Everbearing strawberries, exhibited by Mrs. E.N. McDonnell, the strawberries were grown on the McDonnell estate.

Bunches of hothouse grapes in a large bowl, exhibited by Mrs. Simeon Chapin, Jr.

Watermelon, grapes and nectarines on ice, exhibited by Mrs. W.P. Finney.

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PERSONALS

Williams Bay

Mr. and Mrs. E.N. Hendricks and John, Elm street, expect to leave on Saturday for a week's fishing trip to Rice Lake in northern Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Werner and Florence and Arthur left last Monday for a two week's vacation trip in northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. L.H. Dall, Cedar Point Park and little daughter, Elaine left to-day (Thursday) to go to Minoqua in northern Wis., to be gone until the first week of September. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kamen of Chicago will occupy their home during their absence.

Mr. John Brennan and other officers of the Town of Linn were in Williams Bay last Monday consulting with Fire Chief Victor Hansen as to fire engines. He states that Linn will purchase a new engine and have it stationed at Lake Geneva. Williams Bay will answer calls to certain designated sections. He also stated that the Town of Linn was going ahead and blacktop the Snake Road this fall.

Mr. W.A. Hausknecht, a representative of the American Red Cross, from St. Louis, the national headquarters, was a visitor around the lake last Monday, spending the day with H.C. Paterson and the local Red Cross Committee. His mission was to study the matter of having a three to five day Water Safety Instruction Course at Lake Geneva next summer. He toured the lake on the Water Safety Patrol Boat, stopping at all the public beaches.

Mr. Arthur Mathis and wife of Des Moines, Iowa, were guests at the Hotel Normandie last Saturday. Mr. Mathis was the contractor for the Water Purification Plant built at the Bay last fall and winter, and had been so impressed with the village that he wished to have Mrs.

PERSONALS (Cn't)

Miss Anna Lee and Miss Burr of Milwaukee, left last Friday to go to Myrtle Beach, S.C. for a vacation stay of a few weeks. They will live in "Yupondunes" cottage on the S.B. Chapin winter estate.

Mrs. F.J. Martin, St. Louis, came Tuesday for a visit with her sisters, Mrs. L.H. Hennes and Mrs. F.M. Van Epps.

Col. John E. Atkins attended a meeting of the Cantigney Post of the American Legion in Chicago last Thursday. Plans were made for holding the annual picnic on August 28 at Cantigney Woods near Macgrange, Ills.

Rev. and Mrs. Victor Keiser attended the wedding of Miss Virginia Munro and Mr. Robert Hansen, both of Chicago, at Conference Point on last Thursday evening.

On last Saturday afternoon while Mr. Carl Bjorge Sr. was cruising on the lake in his motor boat he noticed a young couple floundering about in the water as if in distress and went to their rescue. They had been diving from a sail-boat and then swimming back to the boat each time, but as the waves were very high and they were in very deep water, they had become almost exhausted when Mr. Bjorge reached them and succeeded in rescuing them. This is the second occasion on Lake Geneva that we know of where Mr. Bjorge has acted in heroic rescue work, thus saving the lives of swimmers and iceboat riders in distress.

William (Bill) Bates spent last Friday with his mother, Mrs. Richard Bates in Chicago, who returned to the Bay with him for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Milne in Summer Haven. Billy will enter the University at Madison as a Sophomore, in September.

Mathis visit here.

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RIBBONS AT THE FLOWER SHOW

Alex Gardiner at Ryerson Estate received one first.

Raymond Niles (Lefens) received 1 first and 1 second.

John Scobie (Borg Farms on Delavan Lake) took one first.

John Kerwin, the new Foreman at Jerseyhurst, received one 1st and one 2nd.

There may be some ribbons not mentioned. If so they will be put in next issue.

The proceeds of the Show for the two days - \$1800.

Ude Immega, gardener for E.N. Mc Donnell on North Shore exhibited a tomato vine, five feet tall with over 40 tomatoes set on it.

Miss Edith Kohlsaat carried off the breakfast set which was given as a prize.

Mrs. Frank Rehm gave the cake which she won to Holiday Home.

