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IMPRESSIVE SERVICE HELD

St. Luke's Church Dedicated—Large Congregation Present—Beautiful Music

In the presence of some 50 priests and seminarians and a congregation that taxed the edifice, the Rt. Rev. Frederick Burgess, D. D., Bishop of Long Island, dedicated the first section completed of St. Luke's Church, the Theodore Roosevelt Memorial, on Tuesday, March 25. At the Eucharist following the Bishop was the celebrant assisted by the Rector as deacon and the Ven. Roy F. Duffield, Arch-deacon of Queens and Nassau, as sub-deacon. The Rev. Frank Gavin, Th. D., professor of Ecclesiastical History in the General Theological Seminary, New York, preached. The music was rendered by a double quartet augmented by two boys of the choir of the Church of the Transfiguration, the Bishop Littlejohn Memorial, Brooklyn. The double quartet consisted of Mrs. Alexander Greene, Mrs. Chester Narimore, Mrs. G. H. Merrill, Mrs. C. H. W. Hasselriis, John Messenger, Ernest Gerhardt, J. Gorton Marsh and Frank Kneeland. Mr. Bomar Cramer, organist of the aforementioned church, was in charge of the music. Selections from the "Missa Marialis" and Mozart's "Second and Twelfth Mass" were sung. Offertory: "How lovely are Thy Dwellings," Liddle, sung by Ernest Gerhardt; Post Communion: "Grant us Thy peace," Troman; Postlude: "Scherz," Faulkes. After the service a luncheon was tendered to the Bishop and visiting clergy.

The style of the building is a free adaptation of the 14th century English Gothic executed in rough brick, stone and timber. Though there has been no slavish attempt to reconstruct a medieval parish church in all its detail, still the effect of the well proportioned interior in its present unfinished state, is one of great dignity and charm. The Church has been built by day labor with the Rector acting as contractor. All the timbers as well as the furnishings were made on the job, under the supervision of the architect, Robert Tappan. Throughout there is evident a simple rugged honesty of hand work skillfully applied. The craftsmen engaged on the work were so thoroughly interested personally that they presented a window to the Church after the manner of the old trade guilds. This window is unique in America. The sign board announcing the services is also very unique, being a combination of notice board and wayside shrine, with its stained glass presentation of the Crucifixion.

Only a portion of the entire group of the St. Luke's Church buildings is now complete. When finished the group will consist of a greatly enlarged church with a tower in front, about twice the height of the present tower. At the rear of the lot, running at right angles to the present building, will be placed the Parish House, while the new Rectory will join the tower at the front. In the center of the property there will be an attractive garden or close.

The exterior walls of the completed group of buildings will be of brick and stone. All the stucco surfaces on the existing structure are temporary.

The present building seats about 150. In the basement there is a large light room which will be used as a temporary Guild Hall. Adjoining it are pantries and a kitchen with complete equipment.

CHILDREN HOLD SALE FOR COMMUNITY HOUSE

A group of children, very much interested in the proposed Community House, have been holding a sale of their most beloved toys and books. In this way they have realized to date \$13.90 and the sale is still in progress. Those who are contributing their articles and conducting the sale are: Kathleen Copp, Helga Holch, Mary Jane Miller, Margaret Stanion and Grace Eckman.

NEW HOUSE ON WHITSON STREET

One of a Number of Houses Erected by the Forest Hills Gardens Homes Co.



The above photograph shows one of the detached end houses of the new group being completed by the Forest Hills Gardens Homes Co., on the south side of Whitson Street. The group is practically a duplicate of the group of houses on the other side of the same street.

The new group consists of six and seven-room semi-detached houses of brick and stucco with red tile roofs, two baths and garage, and two larger detached houses, one of which is shown in the photograph. There are 12 houses, some of which have been sold.

These houses are models of compactness and completeness and are excellently constructed. The detached end houses have many particularly desirable features. There is a good-sized enclosed entrance porch and two open porches, one upstairs and one off the large combination living and dining room. This large room runs the entire depth of the house and contains an open fireplace. The room is to be finished in chestnut, with batted doors and overhead exposed beams. There is a library or sewing room also on this floor, a bath room and a completely and modernly appointed kitchen. The kitchen contains a breakfast alcove, refrigerator vestibule, enclosed package receiver, Whitehouse kitchen cabinet, disappearing wall ironing board, Garland range, and Treadlight floor of rubber and cork tile. There are four bedrooms and two bathrooms on the second floor. The master bedroom has an open fireplace and private bath. The third floor has two double bedrooms and another bathroom.

