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HOME OF ROBERT HARRISS

Character and individuality in design mark the home of Robert Harriss on the corner of Greenway North and Overhill Road. The topography of the land had much to do with the handling of the roof lines and the arrangement of plan, as well as the selection of materials for the exterior constructive feature. The half-timber effect in the gables is obtained by the use of reinforced concrete bands cast in molds and faced with brushed tile and aggregate stucco. These bands extend through to the plaster line and are constructive as well as ornamental.

The handling of the garage problem has been exceedingly well done, advantage having been taken of the steep sloping grades on the easterly side, allowing the garage to be built-in on an incline and attached to the house, thus adding to the general effect, rather than detracting, as often occurs when garages are detached units erected on level plots.

The house was erected by the Homes Company from plans prepared by Grosvenor Atterbury, F. A. I. A. Architect.

ST. LUKE'S SALE AND SUPPER

At the Sales Office on Wednesday, June 12th, from three to six in the afternoon, the Women's Guild of St. Luke's Mission will hold a sale of cakes and home-made candies, with also a grab-bag and ice cream for the children. Supper will be served at 6:30 at a charge of one dollar per plate.

THE RED CROSS

The "Greatest Mother of Them All" found loyal support in Forest Hills. While all of the country was responding magnificently to the appeal of the Red Cross, going over the top, this village reached for and gripped the tip-top.

At the time of going to press the indications are that Forest Hills' contribution is close to \$22,000. There was no quota for the village as it was part of the Second Ward of Queens, but based on population a quota of \$5,000 would have been more than ample. Hence we have more than quadrupled our minimum, equalling in that respect our results in the Third Liberty Loan. But Liberty Bonds are an investment at good rates in the best security on earth; the Red Cross is a gift, freely, whole-heartedly and unstintedly given that the burden on our fighting men may be lifted a little. Forest Hills "came through" splendidly.

The results are due, first, to the spirit and desire of our people to give and to give again; then to the excellent manner in which the district was organized and finally to the untiring efforts of every individual connected with the drive. Great credit is due to the vice-chairman for the Second Ward, John M. Demarest, to S. W. Eckman, campaign manager, to Miss Nellie Smith, chairman of the Women's Committee and all of her ardent and able helpers, and to every man, woman and child in Forest Hills who gave so freely and gladly of their time, efforts and money.

Masque "THE SPIRIT OF PLAY."

by

Children of the Playground

June 15th at 4 P. M.

Every day finds the children of Forest Hills thoroughly enjoying rehearsals in preparation for the Masque "The Spirit of Play." The work is under the direction of Miss Barbara Schelling, a Noyes Dancer who has just returned from directing similar work in Richmond, Virginia and promises to be an artistic production.

The Masque will be held on "The Village Green," Greenway Terrace, during the late afternoon of June 15th, and every parent and friend of the children of Forest Hills is invited.

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Local news notes and other items of interest for publication in the Bulletin should reach the Homes Company Office, 27 Greenway Terrace, not later than Tuesday morning of the week of publication.

VALUE OF COMMUNITY PLAYGROUND TO FOREST HILLS.

Dorothy Canfield Fisher, author, patriot of the United States and friend of France, writes from the war zone in an appeal for funds for civilian welfare work: "The man in the trenches would much rather know that his delicate little girl was playing safely under supervision than to have ever so many comfort bags and cigarettes!"

If it is true that the father in the trenches, face to face with life and death, is taking consolation in the knowledge of the far-away directed play for his children, how much more should we in Forest Hills, who have been observing the effects of such play on a community playground for several years, appreciate it.

Our children are developing **physically, mentally and morally**, or at least it is the chief business of parents to see to it that this development is taking place. Intelligent people everywhere today are recognizing the fact that play is an essential element in this threefold development of the children—the citizens of tomorrow. **Muscular development, mental activity and moral poise and power** are acquired in the proper games on the playground where intelligent supervision is given.