HOLES IN ONE PLENTIFUL AT COLLEGE CAMP GOLF COURSE

For the first time in many years, two holes in one have been scored in one season at the College Camp Golf Course. On July 21, Bert Alfvan, a 16 year old golfer, scored a "dodda" on No. 14, a 195 yard hole. Gus Pieper, the 1937 Club

EXPECT LARGE CROWD AT V.F.W. PICNIC AT BAY SUNDAY

The Veterans of Foreign Wars and their families will descend on Williams Bay in full force on Sunday, August 21st.

They will come from Milwaukee, Kenosha, Janesville and many other Southwestern Wis. cities.

There will be a band from Milwaukee, Drum Corps from Kenosha, Drill Teams, etc.

The Installation of the local Post officers will be held at 1.30 Villagers are invited to it.

There will be games also for youngster. In fact it will be a real picnic. It will be held in Edgewater Beach Park.

Champion, made a hole-in-one, on August 10th, on No. 5, a 139 yard hole.

PROPOSED NEW VILLAGE PLAN TABLED

At a meeting of the Directors of the Geneva Lake Home Owner's Protective Association held on Saturday, August 13, the proposed incorporation of a new twin village in the Township of Linn was discussed. It was unanimously agreed that it is unadvisable for the Association to encourage or promote the plan at this time. It was agreed that the aims and requirements of those who fostered the idea could in all probability be satisfactorily attained by a closer cooperation with the officials of the Town of Linn.

W. M. Spencer, President

HERE ARE THE FACTS ABOUT THE SWIM MEET ,FRIDAY AUGUST 26 at 2 p.m.

It is the Eighth Annual Swim Meet.

It will be held at Lake Geneva beach near the Riviera on Friday afternoon, August 26th at 2 p.m.

Who will participate? Swimmers from Williams Bay, Fontana and Lake Geneva who have been in tryouts at the various beaches.

Officials: Announcer - R.E. McNally of Lake Geneva. Starter and referee- H.C. Paterson. Judges: Ned Merriam of Lake Geneva, Roy Johnson, Williams Bay, John Featherstone and M. Quinn of Fontana. Clerks - Mrs. H.C. Paterson, and Stuart Le Gault. Honorary Judges - S.B. Chapin, Col. J.E. Atkins, Harold Foote, Walter Ledger and John Brennan.

Mr. Garrett W. McKee has very kindly offered his boat "Doreen" for use of the Water Safety Committee and friends.

The Water Safety Committee: S.B. Chapin, Chairman; Emily S. Ryan, Sec'y-Treas; Walter M. Ledger, Joseph F. Ryan, Glenn Hoffman, Arthur B. Jensen, Fred Taggart, Mrs. Lawrence Hollister, John Brennan, J.E. Atkins, Harold Foote, H.B. Bentsen, Mrs. Earl Nelson, Ernest Liechty, Mrs. Maurice Durkee, Mrs. Weber Smith.

Awards will be given as follows:

Beautiful Silver Cup to winning team to be held by the Life Guard. Swimming trophy to high point girl. Swimming trophy to high point boy. 1st, 2nd and 3rd place medals in all events, gold, silver and bronze. Bradley swimming suits donated by Bradley Knitting Co. of Delavan will be given in eight of the events.

Let's be sure and attend this meet to root for our teams.

Why not a Chartered Boat all dolled up for the occasion?

THE TAMARACK BOG AT SHOW

One of the interesting exhibits at the flower show was the Tamarack Bog placed there by Mr. George Fred-eric Morse, Jr. in memory of Mrs. Charles L. Hutchinson from specimens found in Wychwood, now owned by the Botanical Department of the University of Chicago.

The exhibit had a pond, with sides sloping upward into moraine formation.

The Bog contained Tamarack trees, Poison Sumac, Sphagnum Moss, Cranberries, Pitcher Plants in bloom, Ilex, Blueberries, several different specimens of Ferns, Cardinal Flower, Iron weed and several different grasses.

The Pond contained white and yellow pond lilies, arrowhead in bloom, two turtles, twelve frogs, mussel, minnows and water grasses.

The Moraine contained, red and white Baneberry, Jack in Pulpit, Poison Ivy, Blackberry vines, Thistle, Vermain, Deadly Amantia Mushroom, Sulphur fingers, Coral Mushroom, Toadstools, Pheasant's nest, Warbler's nest with Cowbird's egg in it, Meadow Larks's nest, two live spotted Salamanders.

Mr. Morse was at the exhibit most of the time giving lectures on the exhibit.

