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## FIRST ANNUAL MEETING

### Members of the Gardens Corporation Will Hear Report as to What Has Been Done

Louis Dean Speir, secretary of the Gardens Corporation, is ready to make a thorough report to the first annual meeting of the organization, to be held next Monday evening in the Church-in-the-Gardens.

The mass meeting of citizens, held on Dec. 7, approved the recommendations of the organization committee. These recommendations called for:

- (a) The incorporation of Gardens Corporation as a membership corporation.
- (b) The formal adoption by it, when formed, of the by-laws approved at the mass meeting.
- (c) The acceptance by Gardens Corporation, when formed, of all qualified property owners who should apply as members.
- (d) The acceptance by Gardens Corporation of the assignment from the Sage Foundation Homes Company and the Russell Sage Foundation of their rights under the restrictions, and the assumption of their obligations.

The certificate of incorporation having been signed and filed with the state and local authorities, the Gardens Corporation came into being on Dec. 12.

On Dec. 13 the directors organized and elected these officers: Lawrence F. Abbott, president; John R. Davies and Catharine S. J. Wilson, vice-presidents; George B. Hanavan, treasurer, and Louis D. Speir, secretary. The directors have held six meetings, and numerous committee meetings have been held.

A card index of property owners has been made, and bills for maintenance and dues were mailed to all on Jan. 1. To date (Jan. 16) \$3,045.89 for maintenance and \$2,874.78 dues have been received from 251 people. Of the 251 who have paid, all but 13 have paid both maintenance and dues. Of the 13 who did not pay dues, six asked for an explanation, and only seven have definitely not paid the dues.

According to Mrs. Donald G. Clark, chairman of membership, applications for membership have been received from 326 property owners.

If every property owner pays maintenance and dues, the income will be \$22,800 a year. This is just what the physical up-keep of the Gardens has cost the Sage Foundation Homes Company. Under the old plan, the deficit of about \$12,000 every year was met by the Homes Company. The new corporation will spend on the up-keep only what it receives.

The Gardens Corporation has taken over from the Sage Foundation Homes Company:

- (a) *Outdoor Physical Maintenance*, including:
  - Maintenance of existing sewers and pumping of sewage at two pumping stations;
  - Snow ploughing and removal of snows;
  - Cleaning and repair of streets;
  - Cutting grass on parks and parkways along all streets and caring for trees, bushes and shrubs;
  - Maintaining lamp posts and street signs.
- (b) *Architectural Supervision*, including:
  - Employing supervising architects and passing on all plans, and seeing that the building restrictions and the architectural harmony of the place are maintained.
- (c) *Office Work*, including:
  - Maintaining an office with sufficient clerical workers, keeping up records, sending out bills, collecting money, keeping accounts, paying expenses, sending notices, attending to correspondence, etc.

Office work has been arranged for thus: Mrs. H. P. Green, who for several years has been secretary of the Community Council, has been engaged as executive secretary to supervise all office work, giving such time as she can spare from her other work. The corporation has been supplied with desk room in the office of Messrs. Colton & Ayres, and has arranged to share equally with them the services of a stenographer, who, with Mrs. Green's supervision and help, it is believed, will be able to do most of the office work.

The directors, who work absolutely without compensation,

## CHORAL CLUB CARD PARTY

Dr. Miller Lectures Before Organization on the Subject, "Vocal Art Science."

The first card party of the season to be given by the Forest Hills Choral is announced for the evening of Feb. 2, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Boyce, 62 Greenway Terraces. The chairman of the party is Mrs. James R. Woodrough, 215 Greenway South.

There will be a prize for each table. Bridge or any other card game may be played. Refreshments will be served during the evening. The tables will be \$5.00 each. On account of the popularity of affairs given by the club and the limited space, tables will be reserved only upon the receipt of checks. Reservations should be made through the chairman, Mrs. Woodrough, and checks should be mailed to her. Tables and single tickets may also be obtained at the Gardens Gift Shop. The tables are limited to the number of 25.