More and more in this world the useful, helpful, leading people are those who know how to get on with folks—all kinds of folks. Team work, co-operation, consideration for other people, the ability to put oneself in another's place are all virtues which can be learned on the playground. These virtues are absolutely essential to the successful citizen of today and tomorrow. Watch your children at play with the neighbor's children and you will learn much about them which will surprise you, and I hope it will please you. At any rate, you will then catch the vision of the need and advantage of directed play. Are the children of Forest Hills to be leaders in the time after this war when they shall be the men and women, because they have learned how to work and play with other people? Be honest, do you appreciate the supervised play here and do you support it?

We sometimes think of playgrounds as breathing spaces for the very poor in the city's crowded slums. They are a blessing for the warped and dwarfed lives of the "children of disadvantage," as Dr. Jowett so appropriately calls the poor. On those breathing spaces in tenement districts the little people and young folks are learning **democracy, justice and fair play**.

The "children of advantage," the boys and girls of Forest Hills, need to learn the essential elements of fair play, too. By birth, through unusual opportunities of education, and because of the encouragement given them by their parents, much is expected of the children of a community like ours. The world has a right to look to them for leadership and for example. They will fail of the high mark set for them unless they, too, have learned democracy, justice and fair play. After this war for democracy has been won no sham leadership will be recognized. Only those men and women will have the highest places who, through nobility of character, know best how to serve. The qualities of fine character are acquired and developed on a community playground, where recreation is directed and supervised.

A FOREST HILLS MOTHER.

GIRL SCOUTS.

On Flag Day, Friday, June 14th, the Scouts of Troop 1 will present three one-act plays to raise funds to support the French baby they have adopted.

ATTENTION! CHILDREN OF FOREST HILLS.

Boy's Prize—Baseball Mask.

Girl's Prize—Basketball.

Will be awarded to the boy and girl under 16 years of age who are most successful in painting the enclosed poster. The original picture, in colors, by Mr. Rountree, will be on exhibition at the Playground.

All entries for the contest should be handed to the Play-leader on the Playground. The contest closes on June 12th, and the announcement of winners will be made at the Children's Pageant to be held on June 15th.

The Committee of Judges is composed of the following: Mrs. Culin, Mrs. Will Hooper, Mrs. Bailey, Mr. Robert Tappen and Mr. Herman Rountree.

PATRIOTIC EXERCISES AT P. S. 101.

Patriotic exercises were held at Public School No. 101 on Tuesday morning, May 28th, when a diploma awarded to the school by the Treasury Department was formally presented by John M. Demarest, Chairman of the Third Liberty Loan Committee of Forest Hills. The boys and girls sold 194 bonds. The program was as follows:

Reading of the Scriptures.....Principal Agnes A. Cording
Hymn—"The King of Love".....School
Salute to the Flag

Songs—"The Star Spangled Banner"

"There's a Long, Long Trail"

"Battle Hymn of the Republic"

Recitations by Pupils—"How I Sold My Bonds".....

Gracy Clinchy, Ellen Yepson, Nancy Woodard, Gladys

Hoshafian, George Simons, Chas. Caldwell.

Presentations of Diplomas and Address to the School....

Mr. John M. Demarest.

Song—"America"

In his address, Mr. Demarest spoke earnestly and feelingly to the children. He explained to them the necessity for the bonds, the organization of the community into its various committees, the pleasure that the success of the school children had given him, and, finally, commended their willingness to begin again upon the Fourth Liberty Loan.

At the conclusion of the exercises the entire school adjourned to the Liberty Garden, which was planted by the boys and girls this spring.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The Mothers' Club meeting on May 20th was addressed by Mrs. Clara Rodger, Chairman of the Woman's Suffrage Party of the Borough of Queens.

At each of the two schools there is a school garden in which the boys and girls are intensely interested. In either an individual garden or a community plot everyone has planted seeds and both the boys and girls are working hard to earn the insignia of the United States School Garden Army.

