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SIXTIETH YEAR—NO. 6

Men's Club To Hear Detroit Tuesday

Thomas G. Wade, Detroit branch manager of the Curtis Publishing Co. and a well known speaker, will address members of the St. James Church Men's Club at a dinner

Tuesday, May 18, in the church building.

Richard C. Fowler is in charge of the dinner program which will get under way at 7 p. m. Mr. Wade will speak on "Interesting Persons I Have Met." The meeting is the regular monthly assembly of the Men's Club and Mr. Fowler announced that he expected a large turnout for the affair.

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YOUTH BOOKS EMPHASIZED

Illuminated Cabinets Focus Attention On Latest Juvenile Works

By use of illuminated cabinets on either side of the Juvenile Reading Room at Baldwin Public Library, Miss Ruth Poucher, children's librarian, has placed emphasis on the book, "Dancing Cloud," by Mary and Conrad Buff and in the second cabinet called the attention of the children to books on gardening.

In the one cabinet, "Dancing Cloud" is made the center of a colorful little Indian scene in which Miss Poucher has placed a small Indian figure and a passage on a shelf with a blue and white striped tepee. To further the motif a photograph of an Indian mural is placed on the wall and the whole is illuminated by overhead lighting placed within the cabinet.

"Dancing Cloud" is the story of a little Navajo boy and his sister "Lost Tooth," who live on the Arizona desert. It is a Junior Literary Guild selection and for children, six, seven and eight years old.

M. Winston Pearson and Franklin H. Bullis have collaborated to produce "Injun" Comics which has proved itself very popular with the younger generation. Another Indian story which is filled with action is the "Scalp Hunters," by Hubert V. Croyle. This is a bloodthirsty story of Indian warfare in Maine in the early part of the eighteenth century. "Singing Sards," by Graydon, is a story for older children inasmuch as it is of an Indian girl who goes to the college on the government reservation and is forced to do considerable thinking before she becomes accustomed to the new way of living.

"The New World Builders," by Blanche Woods Morehead, takes the reader back to the thrilling days of Lewis and Clark. It is fully illustrated and has been given wide acclaim by critics.

Little boys and girls will be thrilled to read "Eight Little Indians" by Josephine Lovell. It is broken up into eight individual stories all of which are available at the library.

Other than the numerous Indian stories there are those of classic pioneer days such as "A Bowlful of Stars" by Florence Crowell Means, "Elmthorn Contest" by two books, "Sword of the Wilderness," and "Away Goes Sally." The former is of the early days in Quebec while the latter is of the earliest pioneer days here.

In the second illuminated cabinet in the children's room there is a delightful little miniature garden scene to illustrate the three books that are thought to be foremost among the garden books in that section of the library. These are Louise E. Fennell's "The Little Garden," "The Children Make a Garden" by Dorothy H. Jenkins and "Green Grows the Garden" by Margery Bianco.

MRS. GLADYS BARLOW TO FACE HEARING TODAY
Mrs. Gladys Barlow, local resident, will appear before Municipal Judge Forbes S. Hascall this afternoon for hearing on a charge of uttering and publishing, brought by a Highland Park man, Detective Earl Moody served the warrant on Mrs. Barlow the past week.

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Oakland County Red Cross Unit Observes Twentieth Anniversary At Home May 26

The Oakland County chapter of the American Red Cross, born out of the World War, will celebrate its humanitarian services in many fields on Wednesday, May 26, when it observes the twentieth anniversary with a dinner program at the Community House.

Since the origin of the local chapter in 1917, when the national organization was 36 years old, the Oakland County unit has had eight presidents. Three of them—former Governor Fred M. Warner, Dr. E. A. Christian, and H. P. Jacobson—no longer are alive but the other four, which includes C. B. Wilson, Mrs. T. W. Jackson, Dr. Harold A. Farber, and the present president, Rev. Charles W. Heath, will be guests of honor at the anniversary dinner.

Comparatively scant attention was paid the Oakland County Chapter to its twentieth anniversary when it was created here 20 years ago. In the hectic war days of 1917 the Red Cross was just another war-time agency, and local enlistments, war financing, military maneuvers, and atrocity stories got before headlines. Indeed the chapter's emergency war work was not over until 1921, its assistance was for torn European countries, was continued as late as 1927, and even today the welfare of ex-servicemen is one of the chapter's most important cares.