Dr. Frank E. Miller gave an illustrated lecture under the auspices of the Choral Club in the social room of the Church-in-the-Gardens on the evening of Jan. 9 before a large number of members and friends of the club. He said that his vocal art science is founded upon nature and he gave in technical details the theory and practice of his method. Miss Maude Douglass Tweedy supplemented his remarks. Stereopticon views were used to show that Dr. Miller takes into account the laws of science in developing his method. Miss Suzanne Zimmerman sang beautifully one of Dr. Miller's songs. Two pupils in Dr. Miller's school also sang. Miss Geanne Palmer gave an aria from "Louise" and Donald Fiser an aria from "Faust." Miss Palmer and Mr. Fiser have excellent voices, which have been developed under Dr. Miller's training. Bruno Huhn, director of the Choral Club was at the piano.

## BIRD AUTHORITY TO SPEAK

William L. Finley, Pacific Coast agent for the National Association of Audubon Societies, will give an illustrated lecture at the Forest Hills Theatre on Feb. 2. His subject will be "Ramblings of a Naturalist from the Gulf to the Roof of the Rockies." The lecturer comes under the auspices of the Audubon Society. The entertainment will begin promptly at 7 o'clock and will close at 9 o'clock, so that people may also attend the Choral Club card party. Admission will be 50 cents each.

## DON MARQUIS TO SPEAK

In the August 26 number of the BULLETIN, a welcome was extended to Don Marquis, the distinguished playwright, novelist and poet, who, with Mrs. Marquis and the little daughter, came to live on Wendover Road. Homer Croy has prevailed on Mr. Marquis to speak before the Men's Club, which he will do on the evening of Jan. 26, at the home of Henry Hirschberg, Greenway North and Puritan Avenue. Mr. Marquis became a member of the club at the last meeting.

## BIG SISTERS TO GIVE DANCE

For the benefit of the Big Sisters of Queens Borough, a dance will be given at Forest Hills Inn, on Saturday evening, 9 o'clock, Jan. 27. The tickets will be \$1.50 each. Mrs. John M. Demarest is in charge.

There is such great need and suffering in this Borough this winter for which relief comes through this organization, that a large patronage of the benefit dance on Jan. 27 is solicited from all the people of Forest Hills.

have appointed the following committees: Budget and finance, architecture and restrictions, law and city government, sewers, snow removal, street cleaning and repairing; parkways, trees and shrubs; auditing, membership, publicity, nominating.

The term of office of these directors expires on Jan. 22.

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### BIRDS HOLD A MASS MEETING

Editor, FOREST HILLS BULLETIN:

The birds of Forest Hills Gardens held a Community Council meeting recently, and as president of the Audubon Society, requested me to be present.

The complaints of the council were many and long, but were particularly directed towards the lack of proper maintenance, housing shortage, and a failure of the people of the Gardens to comply with the promises and representations held out to them when the birds agreed to make the Gardens their home.

The wrens, robins and song sparrows were especially incensed at the lack of repairs made by the landlords to existing houses and feeding stations.

A crested fly-catcher handed in the following resolution:

"Be It Resolved, That the song birds of Forest Hills Gardens appeal to the people of the community to provide them with water and food regularly and systematically during the winter, and provide bird houses for our occupancy this spring.

"Be It Further Resolved, That it is our sentiment and opinion that if our presence and songs are no longer desired or appreciated, that stern necessity will compel us to take up our habitation in some other community."

The resolution was passed unanimously, and a call sent out for a mass meeting to be held at a later date.

"Is that a true story?" said the little boy to his mother, as she related to him a fable of old.

"Yes, indeed," answered the mother; "every word of it is true. It has only been told in such a way so that it would carry its message to your heart and mind, and stimulate a good thought into action."

I feel it my duty to report to the BULLETIN the grievances and complaints of these residents of the Gardens.

JOHN B. REIMER.

President, Forest Hills Gardens Audubon Society.

### AMONG THE NEIGHBORS

Mrs. Charles Pope Caldwell is visiting in Mt. Gilead, Ohio, her former home.

Mrs. C. F. Gardner, Windsor Place, is spending the remainder of the winter in Florida.