One of the attractions in the main room at the Show was the fine exhibit of natural planting at the North end of the hall.

Max Vold, Gardener for Mrs. Robert Tarrant, with her assistance had arranged a very beautiful group of mosses, ferns, flowers, etc. found in their natural state by the beautiful brook, which runs through their estate at Buena Vista in Fontana. A little brooklet trickled down the stones in the exhibit giving a refreshing feeling on a hot day, to the spectators.



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WILLIAMS BAY.

LUPUS BARN DANCE

The Lupus again came forth with a gala party. This time it was a barn dance held at the Fridland farm in Williams Bay. About fifteen couples were present, dancing to the music of the Ambassadors of Swing.

The Lupus wish to acknowledge the courtesy that Mr. Fridland showed in letting them use his barn, and also Mrs. Karen Steele for the use of her piano for the orchestra.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Meyer returned to their home in Clayton, Mo. after having visited Mrs. Meyer's sister, Miss Marta Ibsen in Cedar Point Park. Mr. Harry Kaskey of Chicago, was also a visitor.

Mrs. Belle Jenks Lund has been spending the past month at the summer art colony at Saugatuck, Mich. She expects to return in a few weeks to her home in Cedar Point Park.

MUNRO- HANSON NUPTIALS

Miss Virginia Munro, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Harry C. Munro, River Forest, Ill. became the bride of Robert Barclay Hanson, son of Mrs. Hazel H. Mendenhall of Rockford, Ill. on last Thursday evening, August 11 at 7 o'clock, at Conference Point.

The ceremony was performed by the bride's father, Rev. Harry Munro, assisted by Rev. Raymond E. Mendenhall, stepfather of the groom.

The bride, dressed in white not with a floor length veil, carrying an arm bouquet of white calla lilies, followed her two bridesmaids, down the aisle unattended to the Lohengren Wedding March played in the Chapel. The bridesmaids, Rosie Munro, a sister of the bride, wore a yellow organdie dress, Doris Handon, a sister of the groom, wore a gown of aqua lace. Both carried arm bouquets of salmon pink gladioli.

FRUIT SHADOW BOXES AT GARDEN SHOW
(Cn't)

A painted poster of a Pickaninny holding a slice of watermelon and his mouth open, was quite unusual and true to life. Done by Miss Nancy Philip, niece of Mrs. A.P. Lovejoy, was an attractive and unusual shadow box.

EVELYN BLODGETT and WILLIAM ROGER PETERSON ARE WED

Evelyn Grace Blodgett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Blodgett, of Delavan, and William Roger Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Peterson of Chicago, were united in marriage at the Gospel Tabernacle parlor, Saturday evening, August 13, at eight o'clock. Rev. R.K. Kinney performed the ceremony in the presence of immediate relatives and friends.

The bride wore a gown of white silk crepe. The bridesmaid, Miss Charlotte Hart of Delavan, wore a beige silk dress. Roy Solberg, Chicago, was best man. Following the ceremony, a wedding dinner was served at the Vander Bosch Farm restaurant for the bridal party and guests.

The groom's parents have a summer home in Wms Bay on Cherry and Orchard St. and were married in Williams Bay twenty-three years ago when Mrs. Peterson was Miss Elizabeth B. Larsen.

The groom is engaged in the insurance business where they will make their home on North Springfield Ave.

Anna Laura Gebhardt, a sister of the bride, played the cello before the ceremony.

A reception at Oak Lawn followed the wedding.

The groom is a radio announcer. They will make their home in Rockford, Ill.

At Line Forks, Ky. Oscar Simms, 62, is married to Miss Ossie Collins, 17. (No. 5 for Oscar)

CHURCHES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Williams Bay

Rev. Victor Keiser, Pastor

Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship 10:45 A.M.

Mr. I.B. Davies, Secretary of the Bradley Knitting Co., Delavan, will be the speaker at the Sunday morning Worship Service, August 21. He is a well known speaker and much in demand as a layman speaking in a sincere turn of mind. His subject will be "Sponging On Our Ancestors". Everyone is welcome to these services.

Mrs. Ralph McDonald will be the soloist.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE

Williams Bay

Rev. R.K. Kinney, Pastor

Morning Worship 10:30
Bible School 11:30
Classes for ALL ages, and
ALL welcome.

