

Crowd of 2,000 Sees Dedication of New Post Office Saturday

Lathrup Townsite News

by LILLIAN DIEDERICH

her Detroit bridge club, last Thursday afternoon.

Three Flags Chapter D. A. R. held its annual meeting at the Fox and Hounds, on Tuesday morning. The speaker, Mrs. W. L. at St. Joseph's in Adrian, for a morning. The speaker, Mrs. W. L. at St. Joseph's in Adrian, for a morning. The speaker, Mrs. W. L. at St. Joseph's in Adrian, for a morning.

Dr. R. I. Scally, of Eldorado place, attended the dentist's convention at Chicago, last week.

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Mrs. L. A. France and small son, Lathrup boulevard, left on Monday to visit Mrs. France's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Neidinger, in Muncie, Ind. They will remain about ten days and are anticipating bringing the parents back with them.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Maddock, of San Diego boulevard, were hosts to six dinner guests last Thursday in honor of Mrs. George Caruso, of Oswego.

The Guy Pappiatis, of Saratoga boulevard, entertained Mrs. Leona Craver, of San Francisco in the Terrace room of the Statler last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Fred Lucht, of Glenwood avenue, spent the week-end as the guest of her daughter, Charlois, who is attending the university at Ayn Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl D. Loomis, were hosts to their Detroit bridge club at their residence on Lathrup boulevard, last Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Tieman, of Lathrup boulevard, hosted Mr. and Mrs. William Hibbard, of Harrison, Mich., with a party Saturday evening. The Hibbards formerly lived in the Townsite, and have many friends here. These neighbors gathered at the Tieman's to give them a warm welcome. Bridge was played followed by a midnight lunch.

When Sunny Sutherland returns from one of his many trips around the country, that is a signal for fun. Fifteen friends dropped in Saturday night to welcome him back to his residence, Bridge, poker, good drinks and snacks followed in quick succession to make the evening a memorial one.

Earl M. Doig, of San Diego boulevard, is making flying trips around the country. He flew to Pittsburgh on Sunday evening, thence to Buffalo for a brief stop and on again to New York, from there he will fly back home, arriving on Sunday.

Mrs. Earl M. Doig honored Mrs. V. L. Bartlett, of Detroit, with a shower on Monday. Eighteen guests laden with pink and blue packages, surprised and delighted the honored guest. Luncheon was served followed by card games.

Lathrup Townsite families are increasing, and Louise Lathrup has been getting so many calls asking "what time the next bus leaves," that she has had schedules printed; Any Lathrup Townsite family may have one by calling at the Town Hall.

Prize

Of all the "Give-me-a-sentence-with-the-word" jokes we've heard, we give the prize to the lad who put "efferecent" and "fridstick" in one sentence. He said: "Efferecent enough covers on the bed your fridstick out."—U. S. S. Minneapolis North Star.

In Again

A small boy returned home from Sunday School. "An' how was Sunday School this morning?" asked his mother.

"Not so good," he replied soberly. "Dan's in the lion's den again."—Junction City, Col. Republic.

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This is the post office dedication scene last Saturday afternoon, looking north from Baldwin Library. Seated in the foreground is the Baldwin High band, while the Cook-Nelson Post Office, stands in front of the platform. Birmingham veterans are grouped at the left, around the flagpole. Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Cubs, Brownies, Sea Scouts and Mariners marched in the parade. (Inset) Gov. Luren D. Dickinson standing before the microphone. (Eccentric Photo)

Open for Business May 31, Is Plan

Last Saturday, Birmingham dedicated its new post office, a week from Friday, on May 31, it is expected that the new \$155,000 structure will be open for business. The contractor is now putting finishing touches on the building, and the interior will be ready within a few days for moving in the new furniture and equipment, according to Postmaster Joseph A. Byrne. All of it is now stored in the basement.