A daughter, Margaret Robinson Osborn, 40 Slocum Crescent, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Osborn on Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. I. K. Ward and daughter Helen were in Baltimore for the holidays. Mr. Ward and Helen have returned to their home on Borage Place, but Mrs. Ward is a patient in Johns Hopkins Hospital, trying to find a cure for her troublesome rheumatism. Her condition is improving every day.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Moir, Jewell Street, announce the birth of a baby daughter, Alice Maude, on Jan. 11.

Miss Mary Amelia Zinberg, Livingston Street, has enjoyed a week's visit in Hartford, Conn.

A son, John Morgan Vandervoort, was born to Dr. and Mrs. John Vandervoort, Tennis Place Apartments, on Dec. 26.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Demarest sail on Feb. 3 for an extended trip abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Harper McKee, Burns Street, have a new daughter, born Jan. 7. She is named Martha Hughes McKee.

Blanche Kline entertained thirty-six of her little friends at the Seminole Avenue Club House on Jan. 6.

### THE INN



The Delta Theta fraternity will give a private dance in the ball room of the Inn at 8:30 p. m., the evening of Jan. 26.

Preparations are under way for St. Valentine's celebration at the Inn, Wednesday, Feb. 14. Inasmuch as over 200 applications for the New Year's Eve festivities had to be turned down on account of lack of accommodation, it is advisable to arrange for definite reservations at the earliest possible moment. Details of the evening's entertainment program will be announced later.

Miss Dorothy Gittere recently entertained a party of twelve friends at luncheon and bridge in the sun parlor of the Inn.

The American Legion held a meeting on Jan. 8, at which matters of business were discussed.

Mrs. George Reed was hostess at a bridge table Friday afternoon, Jan. 12, after which refreshments were served.

An attractive dinner party was given Saturday, Jan. 13, by Mrs. Harn to ten of her friends in the sun parlor of the Inn. The color scheme was in pink, and all had a very enjoyable evening.

Mrs. M. J. Fuller and daughter, Miss Margaret, have returned to the Inn after a pleasant visit to Mrs. Fuller's son in Gleasondale, Mass., having been away about seven weeks.

B. W. Budd has returned after several weeks' absence in Detroit.

Harry Woods returned last Monday from a three weeks' trip to Porto Rico.

W. A. Dudley has returned from Los Angeles, his former home, and has brought his mother to the Inn for a short stay.

Among the recent arrivals at the Inn are: Mrs. E. H. Twombly and child, of Manhattan; W. S. Hennon, New York; Edward O'Neil, Pittsburgh, who is visiting his daughter, Mrs. George K. Reed; Mrs. G. H. Gerould, Princeton, N. J., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. B. M. Fullerton; Mrs. H. M. Sieber and daughter, Miss Margaret B. Sieber, Forest Hills; Mr. and Mrs. John Middleton, Brooklyn; Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Wells and family, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wilkinson and Master Eric Wilkinson, Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Feasley and little son, Chicago; Fred L. Williams, New York; Stephen J. Burke, who has joined Mrs. Burke for a short stay before returning to London; and C. M. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan (formerly residents of Forest Hills), and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Detweiler, all of Greenwich, Conn., who are guests of O. C. Harn.

Forty prominent New York hotel managers gave a complimentary dinner to the manager of the Inn, George J. Bernbach, who recently was elected to the office of vice-president. The sumptuous menu enjoyed by all was followed by after-dinner speeches by some of those present, on which the catering department of the Inn was highly complimented.

Extensive plans for improvements are now under way, to take care of the ever-increasing demands for accommodations and dining-room service at the Inn.

### WORKING FOR JAMAICA HOSPITAL

Mrs. Niels F. Holch, chairman of the Forest Hills Auxiliary, of the Jamaica Hospital, entertained the members at her home, Ascan Avenue, on Monday evening, Jan. 8. Mrs. Charles H. Rich, head of the Kew Auxiliary told in an interesting way how 700 members had been secured in Kew Gardens and how \$10,000 had been raised there. Her account has stimulated the Forest Hills Auxiliary to hope to secure 1,000 members here.