Junior Young Peoples 7:00
Mrs. Marion Anderson, Supt.
Senior Young Peoples 7:00

Evening Service 8:00
A "Sacred Song and Story" program conducted by a Quartet of Wheaton College and Academy young people. Vocal soloist is Jason Walker, who has had three and a half years experience as a radio soloist. Violin soloist is Donald Kuffman, whose parents are missionaries in China; pianist is Miss Betty Whitaker, who is accomplished on this instrument; and the speaker Edward Dalglish, who was a pastor for three years, is now finishing his education at Wheaton College. Everyone is heartily welcome to come and enjoy this service.

Wednesday Prayer and Bible Study at 8 o'clock. Come and bring your

Bible and a friend.

Saturday, August 20, the Summer Rally of the Chicago District Choir and Young Peoples League will be held in the Gospel Tabernacle. The first service will begin at 5 p.m. with song, testimonies, and special music, following which the Rev. Joseph Swan, Chicago, will bring a message from the Word of God. The evening service will be at 7:30. The Rev. Ray Schulenberg of Chicago will lead the singing and the Rev. Robert Kinney, Wms. Bay, will bring the message.

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Fontana, Wis.

Rev. A.G. LaMar, Minister

Sunday School 10 A.M.
Morning Worship 11 AM.

ST. BENEDICT CATHOLIC CHURCH

Fontana, Wis.

Rev. J.F. Manley, Pastor

SUNDAY MASSES at 7:30- 8:15-9:00-
9:45 and 10:30 A.M.

THE CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMMUNION

Lake Geneva

The Rev. H.A. Batchelder, Rector
Sunday Services
7:30 A.M. Holy Communion
9:30 A.M. Church School
11:00 A.M. Choral Eucharist
Mid-week Service- Thursday, 9 A.M.
Holy Communion.

It is the intention of the government of Quebec in their building program to give special attention to the "little red school house for in these schools more than 400,000 children are educated.

SPRAGUE THEATRE- ELKHORN, WIS.	GENEVA THEATRE- LAKE GENEVA, WIS.
Thurs-Fri- August 18-19 LORETTA YOUNG, RICHARD GREEN in "FOUR MEN AND A PRAYER" (Unmasking the munitions makers).	Continuous Shows Daily from 2 P.M. Matinee Prices 25¢ to 6 P.M. Ex Sunday Continuous from 1 P.M. Sunday
Saturday- August 20 Pat O'Brien, Dick Powell, Priscilla Lane in "COWBOY FROM BROOKLYN"	Fri-Sat- August 19-20 THE DEAD END KIDS in "LITTLE TOUGH GANG" Lone Ranger No. 14-Free Karmel Korn ----- GALA HOLLYWOOD PREMIER, Sat.-20 at 11:30 P.M. "MARIE ANTOINETTE"
Sun-Mon- Aug- 21-22 Martha Raye, Bob Hope, Betty Grable in "GIVE ME A SAILOR"	Sun-Mon-Tues-Aug- 21-22-23 Pre-release Midwest Showing (Regular Prices) Engagement Gigantic Spectacle NORMA SHEARER- TYRONE POWER in "MARIE ANTOINETTE" with John Barrymore
Tues- Wed- August 23-24 Virginia Bruce- Herbert Marshall Mary Astor in "WOMAN AGAINST WOMAN" (Story of many small American Communities)	Wed-Thurs- August 24-25 Edw. G. Robinson in "THE AMAZING DR. CLITTENHOUSE" ----- Martha Raye- Bob Hope in "GIVE ME A SAILOR" Screen Tests Bathing Beauties shown on Screen
<p>CLASSIFIED ADV.</p> <p>FOR SALE- Row Boat-6 months old. \$50.00- Call 1266-J-2.</p> <p>-----</p> <p>FOR SALE- Pickling Cucumbers. Mrs. Geo. Yanke- 1237-R-2- 1 Mi. North Williams Bay.</p> <p>-----</p> <p>WILLIAMS BAY PUBLIC SCHOOL</p> <p>Bids will be received before noon Saturday, Aug. 20, for re- pairing the sky-light over the gymnasium. The work includes removing the old putty, replacing broken glass, and reset with steel sash-putty so as to guarantee a watertight job for at least 1 yr. The work must be finished before Labor Day. G. Van Biesbroeck District Clerk</p> <p>-----</p> <p>DELAVAN THEATRE- DELAVAN, WIS. (Cont.) Wed-Thurs- August 24-25 Shirley Temple in "LITTLE MISS BROADWAY"</p>	
<p>DELAVAN THEATRE- DELAVAN, WIS.</p> <p>Matinee Sat- at 2 P.M. Continuous Sunday & Holidays Matinee Prices-25¢- Ex Sunday Kiddies 12 or under 10¢</p>	
<p>Fri-Sat- August 19-20 Joan Bennett- Randolph Scott in "THE TEXANS" and the Mauch Twins in "PENROD'S DOUBLE TROUBLE"</p>	
<p>GALA HOLLYWOOD PREMIERE- Sat-20 at 11:30 P.M. "MARIE ANTOINETTE" ----- Sun-Mon-Tues- August 21-22-23 Pre-Release Midwest Showing Regular Prices Norma Shearer- Tyrone Power John Barrymore in "MARIE ANTOINETTE"</p>	