Last but not least, the cellar is equipped with the latest type Spencer boiler and Baker automatic oil burner. There is a submerged tank in the yard, holding over 1,000 gallons, for furnace oil. The heating plant in this house is the latest vacuum system with valves on each radiator to regulate the heat in each room, and each house is furnished with solid-brass hot-water pipes, Ruud automatic hot-water heaters and Excelso hot-water heater, connected with the boiler, for winter supply.

The lath is all expanded metal with outside walls furred so that the air space between makes the houses dry and cooler in summer and warmer in winter. Floors are hardwood.

The plot is 55 by 100 feet. At the rear there is a service lane, on which faces a double brick garage connected with the house supplies of water, gas and electricity, as well as sewer.

The Forest Hills Gardens Homes Co. is owned and managed by Forest Hills residents, whose interests in their development goes far beyond the possible profits involved.

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MORE ABOUT LIBRARY SITE

Editor THE BULLETIN:

The following reasons seem to me to control the location of the proposed Library to a considerable extent—

1. The Library will be a residential and not a commercial one.
2. Being residential it should be placed as nearly central among the residents it is proposed to serve as is possible.
3. The Library will be considerably used by children, and being so used should be placed apart from the congested traffic zone, such as Queens Boulevard is now and will increasingly be.
4. Continental Avenue and Dartmouth Street is close to the geographical center of this community, taking it as from The Stadium to Union Turnpike and Metropolitan Avenue to the limits of Cord-Meyer development. We must not forget the large number of families that will occupy the property adjacent to Metropolitan Avenue and the Burns Street dwellings when completed. We should not be asked to build on the Boulevard simply for the traveling public to gaze upon.
5. The noise of the cars and the exhaust therefrom would be an annoyance to the residents who use the Library for reference or study, if the Library were on the Boulevard.
6. The residents living on the Cord-Meyer side will continue to cross the Boulevard for the trains, for their marketing, shopping and movie, and being on this side the Library will be very accessible if at Continental Avenue and Dartmouth Street.
7. The artistic setting of the above location, with its quiet and beauty, should offset any desire to build on Queens Boulevard for the benefit of non-residents who pass in their hurry down the island.

March 15, 1924.

E. HENDERSON

The Sage Foundation Homes Co. will withhold the Continental Avenue-Dartmouth Street plot from the market only until April 15.

MUSICAL AFTERNOON AT WOMEN'S CLUB

The Women's Club will meet on the afternoon of April 7, at the Inn, when the Floriat Trio, consisting of Mary Waterman, violinist, Florence Briggs, cellist and Dorothy Fine, pianist, will give a program.

The current readings chapter will meet on Tuesday afternoon, April 8, at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. T. M. Gordon, 84 Puritan Avenue, when Mrs. H. N. Vermilye will review "So Big," by Edna Ferber. Mrs. William A. Hume will be the assistant hostess.

The same chapter will meet on the afternoon of April 22, at the home of Mrs. Robert Tappan, 28 Whitson Street, when Miss Mary Taylor will review "The Pitiful Wife," by Strom Jameson. Mrs. William F. Baker will be assistant hostess.

NEUROLOGIST SPEAKS

At the meeting of the Men's Club held Wednesday evening, at the home of Robert B. McKee, 49 Summer Street, Dr. Louis Cassamajor, professor of neurology at Columbia University, spoke on "Why Men Do Things." The doctor is a keen student of human nature and pleased his hearers by his rallies of wit as well as by his serious remarks. He takes a hopeful view and is optimistic even about the flapper, who, he said, is better physically than her mother.

President Daniels announced that he had appointed Thurlow M. Gordon to represent the club on the advisory committee of the Community House.

John V. L. Hogan was elected a member.

FAMOUS ARTISTS WILL ASSIST

Mary Mellich, soprano, of the Metropolitan Opera Co., has been engaged to sing at the Forest Hills Choral Club concert, at the Forest Hills Theatre, on Friday evening, April 11. This announcement alone ought to be enough to sell all the tickets of the house. The other two assisting artists are also very attractive. Lewis H. Williamson, tenor, who has sung frequently at the Church-in-the-Gardens and whose voice is clear and rich and beautifully trained, will sing and Miss Julia Harden, talented harpist of Forest Hills, will play. The piano accompanist will be the dependable Miss Alice M. Shaw. Albert Brown, organist, will play solo numbers as well as accompanying the Choral Club. Bruno Huhn, the regular conductor of the club, will wield the baton.