The plan is to give a benefit soon for the Jamaica Hospital at the Forest Hills Theatre, when news of the hospital will be given and a film will be shown of the laying of the corner stone. Forest Hills has been asked to appoint a trustee for the board.

As soon as 500 members are secured here, the Auxiliary will meet and decide just what part of the hospital will be taken over by this branch for patronage and support.

Names and checks should be sent to Mrs. L. R. Blackhurst, 104 Ascan Avenue, Boulevard 6887 R.

### SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

Graduating exercises of Public School 3 will be held in the assembly hall of the school on Friday evening, Jan. 25, at 8:15. Rev. Albert Sheppard will address the graduates on "Improvising."

## HONOR ROLL

## List of Contributors to Christmas Eve Celebration in the Gardens.

C. A. Abbott, J. F. Abbott, Laurence F. Abbott, S. M. Avery, A. Agueeff, C. Albers, Mrs. Martha M. Allen, Mrs. L. M. Andrews.

Mrs. M. E. Bailey, J. T. Bailey, Jr., Grace Lee Ballin, George Barnes, Joseph Barrett, F. Bauer, W. H. Baumes, H. R. Bayley, W. P. Beazell, J. C. Bebb, Margaret Beck, J. J. Bergen, G. J. Bernbach—Forest Hills Inn, N. D. Bitterson, L. R. Blackhurst, H. P. Bogart, C. E. Booth, Anna C. Boyd, C. Brewer, H. C. O'Brien, Lester Brion, Ernest M. Bristol, Edward S. Brogan, C. R. Brown, Miss E. E. Brown, Mrs. Grace Lawrence Brown, W. W. Bruce, Leonard Buck, Lemuel Burrows, Walter P. Burden, Edwin C. Butler, J. F. Byrnes.

Howard Campbell, Alex. Cameran, T. F. Cannon, T. C. Cantrell, C. C. Carsten, James H. Cassidy, Guy H. Catlin, G. L. Chamberlin, Dr. T. C. Chalmers, Eugene Christian, Samuel Chandler, Donald G. Clark, E. W. Clark, Walter Claypool, Edwin H. Coleman, Dr. P. G. Cole, Stephen L. Coles, F. B. Colton, W. Y. Conrad, H. E. Cook, George W. Copp, Thomas Cook, J. H. Courtenay, Edwin Cramer, H. J. Creighton, M. D. Cornwell, G. W. Cunningham, John Curtiss, T. D. Cutler.

Harold P. Daniels, A. B. Dannett, C. J. Dauphinot, H. Davenny, Dr. S. E. Davenport, Jr., W. B. Davis, John R. Davies, O. DeBrun, Edward M. Deems, Basil D'Emo, Wm. J. Dempsey, Adolph Dietsche, H. Dodd, W. Doerschuck, Leonard G. Donnelly, G. H. Dorr, G. Willis Drake.

Guyon L. C. Earle, Mrs. Lillian Easton, P. J. Ebbett, S. W. Eckman, Phanor J. Eder, F. Eisler, Miss J. Elder, J. G. Elliott, John W. Evans.

L. Fairman, A. Farjeon, F. B. Farrand, C. L. Farrand, C. P. Fenlon, C. W. Ferris, E. J. Finley, J. J. Finnigan, Arthur H. Flint, G. F. Floyd, M. J. Folensbee, L. Foster, Walter H. Foster, J. Forsythe, A. E. Fowler, Dr. H. M. Fraser, S. A. Frazier, S. S. Freeman, J. French, Henry C. Fullan.

Lee Galloway, A. A. Gardner, Jules Gingras, C. H. Getz, Dr. F. R. Getz, Mrs. K. Gobey, Thurlow M. Gordon, Agnes Kendrick Gray, E. J. Griffith, Mrs. H. P. Green, W. H. Green, Robert Greig, John H. Gress, F. S. Griffen, E. M. Guyon.