In the school drive for the sale of Thrift and War Savings Stamps, Forest Hills, with a total of nearly \$10,000, is, on a per capita basis, among the first five schools of the city.

COMMUNITY COUNCIL.

The Executive Committee is made up of the representatives of those organizations which contribute to the support of the Playground and Community Secretary and is at present made up as follows:

Forest Hills Taxpayers—Mr. Alexander Cameron, Mr. Lyman Beecher Stowe. The Women's Club of Forest Hills —Mrs. Edwin Arden, Mrs. A. M. Gray. The Men's Club of Forest Hills—Mr. David Miller, Mr. Roland Smith. The Sage Foundation Homes Company—Mr. John M. Demarest, The Cord Meyer Development Company—Mr. George Meyer, (Mr. Robert Marsh acting in his absence.)

SAVE WHEAT.

Conserve wheat; if possible, use no wheat until the next harvest. In households where wheat must be used, a total of one and one-half pounds of wheat flour, or prepared wheat, per week, should be the maximum allowance—Government Bulletin.

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organizations represented on the Council; to keep a Community Calendar of events,
the value of which

CONTRIBUTION TO COMMUNITY COUNCIL
(PLAYGROUND FUND)

(✓) Check which way you contribute.

1.—Enclose please find check for.....dollars.

2.—I hereby agree to pay.....dollars towards the Playground Fund by Sept. 1,
1918, for the expenditures of the 1918 Budget.

3.—I hereby agree to pay.....dollars yearly towards the Playground Fund dur-
ing my residence in Forest Hills.

Name.....

Address.....

Received Payment.

Date.....

**Make checks payable to Community Council of Forest Hills.*

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CONTRIBUTION TO COMMUNITY COUNCIL

(Please print name)

Check with your contribution

I enclose please and check for _____ dollars

I hereby agree to pay _____ dollars towards the Physiological Fund for Sept. 1, 1918 for the expenditures of the 1918 Budget.

I hereby agree to pay _____ dollars yearly towards the Physiological Fund for _____

Name _____

Address _____

Date _____

*Make checks payable to Community Council of Forest Hills

COMMUNITY COUNCIL OF FOREST HILLS

(FISCAL YEAR CLOSSES SEPTEMBER 30)

1917 EXPENDITURES		1918 BUDGET	
Salary, Community Secretary and Playleader	\$1,500.00	Salary, Community Secretary and Playleader	\$1,500.00
Petty cash	63.08	Supplies (office)	50.00
Office supplies and 'phones and addressograph plates	144.01	'Phone calls	150.00
Playground apparatus, repairs and renewals	41.20	Playground supplies	100.00
Flower shop, care, planting, etc.	276.43	Repairs and care of grounds	400.00
Miscellaneous	29.26	Tent	80.00
		Sand	20.00
Total	\$2,123.99	Total	\$2,300.00
 <i>Contributions for 1917</i>		 <i>Pledges for 1918</i>	
Women's Club:		Women's Club	\$ 100.00
Playground Fund	\$ 90.00	Taxpayer's Association	200.00
Community Secretary	75.00	Men's Club	
Mrs. L. M. Burt, Playground	5.00	Children's Fair	172.44
Taxpayer's Association	150.00	Children's Movies	41.75
Men's Club	77.58	Parents	
Cord Meyer Development Co.	575.47		
Sage Foundation Homes Co.	1,150.94		
Total	\$2,123.99		

NOTICE TO RESIDENTS.

The above report gives the expenditures and contributions of the Community Council for 1917 and the Budget for 1918. This Council is composed of representatives from local organizations, organizations contributing towards its support having representation on the Executive Committee. The Executive Committee acts as a governing body in directing the work and activities of the Community Secretary and Playleader.