War was declared April 6, 1917. May 4 authority was granted a local committee by the Michigan State Board of the American Red Cross to set up a chapter in Oakland County. May 16 the chapter was officially chartered and by May 23 some 12 directors had been named and the city and township organization perfected. Of the 10 charter members, who were in Keweenaw, Michigan, Frank B. Anderson, Rev. W. H. MacClelland, Frank H. Carroll, L. A. Campbell, Charles E. Wilson, Dr. E. A. Christian, and Anna E. Betseys, R. N., all but Dr. Christian, have since died.

Though Rev. MacClelland has moved to Detroit, Miss Betseys to Oxford, and Dr. Christian to Flint. Relief provided in September and October of 1923 with a grant of \$100,000. Oakland County raised \$7,000 for the rehabilitation of Japanese stricken by one of the worst earthquakes in their history.

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Local Man Appointed Major In Infantry Reserve Past Week

Col. Ralph M. Parker, commanding officer of the Michigan Reserve Officers Corps, announced the past week that Bruce Gladstone Booth, 3787 West Maple, has been promoted to major in the Infantry Reserve of the United States Army.

Major Booth entered the Officers Reserve Corp in 1925, was commissioned a first lieutenant in 1928 and has served as captain since 1932 with the 339th Infantry Regiment.

Major Booth is a native of Michigan, having been born in Detroit in 1900. He was educated at the University of Michigan, and is on the legal staff of the General Motors Corp.

Test Life Saving Aspirants May 20

Mr. William C. Lucey, first aid and life saving representative of the Midwestern Branch of the American Red Cross will visit the Oakland County Chapter on May 20, 21, and 22.

The purpose of his visit is to qualify examiners in this county so that they in turn can give tests for Junior and Senior life saving in 1932 with the 339th Infantry Regiment.

Those who desire to take the test under Mr. Lucey should notify the Chapter Headquarters at 718 River Road, Pontiac, by Monday, May 17.

Mr. Lucey has had very wide experience in life saving programs as life guard, in water safety programs at Y. M. C. A., in schools, colleges, and Boy Scout camps.

Accident Friday In Hills Injures Two

Two residents of Hamtramck were slightly injured when the car in which they were riding, driven by John Zachara, 3422 Charest Street, Hamtramck, sideswiped another vehicle operated by Roger Quail, 265 Ravine Road, Birmingham, Friday evening at 8:25 o'clock in Bloomfield Hills.

According to Hills police, both cars were going South on Woodward. Quail attempted to make a left turn from the second lane to the left near East Long Lake Road when Zachara's car struck the rear end of his car.

Victoria Zhekowski and Ellen Slodowski, both of 3319 Comstock Street, Hamtramck, occupants of Zachara's car, received minor cuts and bruises. Mr. Quail and a companion, Betty Meyers, also of Birmingham, were uninjured. Both automobiles were badly damaged, police reported.

ROTARIANS HEAR TALK ON MEXICO

Illustrated Speech Given By Elmer Huston At Luncheon

Describing the life and customs of Mexicans and illustrating his talk with lantern slides, Elmer Huston entertained members of the Rotary Club of their Monday luncheon in the Community House.

Mr. Huston, accompanied by Mrs. Huston and Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Wylie Bell, returned from an extended trip through the South-west and Mexico. Lloyd Linton was the day's program chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hines were guests of the club at luncheon and afterward, Mrs. Hines assisted in showing the slides, many of which she snapped while she and her husband visited the land of cactus and adobe houses.

Mr. Huston said that his party left Birmingham, Feb. 6, arriving in Mexico City ten days later after stops in San Antonio, Texas and Monterey, Mexico. He said the new super-highway extending into the heart of the Latin country was a boon to Mexico and aided the tourist in his travels.

In Monterey, the speaker stated, they witnessed a promenade in the old picturesque city park. Mr. Huston said girls and boys parade separately to start but when a youth sees a girl he likes he goes over and takes her arm and walks with her. After this occurs for two or three times in successive evenings the couple are considered engaged.

Mr. Huston and Mr. Bell attended a Rotary meeting in Mexico City and enjoyed the affair although Mr. Huston admitted he didn't know whether the Mexican members were saying nice things about them or otherwise. All business establishments close daily from one to three in the afternoon for the siesta period, he concluded.

ONE OBSTACLE
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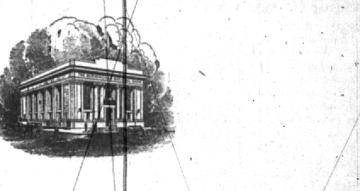
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