F. Hagens, Theo. W. Hager, R. Dawson Hall, Thomas Halloran, B. J. Halsey, George H. Hanavan, A. K. Hanks, J. C. Hansen, Frank Hardart, Jr., H. W. Hardinge, Florence A. Hare, W. L. Harris, O. C. Harn, C. D. Hartman, P. J. Harwood, M. Hasselriis, A. L. Heath, Mrs. E. M. Hendee, George F. Henrichs, John F. Hill, James C. Hilton, Henry Hirschberg, B. Hirschon, M. J. Hoban, J. V. L. Hogan, G. F. Hodell, Niels F. Holch, H. S. Horner, W. A. Hulbert, W. A. Hume, A. C. Humphreys, F. B. Humphreys, Lytle J. Hunter.

Grace H. Isaacs, H. W. Ives.

H. B. Jagoe, W. E. Jenkins, P. D. Jewett, A. T. Johnston, George G. Johnston, Mrs. Joseph E. Johnston, Nathan S. Jonas, Nettie Marie Jones, C. C. Joys.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kahn, R. P. Kaighn, R. R. Kane, Elsie J. M. Katz, F. C. Kay, B. A. Kendig, J. J. Kenney, E. P. Kenney, W. A. Ker, William Kershaw, E. C. Ketcham, Dr. E. L. Keyes, F. W. Kiendl, J. Kienle, John Allen King, Murray King, R. W. Knight, Miss K. C. Knobbe, F. M. Knowles, Mrs. Anna B. Kraemer, Mrs. P. C. Krauthoff, J. E. Kuhn.

G. E. Lane, T. F. Lawton, George C. LeBlanc, J. C. Lee, J. M. Lee, Dr. A. Lendle, R. V. Leighton, J. P. Lewis, R. S. Locke, Mrs. A. Lopez, W. C. Longcope, F. H. Luce, Theo. Luce, Dr. W. R. Lutz.

F. J. Maginnis, Henry Mandel, Van Manning, Lydia Sears Mantle, Robert Burns Mantle, Maud Marren, J. G. Marsh, H. Marten, Mr. Matlis, Peter May, W. S. Mayer, J. E. D. Meador, M. D. Mosesohn, John Messenger, A. Maxwell, G. H. Merrill, C. C. Miller, J. W. Miller, T. J. Mitchell, F. D. Mitchell, W. F. Mohan, F. E. Montgomery, C. B. Morgan, Henry Muller, Jr., P. J. McAllister, C. B. McCluskey, G. G. McCully, Louis P. McGahie, H. H. McKee, R. B. McKee, J. D. McKelvey, D. McLean, J. M. McMillin, Dr. W. J. McNeal, J. F. McTyier.

W. R. Naughton, Miss Louisa Naul, C. B. Nelcamp, J. Nemeth, Judge R. S. Newcomb.

Mrs. Anna Craven Oakley, Ambrose O'Connell, Dr. W. S. Ortgies, John Olcott, H. S. Osgood, Edmund O'Shea, C. E. Page, Victor H. Patlsits, J. R. Parker, R. Parker,

Wm. Patterson, F. H. J. Paul, L. C. Pedlar, H. R. Pendleton, Arthur N. Penn, J. B. Perry, Mrs. S. M. Perry, F. C. Pinkham, H. Piper, Gaston Plantott, C. Plumer, H. T. Pomery, N. B. Pope, G. A. Powell, W. M. Pratlow, Miss Anna G. Price.

J. Raftery, James Rea, J. Reid, J. B. Reimer, Adam Reinhart, Ralph Renaud, Miss E. Reutermann, J. Rice, Mrs. F. N. Risteen, H. H. Robinson, C. H. D. Robbins, G. W. Rogers, Miss M. E. Rose, J. E. Rowe, Ray Russum.

J. D. Sartakoff, Dr. W. F. Saybolt, C. H. Scammell, G. Schirmer, Eugene Schoen, E. B. Seaman, C. H. Scott, E. D. Sealy, H. N. Siebert, F. K. Seward, S. H. Shaw, H. P. Shedd, J. J. Sheehan, Miss E. V. Simon, George J. Simons, George Smart, Leroy L. Smith, Mrs. R. W. Smith, G. S. Smithlin, Mrs. M. C. Sniffen, G. L. Snowden, Dr. Harry Spangenberg, Louis D. Speir, L. A. Springer, M. J. Stickel, Miss G. E. Stillman, E. C. Stokes, Fred Stone, L. B. Stowe, Dr. T. T. Sweeney.