The work of the Community Secretary is to aid in the clerical work, such as sending out notices for organizations represented on the Council; to keep a Community Calendar of events, thus providing against the conflict of dates; to keep a census of the Community, the value of which was demonstrated in connection with "Rainbow Night" and the Liberty Loan Campaigns. The office of the Community Secretary is, in fact, a clearing house and a bureau of information for all the civic and patriotic activities of Forest Hills.

The work of the Community as Playleader is to supervise the Playground. There the children play in safety and under the supervision of the trained Playleader, thus having their play directed to produce a maximum of physical and mental development, as well as to create a spirit of co-operation. This work is continued indoors during the winter months through sewing, knitting, swimming, dancing and War relief classes, as well as purely social clubs for young people.

Thus, the benefits of these activities reaches every resident in the Community in one way or another, and the question is **WHAT WILL BE YOUR SHARE** in aiding this Council in its direction of the educational, social and civic forces, and the direction of the Play life of the children of the community.

Our children are our greatest asset. Let us further this asset even though under pressure of war conditions.



ROUNTREE

FOREST HILLS PLAYGROUND

A WAR MEETING AT THE INN.

Few who were present at the meeting Thursday evening, May 23rd, at the Inn will ever forget it.

A French Lieutenant, a Sergeant of the Serbian Army and a Captain of the Royal British Flying Corps!

It really should have been three meetings instead of one, for it was quite beyond the grasp of mind to take in at one time all that was said there. More than one person has said it was the finest meeting ever held in Forest Hills—yes, and perhaps the most serious meeting as well. There was very little talking afterwards, people were too thoughtful. Their consciences had been searched as they seldom are, and they were thinking of their duties towards our brothers and sisters across the seas, who are suffering so grievously. One cannot hear of babies dying for lack of food, and Serbian girls to the number of 30,000 taken into captivity by the Turk without wondering what his part is in this war.

Mr. Demarest, who presided, introduced the first speaker, Lieutenant deWierzbicki, of the French Army. Lieut. deWierzbicki, in English which might well be the envy of many Americans, spoke on what France has suffered in this war. Speaking with appreciation of American aid, the Lieutenant at the same time paid his respects to his native land, affirming that he could not be humble in spirit while wearing the blue uniform of the Army that stands for so many glorious deeds and accomplishments. He told of the self-denial of the French people and how America must subscribe to war loans, seventy-two billions of dollars, before equalling the financial sacrifice per capita of France.

Sergeant Ruth Farnum, the next speaker, is the only woman soldier in the Serbian Army. She has given all her time and energy to Serbia since the Balkan War in 1912.

It was quite evident that Sergeant Farnum tried to spare her audience from the horrors of the conditions, but the simple facts were such that it made one feel the call of duty to go over and help.

There are no beggars in Serbia. To illustrate, Sergeant Farnum told how one day, in going along a military road, she stopped to speak to a mother who sat beside the body of her child who had just died. She asked the cause and was told the child was "so hungry." Soldiers were passing back and forth on the road, but the mother would not beg of them for food even to save her child.

In 1912, when Sergeant Farnum went to Serbia to help, she had been there but two days when they asked her to assist the doctors in the hospital operating rooms. She had never seen blood, never been trained as a nurse, but the shortage of help was so serious that she could not refuse. So she steeled herself to help the surgeons operate on the soldiers who had to bear their suffering without anaesthetics, for conditions were so bad they had no anaesthetics at all in the country.

Mr. Demarest introduced as the last speaker Captain Alex. MacDonald, of the Royal Flying Corps of the British Army.

The Captain, who is an ace and has seventeen Hun machines to his credit, although but twenty years of age, told of his flying experiences. In his last flight he was attacked by no less than four German planes. His only chance was the spiral drop, in which the machine spins in circles towards the earth. That he was able to keep his equilibrium in spite of six bullet wounds so that he brought his plane out of the spiral drop before reaching earth, goes to prove his great skill.

ROLAND H. SMITH.