-CORRECTION -

In the Issue of BAY LEAVES and Lake Geneva OBSERVER on August 11, we stated that Harold Stuckel, 20, of Chicago, who was nearly drowned while swimming near the Lake Geneva Yacht Club last Tuesday, was revived by the Water Safety Patrol.

The young man was rescued as he sank for the second time while swimming from a boat back to the pier, by Raymond McGuire, Walworth, an employee in the office of the Geneva Lake Boat Co. who heard his crys for help and jumped in after him rescuing him in eight feet of water.

Blake Burton, Williams Bay, of the Geneva Lake Co. called the sheriff's office, who in turn relayed the call to the Patrol Boat at the pier in Lake Geneva. McGuire had revived Stuckel by the time the boat reached the scene.

APPROVE EXCURSION BUS FARES TO
LAKE GENEVA

Authorization for the Peoria-Rockford bus company to put into effect round trip excursion fares to Lake Geneva, Williams Bay and Fontana, Walworth Co., was announced this week by the Wisconsin Public Service Commission. Reduced round trip fares will be 125 per cent of single trip rates and will allow 14 day return privileges.

SURPRISED BY FRIENDS ON BRITHDAY

Mrs. Chris Smith of Chicago, who has been visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Stensstrom, Wms Bay, was surprised on Sunday, August 14, when 27 friends and members of her family from Chicago, Lombard, Crystal Lake and West Chicago, came with baskets laden with food to honor her in celebrating her 70th birthday on August 16. Some of the guests were unable to be present on Tuesday so had planned to celebrate on Sunday.

Dinner and supper was served out doors on long tables set on the lawn and all had a gala time.

REAGATTA AT NEENAH

The reports from the Regatta are not complete. On Wednesday Gifford came out first in the "A" race with Gartz, second and Harry Nye, third.

In the second "A" race Harry Nye was first and Fitzcharles with Tarrant boat was second.

The Peterkins, Vilas', Phil Starck, Bruce Adams', Lanman Bros. David and Theodore, Clarence Sill Gaylord and Pope are up there.

Mr. Nate Hunt, though not sailing is spending some time there. The Gartz's "Aunt Jennie" was taken up for the family use.

PLANNING VENETIAN NIGHT AT
LAKE GENEVA - AUGUST 26

More later but keep in mind that there will be a great time in and on Lake Geneva on August 26th.

CONCERNING HIGHWAY 36

It now is certain that Highway 36 will be put through this Fall. The opposition to the plan which was brought in to the last meeting of Williams Bay Board was it seems without authority of the Geneva Lake Home Owners Protective Association on whose letter head it was written.

The Directors are for any plan which will help to beautify the lake shore and as the plan now being worked out by the Board, the County and State seems very acceptable to the Village of Williams Bay, are willing to help boost for it.

The money for the Highway has been arranged for by the State and County. A sizeable park will be left by the lake shore. The road will be a little to the South of the depot and straighten out at ends of shores to connect with 56.

THE WILD FLOWER EXHIBIT

At the request of the editor Mr. H. Tolman, who arranged the Exhibit of Wild Flowers in Memory of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Ayer, for Mrs. F. S. Johnson, brought over a list of the wild flowers in the exhibit.

RIBBONS WON BY GARDENERS.