M. A. Tabor, Julius Tannen, Mrs. G. G. Tallman, Robert Tappan, Ordway Tead, Walter D. Teague, Alexander Thompson, Clark Thompson, G. G. Thompson, E. G. Tracy, G. S. Trant, Fred Trumpy, G. C. Turner.

Monica R. Ullo.

A. C. Van Hagin, G. W. Van Slack, A. H. Vose, Marguerite S. Vollmer, A. H. Valequette, W. S. Von Helmolt.

L. T. Walters, Lawrence Washington, J. W. Wasshauer, Dr. M. M. Waxman, Mrs. E. B. Weber, T. B. Webster, A. A. Weinman, J. P. Welsh, W. J. Welsh, Speir Whitaker, F. P. West, R. R. Whitman, George Wicke, E. N. Wigton, S. M. Wiley, Herbert Williamson, T. N. Wilson, H. L. Willson, A. J. Wilson, E. B. Wilson, George Woerhlein, W. E. Woodard, Austin Wright, R. E. Wrigley, J. M. Wyatt, E. F. M. Wye, Mrs. E. B. Wylie.

A. Zugrafo.

## URGE ALL MASONS TO JOIN

The Forest Hills Masons met Tuesday evening in their Temple for the transaction of their usual business, and the conferring of degrees upon candidates in waiting. It is the desire of the officers and members of this Lodge that they may have the privilege of welcoming, in the near future, all the masons in Forest Hills, so that the craft may get to know its members in a more intimate and friendly fashion. A. Alfred Renshaw is the master of the lodge during this year.

Henry Hirschberg, chairman of the entertainment committee, is making arrangements for celebrating in an entertaining fashion, the birthdays of Washington, one of the most illustrious Masons in history, and that of Abraham Lincoln, on their respective birthdays.

## PUBLIC SCHOOL 3 MOTHERS BUSY

At the meeting of the Mothers' Club of Public School 3, Mrs. W. H. Keith brought greetings from the Queens Borough League of Mothers' Clubs. The League wants individual members, for it supports two scholarships of \$200 each, in Queens. The League invites the clubs to bring their problems to it.

Peter De Rodyenka spoke on "Art and Color in the Home," in a very instructive, interesting way. An exhibit of the National League of Artists will be held at the Waldorf during the week of Feb. 15. Free tickets will be furnished through Miss Beatrice Reinhart.

The club has a Liberty bond of the second issue which it wishes to sell at par. Will some public spirited citizen buy it? The club wishes to buy reliefs for the school auditorium.

## LECTURE ON INDIVIDUAL PSYCHOLOGY

The subject of psychology is just now attracting an interest that is both wide and deep. Everybody is talking and thinking about it seriously. Therefore, the Forest Hills Inn announces that Sharper Knowlson, author and psychologist, will give a free lecture on "What Psychology Can Do for You," dealing with health, love, fears and psycho-analysis, at the Inn, Sunday evening, Jan. 28, at 7:30 p. m. Questions will be answered at the end of the lecture.

Mr. Knowlson holds endorsements from American universities and professors; also men like Sir Gilbert Parker, Sir W. R. Nicoll, Prof. Hall Quest, Rev. Dr. Parkes Cadman.

## CHURCH-IN-THE-GARDENS



The annual meeting of the Church-in-the-Gardens, held on Wednesday evening, Jan. 10, in the social room of the church, showed great progress, in spite of the fact that there has not been a pastor for a year. The reports were interesting and stimulating and a strong spirit of harmony prevailed. The moderator, Arthur H. Flint, was in the chair. Previous to the meeting, a delicious dinner was served, for which the members must thank Mrs. J. Gorton Marsh and her assistants.