PERSONAL NOTES.

A daughter, Frances, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thurlow M. Gordon of Puritan Avenue on Monday, May 20th.

A daughter, Enid Stuart, was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Jagoe, of Greenway North, on Tuesday, May 28th.

Mrs. E. J. Fay, of Puritan Avenue, is now in active service as driver in the Motor Corps Division of the Women's League for National Service.

In aid of the Red Cross drive last week L. D. Marriott, of the Country Day School, pledged \$5 of the tuition fee of each pupil registering to enter the school in that period. As twenty-one entries were received, Mr. Marriott turned over to the local committee \$105 for the Red Cross.

LOST.—A \$5.00 War Savings Stamp, probably on Greenway South. Finder please return to Joy Mays, 133 Slocum Crescent.

AT THE INN

The two classes in Red Cross work now being held at the Inn on Wednesday and Fridays of each week, are growing constantly and excellent work is being done by the members.

During the regular Saturday night dance at the Inn last week, a series of rhythmic and classic dances were given by Miss Grace Cowie, a pupil of Miss Noyes of New York, accompanied by Miss Kathryn McNeal at the piano. Miss Cowie danced with marvellous grace and her interpretation of "Belgium" and the "Balloon" dance was exceedingly well done. Captain A. Goldstein, who is in this country for a short time following serious injuries in battle, gave a short but impressive talk and presented Corporal Paul Ivgolevitch of the Russian Army, who has had a wonderful career as a soldier and an artist, though still a very young man. His violin solos were wonderfully executed and received. A collection was taken for the Red Cross upon Mr. Ivgolevitch's promise to play a Russian Trench song of his own composition if \$50 could be raised. Nearly twice the amount was taken up in a few moments' time and the Trench song was worthy of many times the amount and will never be forgotten by music lovers.

The Red Cross Drive closed with a Bridge Party held in the drawing room of the Inn on Monday last, of which the proceeds, after defraying expenses were about \$250 for the fund. The winner of the first prize, \$10 in Thrift Stamps, was Mrs. Murray Brown, who immediately donated her prize to the fund. The affair was a huge success and much enjoyed. The drawing room was prettily decorated with roses, given as a donation by the Flower Shop, while a delicious fruit punch, the ingredients of which were also donations by the local tradesmen, was enjoyed during the playing of the games. The ladies of the Inn and community worked with much ardour and efficiency during the entire drive and much thanks for the success of the Community is given to them. The tickets of admission were furnished by Mrs. W. W. Dunklin of the Inn.

Mrs. W. G. Cutler, whose husband, Captain Cutler of the U. S. N., has again been summoned to active duty, has been visiting her daughter and son at Washington and Charlotte, N. C., but expects to return to the Inn within the next few weeks.

Mrs. James B. Scruggs, mother of Mrs. W. W. Dunklin of the Inn, who has been south for some months, has returned and taken up her residence at the Inn.

Among the recent arrivals are, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Calder of Jamaica, British West Indies, who are traveling in the north on account of Mr. Calder's ill health, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Knapp of California, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Ray of New York, Mrs. John Roberts of Buffalo, New York.

RED CROSS AID ACTIVITIES.

The Tea and War-cake Sale at the home of Mrs. H. P. Daniels of Markwood Road on Tuesday, May 21st, and, because of rain, continued on Wednesday, the 22nd, was the means of raising \$60 for the Red Cross.

A Luncheon on Friday, the 24th, given by Mrs. Mueller's class of school children in the Playground, at twenty-five cents per cover, raised \$28 for the Red Cross. The children provided the food and served it most attractively in tents decorated with French, English, Italian and American flags.

A suggestion made by Mrs. William B. Davis of Wendover Road is that the flowers of the Gardens be made a means of raising money throughout the Summer for the Red Cross. Her idea is that neighbors and passersby desiring flowers will gladly, in payment for them, make deposits in a Red Cross box kept for that purpose.