Rehearsals are being held every Tuesday evening by the club members and a most attractive program of choral numbers will show the training of the 75 good voices.

Mrs. Ada Park Maddux, sister of Mrs. Charles H. Scammell, president of the club, is taking Mrs. Scammell's place in making the final preparations for the concert. Each officer and member of the club is working hard to make this concert the most successful in the club's history. Such success will be a large factor in Mrs. Scammell's recovery from her severe illness.

TRANSIT MASS MEETING HELD

Last night a meeting of the residents of Kew Gardens, Forest Hills and Forest Hills Gardens was held in Public School 3, when the subject of transit was discussed. Captain George F. Daggett, chief of the transit bureau of the Transit Commission and P. H. Woodard, general passenger agent of the Long Island Railroad, were invited to address the meeting. A full report of the proceedings will appear in the next BULLETIN.

The Community Council of Forest Hills, which includes the Gardens Corporation and the Forest Hills Association and the Kew Gardens Civic Association were the organizations responsible for the meeting. The officers of these organizations and the speakers had dinner at the Forest Hills Inn last evening.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY NEWCOMBE TO HEAD SCOUT SUSTAINING ASSOCIATION

District Attorney Richard S. Newcombe was elected, March 17, to serve as president of the Queens Boy Scout Sustaining Association for 1924. The election took place at a meeting of the Board of Directors, at the annual meeting of the association, held at the Town Hall, Jamaica.

FREDERICK EUGENE BACKUS DIES

Frederick Eugene Backus, who made his home with the family of his brother's widow, Mrs. I. W. Backus, Queens Boulevard, died on March 15. His father was the late John E. Backus. He was born in Forest Hills, September 17, 1877, although the town was then called Hopedale.

Services were conducted by the Rev. Albert Sheppard, of the Presbyterian Church and by the Rev. Robert Watson, of Brooklyn, on Monday afternoon, March 17. Burial was made in Maple Grove Cemetery.

CELEBRATIONS ASSOCIATION TO MEET

A general meeting of the Celebrations Association has been called for Monday evening, April 7, 1924, at 8 o'clock, at which the Executive Board expects to present a program of the festivities to be held at the coming July 4 celebration. Through the kindness of M. Lawrence Meade, manager, the meeting will be held in the sun parlor of the Forest Hills Inn.

THE INN



Among the affairs at the Inn for the past two weeks was the children's party last Saturday afternoon. It was one of the prettiest parties of the season and was enjoyed by about 150 boys and girls, made up of resident children of the Inn and their many friends of the Gardens and of the city. These little ladies and gentlemen carried off the honors of the day in a very grown-up manner and enjoyed the dancing and festivities to the utmost.

The regular Saturday night dance for the grown-ups proved as popular as ever.

Eric Titus, who has been touring for the past year with "Blossom Time," has returned to the Inn. The numerous friends of Mr. Titus were very happy to welcome him back. Among other stage talent now registered at the Inn are Miss Gloria Gordon, who is playing with Richard Bennett in "The Dancers," and Charles Irwin, who is rehearsing for the leading male role in "The Dream Girl," playing opposite Fay Bainter. "The Dream Girl" will open in New York on Easter Monday.

Returning from trips to Southern resorts are Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jackson, and Mrs. Mark Hayes and son. Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mahood and daughter Virginia have returned from a trip to California by way of the Canal. Other visitors to Panama and the Canal Zone were Mrs. K. F. Field and daughter, who have now returned to the Inn.

Among the private parties recently held at the Inn was a bridge luncheon given by Mrs. C. C. Smith, of Portland, Oregon, who is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. M. Olmstead, of the Gardens. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Grout also gave a very delightful dinner party in the sun parlor last Saturday night.

The luncheon in the sun parlor on Tuesday, March 18, given by Mrs. W. H. Wood, was very much enjoyed, as was the tea and bridge party at which Mrs. H. H. Henderson was hostess. Mrs. R. D. Jackson, of Kew Gardens, entertained at a dinner party of six in the sun parlor on St. Patrick's Day.

NEWS OF THE NEIGHBORS

Mrs. Hester C. Bixler, of 36 Continental Avenue, is sojourning at the Marlborough-Blenheim, Atlantic City.