The report of the treasurer, Donald G. Clark, showed that the total receipts of the year were \$10,425.60; total disbursements were \$9,550.25, of which \$2,575.98 was for benevolent and missionary projects. The membership of the church today is 248. Dr. S. Ellsworth Davenport, Jr., chairman of the Board of Trustees, reported a budget for 1923 of \$12,600. The report of M. J.

Stickel, for the intermediate church school, Mrs. Donald G. Clark for the primary, and Mrs. Davenport for the cradle roll, showed an enrollment of 88, 96 and 37, respectively—a total of 221. Mrs. George H. Merrill reported for the Women's Guild, and S. W. Eckman told of the progress of the Community House.

The following officers were elected for the new year: acting moderator, Arthur H. Flint; clerk, George H. Batcheller; trustees, J. F. McTyier, Robert Greig, J. Gorton Marsh; treasurer, J. F. McTyier; deacons, William R. Clymer and Dr. Harry Spangenberg; superintendent of religious education, Arthur H. Flint; church committee, Mrs. W. H. Batcheller, Mrs. David Latshaw, Mrs. C. E. Burton; music committee, Mrs. Charles H. Scammell, D. G. Clark, J. Gorton Marsh; ushers, George Smart, Elmer Burden, M. J. Follensbee, Melville Greig, Linwood M. Kelly, George H. Merrill, Gardner Osborn and E. B. Wilson.

The trustees have chosen W. E. Woodard chairman of the board, and Robert Greig, secretary.

## ANNUAL MEETING OF WOMEN'S GUILD

With Mrs. Niels F. Holch and Mrs. David Latshaw, hostesses, the annual meeting of the Women's Guild of the Church-in-the-Gardens was held at the home of Mrs. Holch, on the afternoon of Jan. 12. The receipts of the Guild for the year were \$2,170.76 and the expenditures \$1,780.14; of this amount, \$633.58 went to benevolences, and considerable sums to the Community House fund and to pay for re-decorating the social room. Thirty boxes and trunks have been sent to missionary projects in this country and abroad. The Guild numbers 149 members, of whom 17 have joined this year.

The following officers were elected for the new year: Mrs. George H. Merrill, president; Mrs. Alden H. Vose and Mrs. W. J. MacNeal, vice-presidents; Mrs. W. N. Workman, recording secretary; Mrs. O. L. Grever, corresponding secretary and Mrs. James H. Cassidy, treasurer. The chairmen of committees are: benevolent, Dr. Julia W. Perry; devotional, Mrs. R. P. Kaighn, flowers, Mrs. Louis P. McGahie; Home for the Aged, Mrs. W. H. Batcheller; hostesses, Mrs. E. C. Ketcham; house, Mrs. A. Kraemer; membership, Mrs. John A. McFarlan; missionary, Mrs. M. J. Stickel; printing, Mrs. W. J. Welsh, Jr.; social, Mrs. J. Gorton Marsh and temperance, Mrs. Martha M. Allen.

## DEATH OF MRS. MARTHA P. SAWYER

Mrs. Thurlow M. Gordon has been called to her former home Bangor, Maine, where her mother, Mrs. Martha P. Sawyer died Jan. 1. Mrs. Sawyer was born in New Hampshire and had lived in Bangor since her marriage to Robert W. Sawyer, in 1878. She is survived by two sons, who live in the far west and by Mrs. Gordon, at whose home she has often been a gracious guest and where she has endeared herself to Forest Hills people.

## REV. CLARIS EDWIN SILCOX CALLED

The Church-in-the-Gardens has issued a call to the Rev. Claris Edwin Silcox, of the First Church of Fairfield, Conn. His training, experience and natural abilities are such as to make him a most efficient leader for this church and it is hoped that he will accept the call.

## THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The men in the Presbyterian Church are preparing a celebration of the birthday of Robert Burns, the Scotch poet, on Jan. 26, in the social rooms of the church. It is to be a typical Scotch night, though probably without the famous haggis, a regrettable omission for the Scot.