Dedication Impressive

It was a beautiful ceremony last Saturday afternoon under the maple trees, newly in leaf. The crowd of 2,000 people gathered about many on the Townsite, in the Baldwin Library, which faces the post office, while the words of the speakers were brought to them by the Automobile Club sound car. Commissioner Wilmer E. Moody, who today announced the program, acted as master of ceremonies. Playing of the Star Spangled Banner by the High School band opened the program. While a quartette of bugles from Cook-Nelson Post, Pontiac, played "To the Colors," Birmingham veterans hoisted a new flag to the top of the pole. City officials and dignitaries were introduced: Mayor John E. Martz welcomed all to the dedication; Gov. Luren D. Dickinson gave a brief talk, emphasizing on the growth of the postal service. Postmaster Byrne was presented the keys to the building by Roy Kumbler, superintendent for the contractors, the Barnes Construction Co. Then James W. Dobbins, head of the Sixth Division Railway Mail Service, Chicago, delivered an address. A colorful ceremony which followed was the sipping of a ribbon across the street by Mrs. Gladys Parks Helms, postoffice clerk in the service since 1918. After the singing of America, and the benediction, the public poured inside for an inspection.

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Mr. and Mrs. Karl Seiffert who have moved to 578 Chestnut avenue from Detroit?

The Seifferts are both graduates of the University of Michigan and have two children, Stephen, 22, and Susan, 8 months old.

Mr. Seiffert is on the editorial staff of the Detroit News.

Fidelity Old Lady Does this bus go down Regent street, my good man?

Conductor—Yes, lady.

Fidelity Old Lady—Oh! the way down Regent street lower Regent street as well?

Conductor—Yes, lady, all the way.

Fidelity Old Lady—Will you tell the driver to stop at 100?

Conductor—(Heep) 100 right—(swat floor, mum)

At The Parade

The attendance at the parade wasn't all it should be, in a town with almost 400 registered Scouts. It wasn't as loud as might have been expected, though, and that was a blessing. What distressed your writer was the paucity of leaders. The Scouts were marshaled by the Sea Scouts, the District and Neighborhood committees and only two Scoutmasters in the lot.

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In The Spotlight

The big news of the week is, of course, the 11 Eagles being presented to various Scouts at the Court of Honor tomorrow. The court Eagles going to B-8 are, no news however to anyone who ever comes into contact with a B-8. We have heard it on strict Scout news from at least a dozen Scouts in that contingent from any time you can name between yesterday and last December.

The item that sounded lost to us was the announcement that Bill George will be there to present the Eagle badges and the Eagle Awards. Last time it just didn't seem like a real Court of Honor without him.

The rumor is brought forth, they say, that the District Committee doesn't like all this advertisement. They are the ones that have to pay for all the Eagle badges and mothers' coagles, and when there are so many it really runs into night.

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more congratulations to Bill George and his boys from B-4 for their job in protecting and policing the postoffice while the Cub Scouts were in progress. And also a word about the Cub Scouts who gave a splendid account of themselves in the parade. Truly, the most outstanding districts in the Detroit Council are B-4 and B-5.

The Royal Eagles

Just a word about the Royal Eagles, or haven't you heard? Yes, sir, these eight Scouts of B-8 formed a patrol last January, and with the aid and pushing of the Scoutmaster, Dave Wyzant, have all qualified for their Eagle rank. An outstanding achievement in any man's world, and all Scouts in this district join in saying, "Now, go on, fellows."

By the by, if you see a flash by you at the Court of Honor tomorrow night, I'm warning you, it's George Austin, George is Patrol leader of the Royal Eagles, and getting his badge along with the rest of the court. However, in George's case it is not so easy to see more power to a star member of the trailhead track team which leaves for Cleveland at 10:30 tomorrow. George has planned in advance so he will be able to leave at the last possible minute, and then dash down to the boat docks in the big city to the south.

And just a word about the Scout journalists, Jack Dunn and Bill Roberts. Both of these Scouts have gathered, written, and given Scout news until they are blue in the face. Well, tomorrow night they will receive the second Gold Quill ever to be given in Birmingham, and Bill will get the Psalm. And that is to be more power to you! Just because you don't know the guy who writes this, or that you haven't taken a certain pull, doesn't mean a thing, your day is bound to come. And I'll forget the motto of the original Patrol of Troop B-5: "Loyalty carries its own reward."

Chairman of Carnival

Dick Allman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie C. Allman, of Hupp cross road, has been named executive chairman of the winter carnival. Assistant chairmen of Hamilton Life, school paper at Hamilton College in Clinton, N. Y., and a student. At a recent weekend house party Dick had as his guest Jean Fishbough, of Detroit.

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