E. Henderson, 167 Greenway North, has sold his former residence, 56 Ingram Street, to Earl Ermon, of Brooklyn.

Mrs. Edwin E. Bush, Seminole Avenue, returned March 10, from California, where she has spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. E. deB. Newman, at Los Angeles. Mr. Newman, formerly of Forest Hills, in connection with the production of his own company's pictures, has been made business manager for Thomas H. Ince, one of the largest producers of the motion picture industry.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Luce and daughter, Nancy, Greenway North, are enjoying a visit in Naples, Florida.

Jack Valentine, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. A. Treu, of Euclid Street, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, was reported, at the time of going to press, slightly improved, and hopes were held out by the medical men in attendance upon him of a recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Everard Stokes, Mrs. Stokes, Sr., and Miss Stokes, gave a tea on Sunday afternoon, March 16, at their home, 191 Greenway North. The Stokes family will soon move to Seagirt, New Jersey, for the next six months and for perhaps a year. In the meantime they will decide whether their home will be in England or this country.

Deborah Davenport, 20 Groton Street, gave a party to celebrate her eighth birthday anniversary, on March 22, although the birthday really was March 24.

The Forest Hills Associates, Inc. erroneously reported in the last BULLETIN that Theodore Luce had bought a lot at the corner of Greenway South and Ascan Avenue. Mr. Luce has bought a lot at the corner of Greenway North and Ascan Avenue and will build a house on the plot for the family's home.

As the BULLETIN goes to press, it is reported that Mrs. Charles H. Scammell is doing as well as could be expected considering the seriousness of the attack of pneumonia from which she has been suffering. Every resident of Forest Hills is hoping for her complete and speedy recovery.

Mrs. Louis Springer, of Ascan Avenue, and her sister, Mrs. T. E. Chandler, of Boston, have gone to Europe for several months. In Italy they will join their two sisters who have been there since last summer.

Alice Ortgies and Mary R. Marsh are home for the spring vacation, from Skidmore. Caroline Vose has been home from Miss Bennett's School.

SIGNBOARDS ON BOULEVARD UNSIGHTLY

Many new signboards are being erected on the Boulevard and these unsightly things will detract very much from the beauty of Queens Boulevard, which when widened will be one of the finest thoroughfares anywhere. George C. Meyer of the Cord Meyer Development Co., has written a letter to Borough President Connolly, asking him if it is not possible to stop the placing of these signs.

Mr. Meyer's letter was answered by Charles U. Powell, engineer in charge, who says:

"In response I am sorry to state that whereas we are in full sympathy with your point of view that Queens Boulevard should be retained as a beautiful outlook, there is no law under the present system of zoning that will permit us to prevent signs upon private property on a business street, such as Queens Boulevard.

"In order to accomplish anything along this line, it will be necessary to bring public sentiment to bear on the property owners. This seems the only way I know of to prevent advertising signs on private property along Queens Boulevard.

"I suggest therefore, that you take the matter up with the civic associations. You can be assured that you will have our hearty co-operation in anything that may be done."

SONG BIRDS HERE EARLY

The Forest Hills Gardens Audubon Society has passed through various phases of activity. It has pleaded and has demonstrated, has done field and lecture work with good effect. But this winter the weather man has assumed most of its duties. The winter birds have found sufficient food in nearby fields and woods and have not crowded our doorsteps as hungry mendicants. The mild winter, with much building and increasing city traffic, explains why birds are not plentiful at this time. However, there was a decrease of bird life last summer, and we may conclude that with houses replacing the once vacant lots the Gardens may not look hospitable to our feathered friends. Still there are some cheerful signs that should encourage all interested in our bird life. Never has the song sparrow burst into song so early as this year, and for the first time in our reckoning the chickadee has investigated the premises.

We started with almost an empty territory, and by patient endeavor filled the Gardens with songsters. It were a pity should Forest Hills go on record to lose its most valuable song birds, just when our trees and plants need them the most. Let us continue the good work, which means keep on feeding the birds and supporting the Audubon Society.

F. H.

FOR THE BENEFIT OF COMMUNITY HOUSE

On Thursday evening, April 3, through the courtesy of the management of Forest Hills Inn, a bridge and mah-jong party will be given in the ball room of the Inn, under the auspices of the Women's Guild of the Church-in-the-Gardens, for the benefit of the Community House fund. Mrs. James H. Cassidy, Mrs. Horace L. Willson, Mrs. Alden H. Vose, Mrs. John M. McMillin and Mrs. Otto L. Grever will be in charge. Tickets will be \$5 a table or \$1.25 each. The decorations and details of the arrangements will be artistic and appropriate. Tickets may be bought at the Inn.