A large number of friends attended the tea held at the home of Mrs. A. Weir, Harvest Street, on Thurs., Jan. 11. Mrs. Weir is the new president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the church. Miss Lucy Hoshafian entertained the guests with a pianoforte solo; Miss Helen Licht sang a group of songs, accompanied by Mrs. C. Weiss; and Miss Kroeger gave a musical monologue.

Havrah Hubbard, who recently delighted the members of the Women's Club, is booked to appear in the Presbyterian Church on Feb. 28 to give his operalogue, "Tannhauser," accompanied by Edgar Bowman. The supply of tickets will be limited to the seating capacity of the church, so that it will be necessary to secure them early. They will be priced at one dollar each; and may be obtained from any member of the Ladies' Auxiliary.

## MYSTERY DOLLAR PACKAGE SALE

The Women's Guild of St. Luke's Church will hold a mystery package sale at the home of Mrs. Arthur Wright, 38 Greenway Terraces, on Feb. 13, from 3 to 6 p. m. A dollar's value will be found in each package purchased. Afternoon tea will be served.

## CHURCH SERVICES

- First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Forest Hills—Services Sunday at 11 A. M. Sunday School, 9:45 A. M., Wednesday evening at 8. Reading room open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, except holidays, from 2 to 4 P. M. Masonic Temple.
- Roman Catholic—Sunday mornings at 6:45, 8 and 11 o'clock, Ascan Avenue near Queens Boulevard.
- St. Luke's Episcopal—Rev. Wm. P. S. Lander. Sundays—Holy Communion, 8 A. M., Church School, 9:30 A. M. Service and sermon, 11 A. M. Holy Days—Holy Communion, 7:30 A. M. Greenway South near Cranford Street.
- Church-in-the-Gardens—Sunday services; Sunday School 9:45 A. M.; sermon, 11 A. M. Corner Greenway North and Ascan Avenue.
- Presbyterian Church of Forest Hills—Rev. Albert Sheppard, M. A., minister. Church services, Sunday: 10 A. M. Sabbath School; 11 A. M. Public Worship; 8 P. M. Evening Lecture. Wednesday, 8 P. M. Bible Study. Seminole Avenue and Gown Street.

## COMING EVENTS

- Monday, 3 to 5:30 P. M. Library Open—Sales Office.
- Friday, 3 to 8 P. M. Library Open—Sales Office.
- First and third Tuesday evening of each month, 8 o'clock—Forest Hills Lodge, 946 F. & A. M.—Masonic Temple.
- Tuesday, 8 P. M.—Choral Club Rehearsal, Church-in-the-Gardens.
- Monday, Jan. 22, 8 P. M.—Gardens Corporation meeting, Church-in-the-Gardens.
- Thursday, Jan. 25, 8:15 P. M.—Commencement, Pub. School 3.
- Friday, Jan. 26, 8 P. M.—"Robert Burns" program, Presbyterian Church.
- Friday, Jan. 26, 8 P. M.—Men's Club, corner Greenway North and Puritan Avenue.
- Saturday, Jan. 27, 9 P. M.—Benefit Dance, Big Sisters, Inn.
- Sunday, Jan. 28, 7:30 P. M.—Psychology Lecture, Inn.
- Tuesday, Jan. 30, 2:30 P. M.—Current Readings Chapter, Women's Club, 120 Puritan Avenue.
- Friday, Feb. 2, 7—9 P. M.—Bird Lecture, Forest Hills Gardens Audubon Society, Forest Hills Theatre.
- Friday, Feb. 2, 8:30 P. M.—Card Party, Choral Club, 62 Greenway Terraces.
- Monday, Feb. 5, 2 P. M.—Women's Club, Inn.
- Monday, Feb. 12, 8 P. M.—Lincoln celebration, Masonic Temple.
- Tuesday, Feb. 13, 2 P. M.—Mystery Package Sale, St. Luke's Women's Guild, 38 Greenway Terraces.
- Thursday, Feb. 22, 8 P. M.—George Washington celebration, Masonic Temple.
- Wednesday, Feb. 28, 8 P. M.—Havrah Hubbard Operalogue, Presbyterian Church.