The old rivalry among the gardeners on the estates around the lake for blue ribbons was as keen as ever this year at the Flower Show. This is as it should be as it makes every gardener "on his toes" throughout the year in his work of beautifying the estate where he is employed.

To Henry Rohel, the Foreman at Black Point owned jointly by the Bartholomays and the Schmidts goes the honor of garnering the largest number of ribbons: 31 blue, 8 red and 1 yellow.

Clifford Erickson, the Foreman at "The Lindens", owned by A. F. Madlener, secured 25 ribbons: 22 blue, 2 red and 1 yellow.

Charles Ackerson, whose gardens were badly washed out, was able in spite of the storm, to carry home 19 ribbons: 12 blue, 6 red, 1 yellow. Flowerside Farms (Chapin)

Phil Robers, President of the Foremen and Gardeners' Association took 12 ribbons: 11 first and 1 second. He is gardener at the E. H. Maytag estate, Ceylon Court.

Chas. Flemming at Oak Lodge owned by Daniel Peterkin received 10 ribbons: 8 first, 1 second and 1 third.

Christie Madison at Alta Vista the home of William Nelson Pelouze received 8 firsts and 1 second.

H. C. Robers at Green Gables, where are the homes of Mrs. William Wrigley and P. K. Wrigley, took home seven firsts and 2 seconds.

Harry Billings of Kemah Farms (A. W. Harris) carried off 7 blue ribbons, while John Topolinski at N. W. Harris had 3 firsts.

William Wahslted at "Stone Gates" (W. H. Emery) received 2 firsts and 2 seconds. (see first column)

Eupatorium Purpureum (Joe Pye Weed)
Heliopsis (wort)
Tradescantia Virginica (Spider-
Typha Latifolia (Cattail)
Allium Tricoccum (Wild Leek)
Lythrum (Loosestrife) (rose
Oenothera Biennis (Evening prim-
Daucus Carota (Wild Carrot) (weed
Asclepias Tuberosa (Butterfly
Verbena Augustifolia (Pale violet)
Chelone Glabra (Turtle Head)
Gerardia Flava (False Foxglove)
Vernonia Novboracensis (Ironweed)
Lobelia Lyphilitica (Great Lobelia)
Liatris Spicata (Blazing Star)
Solidago (Golden Rod) (Flower)
Rudbeckia Laciniata (Tall Cone)
Rudbeckia Hirta (Blackeyed Susan)
Heliopsis
Cichorium Intybus (Chicory)
Euphorbia Corollata (Flowering
Verbena Hastata (Spurge)
Grindelia Lanceolata (Gum Plant)
Evergreens used: Thuja Occident-
alis (Arborvitae) and Pinus
Strobus (White Pine)

A special ribbon was given for the fine exhibition.

From second column —

Walter Hansen, Lake Geneva Nur-
sery, (Harry A. Wheeler) took away
2 firsts and 2 seconds.

Wesley Chamberlin (A. W. Wakeley)
at Wakewood received 4 first and
one second.

Bernard Kiokmeister at Sky Lodge
(Harley Clarke) received 2 firsts,
1 second and 1 third.

Otto Seawert at "Allegheny" owned
by L. E. Myers received 5 firsts
and 1 second.

Carl West at Aloha Lodge owned
by Richard G. Lydy took 2 firsts
and 2 seconds. (continued next page)

NEWS ITEMS

Dr. and Mrs. William Morgan, Mrs. Storrs Barrett, Mrs. Harold Booch, Fairmont, Minn., and Miss Laura Barrett, Boston, Mass., attended the wedding of Mr. Blair Plimpton and Miss Lucile Ranseen last Friday evening at the First Lutheran church at Rockford. There were 800 invited guests at the wedding ceremony and 100 guests attended the wedding dinner at the Hotel Faust.

Mr. R. Warner and family of Chicago are settled in their log cabin home on the south shore of Lake Geneva. The home has many unusual features and is built for year round living so that the Warner's may be able to enjoy the winter sports as well. Piehl & Piehl were the contractors and Carl Bjorge, the decorator. The walls are finished in knotty pine with stipled ceilings in the living room and Early American wallpaper is used to decorate the other rooms.

Forty girls from Cicero, Ills. members of the Sunshine Club spent the weekend at the Hotel Normandie.