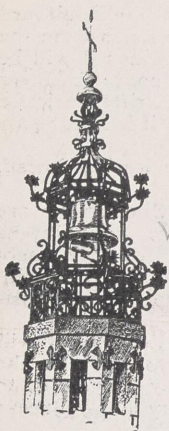
On Monday afternoon, March 24, at the home of Mrs. Robert Greig, 82 Greenway Terraces, a bridge and mah-jong party was given for the Community House fund by the Women's Guild, with Mrs. James H. Cassidy, Mrs. Otto L. Grever and Mrs. Greig in charge.

MOUNTAINEERS HELPED

At the meeting of the Women's Guild of the Church-in-the-Gardens, held in the Social Room on the afternoon of March 14, C. Mc Coy Franklin, president of the Crossnore School of the mountains of North Carolina, so graphically and appealingly told of the needs of the mountaineers and the work of his school, that the members donated \$50 for the cause.

At the food sale held on Saturday, March 15, by the same organization for the benefit of its many lines of philanthropic and missionary work, the sum of \$102.65 was cleared. The members in charge of the sale were: Mrs. Henry Hof, Mrs. John A. McFarlan, Mrs. H. W. Hillman and Mrs. A. K. Hanks.

CHURCH-IN-THE-GARDENS



Tomorrow morning the Minister will preach on "Religion and Beauty," the musical numbers including a soprano solo: "God Is My Shepherd" (Dvorak), and the anthem "Seek Ye the Lord" (Roberts). At the vesper service in the afternoon at 5 o'clock, the choir will be assisted by Michael Lamberti, cellist, who will play the introductory numbers "Nocturne" (Popper), and "Adagio from the 'Cello Concerto" (Haydn). Mrs. Alexander Greene will sing "The Day is Ended," by J. C. Bartlett, and the choir will render a new choral arrangement of Tschai-kowsky's, "A Pilgrim Song." The Minister, continuing his discussions of confessional literature, will speak on Cardinal Newman's "Apologia."

The Vesper talks for the two following Sundays will be on Tolstoy's "My Confession," and Jeremy Taylor's "Holy Dying."

The attendance at both the Primary Department and the Intermediate Department of the Church School is well maintained, although the work suffers from the lack of adequate quarters. The Primary Division, under the direction of Mrs. C. E. Burton, is being fully equipped with teachers and assistants and much thought is being given to the exercises for each day. Already the children are looking forward to the Easter services.

The class for older boys, led by George Smart, maintains both attendance and interest. This class is discovering autobiographical material full of spiritual suggestiveness. Last Sunday, for instance, some considerable time was spent in deducing lessons from the life of such an outstanding educator and citizen as Dr. Charles W. Eliot. Some of the characters treated by Gamaliel Bradford in "Damaged Souls" have also been under consideration, and the boys have shown a readiness to do real research and thinking along these lines.

LaFARGE TO TEACH HERE

Miss Mae Collins wishes to announce that Maurice LaFarge, teacher of voice culture, will spend two afternoons a week at the Forest Hills studio, 10 Roman Avenue, to meet the many requests for both vocal instruction and coaching.

M. LaFarge won first prize of the National Conservatory of Music (France) and was assistant to the world famous Jean de Reszke.

M. LaFarge is a composer of the highest rank of both vocal and piano music. Though known best as coacher and accompanist, he is also a high barytone and a very successful teacher of voice culture. Communicate with Miss Mae Collins for all appointments.

MR. GOUDY EXHIBITS PRESS

Recently at the Anderson Galleries, Frederic W. Goudy, designer of more than 50 faces of type, exhibited the historic press on which William Morris printed his famous edition of the Kelmscott Chaucer. The press is to be taken to the Goudy home near Marlborough. The Goudys lived, for many years, on Deepdene Road until last summer.

CHURCH SERVICES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF FOREST HILLS—Rev. Albert Sheppard, M.A., minister. Church services: Sunday—10 a. m., Sabbath School; 11 a. m., public worship; 4 p. m., lecture. Seminole Avenue and Gown Street.

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 morning at 6:45, 8 and 11 o'clock. Ascan Avenue, near Queens Boulevard.

ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL—Rev. William P. S. Lander. Sundays—Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; Church School, 9:30 a. m.; service and sermon, 11 a. m.; Evening Prayer, 5 o'clock. Thursdays, Holy Communion, 7 and 10 a. m.; Church School Service, 4:30 p. m.; Evening Service, 8 o'clock. Greenway South, near Cranford Street.

CHURCH-IN-THE-GARDENS—Rev. C. E. Silcox, minister—Sunday services: Church School, 9:30 a. m.; sermon, 11 a. m. Vesper Service, 5 p. m. Corner Greenway North and Ascan Avenue.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services at the First Presbyterian Church tomorrow, will be as follows: 10 o'clock, Bible School; 11 o'clock, public worship. Mr. Sheppard will preach on the topic "Two Lights." This is the last in the series on "Prophecy and Progress." The address for the afternoon service, held at 4 o'clock, will be "Is Man Immortal?" There will be no afternoon services during the Spring and Summer.

The annual congregational meeting of the church and congregation was held in the Social Rooms of the church on Wednesday night. A church supper was held at 6:30, which was attended by a large company of the members of the congregation. At the business session of the meeting, reports were read from the various organizations, and fine progress was reported all along the line.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church, was held on Monday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. S. Canaday, Ibois Street. The chief business was the election of officers. Mrs. S. Canaday was elected president; Mrs. Chas. Larsh, vice-president; Mrs. O. Reinert, treasurer. Mrs. Chas. W. Johnson, corresponding secretary and Mrs. F. Dede, recording secretary. The ladies reported a very successful year along all lines of activity.

MOTHERS' CLUBS TO HOLD JOINT MEETING

Miss Regina Burke, principal of Public School 39, Bronx, will tell of the Dalton Plan as applied in her school, at the joint meeting of the Gardens Mothers' Club and the Mothers' Club of Public School 3, to be held on the afternoon of April 14, at 3 o'clock in the school auditorium. All mothers of the community are invited to attend.

At the meeting of the Mothers' Club of Public School 3, held in the school auditorium on the afternoon of March 17, the sum of \$10 was voted for the work of the Girl Scouts of Queens. Tea was served and the hostesses were Mrs. L. E. B. Conkling and Mrs. James McGill.

COMMITTEES FOR FAIR

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will give a fair in the Masonic Temple on May 9. The following members will have charge of the booths: Mrs. D. M. Sarkisian, fancy work; Mrs. Val Hattemer, refreshment; Mrs. Charles W. Johnson, pure food; Mrs. J. A. Bingham, aprons; Mrs. Ritie Backus, miscellaneous; Mrs. I. W. Backus and Mrs. James McGill, things for children; Mrs. A. E. Kretschmer, house dresses and millinery and Mrs. F. A. Dede, candy.

TEA FOR MRS. STANLEY-BROWN

Under the leadership of Mrs. N. F. Holch, president, the Forest Hills Auxiliary of the Jamaica Hospital, gave a delightful tea at McDonald's Tea Room on the afternoon of March 26, in honor of Mrs. Joseph Stanley-Brown, of Kew Gardens. Mr. and Mrs. Stanley-Brown have both given devoted service to the Jamaica Hospital. Mrs. Stanley-Brown spoke of the work of Jamaica Hospital, as did also Miss Dorothy Debevoise. Miss Julia Harden rendered a group of selections on the harp.

Misses McDonald donated the use of the room and served the refreshments free of charge.

COMING EVENTS

Monday, 3 to 5:30 p. m.—Library open. Sales office.
Friday, 3 to 6 p. m.—Library open. Sales office.
First and third Tuesday evenings 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.
Thursday, April 3, 8 p. m.—Bridge and Mah-Jong Party, Benefit Community House, Inn.
Monday, April 7, 2 p. m.—Women's Club, Inn.
Monday, April 7, 8 p. m.—Gardens Celebrations Association, Sun Parlor, Inn.
Tuesday, April 8, 2:30 p. m.—Current Readings Chapter, Women's Club, 84 Puritan Avenue.
Friday, April 11, 8 p. m.—Choral Club Concert, Forest Hills Theatre.
Monday, April 14, 3 p. m.—Gardens Mothers' Club and Mothers' Club of Public School 3, Auditorium of School.
Tuesday, April 22, 2:30 p. m.—Current Readings Chapter, Women's Club, 28 Whitson Street.
Friday, May 9—Fair, Ladies' Auxiliary, Presbyterian Church, Masonic Temple.