Included in the total raised here for the Red Cross last week are funds raised by special activities of various organizations. Among these are the contribution of \$10.50 donated through the Chess Club as a result of Frank J. Marshall's exhibition; \$226 netted from the Bridge at the Inn on May 27th; \$38.50 turned over by the West Side Tennis Club following the club match with the Yale team; \$235 from the meeting at the Inn addressed by Sergeant Ruth Farnum; \$84.72 as a result of the collection during the dancing at the Inn last Saturday night; \$47.02 collected by Mrs. Kloetzer, assisted by her son, Curtis, and Mildred Millar; \$10.00 from automobile tagging, and \$25.00 from a stand at the West Side games, managed by Dorothy Smith of the Girl Scouts.

COMING EVENTS.

Announcements of Coming Events should be sent to the Community Secretary, 27 Greenway Terrace. 'Phone Forest Hills 6200.

Mondays at 2 P. M., at the home of Mr. Lee Galloway, 250 Greenway South—Meeting of Local Committee of the Home Service Section of the Red Cross.

Mondays at 4 P. M.—Girl Scouts meet at Sales Office to work for war relief. All girls of the community invited.

First and Third Tuesdays of each month. Arcanum Hall, Elmhurst. Meeting of Forest Hills Lodge of Masons.

Tuesday Afternoons, 3:15, Public School 101.—Girls' Sewing Class.

Thursdays at 8:15 P. M., at Ninth Regiment Armory, 14th Street, New York City—Ninth Coast Artillery Drill.

Saturday, June 15th, 4 P. M.—Pageant by the children of the Playground on "The Village Green."

Monday, June 17th, 2:45 P. M., Public School 101—Mothers' Club meeting.

Tuesday, June 25th, 8:15 P. M.—Meeting of Forest Hills Taxpayers at the Church of Forest Hills, Seminole Avenue.

CHESS, CHECKERS AND WHIST.

At the first weekly meeting of the Club in the Sales Office on Tuesday evening, May 21st, the following officers were elected; H. E. Cleland, President; George B. Everitt, Vice-President; Robert E. Marsh, Secretary, and George C. LeBlanc, Treasurer.

Twenty-five members have already been enrolled, and a Committee on By-Laws and Constitution has been appointed. Names for the club are under consideration, the choice resting between "Chess and Checkers" and "Chess, Checkers and Whist."

Meetings are to be held every Tuesday evening in the Sales Office of the Homes Company at 8 o'clock. Those wishing to become members should apply to the officers of the club.

BOY SCOUTS.

"I just wanted to get you fellows together so that I might have a good look at you again before leaving for camp, and to turn the Troop over to Mr. McCulloch, who has agreed to serve as Acting Scoutmaster until the Scout Committee can meet for more definite action."—Scoutmaster Folensbee at special meeting, Troop 2.

We knew that Germany would keep this thing up until she got into real trouble. What's going to happen to the Kaiser when M. J. gets over there—well, we'll tell you about it in the Bulletin later on. The point is—we know Folensbee and the Kaiser doesn't.

Probably no organization has been more depleted in its leadership by the war than the Boy Scouts of America, which means, of course, that this organization has made a very significant contribution to the United States Army; not only in fighting force, but more especially in the moral influence of these clean-cut men of high purpose and unselfish motive. Folensbee is no exception; we are proud of him as a Scoutmaster; we are proud of him as a Soldier.

CHURCH IN THE GARDENS SUNDAY SCHOOL

It is an exceptional pleasure to have Mr. Kaighn with us again, and although his work is still going to keep him away a great deal, he has promised to "jump in" and do anything we want him to whenever he can. The school will not soon forget.

We want every scholar and every boy and girl who would like to be a scholar to be on hand on Children's Day, June 9th, and we want them all to bring their parents.