Mrs. Hugo Dahlstrom, Los Angeles, Calif. who has been the guest of her sisters, Mrs. Andrew Anderson, Wms Bay, and Mrs. Carl Stensby, Rockford, for three months, returned to her home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Gaul of Loch Vista and Mrs. Gaul's sister, Mrs. Higgins, recently motored to Canada for a scenic trip and took the opportunity of seeing the Dionne Quintuplets at play. Mrs. Gaul says they look like perfectly normal children for their age and are darlings.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson and Helen attended the Green Co. Fair at Monroe last Sunday and visited with Mrs. Anderson's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cook have rented the Howard Peterson home on Elm St. for the winter.

Attend the
SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE
at
COLLEGE CAMP
on Lake Geneva
August 21 - 10:45

REV. HAROLD N. CARLSON, Pastor
Covenant Mission Church
Rockford, Illinois

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"What Is Our Alternative"

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Vested Choir of 40 voices
Hammond Electric Organ

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Take dinner in the great dining
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Sunday Dinner - \$1.00

AROUND THE LAKE

Mrs. John R. Wilson and son, Charles of the East shore, have been guests of Miss Juliet Goodrich at Land O' Lakes, Wis. during the last week or two. Miss Goodrich has been a guest in the Wilson home.

David Lanman entertained a few of the "C" boat sailors and their crew before the moonlight "C" boat sail scheduled at 8 o'clock last Wednesday night, August 10th. by the Lake Geneva Yacht Club, the first of its kind. Miss Barbara Wakeley in her "C" boat "Skip-a-Long", won out of eight entries. Next Sunday the girl's regatta for the William J. Brace trophy will be sailed.

Miss Dorothy J. Shaw of Chicago is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Joseph Mills and enjoying swimming at Country Club Estates beach.

Mr. James Madden who is with the H.M. Byllesby Co., Chicago, is a guest of John Hoffman, Country Club Estates.

The village of Walworth has presented a radio sending set to the Geneva Lake Water Safety Patrol

SPECIALS AT FISH LINE STORE

WILLIAMS BAY, WIS

FRIDAY, AUGUST 19

TEL 819WI

SATURDAY, AUGUST 20

ROSEDALE PEACHES in heavy syrup 2-29 oz Cans- 29¢	GRANULATED SUGAR 10# Cloth Bag- 52¢	SWIFT'S BROOKFIELD B U T T E R 2 lbs- 57¢
LIBBY'S FANCY RED SALMON 2- 16 oz Cans- 49¢	PORK LOIN ENDS 3# Average- 23¢ lb.	HILL BROS. COFFEE 2 lb Can 53¢ 1 lb Can 28¢
LONGHORN or BRICK CHEESE 19¢ per lb	POT ROAST 23¢ per lb	WHITE CITY MACARONI or SPAGHETTI 3- 1# Pkg's- 20¢
PETER PAN MILK 3- 14 oz Cans- 19¢ SWIFT'S SILVERLEAF LARD 2 lb Pkg- 25¢	LAMB SHOULDER 23¢ per lb	LIBBY'S GRAPEFRUIT or PINEAPPLE JUICE 2- 47 oz Cans- 49¢
Bulk PITTED DATES 2 lbs - 25¢ Bulk PRUNES 3 lbs - 25¢	GENEROUS SLICED BACON 29¢ per lb	CRISCO or SPRY 3 lb Can- 51¢ 1 lb Can- 21¢
HAPPY VALE TOMATOES 2- 29 oz Cans- 25¢ HAPPY VALE PEAS 2- 19 oz Cans- 21¢	PILLSBURY'S FLOUR 49# Sack \$1.69 24½# Sack .85	BANANAS - 5¢ lb COBBLERS 15# Peck- 21¢
FRESH FRUITS and VEGETABLES- all kinds WATERMELONS - etc	O R A N G E S 2 Dozen for 49¢ IDAHO'S LONG BAKERS .43¢ per Peck	BAKER'S BAKING CHOCOLATE 2- ½ lb Bars- 29¢
JOHNSTON'S SODA CRACKERS- 2# Pkg 19¢ GRAHAM CRACKERS 2#-21¢ FIG BARS- 2 lbs- 25¢	OPEN SUNDAY 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.	ROSEMARY PEANUT BUTTER 2# Jar- 25¢ JELLO- assorted Flavors- 5¢ pr Pkg.