The primary department needs a cabinet to display a number of curios, models, etc. Mrs. Smart says that 80 per cent of the knowledge that comes to a young child comes by way of the "eye-gate." And Mrs. Smart knows! Hasn't someone a glass front book case to donate, or sell "for a song?"

Keep Saturday, June 22nd free for the Sunday School Christian Endeavor picnic.

Another star on our service flag,—Mr. Folensbee left for Camp this week.

CHURCH SERVICES.

Roman Catholic—Sunday mornings at 8 and 9.30 o'clock. Ascan Avenue, near Queens Boulevard.

St. Luke's Episcopal—Sunday mornings, 8 o'clock, Holy Communion; Sunday School at 9.45 o'clock; morning service and sermon at 11 o'clock. Wednesdays, 8 P. M., Evensong and Litany. Greenway South, near Ascan Avenue.

Church-in-the-Gardens—Sunday mornings, Sunday School at 10 o'clock; sermon at 11 o'clock. Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday at 7:30 P. M. in Social Room. Greenway North and Ascan Avenue.

Church of Forest Hills (undenominational)—Sunday mornings, Sunday School at 10 o'clock; sermon at 11 o'clock; Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday at 6.45 P. M. Seminole Avenue and Gown Street.

Christian Science Society of Forest Hills. Services Sunday at 11 A. M. Sunday School 9:45 A. M. 173 Continental Avenue.

CHURCH-IN-THE-GARDENS

The Pastor's son, Robert John Kent, was married to Miss Hazel M. Clark, of Brooklyn, Thursday night, May 23rd. The ceremony was performed in the Lewis Avenue Congregational Church of which Dr. Kent, who officiated, was pastor for twenty-five years. A very pleasant feature of the service was the singing of both wedding marches and the hymn, "O Perfect Love," by the choir of the Church of the Ascension, New York City in which the bride had sung for several years. Mr. George Batcheller and Mr. Myron J. Folensbee, both of Forest Hills, were ushers. The young people will reside in Brooklyn.

The welcome news of Mr. Robert J. Cole's safe arrival on the other side has been received. He serves under the Y. M. C. A.

The Cradle Roll will hold its annual party on Friday afternoon, June 7th, in the Social Room. Parents and friends are invited. The Cradle Roll is under the care of Mrs. Hewitt.

John Whitefield, son of Professor and Mrs. B. B. Kendrick, was baptized last Sunday morning in church.

Teachers and officers and scholars are looking forward to the second Sunday in June, "Children's Day," and are planning to make it a day of great interest and value for children and parents. The regular morning service will be devoted to it. The special exercise prepared by Mrs. Lucy Allen Smart will be used. Bibles will be given by the Church to the children who have reached the age of seven.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed tomorrow morning.

RED CROSS BRANCH.

The second meeting of the Red Cross Committee of Forest Hills was held at the Meyer House on Thursday, May 23rd. The Chairman, Mrs. Caldwell, informed the members present that the organization here had been officially made a Branch. The news was received with applause and the name Forest Hills Branch of the American Red Cross was unanimously adopted.

An Executive Committee was formed and a Membership Committee appointed.

The Chairman, officers and committees previously approved were made permanent by vote. The Auxiliary at the West Side Tennis Club, previously connected with the Elmhurst Branch, was made part of the Forest Hills Branch.

The following women were appointed to serve on the Membership Committee: Mrs. Washburne, Mrs. Hattemer, Mrs. Bogart, Mrs. Ward, Mrs. Hillman, Mrs. Edwin Backus, Mrs. Judson, Mrs. MacNeal.

The Treasurer, Miss Jeffries, reported some generous donations of money from individuals for the work of the Forest Hills Branch.

Arrangements were made for the Home Service Section, with Mrs. Nussbaum in charge, to hold its meetings at the Meyer House on Mondays at 2 o'clock.

LOST.—Sterling silver bar pin set with turquoise. Reward if returned to A. Dietsche, 20 Ingram Street.